

Proper 20 (Year B)
Sunday Closest to September 21

Psalm 54

REFRAIN *Sung by cantor and repeated by all*



God is my help- er; the Lord sus- tains my life.

VERSES *Sung by cantor*

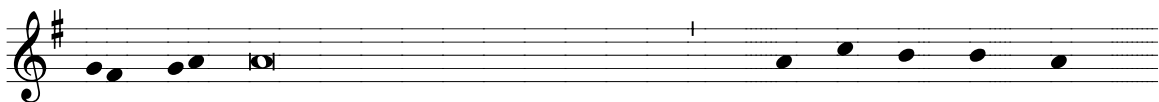


1. Save me, O God, by your Name; * in your might, de- fend my cause.



2. Hear my prayer, O God; * give ear to the words of my mouth.

All repeat refrain



3. For the arrogant have risen up against me, and the ruth- less have sought



my life; * those who have no re- gard for God. 5. Render evil to



those who spy on me; * in your faith- ful- ness de- stroy them.

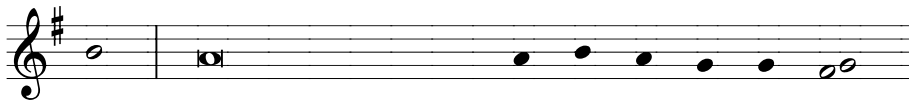
All repeat refrain



6. I will offer you a free-will sac-ri-fice * and praise your Name, O



Lord, for it is good. 7. For you have rescued me from ev-'ry trou-



ble, * and my eyes have seen the ru- in of my foes.

All repeat refrain.