

## RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Psalm 143

Response: O Lord, hear my prayer.

O Lord, hear my prayer;  
hearken to my pleading in your faithfulness;  
in your justice answer me.  
And enter not into judgment with your servant,  
for before you no loving man is just. (Response.)

I remember the days of old;  
I meditate on all your doings,  
the works of your hands I ponder.  
I stretch out my hands to you;  
my soul thirsts for you like parched land. (Response.)

Hasten to answer me, O Lord,  
for my spirit fails me.  
At dawn let me hear of your kindness,  
for in you I trust. (Response.)

Teach me to do your will,  
for you are my God.  
May your good spirit guide me  
on level ground. (Response.)