Leader: 1 The heavens declare the glory of God.

The expanse shows his handiwork.

Response: **2 Day after day they pour out speech,**

**and night after night they display knowledge.**

Leader: 3 There is no speech nor language,

where their voice is not heard.

Response: **4 Their voice has gone out through all the earth,**

**their words to the end of the world.**

**In them he has set a tent for the sun,**

Leader: 5 which is as a bridegroom coming out of his room,

like a strong man rejoicing to run his course.

Response: **6 His going out is from the end of the heavens,**

**his circuit to its ends.**

**There is nothing hidden from its heat.**

Leader: 7 Yahweh’s law is perfect, restoring the soul.

Yahweh’s covenant is sure, making wise the simple.

Response: **8 Yahweh’s precepts are right, rejoicing the heart.**

**Yahweh’s commandment is pure, enlightening the eyes.**

Leader: 9 The fear of Yahweh is clean, enduring forever.

Yahweh’s ordinances are true, and righteous altogether.

Response: **10 They are more to be desired than gold, yes, than much fine gold,**

**sweeter also than honey and the extract of the honeycomb.**

Leader: 11 Moreover your servant is warned by them.

In keeping them there is great reward.

Response: **12 Who can discern his errors?**

**Forgive me from hidden errors.**

Leader: 13 Keep back your servant also from presumptuous sins.

Let them not have dominion over me.

Then I will be upright.

I will be blameless and innocent of great transgression.

Response: **14 Let the words of my mouth and the meditation of my heart**

**be acceptable in Your sight,**

**Yahweh, my Rock, and my Redeemer.**