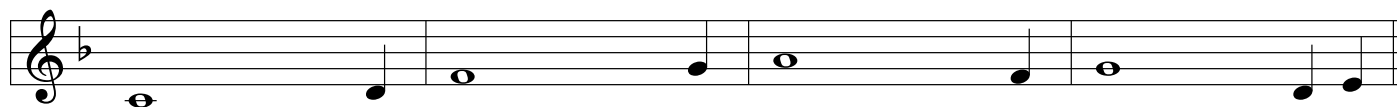


## Sunday between 21 August and 27 August (Proper 21)

*Psalm 124*



If the Lord had not been on our side, let Israel now · **say**;  
if the Lord had not been on our side, when enemies rose up a·**-gainst\_us**;  
then would they have swallowed us up a·**-live**  
in their fierce anger · **toward us**;

Then would the waters have overwhelmed us, and the torrent gone · **over\_us**;  
then would the raging waters have gone · **over\_us**.  
Blessed be the · **Lord!**  
he has not given us over to be a prey for · **their** teeth.

We have escaped like a bird from the snare of the · **fowler**;  
the snare is broken, and we have es·**-caped**.  
Our help is in the name of the · **Lord**,  
the maker of heaven · **and** earth.