Leader: 1 Answer me when I call, God of my righteousness.

Give me relief from my distress.

Have mercy on me, and hear my prayer.

Response: **2 You sons of men, how long shall My glory be turned into dishonor?**

**Will you love vanity and seek after falsehood?**

Leader: 3 But know that Yahweh has set apart for Himself him who is godly:

Yahweh will hear when I call to Him.

Response: **4 Stand in awe, and don’t sin.**

**Search your own heart on your bed, and be still.**

Leader: 5 Offer the sacrifices of righteousness.

Put your trust in Yahweh.

Response: **6 Many say, “Who will show us any good?”**

**Yahweh, let the light of Your face shine on us.**

Leader: 7 You have put gladness in my heart,

more than when their grain and their new wine are increased.

Response: **8 In peace I will both lay myself down and sleep,**

**for You, Yahweh alone, make me live in safety.**