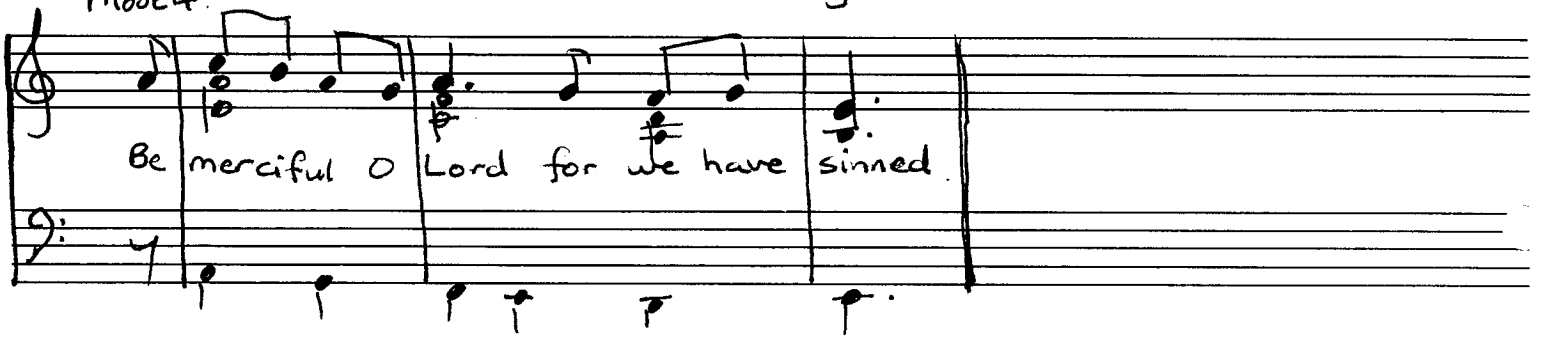


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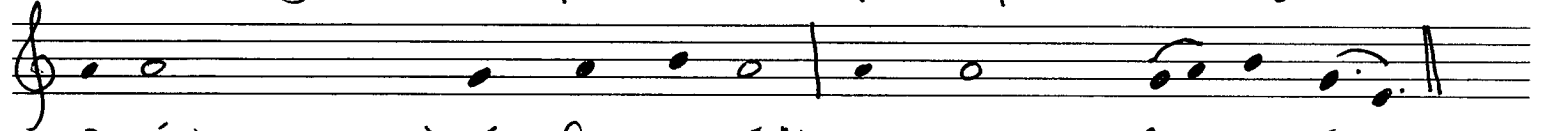


Be merciful O Lord for we have sinned.



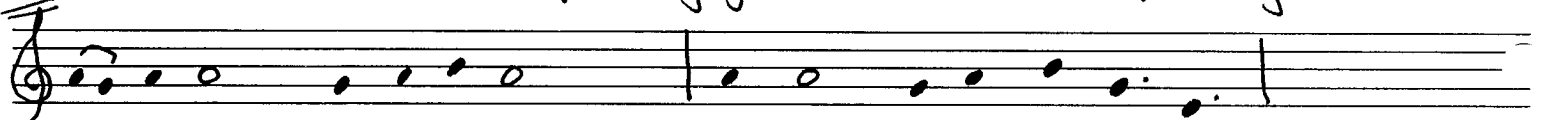
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1. Have mercy on me God in your kindness, in your compassion blot out my offence,



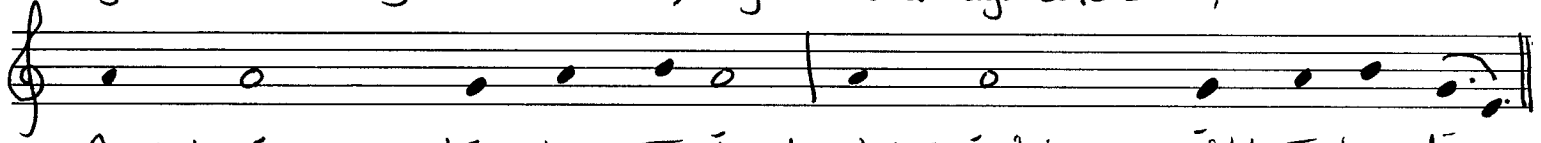
O wash me more and more from my guilt, and cleanse me from my sin.

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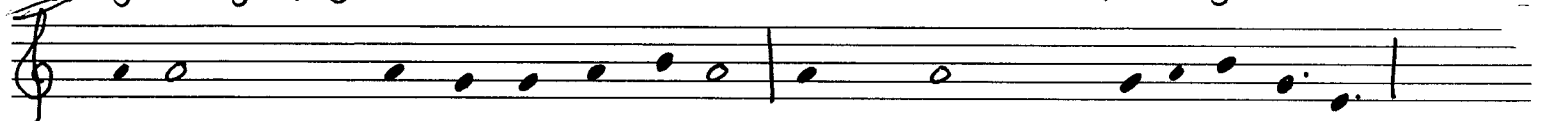
My offences truly I know them, my sin is always before me,

2. My offences truly I know them, my sin is always before me,



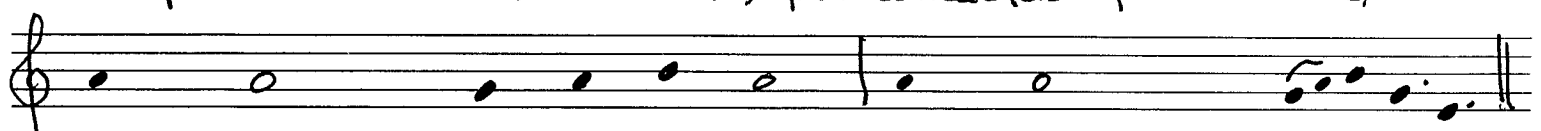
Against you, you alone have I sinned, what is evil in your sight I have done,

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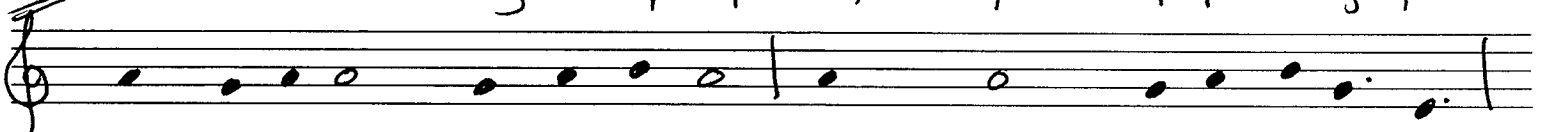
A pure heart create for me O God, put a steadfast spirit within me,

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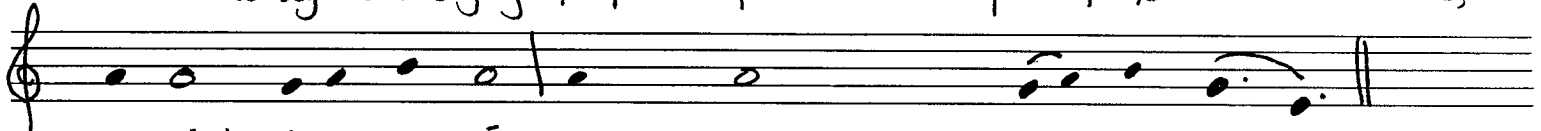
Do not cast me away from your presence, nor deprive me of your Holy Spirit.

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Give me again the joy of your help. With a spirit of fervour sustain me,

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O Lord, open my lips, and my mouth shall declare your praise.

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