

FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT

YEAR A

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Psalm 122(121):1-2. 4-5. 6-7. 8-9. Rx cf. 1

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Let us go re - joi - cing to the house of the LORD!

A.R.

1. I rejoiced when they said to me,
'Let us go to the house of the LORD.'
And now our feet are standing
within your gates, O Jerusalem.

3. For the peace of Jerusalem pray,
'May they prosper, those who love you.'
May peace abide in your walls,
and security be in your towers. Rx

2. It is there that the tribes go up,
the tribes of the LORD.
as it is decreed for Israel,
to give thanks to the name of the LORD.
There were set the thrones for judgement,
the thrones of the house of David. Rx

4. For the sake of my family and friends,
let me say, 'Peace upon you.'
For the sake of the house of the LORD, our God,
I will seek good things for you. Rx

ACCLAMATION BEFORE THE GOSPEL

Psalm 85(84):8

Alleluia, alleluia.
Show us, O LORD, your mercy,
and grant us your salvation.
Alleluia.