

**Psalm 116:5, 6, 10-11, 15-16ac**

**R/. I will walk in the presence of the Lord in the land of the living.**

Gracious is the LORD and just;  
yes, our God is merciful. **R/.**

The LORD keeps the little ones;  
I was brought low, and he saved me. **R/.**

I believed, even when I said,  
"I am greatly afflicted";  
I said in my alarm,  
"No man is dependable." **R/.**

Precious in the eyes of the LORD  
is the death of his faithful ones.  
O LORD, I am your servant,  
you have loosed my bonds. **R/.**