Leader: 1 Why do the heathen rage, and the people imagine a vain thing?

Response: **2 The kings of the earth set themselves, and the rulers take counsel together, against the Lord, and against his anointed, saying,**

Leader: 3 Let us break their bands asunder, and cast away their cords from us.

Response: **4 He that sitteth in the heavens shall laugh: the Lord shall have them in derision.**

Leader: 5 Then shall He speak unto them in His wrath, and vex them in His sore displeasure.

Response: **6 Yet have I set My king upon My holy hill of Zion.**

Leader: 7 I will declare the decree: the Lord hath said unto me, Thou art my Son; this day have I begotten thee.

Response: **8 Ask of Me, and I shall give thee the heathen for thine inheritance, and the uttermost parts of the earth for thy possession.**

Leader: 9 Thou shalt break them with a rod of iron; thou shalt dash them in pieces like a potter's vessel.

Response: **10 Be wise now therefore, O ye kings: be instructed, ye judges of the earth.**

Leader: 11 Serve the Lord with fear, and rejoice with trembling.

Response: **12 Kiss the Son, lest He be angry, and ye perish from the way, when His wrath is kindled but a little. Blessed are all they that put their trust in Him.**