Exaltation of the Holy Cross

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Psalm 18: 2-3a,3bc,4,18,38,39,41,48,49,50

- **1.** I love you, *LORD*, my strength; O LORD, my rock, my fort-*ress*, my savior;
- **2.** My God, my rock where *I* take refuge; My shield, my saving *strength*, my stronghold.
- **3.** I cry out, "Praised *be* the LORD!" And see, I am saved *from* my foes.
- **4.** He saved me from my pow-*er*-ful foe, From my enemies, whose strength I *could* not match.
- **5.** I pursued and over-*took* my foes, Never turning back till *they* were slain.
- **6.** I struck them so they *could* not rise; They fell be-*neath* my feet.
- 7. You made my *foes* take flight; Those who hated me *I* destroyed.
- **8.** The God who gives *me* redress And subdues the *peo*-ples under me.
- **9.** You saved me from my *fur*-ious foes; You set me above my *as*-sailants; You saved me from the *vio*-lent man.
- **10.** So I will praise you, LORD, am-*ong* the nations; To your name will I *sing* a psalm.

Dox. Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the *Ho*-ly Spirit, As it was in the beginning, *is* now, And will be fore-*ver*. Amen.