Advent/Christmas Gospel Acclamation

ANTIPHON: First time: Cantor
Melody Each time thereafter: All \( \frac{d}{\text{ca. 100}} \) G \( \frac{F}{(\text{last time rit.})} \) A \( \frac{A}{(\text{last time rit.})} \) Fine
Harmony


VERSE 1: (Advent)
Cantor:

\[ \text{Verse 1: } \]
1. You are the joy of ev’ry hu-man heart,

1. king of all the na-tions. Lord Je-sus come!

VERSES 2-4: (Advent) / VERSE 5: (Christmas)
VERSE 6: (Epiphany) / VERSE 7: (Baptism of the Lord)
Cantor:

\[ \text{Verse 2-7: } \]
2. You are Lord, our jus-tice and our mer-cy.
3. E-ter-nal light, and sun of jus-tice,
4. Em-man-u-el, the joy of all na-tions,
5. Born to-day, our jus-tice and our mer-cy,
6. You are light that shines in the dark-ness,
7. You are born of wa-ter and the Spir-it,

2. Show us how to live:
3. shine in all our dark-ness:
4. come to us and save us:
5. God in flesh a-mong us:
6. star to guide the na-tions:
7. foun-tain of our dreams:

\( \text{Verse 5-7: } \)
2-4. Lord Je-sus come!
5-7. Lord, Je-sus Christ!