Leader: 1 I will bless the Lord at all times: His praise shall continually be in my mouth.

Response: **2 My soul shall make her boast in the Lord: the humble shall hear thereof, and be glad.**

Leader: 3 O magnify the Lord with me, and let us exalt His name together.

Response: **4 I sought the Lord, and He heard me, and delivered me from all my fears.**

Leader: 5 They looked unto Him, and were lightened: and their faces were not ashamed.

Response: **6 This poor man cried, and the Lord heard him, and saved him out of all his troubles.**

Leader: 7 The angel of the Lord encampeth round about them that fear Him, and delivereth them.

Response: **8 O taste and see that the Lord is good: blessed is the man that trusteth in Him.**

Leader: 9 O fear the Lord, ye His saints: for there is no want to them that fear Him.

Response: **10 The young lions do lack, and suffer hunger: but they that seek the Lord shall not want any good thing.**

Leader: 11 Come, ye children, hearken unto me: I will teach you the fear of the Lord.

Response: **12 What man is he that desireth life, and loveth many days, that he may see good?**

Leader: 13 Keep thy tongue from evil, and thy lips from speaking guile.

Response: **14 Depart from evil, and do good; seek peace, and pursue it.**

Leader: 15 The eyes of the Lord are upon the righteous, and His ears are open unto their cry.

Response: **16 The face of the Lord is against them that do evil, to cut off the remembrance of them from the earth.**

Leader: 17 The righteous cry, and the Lord heareth, and delivereth them out of all their troubles.

Response: **18 The Lord is nigh unto them that are of a broken heart; and saveth such as be of a contrite spirit.**

Leader: 19 Many are the afflictions of the righteous: but the Lord delivereth him out of them all.

Response: **20 He keepeth all his bones: not one of them is broken.**

Leader: 21 Evil shall slay the wicked: and they that hate the righteous shall be desolate.

Response: **22 The Lord redeemeth the soul of His servants: and none of them that trust in Him shall be desolate.**