Leader: 1 Give the king Thy judgments, O God,

And Thy righteousness unto the king’s son.

Response: **2 He will judge Thy people with righteousness,**

**And Thy poor with justice.**

Leader: 3 The mountains shall bring peace to the people,

And the hills, in righteousness.

Response: **4 He will judge the poor of the people,**

**He will save the children of the needy,**

**And will break in pieces the oppressor.**

Leader: 5 They shall fear Thee while the sun endureth,

And so long as the moon, throughout all generations.

Response: **6 He will come down like rain upon the mown grass,**

**As showers that water the earth.**

Leader: 7 In his days shall the righteous flourish,

And abundance of peace, till the moon be no more.

Response: **8 He shall have dominion also from sea to sea,**

**And from the River unto the ends of the earth.**

Leader: 9 They that dwell in the wilderness shall bow before Him;

And His enemies shall lick the dust.

Response: **10 The kings of Tarshish and of the isles shall render tribute:**

**The kings of Sheba and Seba shall offer gifts.**

Leader: 11 Yea, all kings shall fall down before Him;

All nations shall serve Him.

Response: **12 For He will deliver the needy when He crieth,**

**And the poor, that hath no helper.**

Leader: 13 He will have pity on the poor and needy,

And the souls of the needy He will save.

Response: **14 He will redeem their soul from oppression and violence;**

**And precious will their blood be in His sight:**

Leader: 15 And they shall live; and to him shall be given of the gold of Sheba:

And men shall pray for him continually;

They shall bless him all the day long.

Response: **16 There shall be abundance of grain in the earth upon the top of the mountains;**

**The fruit thereof shall shake like Lebanon:**

**And they of the city shall flourish like grass of the earth.**

Leader: 17 His name shall endure for ever;

His name shall be continued as long as the sun:

And men shall be blessed in him;

All nations shall call him happy.

Response: **18 Blessed be Jehovah God, the God of Israel,**

**Who only doeth wondrous things:**

Leader: 19 And blessed be His glorious name for ever;

And let the whole earth be filled with His glory.

Amen, and Amen.

Response: **20 The prayers of David the son of Jesse are ended.**