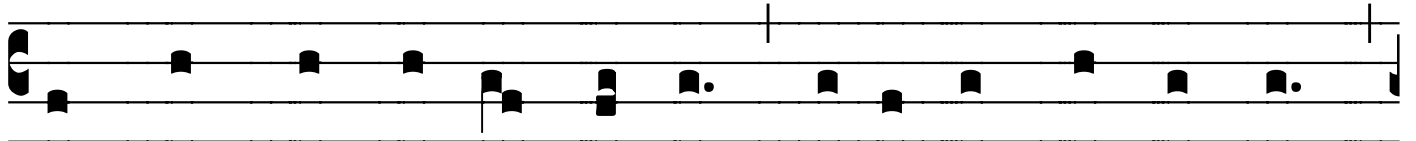
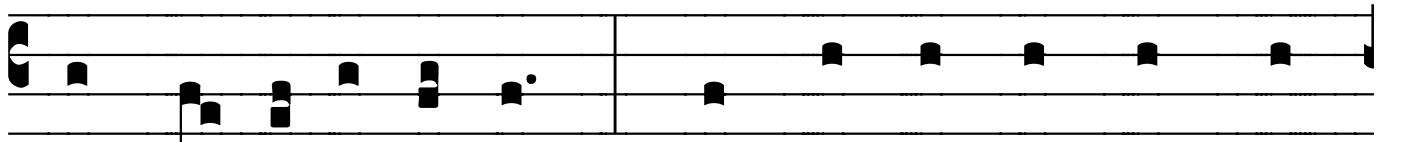


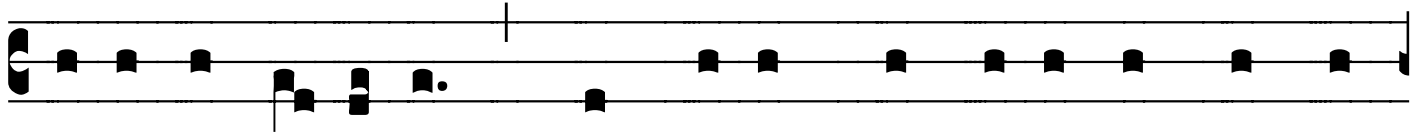
Eucharistic Prayer 2 Preface
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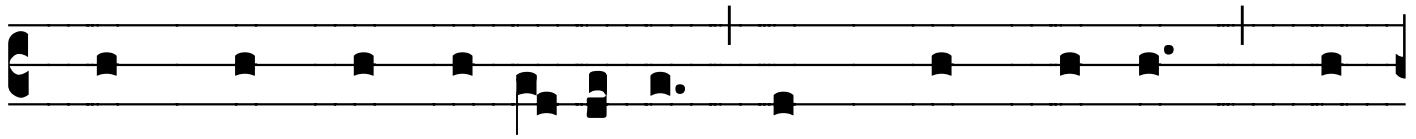
We praise you and we bless you, ho-ly and grac-ious God,



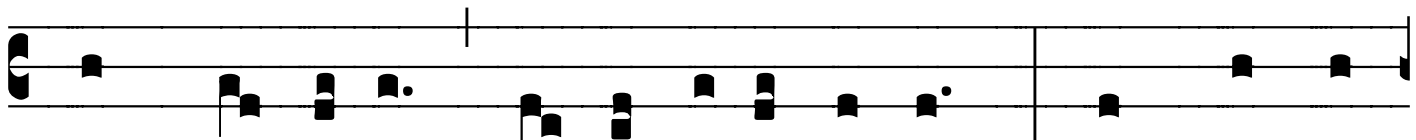
source of life a-bun-dant. From be-fore time you made



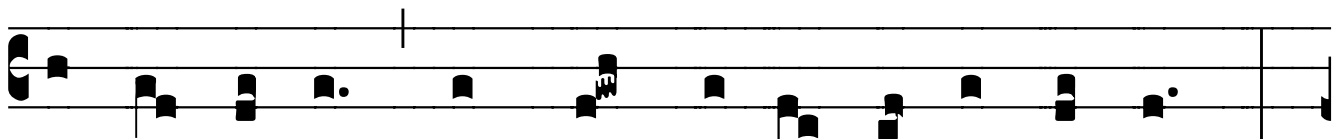
ready the cre-a-tion. Your Spirit moved over the deep and



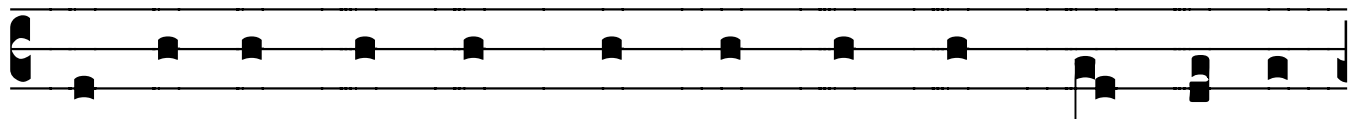
brought all things in-to be-ing: sun, moon, and stars; earth,



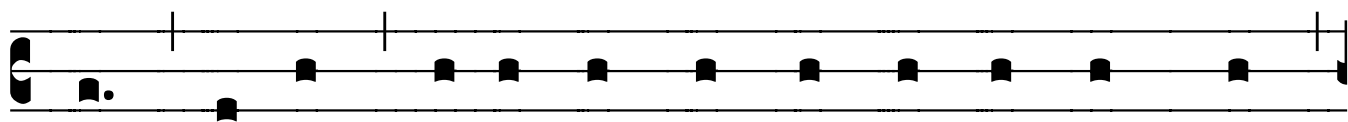
winds, and wa-ters; and ev-'ry liv-ing thing. You made us



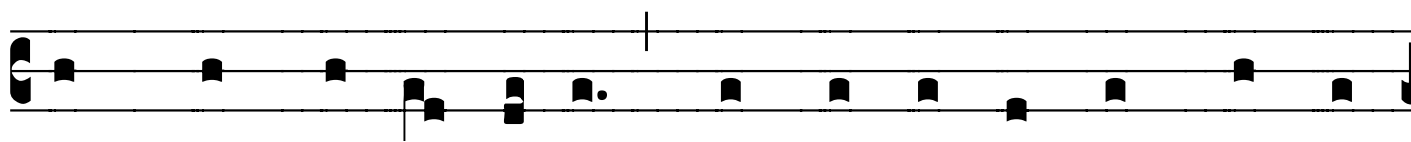
in your im-age, and taught us to walk in your ways.



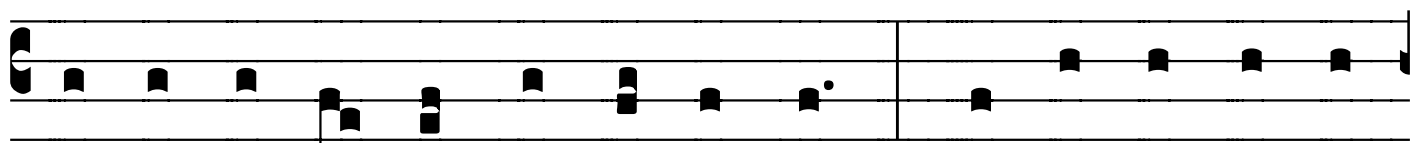
But we re-belled a - gainst you, and wan-dered far a -



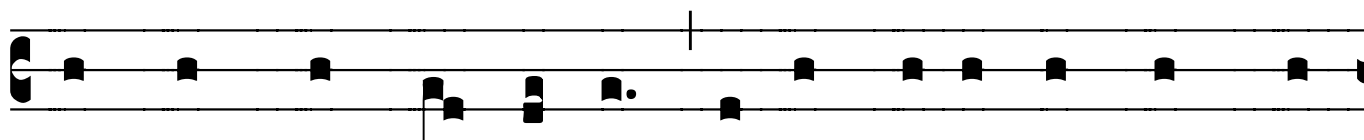
way; and yet, as a moth-er cares for her chil - dren,



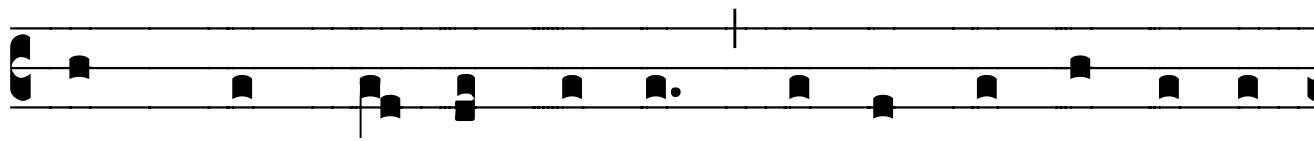
you would not for-get us. Time and a-gain you called us



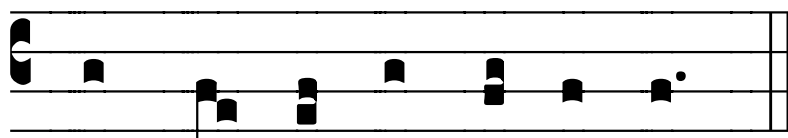
to live in the full-ness of your love. And so this day we



join with Saints and An-gels in the chorus of praise that



rings through e - ter - ni - ty, lift-ing our voi-ces to



mag - ni - fy you as we sing: