

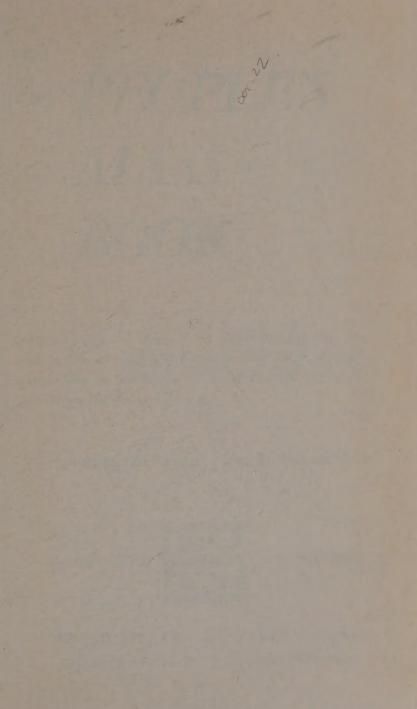


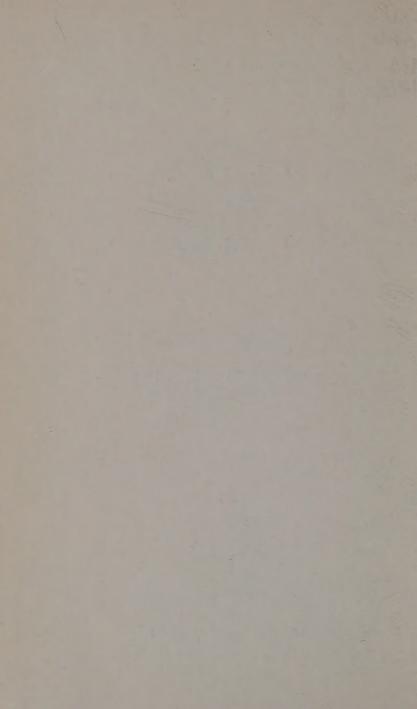
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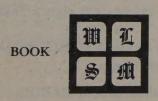


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LOW MASS

#### 1. ENTRANCE HYMNS

#### GENERAL

Although the hymns listed below from the L section were written specifically as Mass hymns, all of the following hymns can be appropriately used.

D-6, D-15, E-3, G-1 to G-18, H-1 to H-5a, I-1 to I-5a, L-1 to L-4, L-10, P-19, P-24, P-83, P-83a, P-94, P-95, P-99, P-103, S-12, S-13, T-1 to T-15.

#### SEASONAL

Advent: A-1 to A-9.
Christmas: C-1 to C-11,
R-10, R-15 (verse 3).
Epiphany: C-15, C-16.
Lent-Passiontide: D-1 to
D-16, P-1, P-4, P-50,
P-129, R-16.
Easter: E-1 to E-9, R-17
(verse 1).
Ascension: F-1, R-17
(verse 2).

Pentecost: H-1 to H-5a,
R-17 (verse 3).
Blessed Trinity: I-1 to I-5a.
Our Lord: G-1 to G-17, S-13.
Blessed Virgin: P-44, P-151,
R-1 to R-13a, R-15
(verses 1,2,4,5), R-17
(verses 4,5).
Other feasts: S-1, S-2, S-7,
S-10 to S-13.

#### 2. EPISTLE RESPONSES — L-7.

#### 3. OFFERTORY HYMNS

GENERAL — D-6, L-2, L-8 to L-18, P-19, P-95.

SEASONAL — see Entrance Hymns.

#### 4. SANCTUS HYMNS — L-19, L-20, T-6.

#### 5. COMMUNION HYMNS

#### GENERAL

L-21 to L-31, P-22, P-22a, P-22b, P-24, P-33, P-62, P-83, P-83a.

#### SEASONAL

Advent: A-1, A-3, A-7, A-9.
Christmas: C-4, C-7.

Lent-Passiontide: D-3 to D-6, D-15.

Easter: E-1, E-2, E-4 to E-6.
Our Lord: G-1 to G-17.

Blessed Virgin: R-2, R-7,

#### 6. CLOSING HYMNS (End of Mass)

#### GENERAL

D-6, D-15, E-3, G-1 to G-17, H-4, H-4a, I-1 to I-5a, L-50, L-55, L-56, P-24, P-33, P-95, P-103, P-135, P-146, P-150, P-151, S-7, S-12, S-13, T-1 to T-15, Z-1, Z-4.

SEASONAL - see Entrance Hymns.

#### BENEDICTION

#### 1. BEFORE THE TANTUM ERGO

In addition to the "Tantum Ergo" (L-41a to L-44a) any of the following may be sung:

#### GENERAL

L-20, L-22, L-30 to L-32a, L-35 to L-37, P-1, P-4, P-19, P-22, P-22a, P-22b, P-24, P-33, P-62, P-83, P-83a.

SEASONAL - see Low Mass Entrance Hymns.

#### 2. AFTER BENEDICTION

#### GENERAL

G-1 to G-17, I-1 to I-5a, L-49, L-50, L-50a, L-51, P-95, P-103, P-135, P-146, P-150, P-151, T-1 to T-15.

SEASONAL - see Low Mass Entrance Hymns.

#### HYMNS FOR OTHER USES

- 1. BISHOP'S ENTRANCE S-18.
- 2. HYMNS FOR OUR COUNTRY Z-3, Z-4.
- 3. SACRAMENT OF PENANCE V-5 to V-7.
- 4. SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY P-44, P-126, P-126a, P-127, V-15.

## THE COMMUNITY MASS LITURGY OF THE WORD OF GOD

#### **ENTRANCE RITE**

STAND

#### ENTRANCE SONG

The entrance hymn helps us realize most profoundly that we are God's holy people gathered together by him into one Body to worship him. We greet our priest as the most important member of the Christian assembly, and we unite ourselves with him as our representative.

In accordance with the judgment of the local Ordinary, the following parts of the Mass may also be in the vernacular language. If there is no entrance singing, these parts may be recited by the people and are followed by the Entrance Song proper to the day.

Priest: In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy

Spirit. Amen.

I will go to the altar of God.

People: To God who gives joy to my youth.

Priest: Our help is in the name of the Lord.

People: Who made heaven and earth.

Priest: I confess to almighty God, . . . . to pray to the Lord our God

for me.

People: May almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you your sins,

and bring you to life everlasting.

Priest: Amen.

People: I confess to almighty God, to blessed Mary ever Virgin, to blessed Michael the Archangel, to blessed John the Baptist,

to the holy apostles Peter and Paul, to all the saints, and to you, father, that I have sinned exceedingly in thought, word, and deed; through my fault, through my fault, through my most grievous fault. Therefore I beseech blessed Mary ever Virgin, blessed Michael the Archangel, blessed John the Baptist, the holy apostles Peter and Paul, all the saints, and

you, father, to pray to the Lord our God for me.

Priest: May almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you your sins, and bring you to life everlasting.

People: Amen.

Priest: May the almighty and merciful Lord grant us pardon, absolu-

tion, and remission of our sins.

People: Amen.

O God, you will give us life again. Priest:

And your people will rejoice in you. People:

Priest: Show us. O Lord, your kindness.

And grant us your salvation. People:

O Lord, hear my prayer. Priest:

And let my cry come to you. People:

Priest. The Lord be with you.

People: And with your spirit.

Priest: Let us pray.

#### LORD, HAVE MERCY

Priest and people greet Christ, our invisible priest, and express our need to be united with him in order to be able to worship the Father in the right way.

Priest. Lord, have mercy.

People: Lord, have mercy.

Priest: Lord, have mercy.

People: Christ, have mercy.

Priest: Christ, have mercy.

People: Christ, have mercy.

Priest: Lord, have mercy.

People: Lord, have mercy.

Priest: Lord, have mercy.

#### GLORIA

With the priest let us praise the Lord.

Glory to God in the highest. Priest:

And on earth peace to men of good will. \* People:

> We praise you. We bless you. We worship you. We glorify you.

We give you thanks for your great glory. \*
Lord God, heavenly King, God the Father almighty. \*

Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son. \*
Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father. \*
You, who take away the sins of the world, \*
have mercy on us. \*

You, who take away the sins of the world, \*
receive our prayer. \*
You, who sit at the right hand of the Father, \*
have mercy on us. \*
For you alone are holy. \*
You alone are Lord. \*
You alone, O Jesus Christ, are most high, \*

+ With the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father.
Amen.

#### PRAYER

The priest, in our name and through Christ, presents our petitions to the Father in the official prayer of the day.

Priest: The Lord be with you. People: And with your spirit.

Priest: Let us pray ...

#### WE EXPRESS OUR PART IN THIS PRAYER:

Priest: ... forever and ever.

People: Amen.

#### THE WORD OF GOD

In the first part of the Mass, God speaks to us directly and we gratefully listen to his word.

SIT

#### **EPISTLE**

God first teaches us through his apostle or his prophet. We listen to God's word as it is proclaimed for us.

STAND

#### RESPONSE IN SONG

We sing our answer to the word of God in the Epistle Response.

#### GOSPEL

By the proclamation of the Gospel, Christ, the incarnate Word, is present among us.

#### AT THE BEGINNING OF THE READING:

Deacon (or Priest): The Lord be with you.

People: And with your spirit.

Deacon (or Priest): +A reading from the holy Gospel according

to Matthew ...

People: Glory to you, O Lord.

#### SERMON

SIT

God helps us to a right understanding of his teaching through the voice of the living Church.

#### **CREED**

STAND

We respond to God's message of love, making our own grateful act of faith by saying the Nicene Creed.

Priest: I believe in one God.

People: The Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, \* and of all things visible and invisible. \*

And I believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, \* the only-begotten Son of God.

Born of the Father before all ages. \*

God of God, Light of Light, true God of true God. \*

Begotten, not made, \* of one substance with the Father. \*

By whom all things were made. \*

Who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven.\*

And he became flesh by the Holy Spirit of the Virgin Mary: \*
and was made man. \*

He was also crucified for us, \* suffered under Pontius Pilate, and was buried. \*

And on the third day he rose again, according to the Scriptures. \*

He ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of the Father. \*

He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead. \*

And of his kingdom there will be no end. \*

And I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord and Giver of life, \*

who proceeds from the Father and the Son. \*

Who together with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, \* and who spoke through the prophets. \*

And one holy, Catholic, and Apostolic Church. \*

I confess one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. \*

And I await the resurrection of the dead. \*

+ And the life of the world to come. Amen.

## LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

#### PREPARATION OF THE SACRIFICIAL GIFTS

We bring our gifts of bread and wine and our Sunday offerings, which represent us, and the priest accepts them for the Father so that they can become our sacrifice.

Priest: The Lord be with you.

People: And with your spirit.

Priest: Let us pray.

(Kneel if Litany is recited, otherwise sit.)

Before he continues with the Prayer, the priest prepares our gifts of bread and wine to be offered to God our Father. While he does this, we pray the Prayer of the Faithful. To each invocation, we answer: Lord, have mercy.

- L. In peace, let us pray to the Lord: People: Lord, have mercy.
- L. For the peace that is from above, for the conversion and salvation of all mankind, let us pray to the Lord:

- L. For the well-being and unity of the Church of God, let us pray to the Lord:
- L. For our Holy Father Pope Paul and for N., our bishop, let us pray to the Lord:
- L. For our parish, our Pastor, and all who help him, let us pray to the Lord:
- L. For all of our brother and sister Christians, let us pray to the Lord:
- L. For those who love us and those who hate us, let us pray to the Lord:
- L. For good and just governments, let us pray to the Lord:
- L. For those who are sick and cannot be with us, let us pray to the Lord:
- L. For those who have fallen asleep in Christ in the true faith, let us pray to the Lord:
- L. Help, save, pity, and defend us, O Lord, by your grace:

WE SING THE MEANING OF THIS OFFERING IN OUR OFFERTORY HYMN.

#### SONG WHILE PREPARING THE GIFTS

Priest: Brethren, pray that my sacrifice and yours may be acceptable to God the Father almighty.

Servers May the Lord receive the sacrifice from your hands to the praise and glory of his name, for our welfare and that of all People:

Priest: ... forever and éver.

People: Amen.

#### EUCHARISTIC PRAYER

In this central part of the Mass, Christ, priest, and people are solemnly engaged in offering Christ's and the Church's great sacrifice of thanksgiving to the Father.

#### PRFFACE

The priest begins the solemn intoning of the great Eucharistic Hymn or Thanksgiving Prayer. We are of one mind and heart with the priest, who gives thanks for the saving work of our redemption, who praises God's boliness and mercy, and who offers our gifts to God.

Priest: The Lord be with you. People: And with your spirit. Priest. Lift up your hearts.

People: We have lifted them up to the Lord. Priest. Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People: It is right and just.

It is truly right and just, proper and helpful toward salvation, that we always and everywhere give thanks to you, O Lord, holy Father, almighty and eternal God; for with your only-begotten Son and the Holy Spirit you are one God, one Lord, not in the unity of a single person, but in the Trinity of one substance. For what we believe of your glory through your revelation, that we also believe of your Son, and of the Holy Spirit, without difference or distinction. So that in confessing the true and eternal Godhead, we adore the distinction of persons, oneness in being, and equality in majesty. This the Angels and Archangels, the Cherubim and Seraphim praise, and unceasingly chant each day, saying with one voice:

AS THE CELEBRANT CONCLUDES THE PREFACE, AT THE SOUND OF THE BELL. WE IOIN WITH HIM IN:

Holy, holy, holy Lord God of hosts. \* People:

Heaven and earth are filled with your glory. \*

Hosanna in the highest. \*

+Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. \* Hosanna in the highest.

KNEEL

THE CANON

We are united with our priest as he continues the Eucharistic Prayer.

Therefore
we ask you this
Father most merciful
through Jesus Christ, your Son, our Lord.
We ask you, we beg you to take and to bless
these gifts
these tokens
these holy unspotted offerings.
In the first place
we offer them to you
for your holy Catholic Church
(throughout the whole world).
Please give her peace
guard her, gather her, guide her.
We offer them

together with your servant our Pope N. together with our bishop N. and with all who faithfully teach the Catholic apostolic faith. Remember, Lord the servants of your household N. and N. and all who are assembled here around your altar. You know their faithfulness and attachment to you. We offer to you for them or they offer to you this sacrifice of praise for themselves and for all they cherish for the forgiveness of their sins for the salvation and safety in which they hope. To you do they pray God everlasting, living and true. In the fellowship of communion we honor and remember first of all the glorious Mary ever Virgin the Mother of our Lord and God, Jesus Christ. Then we recall the blessed Joseph, spouse of the Virgin and your holy apostles and martyrs Peter and Paul, Andrew, James, John, Thomas, James, Philip, Bartholomew, Matthew, Simon and Jude Thaddeus. Linus, Cletus, Clement, Sixtus, Cornelius, Cyprian, Lawrence, Chrysogonus, John and Paul, Cosmas and Damian, and all your saints. Because of their merits and prayers help and guard us in all things . . . .

#### This, then, is the offering

which we, your servants, and your whole family owe and give to you. please accept it set our days in your peace save us from everlasting doom count us among your chosen ones . . . As for this whole offering O God please bless it Please accept it and make it proper and perfect and worthy to please you so that it may become for us the Body and Blood of your dearly Beloved Son our Lord Jesus Christ. The day before he suffered he took bread into his holy and worshipful hands and with eyes lifted up to heaven to you, God, his almighty Father giving thanks to you he blessed broke and gave it to his disciples saying "Take, eat this, all of you, For this is my Body." Likewise after the supper he also took this glorious cup into his holy and worshipful hands. He gave thanks to you again and blessed the cup and handed it to his disciples saving "Take, drink this, all of you, For this is the cup of my Blood of the new and everlasting covenant the mystery of faith. It shall be shed for you and for many to atone for sins. Whenever you do these things you will do them in memory of me."

For this reason, O Lord, we your servants and likewise your people remember the blessed suffering of the same Christ, your Son, our Lord.

We remember his rising from the abode of the dead and his going up to the glory of heaven. Mindful of all this from among the gifts you gave us we offer to your radiant majesty a victim pure, holy, spotless the sacred bread of life eternal the cup which gives salvation forever. May your face be pleased and serene and, as you look upon these gifts may you take them up as you took up the gifts of your servant Abel, a just man the sacrifice of Abraham, our patriarch and that which Melchisedech set before you a holy sacrifice, a victim without blemish. Almighty God humbly we ask you bid your holy angel to carry these gifts up to the altar which is before your heavenly majesty. This we ask so that whoever shares in receiving the most holy Body and Blood of your Son from this altar here below may be filled with every blessing and grace from heaven above . . . Remember too, Lord the servants of your household N. and N. They have gone before us they are sealed with the sign of faith now they sleep the sleep of peace. Grant, O Lord, we ask you to these and to all who are at rest in Christ a place refreshing, of light and peace . . . . We, your sinful servants have hope in your boundless mercy. Please give us part and fellowship with your holy apostles and martyrs with John and Stephen with Matthias and Barnabas with Ignatius and Alexander with Marcellinus and Peter with Felicity and Perpetua with Agatha and Lucy with Agnes and Cecilia with Anastasia and all your saints. We pray you, let us share their company not in view of our merits but because of your mercy through Christ our Lord:

Through him
you make good
you make holy
you make alive
you make blessed
and you give to us
these and all good things.
Through him
and with him
and in him
is given to you, Father almighty
together with the Holy Spirit
all honor
all glory:
world without end.

People: Amen.

#### THE EUCHARISTIC BANQUET

In this part of the Mass the Father invites us to come and receive the gift we have given and that he has accepted — the sacrificed Body and Blood of his Son. By receiving Holy Communion we participate most perfectly in the sacrifice of Jesus Christ.

#### THE LORD'S PRAYER

As God's Family we now go to the table of the Lord; by the Bread of Life we are made "one body" with Christ and with one another.

LET US SAY THE FOLLOWING PRAYER BEFORE OUR HOLY MEAL:

Priest: Let us pray: Taught by our Savior's command and formed by the word of God, we dare to say:

People: Our Father, who art in heaven, \*
hallowed be thy name; \*
thy kingdom come; \*
thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. \*
Give us this day our daily bread; \*
and forgive us our trespasses \*
as we forgive those who trespass against us; \*
and lead us not into temptation, \*
but deliver us from evil. \*
Amen.

#### BREAKING OF THE BREAD

Priest:

We humbly ask of you, O Lord, to deliver us from all evils, past, present, and to come. By the intercession of the blessed and glorious Mary, evervirgin, Mother of God, and of your blessed apostles, Peter and Paul, and of Andrew and of all the saints, mercifully give peace in our days. Through the help of your mercy, may we always be free from sin and safe from all misfortunes. Through the same Jesus Christ, your Son our Lord, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, world without end. Amen.

#### PRAYER FOR PEACE

Priest: Forever and ever.

People: Amen.

Priest: May the peace of the Lord be always with you.

People: And with your spirit.

#### LAMB OF GOD

We turn to Christ whom we are about to receive.

People: Lamb of God, who take away the sins of the world, \* have mercy on us. \*

Lamb of God, who take away the sins of the world, \* have mercy on us. \*

Lamb of God, who take away the sins of the world, \* grant us peace.

(In Requiem Masses: ... grant them rest ... grant them rest ... grant them eternal rest.)

#### **KNEEL**

#### COMMUNION OF THE FAITHFUL

When the celebrant faces us holding up the sacred host, he says:

Priest: Behold the Lamb of God, \*

behold him who takes away the sins of the world.

People: Lord, I am not worthy that you should come under

my roof. \*

Speak but the word and my soul will be healed.

Priest: The Body of Christ.

Communicant: Amen.

#### **COMMUNION SONG**

As we join with one another in the supper of the Lord, we sing our communion hymn. By this song we show our oneness while we share in the mystery we are celebrating.

#### PRAYERS AFTER COMMUNION

(At recited Masses without music)

These prayers are said alternately, starting after the priest closes the tabernacle door.

Leader: For your Holy Name enshrined in our hearts:

People: We give you thanks, O Lord.

Leader: For the gift of faith to believe in this Sacrament:

People: We give you thanks, O Lord.

Leader: For the gift of life it brings us now:

People: We give you thanks, O Lord.

Leader: For the happiness of heaven to which it leads:

People: We give you thanks, O Lord.

Leader: Let us pray:

All: You, Lord Almighty,\* have created all things for your Name's sake.\* You have given food and drink to men\* that they may give you thanks.\* But to us\* you have given spiritual food and drink\* and eternal life\* through Jesus, your Servant.\* To you be glory forevermore.\* Remember, O Lord, your Church:\* free her from all evil,\* form her in your love,\* and from the four winds assemble her,\* your holy people, into your kingdom\* which you have prepared for her.\* To you be glory and majesty\* and power forever and ever.\* Amen.

#### STAND

#### PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Priest: The Lord be with you.

People: And with your spirit.

Priest: Let us pray...

Our priest offers a prayer of thanksgiving to the Father through Christ.

At the end of the Thanksgiving Prayer:

Priest: ... forever and ever.

People: Amen.

#### DISMISSAL AND BLESSING

Go now, sanctified and changed by Christ. Go forth to live the life of Christ. Carry Christ from this altar into life — into your work, into your homes, into the minds and hearts of men. So that you may be able to do this — may almighty God, the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit, bless you.

Priest: The Lord be with you. People: And with your spirit.

Deacon (or Priest): The Mass is ended. Go in peace.

(or: Let us bless the Lord.)

People: Thanks be to God.

KNEEL

Priest: May almighty God bless you, the Father, and the Son,

+ and the Holy Spirit.

People: Amen.

STAND

#### RECESSIONAL SONG

We sing our recessional hymn to express our praise and thanksgiving for the gift of the Eucharist. After the priest has left the sanctuary, we conclude our hymn as we leave the church.

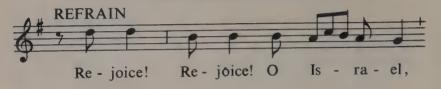
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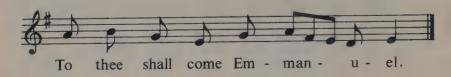


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#### ADVENT

O Come, Emmanuel (cont.)





## A-la Veni, Veni, Emmanuel

For music, see A-1.

 Veni, veni, Emmánuel; Captívum solve Israel, Qui gemit in exílio, Privátus Dei Fílio.

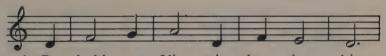
Gaude! Gaude! Emmánuel Nascétur pro te, Israel.

- 2. Veni, veni, O Oriens; Soláre nos advéniens; Noctis depélle nébulas Dirásque noctis ténebras. Repeat Gaude.
- 3. Veni, O Jesse vírgula! Ex hostis tuos úngula, De specu tuos tártari Educ et antro bárathri. Repeat Gaude.

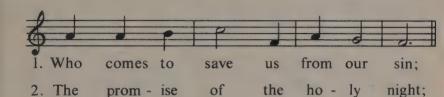
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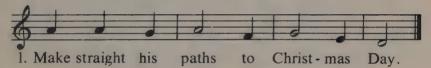
Rheinfels Gesangbuch, 1666



- 1. Be hold a Vir gin bear ing him
- 2. Be hold our Hope and Life and Light,



- 1. The proph- ets cry: pre pare his way!
  - 2. We lift our prayer and bend our knee
  - 2. We fit our prayer and bend our knee



2. To his great love and maj - es - ty.

## Behold the Bridegroom Cometh

Horologian, c. 8th cent. T Tallis, c. 1505-85 Tr. G. Moultrie hold the Bride-groom com - eth in the Do thou, my soul, be - ware, be-ware, lest mid-dle of the night, And blest is thou in sleep sink down. Lest thou girt, whose lamp is burn-ing bright; death, and lose the heav'n-ly crown; o'er to serv - ant whom that dull woe to so - ber, with be thou that But see shall sur - prise With lamp un - trimmed, un-Mas - ter eye, and thus Cry "Ho-ly, ho-. watch-ful

slum-ber

mer - cv

his

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up -

us."

and with

God, have

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#### ADVENT

## On Jordan's Bank

Charles Coffin, 1736 Tr. John Chandler, 1837 alt Adapted from Musikalisch Handbuch. Hamburg, 1690



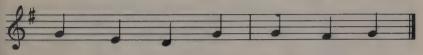
- Jor dan's bank the Ban tist's cry
- Then cleansed be ev 'ry Chris tian breast
- 3. For thou art our sal va tion, Lord.
- All praise, e ter nal Son, to thee,



- the Lord is nigh: noun - ces that And fur - nished for great a guest; SO
- 3. Our re fuge and our 4 Whose ad vent set thy great re - ward;
- peo ple free:



- and heark en, for he brings Glad us each our hearts pre pare For wake let
- 3. Once more
- up on thy peo ple shine, And the Fa ther we a dore, And we a - dore, And 4. Whom with



- ti dings of the King kings.
- to come and 2. Christ
- world with the love
- ly Ghost for ev -4. Ho -

6.

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#### ADVENT

## O Lord of Light

Creator Alme Siderum, 7th cent. Chant Tr. Melvin Farrell, S. S. light, who made the stars, of Lord low - li - ness you came on earth In debt we owed for sin 3. pay the To now you reign the King of kings. But man-kind's fi - nal day. Judge of Great Fa - ther and To God the 6. Way. whom the by we see Dawn Sa tan's snares: from man res cue named the Your pain ful cross was high est mai es -A dored in dren's plight: Have vour pit V on of ter nal For ges Re - deem all men. that drous Love healed our wounds y's vir -From Mar gin - shrine you com - mands re spect 4. Your ver У Name with your grace. Rise shield us up to the with Spir it geth er Make haste to lis ten as we pray! By tak tal cares! ing on our mor A for spot less host sac ri 4. From pole to pole and - sea 5. Sa De er us from tan's

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### Creator Alme Siderum

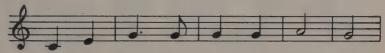
For music, see A-5.

- 1. Creátor alme síderum,
  Aetérna lux credéntium,
  Jesu, Redémptor ómnium,
  Inténde votis súpplicum.
- 2. Virtus, honor, laus, glória Deo Patri cum Fílio, Sancto simul Paráclito In saeculórum saécula.

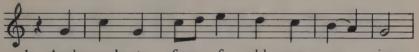
## Wake, Awake, the Night Is Dying A-6

Melvin Farrell, S. S.

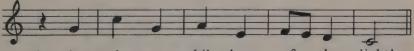
Philip Nicolai, 1599



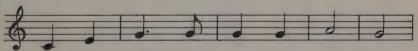
- 1. Wake, a wake, the night is dy ing,
- 2. We shall heed the proph-ets' warn ing
- 3. Let the shad-ows be for-sak-en



- 1. And prophets from of old are cry ing:
- 2. And rise to greet the Prince of Morn ing.
- 3. The time has come for us to wak en



- 1. A wake, ye chil dren of the light!
  2. His gen tle rule shall bring us peace.
- 3. And to the Day our lives en trust.



- 1. Lo, the Dawn shall ban ish sad ness,
- 2. Love and mer cy are his treas ure,
- 3. Search the sky for heav en's por tal:

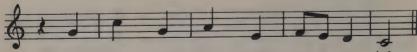
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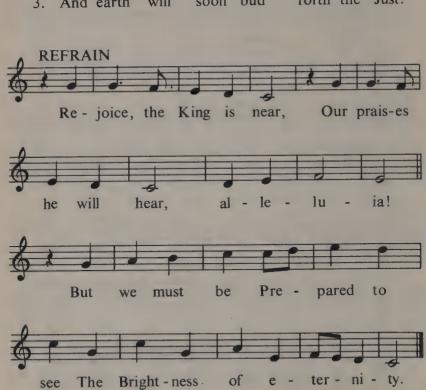
#### Wake, Awake (cont.)



- Sun shall bring us glad - ness, The Ris - ing
- skies o bey his pleas ure: rain the Light Im mor tal, and The seas The clouds shall



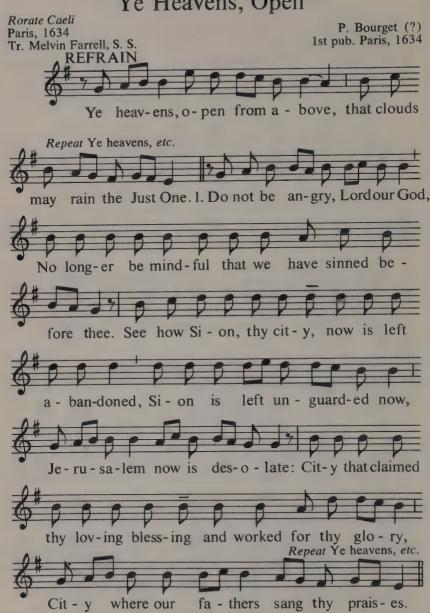
- see a right. blind shall And the nev - er cease. rule shall
- His might bud forth the Just. And earth soon

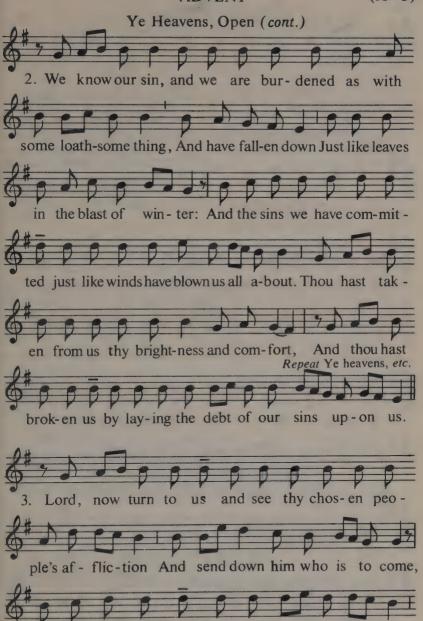


## The Coming of Our God

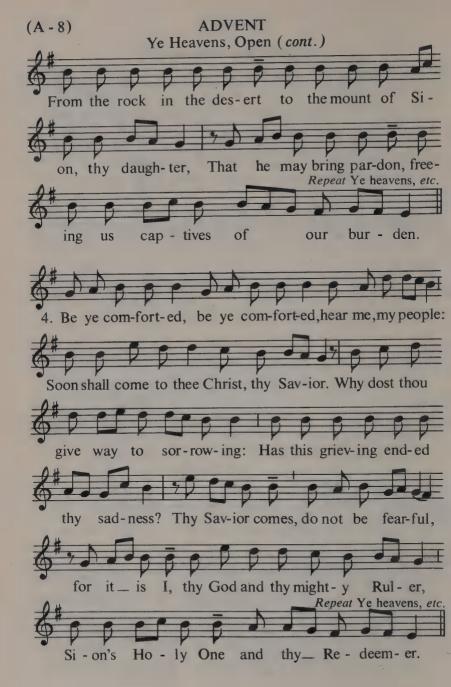


## Ye Heavens, Open





The One prom-ised, Lamb and yet Lord of all lands,



#### ADVENT

### Come, O Long-Awaited Savior



### Silent Night



# O Come, All Ye Faithful

J. F. Wade (?), c. 1740-43 Tr. Frederick Oakeley, 1841, et al. J. F. Wade (?), c. 1740-43 come, all ye faith - ful, Joy - ful and tri -Sing, Choirs of an - gels, Sing in ex-ul-Say - ior, we greet thee, Born this hap-ny umph - ant, O come ye, come ye ta - tion. Sing, all cit - i - zens ve of morn - ing. Je sus, to thee be all Come hem: and Glo heav'n bove: to ry glo giv'n; Word of the rv 1. hold Born, the King of him gels: God, the high - est glo -In Fa - ther. Now in flesh ap pear -REFRAIN come, let us a - dore him, O come, let us

dore him, O come, let us a - dore him, Christ the Lord.

### Adeste, Fideles

1. Adéste, fidéles, laeti, triumphántes, Veníte, veníte in Béthlehem; Natum vidéte Regem angelórum.

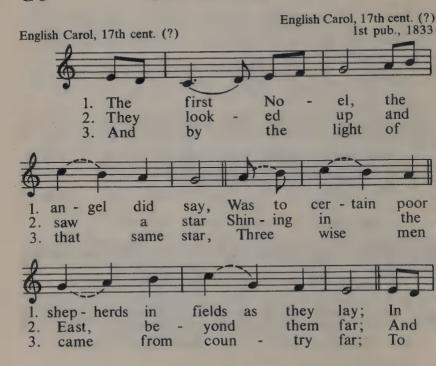
Venite, adorémus, Venite, adorémus, Venite, adorémus Dóminum.

2. Deum de Deo, lumen de lúmine, Gestant puéllae viscera, Deum verum Génitum, non factum.

Repeat Venite.

#### **C-3**

### The First Noel



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The First Noel (cont.)



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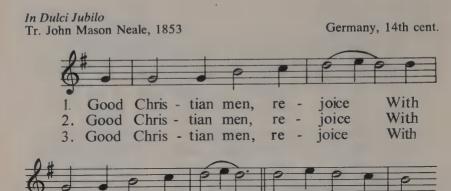
### Welcome, Son of Mary

Nu Siit Willekome Dutch Carol, 16th cent. English text by Michael Gannon Wel-come, Son of Mar- y, Lord of all the An-gels and arch-an-gels come in blaz-ing Hear the joy of Chris-tians ring-ing on the our voice and vour pro-phets are ful - filled: he light! The of God and man - kind, be -Child air! hum - ble May our birth: ho herds night! Shep here to hearts are prayer! When our hold our throne, roy - al home - land be for you a side won - der sight they see: at the fear - ful, when the wild. is dark and earth hum - ble re crea May we cloth fant ing up -God in night with glad ness and Fill the you as our own. knee. Hail, In-fant King! wo - man's a light, ho - ly Child!

### The People Who in Darkness Dwelt



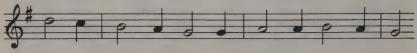
### Good Christian Men, Rejoice



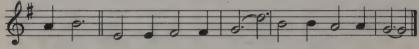
- and voice: Give ve heed to heart and soul
- Now we hear of 2. heart and soul and voice: end -Now ve need not fear voice: 3 heart and soul and



- we say: Je-sus Christ is born to-day! Ox and less bliss: Je-sus Christ was born for this! He hath
- the grave: Je sus Christ was born to save! Calls you



- ass be fore him bow, And he is in the man-2. oped the heav - 'nly door, And man is bless - ed ev -
- 3. one and calls you all To gain his ev er last-



- ger now. Christ is born to day! Christ is born to day!
- er more. Christ was born for this! Christ was born for this!
- ing hall. Christ was born to save! Christ was born to save!

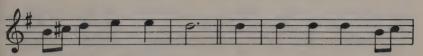
### Let All Together Praise Our God

Nikolaus Herman, 1560 Tr. Arthur Tozer Russell, 1851, alt.

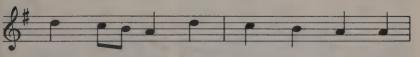
Nikolaus Herman, 1554



- Let all to geth er praise our God Up
   He lays a side his maj es ty And
   Be hold the won der ful ex change Our
- 4. The glo-rious gates of par a dise The



- on his loft y throne; For he un clos es
- 2. seems as noth-ing worth, And takes on him a 3. Lord with us doth make! Lo. he as - sumes our
- 4. an gel guards no more: This day a - gain those



- gives day And heav'n to to us ant's form, Who made the heav'n and
- and blood, And we of heav'n par flesh
- un fold; With praise God a our gates



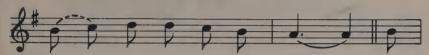
- And gives to us his Son.
- made the heav'n and earth. Who earth. And we of heav'n par - take. take.
- praise our God a dore! With dore,

# Behold a Mystical Rose



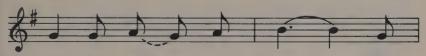
#### CHRISTMAS Behold a Mystical Rose (cont.)

(C-8)



whom an - cient proph-ets fore told: Thy 2. brought Bless-ed Light from a far. Dis -

3. thee \_\_\_\_ all grac - es are giv'n: Through



roy - al prais - es we Thy sing: the dark-ness of night.

pel A11 thee Sal - va - tion came:



King. womb was the Court of our

lu - mine path with thv our

praised\_\_\_ and blest be thv

### A Child Is Born in Bethlehem

Puer Natus Verses 1 and 2: Justine B. Ward Verses 3 and 4: People's Hymnal Com.

14th cent. Carol



born in Beth - le - hem. Child is in

2. Like hu - man form is he, us he whom you a - dore, 3. This Child is

joy - ous throng, an - gels come in 4. The

#### A Child Is Born in Bethlehem (cont.)



### C-9a Puer Natus in Bethlehem

For music, see C-9.

1. Puer natus in Béthlehem, allelúia; Unde gaudet Jerúsalem, allelúia, allelúia.

In cordis júbilo Christum natum adorémus, Cum novo cántico.

2. In hoc natáli gaúdio, allelúia, Benedicámus Dómino, allelúia, allelúia. Repeat In cordis.

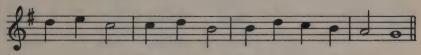
# All My Heart This Night Rejoices

Paul Gerhardt, 1653 Tr. Catherine Winkworth, 1858

Johann Georg Ebeling, 1666



- All my heart this night re ioic - es
- Hark! a voice from yon-der
- Come, then, let us hast-en Thee, dear Lord, with heed I'll
- cher ish:



- As I hear, Far and near, Sweetest an-gel voic-es.
   Soft and sweet, Doth en-treat: "Flee from woe and dan-ger!
   Here let all, Great and small, Kneel in awe and won-der!
- 4. Live to thee, And with thee Dy-ing, shall not per-ish:



- 1. "Christ is born," their choirs are sing- ing, Till the air
- 2. Breth-ren, come! from all doth grieve you You are freed;
- 3. Love him who with love is yearn-ing! Hail the star 4. But shall dwell with thee for ev er, Far on high,



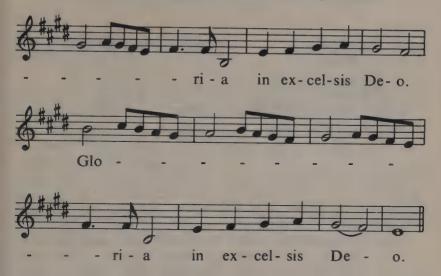
- joy is Ev - 'ry - where Now with ring - ing. you need I will sure -1v
- from far Bright with burn - ing! That hope is

# C-11 CHRISTMAS Angels We Have Heard on High



(C-11)

Angels We Have Heard (cont.)



3. Come to Bethlehem and see
Him whose birth the angels sing.
Come, adore on bended knee
Jesus Christ, the new-born King.
Gloria in excelsis Deo, etc.



#### **FPIPHANY**

### As With Gladness Men of Old

Arr. from the chorale Treuer Heiland of C. Kocher, 1786-1872 W. C. Dix. 1837-98, alt. of glad - ness men joy - ful steps thev sped 2. As with of - fered gifts 3 As thev the guid - ing star be - hold, As with joy they that low - ly man-ger bed, There to bend the with joy they Did To that man-ger, rude and bare. So may we with ing light, Lead him, Whom heav'n be - fore knee the And iov ble heart hum bright, So, gra - cious beam ing most we. a - dore, So may earth All cost im - part, our vou Ev - er-more be led to thee Un - to thee our hom - age pay. 2. Lord, this day led to thee.

3. treas-ures bring, Christ, to thee, our heav'n - ly King.

# Songs of Thankfulness and Praise



# This Is Our Accepted Time



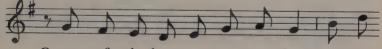
#### LENT- BLESSED VIRGIN

### Queen of the Heavens Ave, Regina Caelorum

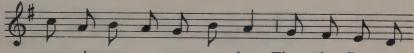
D-2 D-2 a

Para. by Melvin Farrell, S. S.

11th cent. Easter Epistle melody



Queen of the heav-ens, we greet thee \*Queen of A - ve, Re - gí - na cae - ló - rum, \* A - ve,

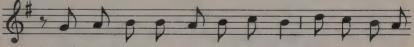


an - gels, now we en - treat thee; Thou the flow-er, Dó - mi - na an - ge - ló - rum: Sal - ve ra - dix,

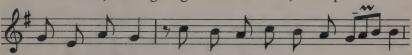


thou the por-tal From whom came the Light Im-mor-tal.

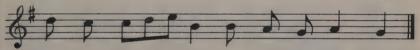
sal - ve por-ta, Ex qua mun-do lux est or - ta:



Match-less maid-en, God did raise thee For the u-ni-Gau-de, Vir-go glo-ri-ó-sa, Su-per o-mnes



verse to praise thee. Hear us, O hear us, our Moth-er; spe·ci - δ - sa: Va - le, O val-de de - εδ - ra,



Show thy chil - dren Je - sus, our Broth - er.

Et pro no - bis Chri-stum ex - ó - ra.

#### D-3 LENT

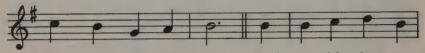
# Lord, Who Throughout These Forty Days

Claudia F. Hernaman, 1873

John Day's Psalter, 1562



- 1. Lord, who through-out these for-ty days, For
- 2. As thou with Sa tan didst con-tend And
- 3. As thou didst hun-ger bear and thirst, So
- 4. And through these days of pen i tence, And
- 5. A bide with us, that so, this life Of



- 1. us didst fast and pray, Teach us with thee to
- 2. didst the vic-tory win, O give us strength in
- 3. teach us, gra-cious Lord, To die to self and
- 4. through thy Pas-sion-tide, For-ev-er-more, in
- 5. suf fer ing once past, An East-er of un-



- 1. mourn our sins And close by thee to stay.
- 2. thee to fight, In thee to con-quer sin.
- 3. on ly live By thy most ho ly Word.
- 4. life and death, O Lord, with us a bide.
- 5. end ing joy We may at tain at last.

# O Lord, Who Showed Us



### Draw Near, O Lord

Attende Domine Tr. Melvin Farrell, S. S.

Paris Processional of 1824



Draw near, O Lord, our God, gra-cious-ly hear



us, guilt - y of sin-ning be - fore you.



1. O King ex - alt - ed, 2. Might of the Fa - ther,

2. Might of the Fa - ther, 3. We pray you, O God,

4. Hum-bly con-fess - ing
5. In - no - cent cap - tive.

Sav - ior of all Key - stone of God's throned in strength and count - less sins comun - re - sist - ing



- 1. na tions, see how our griev ing lifts our 2. tem ple, Way of sal va tion, Gate to
- 3. splen dor, hear from your king dom; this, our
- 4. mit ted, our hearts are brok en, lay ing
- 5. vic tim, li ars de-nounced you, sen-tenced

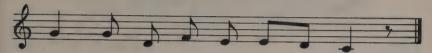


- 1. eyes to heav en; hear us, Re deem 2. heav en's glo - ry; sin has en slaved
- 3. song of sor row: show us your mer -
- 4. bare their se - crets; cleanse us, Re deem -
- 5. for the guilt y; once you re deemed

#### LENT

(D-5)

Draw Near, O Lord (cont.)



- 1. er, as we beg for give ness.
  2. us; free your sons from bond age.
- 3. cy, par don our of fen ses.
  4. er. hound-less in com nas sion
- 4. er, bound-less in com-pas sion. 5. us: now re-new us, Je - sus.

### Attende, Domine

D-5a

For music, see D - 5.

Atténde, Dómine, et miserére, quia peccávimus tibi.

- 1. Ad te, Rex summe, ómnium Redémptor, óculos nostros sublevámus flentes: exaúdi, Christe, supplicántum preces. Repeat Attende.
- 2. Déxtera Patris, lapis anguláris, via salútis jánua caeléstis, áblue nostri máculas delícti. Repeat Attende.

# Father in Highest Heaven Above

Uhlenburg's Psalter, 1582 P.M.A. heav'n a - bove, high - est Fa - ther our hearts; draw them to thee; Chas - ten thv Son send down them to seek e ter our pro - tec - tion: our life and be love thee know and Grant us to this shame and Let not be our not be tures take from thee their All crea worth: one with his But. re - deem - ing them shin - eth Thy beau - tv in now share his Res - ur - rec - tion. 1. May we

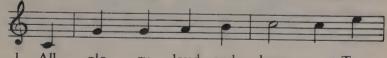
2. Grant they may lead us to thee on - -ly.

#### PASSIONTIDE PROCESSION OF THE PALMS

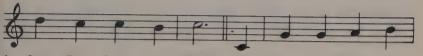
### All Glory, Laud, and Honor

Gloria, Laus, et Honor St. Theodulph of Orleans, c. 820

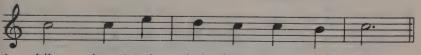
Tr. John Mason Neale, 1851, alt. Melchior Teschner, pub. 1615



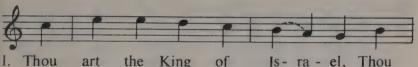
- ry, laud, and All glo hon - or To
- pa nv of an - gels Are
- thee be fore thy Pas - sion They



- thee, Re deem er, King! To whom the lips 2. prais - ing thee on high; And mor - tal
- 3. sang their hymns of praise: To thee, now high ex-



- dren Made glad ho san nas
- things Cre a ted make re
- ed. Our mel o dv

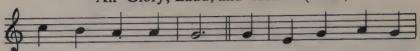


- the King of Thou art The the
- peo ple of He - brews With didst ac - cept Thou prais - es; their

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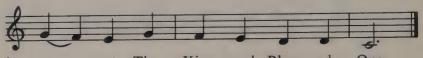
# PASSIONTIDE PROCESSION OF THE PALMS

All Glory, Laud, and Honor (cont.)



1. Da - vid's roy - al Son, Who in the Lord's Name 2. palms be - fore thee went: Our praise and prayer and

3. cept the praise we bring, Who in all good de-



- 1. com est, The King and Bless- ed One.
- 2. an thems Be fore thee we pre sent.
- 3. light est, thou good and gra-cious King.

#### **PASSIONTIDE**

### D-11 Stabat Mater Dolorosa

Ascr. to Jacopone da Todi,
O.F.M., d. 1306

Maintzisch Gesangbuch, 1661

1. Sta - bat Ma - ter do - lo - ró - sa Jux - ta
2. Cu - jus á - ni - mam ge-mén-tem, Con-tri 3. O quam tri-stis et af - flí - cta Fu - it

4. Quae mae-ré-bat, et do-lé-bat, Pi-a



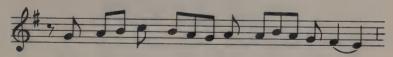
- 1. cru-cem la-cry-mó-sa, Dum pen-dé-bat Fí-li-us.
- 2. stá-tam et do-lén-tem, Per-trans-í-vit glá-di-us.
  3. il la be-ne-dí-cta Ma-ter U-ni-gé-ni-ti.
- 4. Ma ter, dum vi dé bat Na ti poe-nas in-cly-ti.

#### PASSIONTIDE

### Sunset to Sunrise

St. Clement of Alexandria, c. 170-220 Para. by Howard C. Robbins, 1939, alt.

Chant



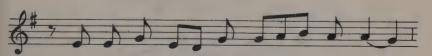
- 1. Sun set\_to sun rise chang-es now,\_
- 2. E'en though the sun \_ with holds its light \_
- 3. Here in \_ o'er whelm-ing fi nal strife \_



- 1. For God doth make\_ his
- 2. Lo! a more heav'n-ly
- 3. The Lord of life \_\_ has

world a - new; \_\_\_ lamp shines here: \_\_\_

vic - to - ry;\_\_\_\_



- 1. On the Re deem- er's thorn crowned brow\_
- 2. And from the Cross on Cal vary's height\_
- 3. And sin is slain, and death \_ brings life, \_\_



- 1. The won ders of that dawn we view.
- 2. Gleams of \_\_\_\_\_ e ter ni ty ap pear.
- 3. And sons of earth hold heav-en's key.

#### D-12a

#### PASSIONTIDE

### Vexilla Regis

For music, see D-12.

Latin text by Venantius Fortunatus, c. 609

- Vexílla Regis pródeunt:
   Fulget Crucis mystérium,
   Qua vita mortem pértulit,
   Et morte vitam prótulit.
- Quae vulneráta lánceae Mucróne diro, críminum Ut nos laváret sórdibus, Manávit unda et sánguine.
- 3. Impléta sunt quae cóncinit David fidéli cármine, Dicéndo natiónibus: Regnávit a ligno Deus.
- Arbor decóra et fúlgida,
   Ornáta Regis púrpura,
   Elécta digno stípite
   Tam sancta membra tángere.
- Beáta, cujus bráchiis Prétium pepéndit saéculi: Statéra facta córporis, Tulítque praédam tártari.
- 6. O Crux ave, spes única, Hoc Passiónis témpore Piis adáuge grátiam, Reísque dele crímina.
- 7. Te, fons salútis Trínitas, Colláudet omnis spíritus: Quibus Crucis victóriam Largíris, adde praémium

# O Sacred Head, Surrounded



# When I Behold the Wondrous Cross

Mohr. 1881 Isaac Watts, 1674-1748, alt. be - hold the won-drous Cross On it, Lord, that 1 should boast, Save When bid For his head, his hands, his feet, What from the realm of na - ture mine, It Were all Glo - rv died. which the Prince of of God: Christ, my the death in down: flow min - gled and love 3. grief far too small: of f'ring 4. would he loss, And gain count but rich - est that at tract me most, I vain things e'er and sor row meet, Or such love di vine. De maz - ing, SO all pride. tempt on my pour con fice them to his blood. ri pose rich crown? SO a com

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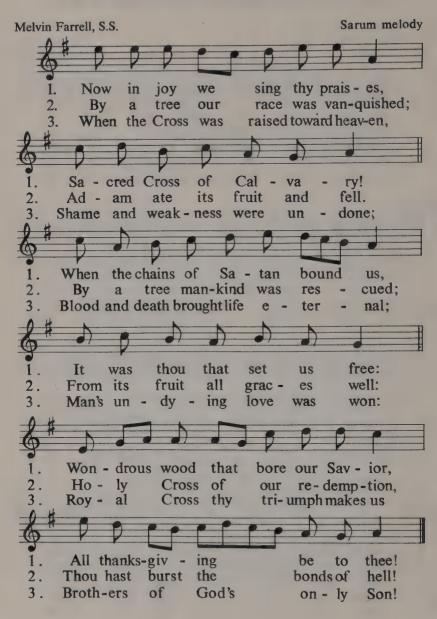
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#### PASSIONTIDE

### All Praise to Thee



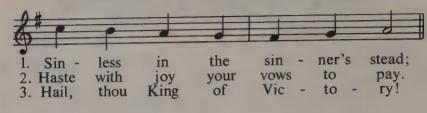
### Now in Joy We Sing Thy Praises

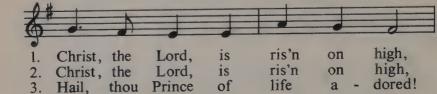


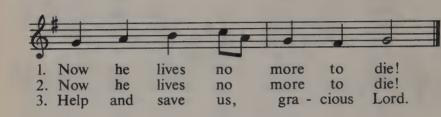
# Christ, the Lord, Is Risen Today

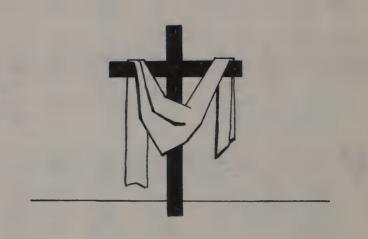


(E-1) EASTER
Christ, the Lord, Is Risen Today (cont.)









# Jesus Christ Is Risen Today

Bohemian carol, 14th cent. Tr. in Lyra Davidica, 1708 Verses 2 and 3: 1749, alt Altered, 1749, from Lyra Davidica, 1708 Je - sus Christ is ris'n to - day. 2. Hymns of praise then let us sing, le-3. But the pains which he en-dured, Our tri-umph-ant ho - ly day. lu - ia! Un - to Christ, our heav'n-ly King, al Our sal-va-tion have pro-cured, did Who once up - on the cross. lu - ia! en - dured the cross and grave, Who rules, e - ter - nal King, Now he Suf-fer to al 1e hi Sin - ners to ia! re-Where the an gels deem our loss, deem and save. al lu - ia!

sing.

#### **EASTER**

### Ye Watchers and Ye Holy Ones

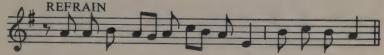


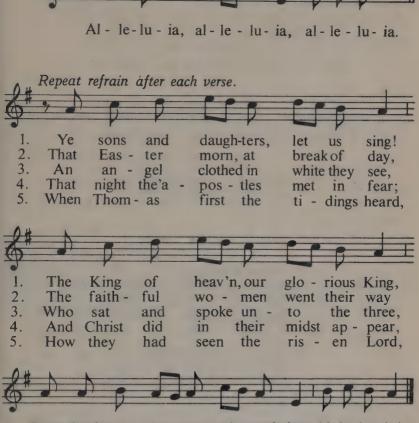
#### EASTER

### Ye Sons and Daughters

O Filii et Filiae Jean Tisserand, d. 1494 Tr. John Mason Neale, 1851, alt.

1st pub. Paris, 1623





- 1. From death to day rose tri-umph-ing. Al-le-lu-ia!
  2. To seek the tombwhere Je sus lay. Al-le-lu-ia!
- 3. "Your Lord has gone to Gal-i lee." Al-le-lu-ia!
- 4. And said, "My peace be with you here." Al-le-lu-ia!
  5. He doubt-ed the dis-ci-ples' word. Al-le-lu-ia!

# (E-4) EASTER Ye Sons and Daughters (cont.)

- 6. "My wounded side, O Thomas, see;
  My hands, my feet, I show to thee;
  Not faithless, but believing be." Alleluia!
- 7. No longer Thomas then denied.

  He saw the feet, the hands, the side;

  "Thou art my Lord and God," he cried. Alleluia!
- 8. How blest are they who have not seen, And yet whose faith has constant been. For they eternal life shall win. Alleluia!
- On this most holy day of days,
   To God your hearts and voices raise,
   In laud, and jubilee, and praise. Alleluia!

### E-4a O Filii et Filiae

For music, see E.4.

Allelúia, allelúia, allelúia!

- O fílii et fíliae, Rex caeléstis, Rex glóriae, Morte surréxit hódie. Allelúia! Repeat Allelúia.
- In hoc festo sanctíssimo
   Sit laus et jubilátio,
   Benedicámus Dómino. Allelúia!
   Repeat Allelúia.
- 3. Ex quibus nos humíllimas Devótas atque débitas Deo dicámus grátias. Allelúia! Repeat Allelúia.

#### EASTER

### Singers, Sing



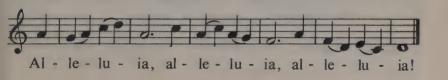
- 1. Sing-ers, sing, and trumpets, play! Christ has conquered
- 2. An-gels, sing, and swell our hymn! Join with us, ye
- 3. Ho-ly, ho-ly, ris-en Lord; Man-kindral-lies



- 1. death to day. Think what he has done for men:
- 2. ser a phim. Christ has ris en where he died;
- 3. to thy sword; Thou art our tri umph-ant King,



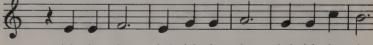
- 1. Made them sons and heirs a gain!
- 2. Walked a-mong us glo-ri fied! Al-le-lu-ja.
- 3. And thy joy-ful sub-jects sing!



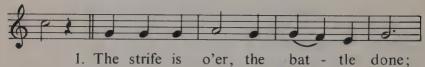
#### EASTER

#### Alleluia! The Strife Is O'er

1st pub. Cologne, 1695 From G. P. da Palestrina, 1588 Tr. Francis Pott, 1861, alt. Adapted with alleluias by W. H. Monk, 1861



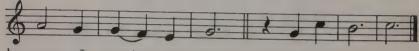
Al-le-lu - ia! Al-le-lu - ia! Al-le-lu-



- ia! 2. On the third morn he rose a gain.
  - 3. O ris-en Lord, all praise to thee,



- 1. Now is the vic-tor's tri-umph won; O let the
- 2. Glor-ious in maj-es-ty to reign; O let us
- 3. Who from our sin hast set us free, That we may



- 1. song of praise be sung:
- 2. swell the joy ful strain:
- al -le lu ia!
- 3. live e ter nal ly:

#### EASTER - BLESSED VIRGIN

### O Queen of Heaven Regina Caeli

E-7a



#### E-8

#### EASTER - BLESSED VIRGIN

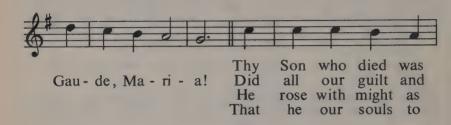
### Be Joyful, Mary, Heavenly Queen

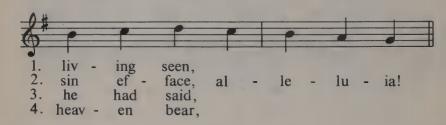
Regina Caeli, Jubila Anon., 17th cent. Trad. English version, alt.

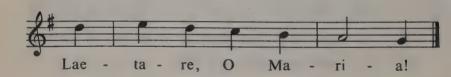
Leisentritt's Gesangbuch, 1584, alt.



- 1. Be joy ful, Mar- y, heav'n ly Queen, 2. The Son you bore by heav - en's grace,
- 3. The Lord has ris en from the dead,
- 4. O pray to God, thou Vir gin fair







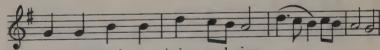
### One in Joyful Songs of Praise



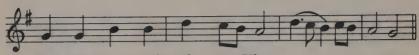
### Let the Earth Rejoice and Sing

Melvin Farrell, S. S.

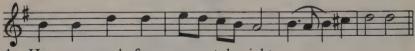
Robert Williams, 1817



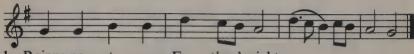
- Let the earth re joice and sing,
- He who died up on a tree, 3. Je - sus, Lord, all hail to thee, al - le - lu-ia!
- 4. Je sus, Vic tor, hear our prayer, 5. While in heav- en thou dost gaze,



- At the tri-umph of our King,
- 2. Now shall reign e ter nal ly,
  3. On this day of vic to ry, al le lu-ia!
  4. In thy tri-umph let us share,
- 5. On thy Church who sings thy praise,

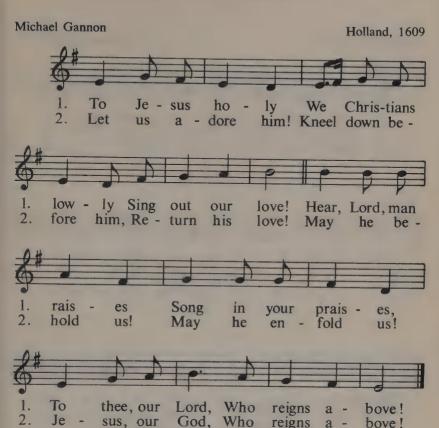


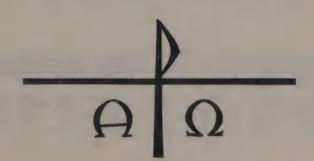
- He as cends from mor tal sight,
- 2. He who saved our fal len race,
  3. Thou didst shat ter Sa tan's might, al le lu ia!
- 4. Lift our minds and hearts a bove. 5. Fas - ten all our hope in thee.



- 1. Reigns now at our Fa ther's right, 2. Takes in heav'n his right - ful place,
- 3. Ris ing glo rious from the fight, al le lu ia!
- 4. Strength-en all men in thy love, 5. Till thy face un-veiled we see,

## To Jesus Holy

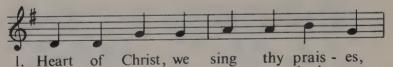




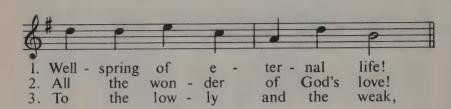
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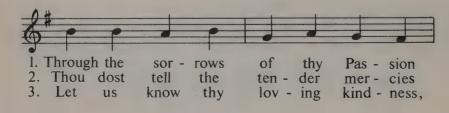
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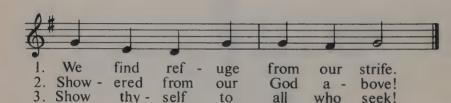
C. F. Witt's Psalmodia Sacra, 1715



- of Christ, thou dost Christ, who bring em - bod - y Heart
- est heal ing Heart



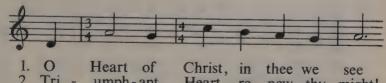




### O Heart of Christ

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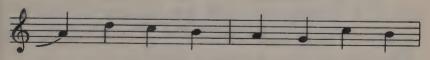
Marius Monnikendam



umph-ant Heart, re - new thy might! Heart of Je - sus, hear! Sa - cred



- ful har bor from our thy Church to Sa tan iov -2. Let not
- 3 With send our prayers trust we



- Thy Fa ther makes us all
- Turn back the dark ness by
  Our sins have marked thee with



- thee His chil dren and be lov ed light, Pour forth thy Spir - it as our
- spear, Yet thou en fold est us with

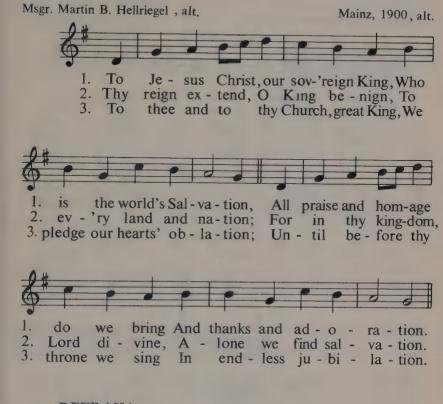
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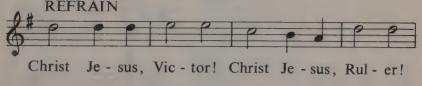
### O Sacred Heart All Holy

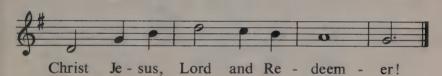
Heinrich Isaak (?), c.1440-1531 Eugene Lindusky, O.S.C. Sa - cred Heart all Thy Heart for love is vearn - ing. meek and low - ly, O sin is turn - ing, Un -That Heart SO While to man make our hearts like thine, For in thy Heart is mind-ful of thy love, But in thy gra-cious treas - ure Of good-ness with- out meas kind - ness. Lord. cure us of our blind -

ure, Of mer - cy, grace, and love di - vine. ness, And lead us to thy throne a - bove.

### To Jesus Christ, Our Sovereign King







All

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#### CHRIST THE KING

### Crown Him With Many Crowns

Matthew Bridges, 1804-94 G. J. Elvev, 1816-93 Revised by Melvin Farrell, S. S. crowns. him with Crown of life. Who him the Lord Crown fair. him. Maid en 0 Crown kings: King of him the 4 Crown 1. Lamb up - on his throne; His re - gal scep-ter In death he bore our 2. tri - umphed o'er the grave: roy - al Son whom The 3. Moth - er of our race: His Church on earth in claim! 4. na - tions give ac knows no bounds, All king - doms are own. strife And hope to 2. ev - 'rv sin ners didst bear Has made thee thou full of grace. 4. glad - ness sings The gran - deur of his

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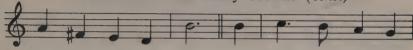
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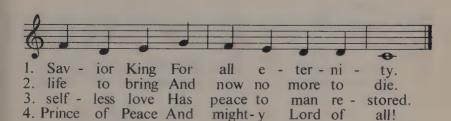
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Crown Him With Many Crowns (cont.)



him who died for thee, And hail him as thy
 him who rose on high: He came e - ter - nal
 an - gels, praise the Lord: His won-drous gift of

4. thrones be - fore him fall: Crown him the gen - tle





#### G-12 CHRIST THE KING Hail, Redeemer, King Divine

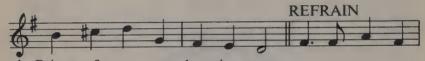
P. Brennan, C.SS.R., alt.

G. J. Elvey, 1816-93

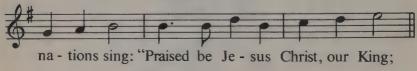
1. Hail, Re-deem-er, King di-vine! Priest and Lamb, the 2. Christ, thou King of truth and might, Be to us e-

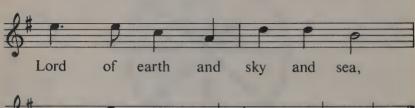


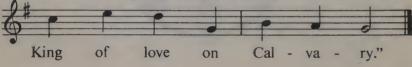
- 1. throne is thine; King whose reignshall nev-er cease,
- 2. ter nal light, Till in peace each na-tion rings



1. Prince of ev - er - last- ing peace.
2. With thy prais - es, King of kings. An-gels, saints, and







#### CHRIST THE KING

### Hail Christ, Our Master G-13 Christus Vincit

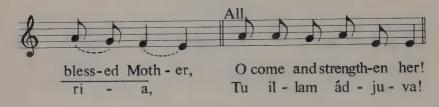
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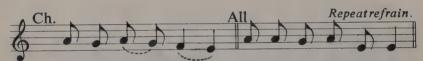


# (G-13) CHRIST THE KING Hail Christ, Our Master (cont.)



O come and strength-en her! O Mar - y,
Tu il - lam ád - ju - va! San - cta Ma -





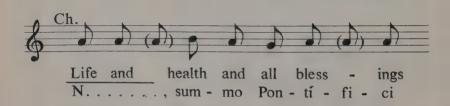
Jo-seph, ho - ly guard-ian, O come and strengthen her!

San-cte Jo - seph, Tu il - lam ád - ju - va!

#### For the Pope:



Christ Je - sus, hear us. Christ Je - sus, hear us. Ex - áu - di, Chri-ste. Ex - áu - di, Chri-ste.



#### CHRIST THE KING Hail Christ, Our Master (cont.)

(G-13)



Pope N...., our Ho-ly Fa-ther. u - ni - ver - sá - li Pa - pae, vi - ta!



Re-deem-er, Sav-ior, O come and strength-en him! Sal - vá - tormun-di, Tu il - lum ád - ju - va!



Bless-ed Pe-ter, shep-herd, O come and strength-en him! San-cte Pe - tre, Tu il-lum ád - ju-va!



Bless-ed Paul, a - pos-tle, O come and strength-en him! San-cte Pau - le, \_\_\_ Tu il - lum ád - ju-va!



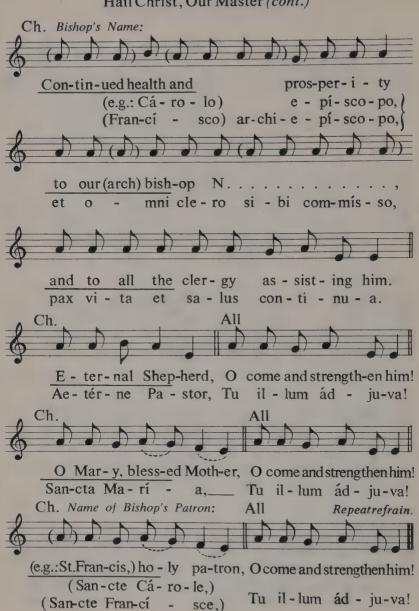


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#### (G-13)

#### CHRIST THE KING

Hail Christ, Our Master (cont.)



### Christians, Sound the Name That Saved Us



# The Earth Is Full of the Goodness of Christ

Hendrik Andriessen Michael Gannon of the good-ness The earth the break - ing of know the Lord in We Pas - tor. know the voice of our We hire - lings will all the When dan - ger comes Pas - tor We shall not want, for our sheep who Lord, we pray thv are for guards his sheep. feeds his lambs and Christ. He his Faith and in his Church. bread. And in ter - nal - lv. 3. Lord, He calls our names e Christ re - mains to 4. flee. But guard our Christ, He makes us lie in fields of lost. Who wan-dered from thine on -1v the Shep-herd broad as of walks a walk - ing the pas - tures We know him ofjoice at the words that he Our hearts re comes the Good Shep-herd When vil sin and re-freshed by of Where shorn friends and our broth - ers Search out our And gath - ers all in to his keep. earth. In watch-ful care. lov - ing search. in 3. speaks: "And I know mine and mine know me." Lays down his souls to save his sheep. gaze in 5. love. We prayer up face. turn them to stray, Re the 6.

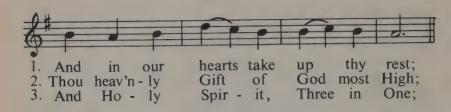
### The Lord Is My True Shepherd

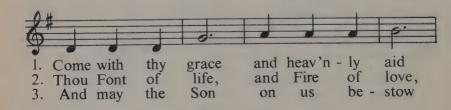


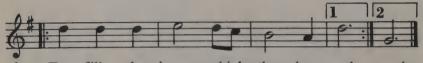
#### HOLY SPIRIT

### Come, Holy Ghost

Veni Creator Spiritus Rabanus Maurus, 776-856 (?) Louis Lambillotte, S. J. Tr. Edward Caswall, 1849, alt. Come, Ho - ly Ghost. Cre tor blest, to O Com-fort thee we Fa - ther thee. and Son. Praise be to







- 1. To fill the hearts which thou hast made. made.
  2. And sweet A noint ing from a bove. bove.
- 3. The gifts that from the Spir it flow. flow.

### O Holy Spirit, Come to Us



#### HOLY SPIRIT

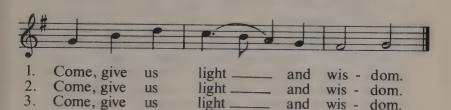
### Into Our Hearts, O Spirit, Come

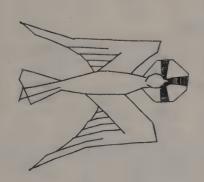


Into Our Hearts, O Spirit, Come (cont.)



- 1. burn on fire with thee for whom they yearn; 2. nursed, thy liv ing wa ters cool our thirst;
- 3. flame; come, strengthen us to praise thy Name.





#### H-4 HOLY SPIRIT - CHURCH UNITY

FIRST TUNE

# O Love, Who Drew From Jesus' Side



#### SECOND TUNE

### O Love, Who Drew From Jesus' Side



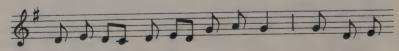
#### HOLY SPIRIT

H-5 ENGLISH TEXT

### Creator - Spirit, All-Divine

Veni Creator Spiritus Latin ascr. to Rabanus Maurus († 856) Tr. James A. Avlward, O.P.

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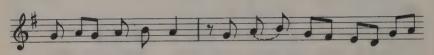
Cre - a - tor - Spir-it, all di - vine, Come. vis - it Con - sol - ing

O gift of God, thine is the sweet sev'n-fold gifts are thine,

3. The mys-tic Kin-dle with fire brought from a - bove

way our dead-ly foe. Drive far a -To us, through thee the grace be shown

To know the And to the Son be prais-es meet. Sire and



soul of thine, ev - 'rv name of Par - a - clete -2.

God's right hand di - vine:

fill our hearts with love; 4. 5. thy true peace to know;

Fa - ther and the Son: 6.

Ho - ly Par - a - clete: 7.

And fill Andspringof And Fa And grant

So we And Spir-it

And may

with thv ce life | and fire ther's prom-ise

flesh, so thv bv them both.

Fin - ger of

Each sense, and

And grant us

of Christ send us



les-tial flame The hearts which thou thy - selfdidst frame. 1.

flow-ing from a - bove. 2. love And unc - tion 3. sent to teach The tongue a

weak and frail, The strength of

guid-ance still, May safe - ly 5.

6. may we For-ev-er

from a - bove That Ho - ly 7.

rich and heav'n-ly speech. thine which can-not fail.

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led

pass throughev-ry rest our faith in thee.

Spir-it's gift of love. A-men.

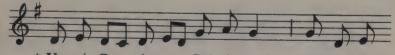
#### HOLY SPIRIT

### Veni, Creator Spiritus

LATIN TEXT

Ascr. to Rabanus Maurus († 856)

Chant



1. Ve - ni, Cre - á - tor Spí-ri - tus.\*

2. Qui dí-ce - ris Pa-rá-cli-tus

3. Tu se-pti-fór-mis mú-ne-re. 4. Ac-cén-de lu - men sén-si - bus.

5 Ho-stem re - pél-las lón-gi- us.

6. Per te sci - á - mus da Pa-trem

7. De-o Pa-tri sit gló-ri-a.

Men-tes tu -

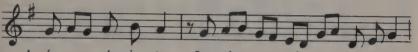
Al- tis-si-

Dígi-tus pa-

In - fún-dea-Pa - cém-que

No- scá- mus

E - jús-que



1. ó - rum ví - si - ta: Im-ple su - pér - na grá-ti - a

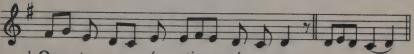
2. mi do - num De - i. Fons vi - vus, i - gnis cá-ri-tas. 3. tér-nae déx-te-rae, Tu ri-te pro-mís-sum Pa-tris,

4. mó-rem cór-di-bus, In-fír-ma no-stri cór-po-ris

5. do - nes pró - ti - nus: Du-ctó - re sic te práe-vi-o,

6. at - que Fí - li - um, Teque u - tri - ús - que Spí-ri-tum

7. so - li Fi - li - o, Cum Spí - ri - tu Pa - rá-cli-to.



1. Quae tu cre á - sti pé-cto-ra.

2. Et spi-ri - tá - lis ún-cti-o. 3. Ser - mó - ne di - tans gút-tu-ra.

4. Vir - tú - te fir - mans pér-pe-ti.

5. Vi - té - mus o - mne nó - xi - um.

6. Cre - dá - mus o - mni tém-po-re.

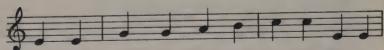
7. In sae-cu - ló - rum sáe-cu-la.

#### ESSED TRINITY

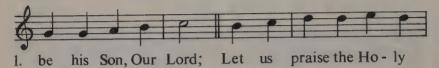
### Blessed Be Our God

Michael Gannon

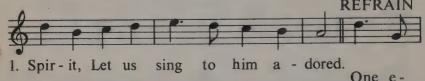
Old Dutch folk melody



- our God and Fa ther, Bless-ed 1. Bless - ed
- 2. Won-drous through all earth and heav- en Is his



- 2. boun-ty to our race: From the depth of his great



- 2. mer-cy he has nour-ished us with grace.



ter-nal might-y King, Let our al-le-lu-ias ring!

### Sing Praise to Our Creator



### I-3 BLESSED TRINITY - SUNDAY HYMN

### On This Day, the First of Days



### Praise to the Holy Trinity

Melvin Farrell, S. S. Johann Crüger, 1653 the Ho -1v Trin the Fa - ther, God of all: Praise to Praise God the Son. our Say - ing the Praise to Ho - ly Par a -Praise to the Fa ther and blest: tor Reign er Thy ho -1<sub>y</sub> will he Thou done: Hail. Lamb of fice! Thy sac ri Con sol Friend, thou er. art: And the Spir - it. praise! to ing preme in mai giv -Aď hast for en am's life 3. high on is our re thy ders to ten won com head. we. Three breast! Dwell ing with our Through thy ed lov Son! a 3. Thy home. our par Christ in ery Form ev

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#### BLESSED TRINITY

# I-5 All Hail, Adored Trinity

### I-5 a Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow

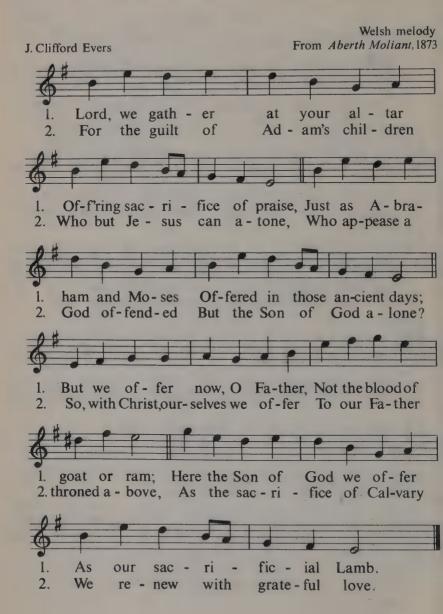


#### LOW MASS - ENTRANCE

### To God Almighty We Confess



### Lord, We Gather at Your Altar



## O Holy Lord, by All Adored

Traditional version, alt Bohemian Brethren's Kirchengesang, 1566 Lord, by ho lv all a - dored. God on high, be thanks and praise. Our tres - pass es con fess Who deigns our bonds to thee this day thy chil -dren pray, Our shall guide us all our days. And care ho Faith 1v pro harm shall reach us King, the gifts Ac - cept. we bring, Our faith rest with as - sured: Of we songs of praise, the prayers we raise: live is the all that he Lord, For -Lord, thy bless ing. us.

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#### I-2a IOW MASS - ENTRANCE

## God's Holy Mountain We Ascend



### LOW MASS - ENTRANCE

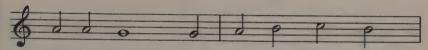
God's Holy Mountain We Ascend (cont.)

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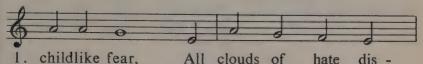
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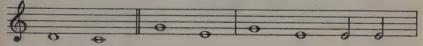


- sem-ble here
- In ho ly love and mul-ti-plied. Where heav-en's man - na
- fes-tive meal That Christ his mys - t'ries

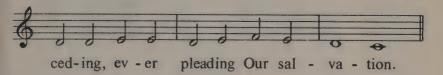


- childlike fear,
- God sup-plied. loves his A11
- may re veal In iov - ful cel - e -

#### REFRAIN



- pel ling.
- cel ling. With Christ, in Christ, In - ter -
- bra tion.



Fa - ther, hear our sup-pli - ca - tion.

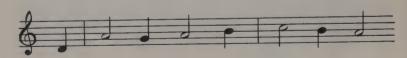
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### LOW MASS - ENTRANCE

## O Christians, Let Us Join in Song

Melvin Farrell, S. S.

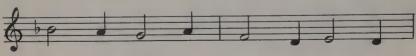
Oswald Jaeggi



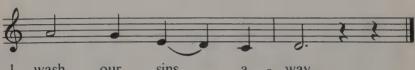
- O Chris-tians, let us join in song The Lord shall gath er all our cares Our Sav ior will pre pare a feast



- wel come Christ hold them as To
  - And
- guide our souls To
- this day; He In His a hove:

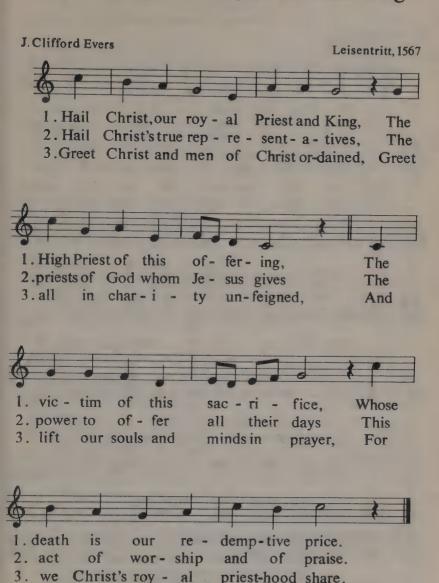


- liv ing truth, And im - part his shall
- our plead ing and Blood will shall be heard Be -be our food, U him
- 3. Flesh



- wash our sins Fa ther's throne. the
- fore nit - ing us

## Hail Christ, Our Royal Priest and King



## O God, Who Called the Hebrews

F.C.T. Melvin Farrell, S. S. God, who called the He - brews once of Si - nai Mo - ses held promlow Mo - ses to old of - fer hom - age when your voice feast gath - er This day vou land. ised we as heard: was us, your chos- en fold. To lead us heav-enhere with Christ, our Priest, That we may wor-ship in Christ's com - mand: em - brace vour and then you saved your race from slav-er -God, who taught your chos - en flock to pray, Look now from Sa - tan's bond-age make us free. on our sac - ri - fice to kind - ly

(after the Epistle)

The choir or leader intones the response; all repeat it twice.



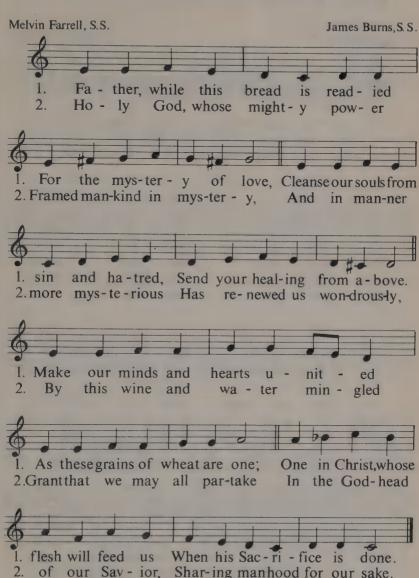
<sup>\*</sup> The alleluias are not sung during Septuagesima or Lent.

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## Father, While This Bread Is Readied



## Father, While This Bread Is Readied



### LOW MASS - OFFERTORY

L-9
FIRST TUNE

## O God, Our Father, Kindly Bless

1. O God, our Fa - ther, kind - ly
2. Re - ceive this chal - ice for a
3. O lov - ing Fa - ther, hear our



- 1. bless This bread we sin ners of fer 2. sign Of man y voic es joined in
- 3. call: For give our works of sin and



- 1. you; Let ev' ry grain of wheat ex 2. prayer; As man y grapes be come one
- 3. strife; Send down your Son to feed us



- 1. press Our long ing to be saved a new.
- wine, So we u nite to plead your care.
   all The Bread of ev er last ing life.

## O God, Our Father, Kindly Bless

Melvin Farrell SS James Burns, S. S. 6 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 O God, our Fa - ther, kind - ly bless This Re-ceive this chal-ice for a sign Of
 O lov - ing Fa-ther, hear our call: For-1. bread we sin - ners of - fer you; Let 2. man - y voic - es joined in prayer; As 3. give our works of sin and strife; Send 1. ev - 'ry grain of wheat ex - press Our 2. man - y grapes be - come one wine, So 3. down your Son to feed us all The long - ing be saved a - new. to plead your care. u - nite to we Bread of ev - last - ing life. er

### L-10

### LOW MASS - OFFERTORY

## Father, See Thy Children



## O King of Might and Splendor



### L-12

# LOW MASS - OFFERTORY Accept, Almighty Father

17th cent., alt. Anonymous 1. Ac - cept, Al - might - y Fa - ther, This 2. O God, by this com - ming - ling Of 1. gift of bread and wine Which now thy priest 2. wa - ter and of wine, May he who took of - fer To thee, O God be - nign, na - ture Give us his life di - vine. 2 our In hum-ble rep-a-ra-tion For sins 2. Come, thou who mak-est ho-ly, And bless and fail - ings dread, To win life ev - er -2. this sac - ri - fice; Then shall our gift be last - ing For liv - ing and for dead.
pleas - ing To thee a - bove the skies.

## Accept, O Father, in Thy Love



### LOW MASS - OFFERTORY

# L-14 What Thou Gavest for the Taking L-14 a Tua Munera Fuerunt



## Gift of Wheat From Thy Teeming Fields



## Accept, O God, Eternal King

J. H. Schein, 1628 Eugene Lindusky, O.S.C. 1. Ac - cept, O God, e - ter - nal King, 2. We place our - selves be - fore your throne: the gifts bread and wine, Take all we are and all Though now the fruit of field and vine. yours by lives Our hearts, our are soon shall be a gift di - vine; Thev make them pleas - ing in your sight, when the For sa - cred words are done. all with Christ, your Son, nite them Our gift will be your on Son. That he and may be we. one.

## LOW MASS-OFFERTORY LITANY L-17 Prayer of the Faithful

Robert J. Snow
All (response)

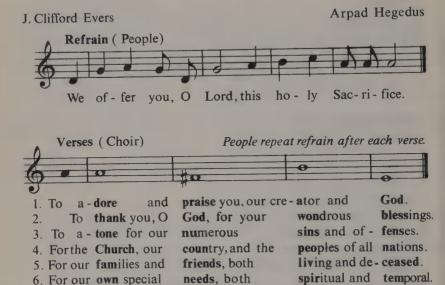
- 1. Dearly beloved in Christ,/let us pray to the Lord; HEAR US, O LORD.
- 2. Rule your Church/and keep

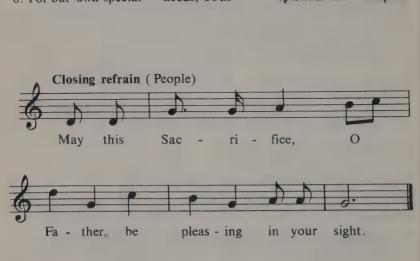
  it safe for-ev er; (All repeat response
  after each verse.)
- Father, N..., our Bishop,
  N..., our Pastor, N...,
  and all your clergy and ho-ly peo ple;
- 4. Direct all civil authorities in the paths of righteousness/ and grant true peace among all na tions;
- 5. Be mindful of the needs of this parish/and those of our relatives, friends, and ben-e-fac tors;
- 6. (Seasonal petitions can be given here; see below.\*)
- 7. Call back to the Church's unity all who stray/and lead to the light of the Gospel all un-be-liev ers;
- 8. Grant health of body and soul to your servant(s)
  N(N).../ and comfort all those in distress and sor row;
- 9. Grant eternal rest to your servant(s) N(N).../
  and to all the faithful de-part ed;
  10. Gracious - ly hear us;

<sup>\*</sup>It is suggested that the opening and closing petitions always be used as given here. The other petitions can and should be varied as circumstances demand. Seasonal petitions can easily be constructed from material in the Collect and the Scripture readings of any Mass.

### L-18 LOW MASS - OFFERTORY LITANY

## Prayer of the Faithful





## Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty



<sup>\*</sup>For another Sanctus hymn, see T-6.

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#### LOW MASS - SANCTUS

### Holy, Holy, Holy Lord

Genevan Psalter, 1562 Christopher Wordsworth, 1862, alt. 1. Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord God of 2. Since by thee were all things made, And in 3. Al - le - lu - ia! Lord, to thee, Fa - ther, 1. Hosts, e - ter - nal King, By the heav'ns and earth a - 2. thee do all things live, Be to thee all hon- or 3. Son, and Ho - ly Ghost, Three in One, and One in 1. dored; An - gels and arch - an - gels sing, 2. paid, Praise to 3. Three, Join we thee let all things with the heav'n - ly give, er - last - ing Prais ing 2. Sing er - last - ing ing 3. Sing ing ev er last ing most bless - ed Trin ty. the To bless - ed Trin ty.

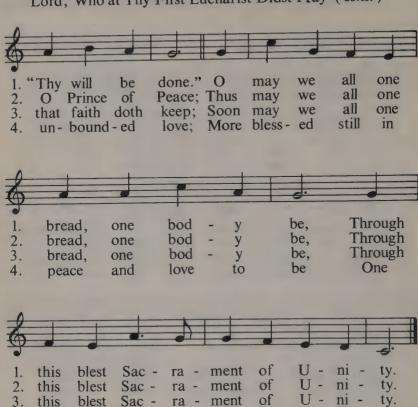
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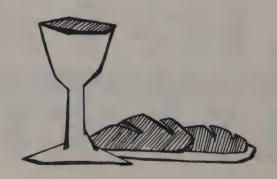
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## Lord, Who at Thy First Eucharist Didst Pray



### (L-21) LOW MASS - COMMUNION Lord, Who at Thy First Eucharist Didst Pray (cont.)





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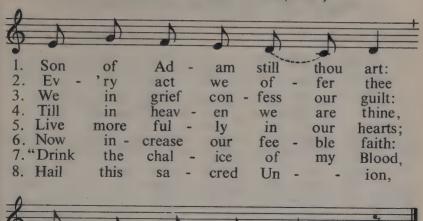
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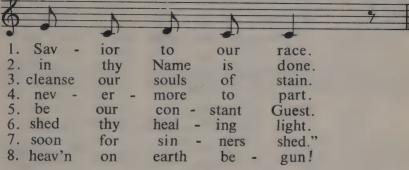
## LOW MASS - COMMUNION Humbly We Adore Thee

Melvin Farrell, S.S. 1st pub. Paris Processional, 1697 bly we dore thee. Te sus. Lord. thank thee we Thou who died to save 115 Christ. our God and Broth - er. 5. Hail. thou Word In car nate. Faith 6. a lone. re veals here 7. Christ. at his Last Sup -8. Now with glad thanks giv Christ. King: Re deem for this wond rous Bread: 3. liv est Light: our as 4. our ble hear hum 5. born v's from Mar womb: Bread of par dise: a break ing bread. de creed: praise Christ 8. glo fied. ri Thou art Lord of heav en. In our land thou dwell est. 3. Though blind our eves are By this ho ly quet 5. Hail. thou Strength im tal. mor 6. Faith lone a may 7. "This, Bod my take and eat"у, 8. He in us is pres ent:

## (L-22) LOW MASS - COMMUNION Humbly We Adore Thee (cont.)







### Adoro Te

L-22 a

For music, see L - 22.

- 1. Adóro te devóte, latens Déitas, Quae sub his figúris vere látitas: Tibi se cor meum totum súbjicit, Quia, te contémplans, totum déficit.
- 2. Visus, tactus, gustus in te fállitur, Sed audítu solo tuto créditur: Credo quidquid dixit Dei Fílius: Nil hoc veritátis verbo vérius.

## O Lord, With Wondrous Mystery



FIRST TUNE

## Bread of Heaven, on Thee We Feed



## L-24a SECOND TUNE

### LOW MASS - COMMUNION

## Bread of Heaven, on Thee We Feed



## Where Charity and Love Prevail



FIRST TUNE

## Father, God of All Things Living

Genevan Psalter, 1551 Melvin Farrell, S. S. ther, God of all things liv a ban - quet lies be - fore us. Fa - ther take a - way all ma our dai -1v Give us now of Christ, our 2. Flesh and Blood thy ho - ly we hold hast tak - en our thanks - giv -Thou pow - er to re - store 2. Here is Je - sus' chal feed from who

- Through thy Son, whose Blood was shed.
- are wa -be come Strength when we
- Joined in him. as

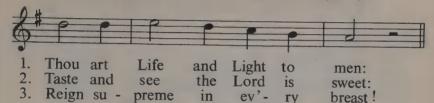


- sus, come to us a -
- bids us take sus and eat:
- 3. Wel come Christ, our rov al Guest!

### LOW MASS - COMMUNION (L-26)

breast!

### Father, God of All Things Living (cont.)

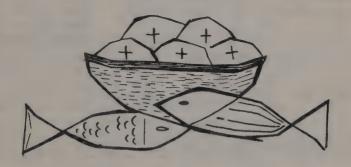




- the Food you gave us eat kind - ness,
- 2. Do thou, Christ, in lov ing
  3. Share with us your love and pow



- On the night you deigned to save us.
   Bind our wounds and heal our blind ness.
- 3. Strength-en us in our last hour.



SECOND TUNE

## Father, God of All Things Living



## Members of One Mystic Body



L-Z (a SECOND TUNE

## Members of One Mystic Body



## See Us, Lord, About Thine Altar



- See us. Lord. a bout thine al - tar
- 2. Hear our prayers, O lov ing Fa ther, 3. Once were seen the
- blood and wa ter: 4. Wheat and grape con - tain the mean-ing:
- 5. Hear vet: so is need - ful us much
- 6. Mem bers of his Mvs tic Bod - v



- 1. Though so man-y we are one; Man-y souls by
- 2. Hear in them thy Son, our Lord; Hear himspeak our
- 3. Now are seen but bread and wine: Once in hu-man
- 4. Food and drink he is to all: One in him, we 5. In our frail, dis - or-dered life; Stay with us and
- 6. Now we know our prayer is heard, Heard by thee be-
- - u nit ed In the heart of Christ,thy Son. 1. love
  - 2. love and wor-ship As we sing with one ac-cord. 3. form he suf-fered, Now his form is but a sign.

  - 4.kneel a dor ing, Gath-ered by his lov ing call.
    5. tend our weak-ness Till that day of no more strife.
  - Have re-ceived the e-ter-nal Word. thy chil-dren 6. cause

## L-29 LOW MASS-COMMUNION Shepherd of Souls, in Love Come, Feed Us

#### George Joseph, 1657 I Clifford Evers From Aus Heilige Seelenlust, Breslau, 1657 love Shep-herd of souls. in come. feed and Life - giv ing vine. come. who kneels be -Sin - ful man is Lord. who 0 Fol - low ing vou. He brew who the 5. Fa - ther. fed Lord. 6 Help us. dear pre pare Life - giv - ing Bread feed us, Strength-en ish, each branch nour -Wor - thy of fore vou. VOII them, Mul - ti thronged tudes tion. Giv - ing them na man dwell -Wor - thy of who ing vou

6. made us all; Cleanse then our hearts, our

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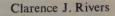
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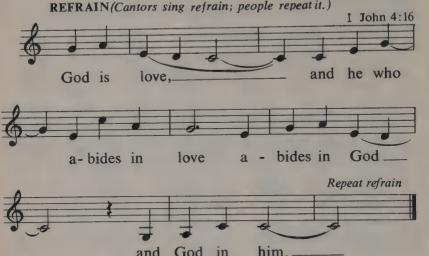
Shepherd of Souls, in Love Come, Feed Us (cont.)



### LOW MASS - COMMUNION

### God Is Love





Cantors sing verses. People repeat refrain after each verse.

#### VERSES:

- The love of Christ has gathered us together.
   Let us rejoice in him and be glad.
- By this shall all know that we are his disciples,If we have love one for another.
- Owe no man anything except to love one another.
   For he who loves his neighbor will fulfill the whole law.
- O carry one another's burdens And so you will fulfill the law of Christ.
- 5. The cup of blessing which we bless, Im it not fellowship in the blood of Christ?

- 6. The Bread which we break, Is it not fellowship in the body of Christ?
- We many are one bread, one body, For we al! partake of the one Bread.
- This is the Bread that came down from heaven;
   He who eats this Bread shall live forever.
- We who eat his flesh and drink his blood have life everlasting, And he will raise us up on the last day.
- 10. He is the vine, we the branches; We who abide in him shall bear fruit.

### LOW MASS - COMMUNION BENEDICTION

### O Bread of Angels

#### Michael Gannon

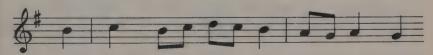
J. Klug's Geistliche Lieder, 1543



- 1. O Bread of an gels, Lord of love, 2. In this most ho ly Sac ra ment 3. Di vine Re deem-er, Lord of life, 4. Re ceive these eyes which look on thee,



- 1. Give us the strength that is thy Light,
  2. Thy sa cred man hood we re vere;
  to choose the bet ter part:
- 4. Re ceive our hear ing and our voice:



- art Christ, the liv ing God, 1. For thou
- 2. O God made man, we bow to see,
  3. To choose thy self, the last ing Bread,
  4. That these may serve thy ho ly will,



- 1. And in thy grace we 2. O Word made flesh, we find our might. kneel to hear.
- ly need of thy word we mind and heart. 3. Our on in may re - joice.

## LOW MASS - COMMUNION BENEDICTION

## Let All Mortal Flesh Keep Silence



## Lo, Our Savior King Is Here



## Lo, Our Savior King Is Here



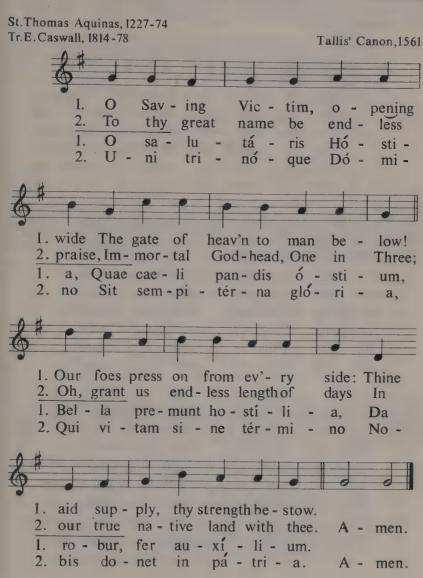
# O Saving Victim, Opening Wide L-35 O Salutaris Hostia L-35a

St. Thomas Aquinas, 1227-74 Tr. E. Caswall, 1814 - 78 Abbé Duguet, d. c. 1767 0 Sav ing Vic tim To thy great name he 0 hi sa tá ris 2 ni tri nó que pening wide The 0 gate of heav'n - less praise. end Im God-head. mor tal Hó sti Ouae 1i pan - dis a. cae - mi no Sit sem pi tér - na man he low! Our foes on press One in Three: Oh. grant us end - less ó sti um. Bel la pre - munt gló -Qui a. tam side: Thine ev rv aid sup-ply. thv length of days In our true na tive stí a. Da ro - bur, fer au tér mi no No bis do - net strength be stow. with land thee. men. χí li um. pá tri a. men.

# L-36 O Saving Victim, Opening Wide L-36a O Salutaris Hostia

St. Thomas Aquinas, 1227-74 Samuel Webbe, 1782 Tr. E.Caswall, 1814 - 78 Sav - ing Vic - tim, o-pening wide The 2. To thy great name be end-less praise, Imsa - lu - tá - ris Hó - sti - a, Quae ni tri-nó-que Dó-mi-no Sit man be - low! of heav'n 1. gate to God - head, One in Three; 2. mor tal pan - dis - tér - na ó li li 1. cae gló -2. sem pi 1. Our foes press on from ev - 'ry side: Thine 2. Oh, grant us end - less length of days In 1. Bel - la pre-munt ho - stí - li - a, Da 2. Oui vi - tam si - ne tér - mi - no sup - ply, thy strength be - stow. 1. aid true na-tive land with thee. 2. our 1. ro - bur, fer au - xí - li - um. 2. bis do - net in pá - tri - a.

# O Saving Victim, Opening Wide L-37 O Salutaris Hostia L-37a



## L-41 ENGLISH TEXT

### BENEDICTION

## Praise We Christ's Immortal Body

Pange Lingua

St. Thomas Aquinas, 1227-74

Tr. Melvin Farrell, S.S.

Chant



- 1. Praise we Christ's im mor tal Bod y,
- 2. Com-ing forth from spot-less Vir-gin,
  3. On the eve of that Last Sup-per,
- 3. On the eve of that Last Sup-per, 4 Rv a word, the Word em - bod-ied
- 4. By a word, the Word em bod 1ed
  5. Hum-bly let us voice our hom- age
- 6. Glo-ry, hon-or, ad-o-ra-tion

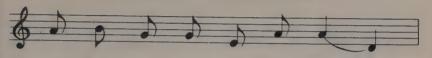


- 1. And his Pre-cious Blood we praise:
- 2. He for us was born a Man!
- 3. Break-ing bread with cho-sen friends,
- 4. Changes com mon bread and wine:
- 5. For so great a sac ra ment:
- 6. Let us sing with one ac cord!



- 1. Born of roy al vir gin Moth er,
- 2. Sow-ing seeds of truth a mong us,
- 3. He o beys the Law's di rec tions
- 4. Bread be-comes his ho-ly Bod-y,
- 5. Let all for mer rites sur ren der
- 6. Praised be God, al might-y Fa ther;

Praise We Christ's Immortal Body (cont.)



- 1. He shall reign for end less days!
- 2. He ful filled the Fa ther's plan;
- 3. Ev en as the Old Law ends.
- 4. Wine is made his Blood di vine!
- 5. To the Lord's New Tes ta ment;
- 6. Praised be Christ, his Son, our Lord;



- 1. Dy ing once to save all na tions,
- 2. Then his fi nal night up on him.
- 3. Now he hands the twelve a new Bread:
- 4. Though this truth e vades the sen ses,
- 5. What our sen ses fail to fath om
- 6. Praised be God the Ho ly Spir it;

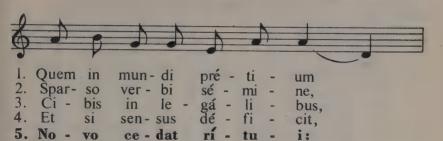


- 1. Ev-er-more he wins our praise!
- 2. Won-drous-ly that night be gan!
- 3. His own Flesh with their flesh blends!
- 4. Faith un-veils the sa cred sign!
- 5. Let us grasp through faith's con-sent!
- 6. Tri une God head be a dored! A men.

### Pange Lingua Gloriosi



### Pange Lingua (cont.)





dí - cti -

ge - ne - ró - si Fru - ctus ven - tris Su - i mo - ras in - co - lá - tus

he - ne -

- 2. 3. Ci - bum tur - bae du - o - dé - nae
- cor sin cé rum Ad fir - mán - dum 5. Prae - stet fi - des sup - ple - mén - tum
- Pro ce dén ti ab u tró que 6.



1. Rex ef - fú - dit gén - ti - um. 2. Mi - ro clau - sit ór - di - ne. 3. Se dat su - is má - ni - bus.

6. Sit et

- 4. So- la fi des súf fi cit.
- 5. Sén su um de fé ctu i. 6. Com-par sit lau dá ti o.

## L-42 Humbly Let Us Voice Our Homage L-42a Tantum Ergo Sacramentum



People: Amen.

Priest:

Let us pray . . . forever and ever.

# Humbly Let Us Voice Our Homage L-43 Tantum Ergo Sacramentum L-43a



People: Containing in itself all delight.

Priest: Let us pray . . . forever and ever.

People: Amen.

## L-44 Humbly Let Us Voice Our Homage L-44a Tantum Ergo Sacramentum

St Thomas Aguinas, 1227-74 France, 16th cent., alt. Tr Melvin Farrell.S.S. us voice our hom-age 1. Hum-bly let hon-or, ad - o ra - tion Let 2. Glo-ry, Sa - cra - mén - tum Ve - neer - go I. Tan - tum tó - que Laus et Ge - ni - tó - ri. Ge - ni great a sac-ra-ment: Let all form-er sing with one ac-cord! Praised be God, al - might-y Et an - ti - quum do - cu ré-mur cér-nu - i: iu - bi - lá - ti -Sa-lus. ho - nor, vir - tus the Lord's New Tes - ta - ment: ren - der To Fa - ther:Praised be Christ, his Son, our rí - tu No - vo ce - dat mén-tum be quo - que What our sen - ses fail to fath - om Praised be Но ly Spir - it: God the sup- ple - mén- tum Sén - su -Prae-stet fi - des Pro - ce - dén - ti ab tró - que Com-par 11 grasp through faith's sent! con -God - head be a dored! men. fé um ctu dá lau ti 0. men. You have given them bread from heaven. Containing in itself all delight.

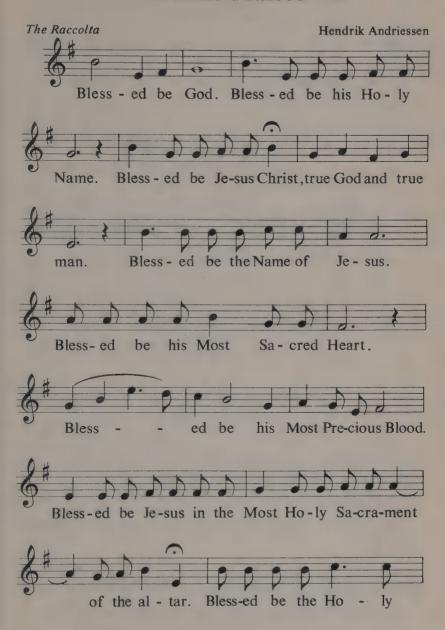
Let us pray . . . forever and ever.

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Priest: People:

Amen.

### Divine Praises



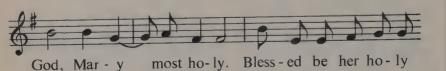
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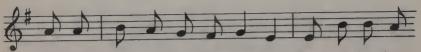
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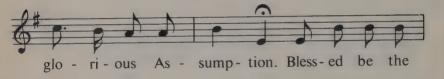


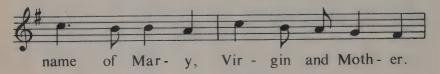
Spir-it, the Par-a-clete. Bless-ed be the great moth-er of





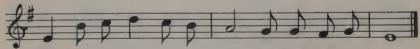
and Im - mac - u - late Con-cep-tion. Bless-ed be her







Bless-ed be Saint Jo - seph, her most chaste spouse.



Bless-ed be God in his an-gels and in his saints.

## Praise the Lord, All Ye Nations L-50 Laudate Dominum, Omnes Gentes L-50a

Psalm 116 Tr. Joseph Nolan Chant 1. Praise the Lord, all ve 2. For great is his merciful 3. Glory be to the Father and 4. As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever 1. Lau-dá-te Dó-mi-num,o-mnes 2. Quó-ni-am con-fir-má-ta est su-per nos mi-se-ri-cór-di-a 3. Ĝló-ri-a Patri, et 4. Sic-ut e-rat in prin-cí-pi-o, et nunc, et I. na - tions, \* praise him, 2. kind - ness,\* and the truth of the Lord is abid 3. to the Son \* and to the be. \* world with -4. shall 1. gen - tes, \*lau-dá-te e-um. 2. e - jus, \* et vé-ri-tas Dó-mi-ni ma-net 3. Fí-li-o, \* et Spi-ri-----4. sem - per, \* et in saé-cu-la sae-cu all ye peo ples. ing for ev er. it. Ho ly Spir 4. out end. Α men. mnes pó li: 0 pu in tér ae num. San tu cto. 16 A rum. men.

## O Sacrament Most Holy



### LOW MASS - CLOSING HYMN

## God's Blessing Sends Us Forth



## L-56 LOW MASS - CLOSING HYMN Sent Forth by God's Blessing



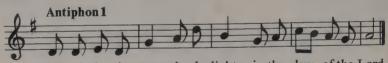
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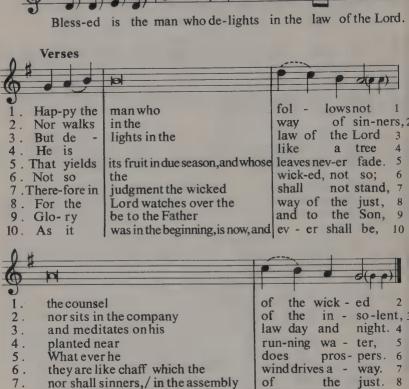


### Psalm 1

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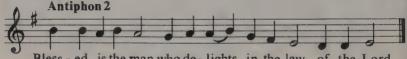


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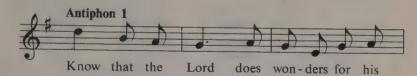
is the man who de-lights in the law of the Lord.

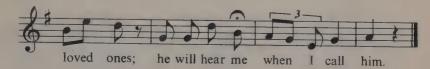
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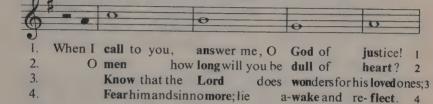
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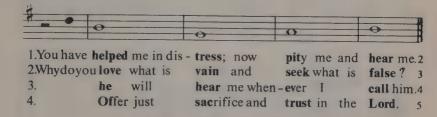
Verses 1-4

Jeno Takacs



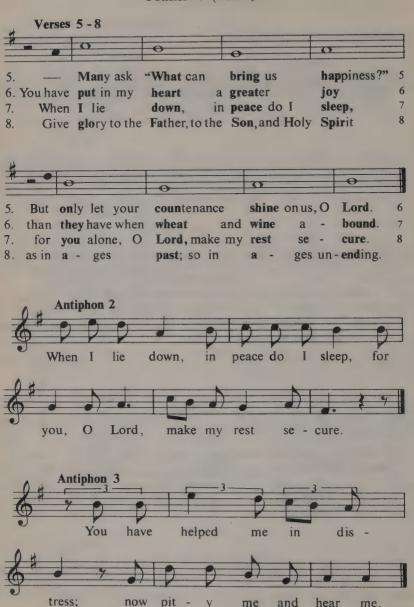






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### Psalm 4 (cont.)



### PSALMS Psalm 19



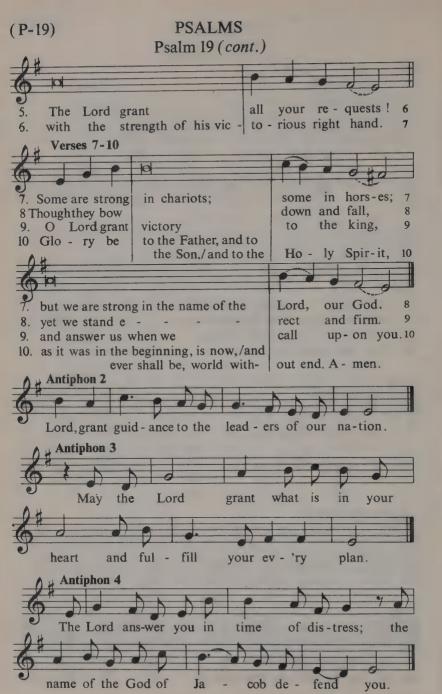
name of our God.

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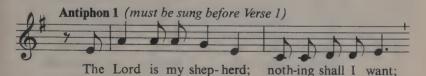
that he has answered him from his

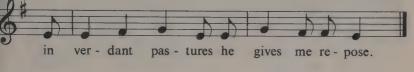


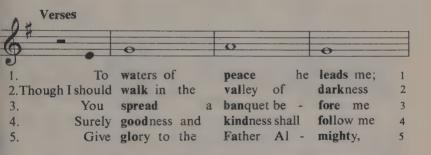
## Psalm 22

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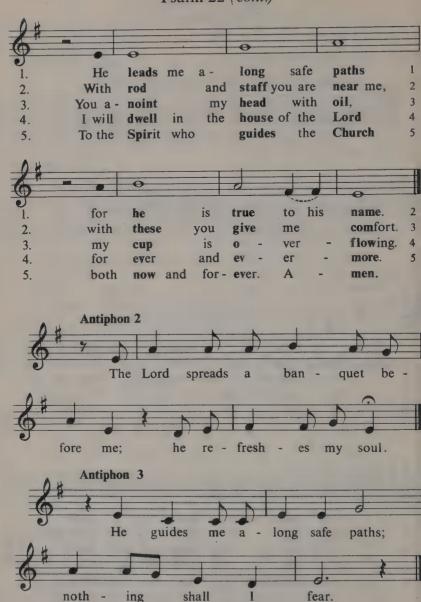






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1.	and	there he	re -	freshes my	soul.	1
2.	No	evil		shall I	fear;	2
3.	with -	in	the	sight of my	foes;	3
4.		all	the	days of my	life;	4
5.	to	Christ, his	be -	lov - ed	Son;	5

## PSALMS Psalm 22 (cont.)



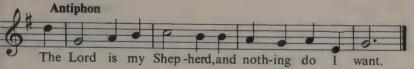
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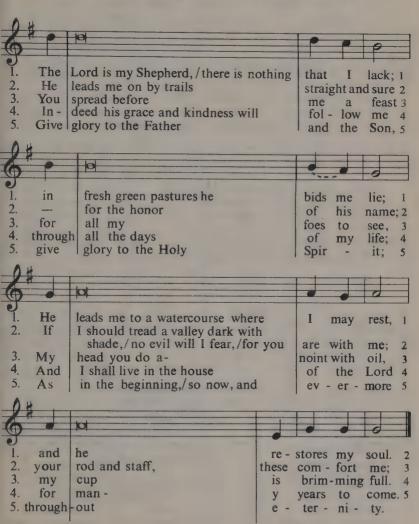
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## Psalm 22

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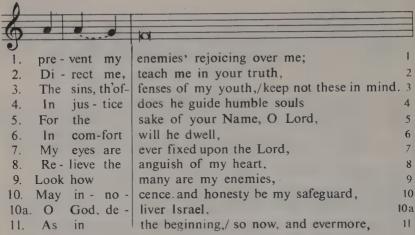
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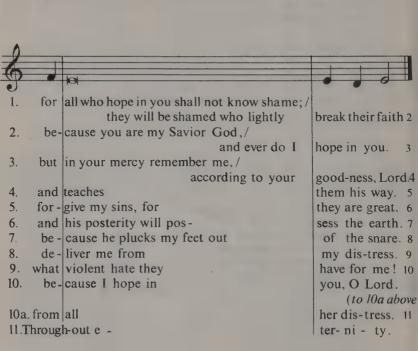


# Psalm 24



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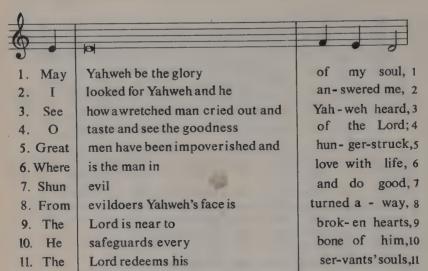
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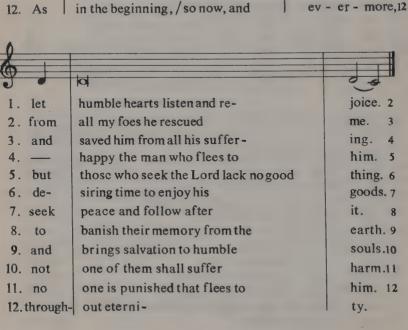


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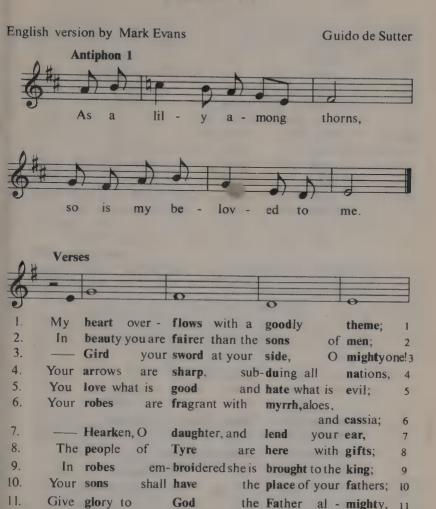
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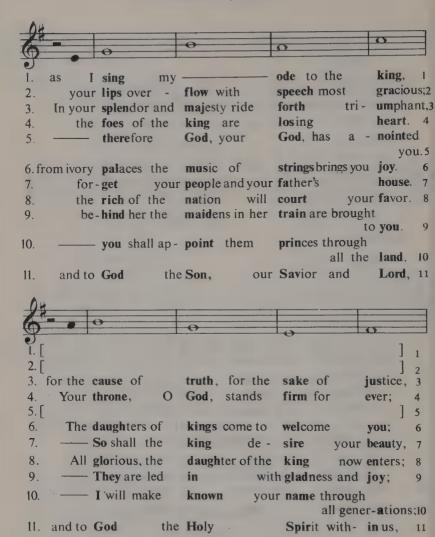




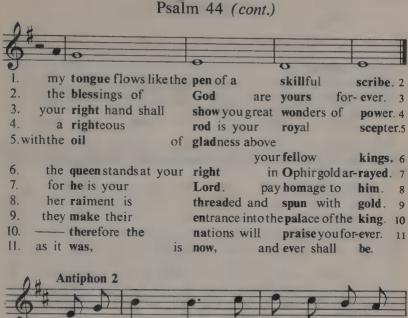
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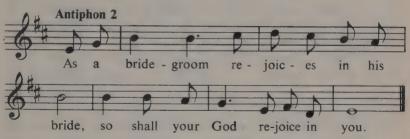


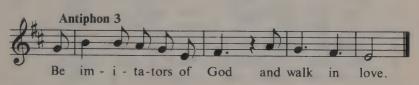
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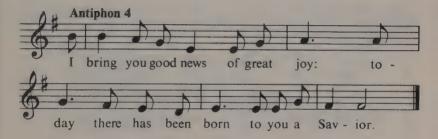


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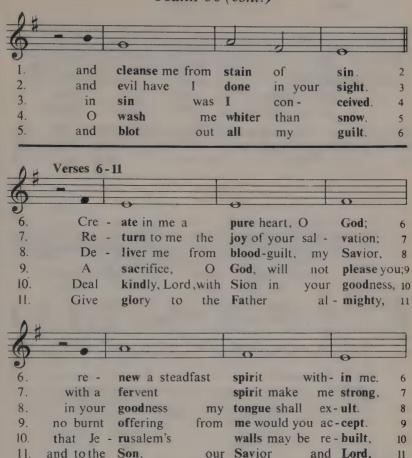




### Psalm 50

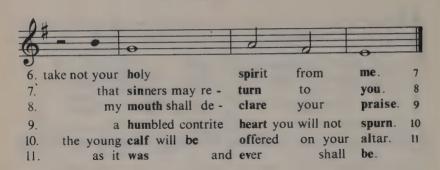
Jeno Takacs English version by Mark Evans Antiphon 1 O God. in Have mer re - mem - ber not my sins. good-ness: Verses 1-5 Have mercy on me, O God, in your goodness: I ac - knowledge that guilty, I am 3. AII iust are you in your judgment, You are pleased with a heart that is honest. 5. Let me hear sounds gladness. iov and in your com - passion, blot out my of - fense. 2. for my sin fore me. is **ever** be re - proach me: righteous when you 3. vouare your wisdom you teach to my 5. that the bones you crushed may re - joice. 5 wash me ever - more from my guilt Against you a - lone have I sinned in guilt I was 3. But see born. 3 cleanse me that I may be 4. pure: Turn your a - way from my 5. face sins

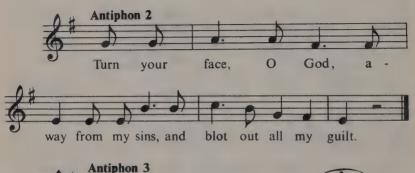
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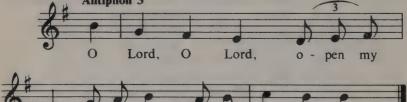


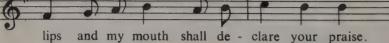
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6.	Do not	cast me a -	way from your	presence; 6
7.	I will	teach trans-	gressors your	ways 7
8.	O	Lord,	open my	lips; 8
9.	My	sacrifice is a	contrite	spirit; 9
10.	Thenwill	you ac -	cept just	sacrifice, 10
11.	And to the	Holy	Spirit with -	in us, 11

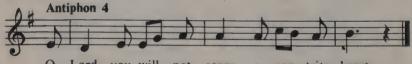
#### Psalm 50 (cont.)











O Lord, you will not scorn con-trite heart. a

# Psalm 62

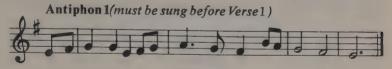




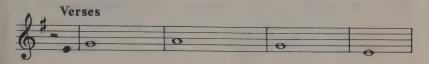
# Psalm83

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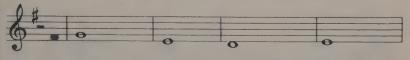
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How love-ly is your dwell-ing place, O Lord of hosts!



My soul longs and pines for the courts of the Lord. 1. How happy are they 2. who dwell in your house. 3. they pass through this arid 4. of hosts, please hear O Lord my prayer: 4 5. A single day with- in vour courts 5 sun and a shield is 6. Fora the Lord. our God: 7. Give the Son, and Holy Spirit. glory to the Father, to

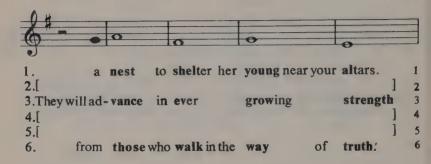


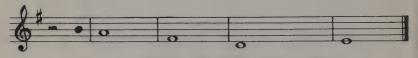
My heart and my flesh cry out for the living God! Un - ceasing is their song of praise 2. to vou. 2 they change it to a place of running 3. springs. in- cline your ear. O God of Jacob. 4. 5. is better than a thousand days spent elsewhere. on us he be-stows his grace 6. and favor. 7. as in ages past.so in ages un - ending.

#### Psalm 83 (cont.)



1. Even the sparrow finds a home, and the swallow a nest, 1
2. How happy are they who find their strength in you. 2
3. where the rain will clothe it with generous growth. 3
4. O God, our shield, now turn your eyes 4
5. I would rather lie at the door of God's house 5
6. No blessing in-deed does the Lord with-hold 6

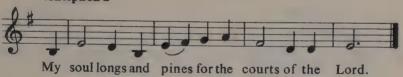




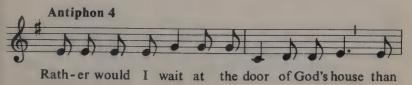
1. O Lord of hosts, my king and my God. 2
2. Their hearts are set on their heavenward journey. 3
3. till they be-hold their God of gods in Sion. 4
4. and look at the face of your a-nointed one.5
5. than dwell with-in the tents of the wicked. 6
6. Lord of hosts, how happy the man who trusts in you.

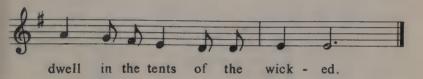
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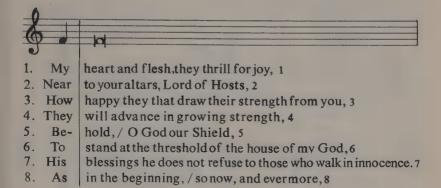


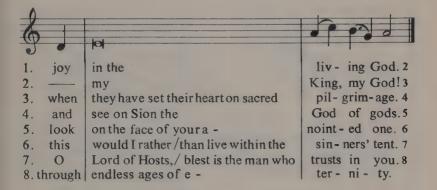


# PSALMS Psalm 83



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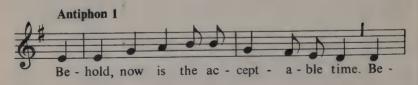


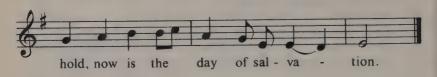
# Psalm 94

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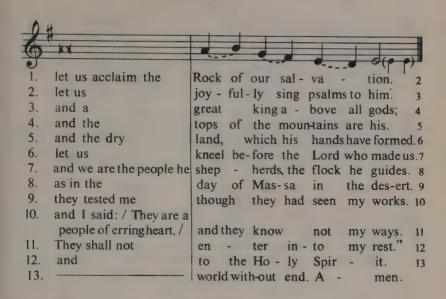
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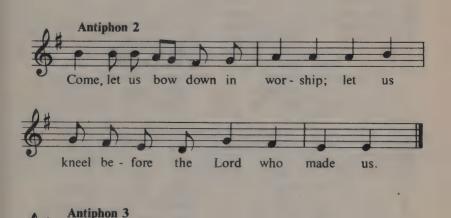




A 11	Verses		
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1.	Come, let us sing joyfully	to the Lord;	1
2.	Let us greet him	with thanks-giv - ing;	2
3.	For the Lord is a	great God,	3
4.	In his hands are the	depths of the earth,	4
5.	His is the sea,/ for	he has made it,	5
6.	Come, let us bow	down in wor-ship;	6
7.	For	he is our God,	7
8.	Oh, that today you would hear his voice:/"Harden not your hearts as		8
9.	Where your	fa - thers tempt-ed me	•
10.	Forty years I loathed that	* .	
		gen - $\bullet$ - ra - tion,	10
11.	Therefore I	swore in my an - ger:	11
12.	Glory be to the Father,	and to the Son,	12
13.	As it was in the beginning, is now,	(	
	and	ev-er shall be,	13

#### Psalm 94 (cont.)





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Lord who made

us wor - ship

Come. let

# PSALMS Psalm 95





# Psalm 99



in the beginning, /so now, and evermore/

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throughout eterni -

thanks to him/and bless his

age to age endures his faithful-

Give

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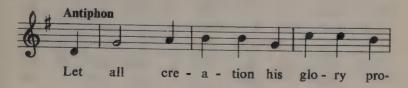
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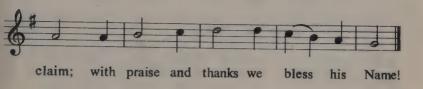
# Psalm 103

Verses 13-19

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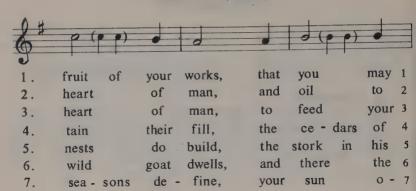
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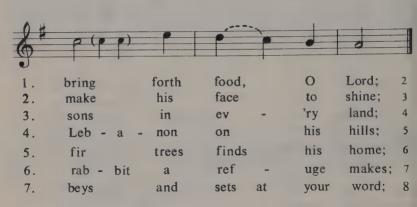


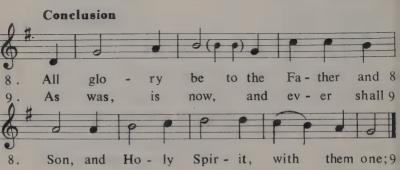


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1.	The	earth	is	filled with	the	1
2.	And	wine	to	cheer	the	2
3.	And	bread	to	strength-en	the	3
4.	The	trees of	the	Lord	ob-	4
5.	There -	in	the	birds	their	5
6.	Up -	on	his	moun-tains	the	6
7.	The	moon	you've	made	to	7

#### Psalm 103 (cont.)







9. be, in ev - 'ry age, e - ter - nal - ly.

English version by Mark Evans Guido de Sutter Un less the Lord shall build the How vain to rise be - fore dawn. 3. Yes. chil - dren are a gift How hap - py is the man thev who build it la bor in vain: or con - tin ue work in the night, re ward. the fruit of the womb: when with these his auiv er is filled: Un - less the Lord should guard the Oh, you who eat the bread of Like ar- rows in the hands of a No cause for him to be em - bar- rassed they who guard it keep their vig il in to his loved ones he gives gifts while they sleep. 3. are the chil-dren born to man his

his

foes

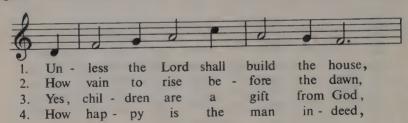
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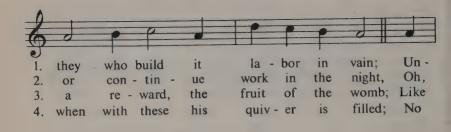
while con-tend-ing with

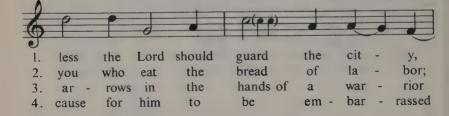
# Psalm 126

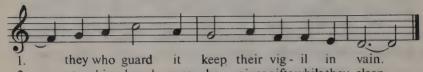
English version by Mark Evans

Jan Vermulst









- to his loved ones he gives gifts while they sleep.
   are the chil dren born to man in his youth.
- 4. while con- tend ing with his foes at the gate.

### **PSALMS** Psalm 127

English text by Mark Evans Dean, in Kentucky Harmony, 1816



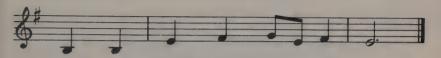
- hap py wife shall How you who fear the be Your fruit а ful
- The Lord look down and pros per The wel fare of Je sa -



- Lord And walk a - long his wavs:
- rich ing vine En your a Ho - ly Si - on's you From
- this life In may vou



- Your bor's fruit la will you en -Your chil dren shall be
- ive Your chil dren's chil dren may you
- Thus lives the man who fears

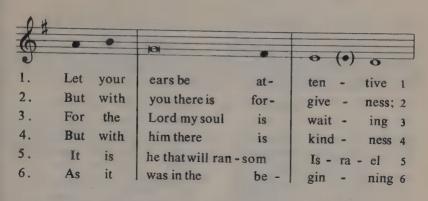


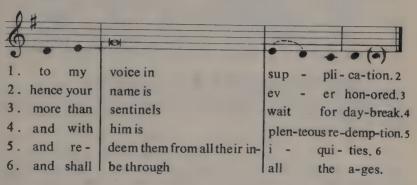
- joy With bless ings all your days. plants As heav gifts en's be -
- see Grow in health strong and Lord: Be hold how blessed is

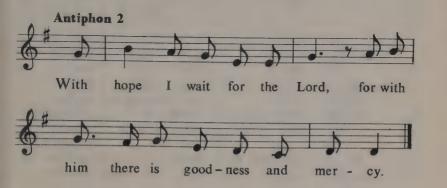
# Psa1m 129

Guido de Sutter English version by Mark Evans for the dawn. watch - man Lord for vou. wait do SO Verses you, Lord.1 depths I cry to Out of the guilt, 2 you keep record of our Master, if Lord, 3 wait for Trustingly I the 3. dawn.4 wait for watchmen the 4 Patient as Son. 6 to the Father, the Give glory and to voice!1 Lord, hear my 0 vive?2 strength to . who has the Lord. waits: 3 word of promise my soul for his a Lord;4 wait for the Israel so let 5 . Spirit who dwells in hearts.6 our 6. and to the

### Psalm 129 (cont.)



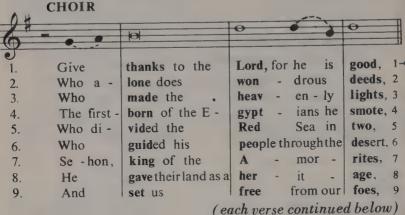




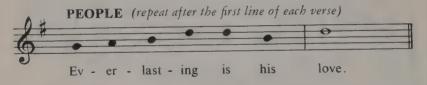
# Psalm 135

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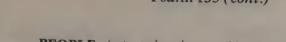


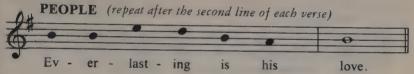
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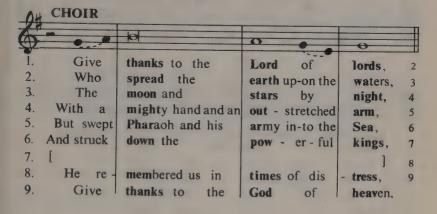


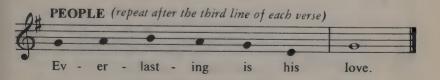
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1.	Give	thanks to the	God	of	gods,	1
2. W	ho in his	wisdom	made	the	heavens,	2
3.	The	sun to	rule	by	day,	3
4. And b	orought out	Israel	from	their	midst,	4
5.	And let	Israel	pass	through its	midst,	5
6.	He over -	threw the	might	t - y	kingdoms	5,6
7.	And	Og, the	king	of	Basan,	
					(to verse 8)	)
8.	As a	heritage to	Isra	- el, his	servant,	8
9.	Whogives	<b>food</b> to	all	liv - ing	creatures	, 9

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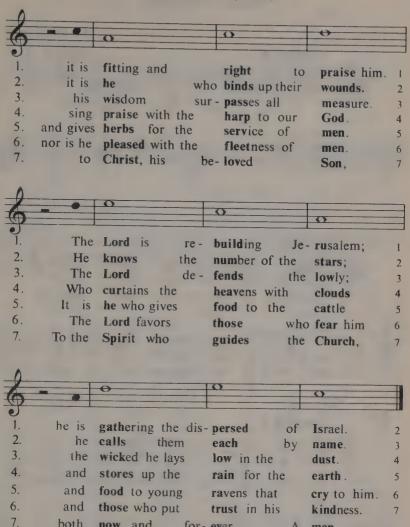




# Psalm 146



#### Psalm 146 (cont.)



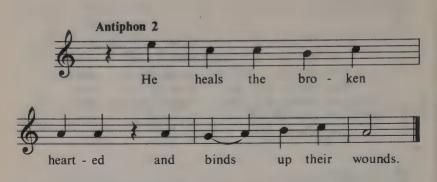
for-ever.

A- men.

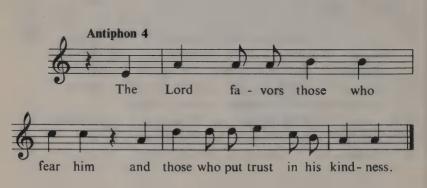
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now and

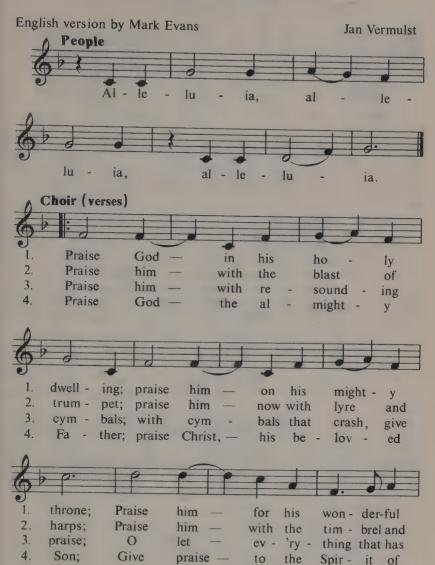
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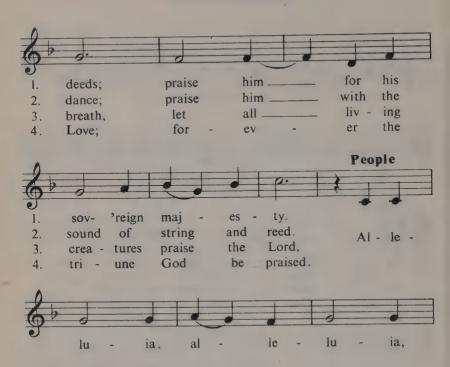




# Psalm 150



#### Psalm 150 (cont.)





### **CANTICLE**

## Canticle of Our Lady

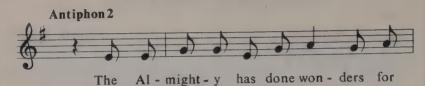
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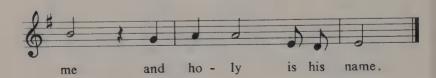


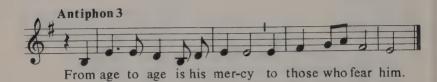
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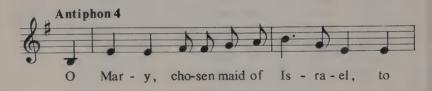
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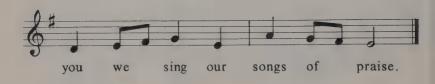
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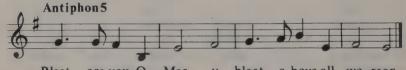










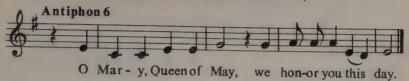


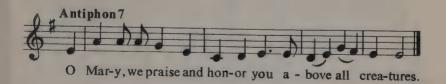
Blest are you, O Mar - y, blest a-bove all wo-men.

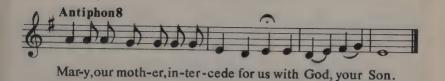
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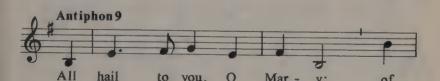
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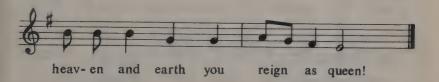
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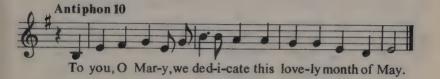












### RLESSED VIRGIN O Mary, of All Women

Flemish, 17th cent., alt. Michael Gannon all of em - bod vou cho art the sen For race. God taught our to 1. an - cient prophets prom- ised, Would bear God's on - ly 2. you are first and fore-most In full-ness of his All We He - brew gen - er - a - tions Pre -Son: praise this wond-rous hon - or: That 2. grace: pared the way to thee, That in your womb the from you took his Who you gave birth him to God - man Might come to man - hood And

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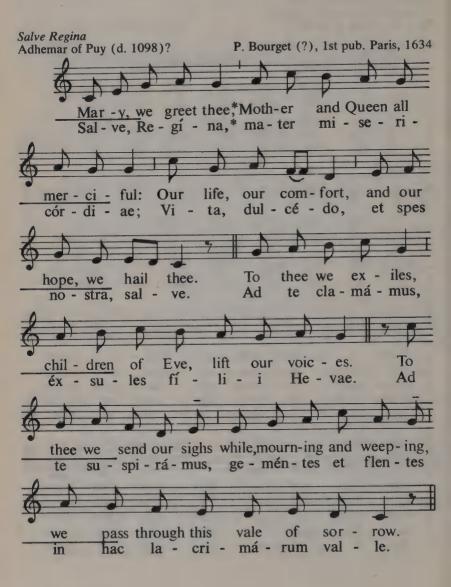
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## The God Whom Earth and Sea and Sky

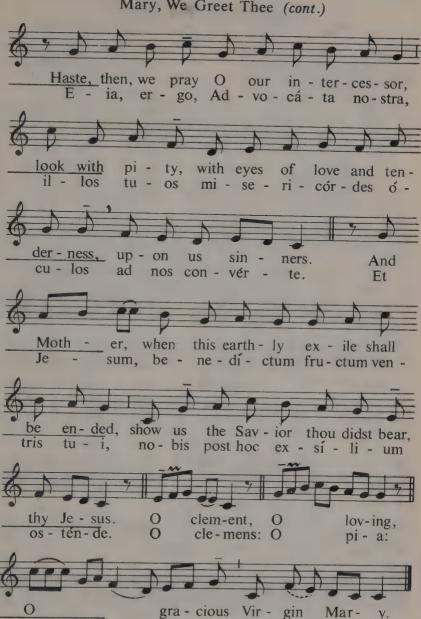


## R-3 a

# Mary, We Greet Thee Salve, Regina



### Mary, We Greet Thee (cont.)



dul - cis Vir - go Ma-ri - a.

## Virgin, Full of Grace

O Sanctissima Sicily, 1st pub, 1794, alt. Melvin Farrell, S.S. full of grace. us. plead for Won - drous bove, Splen - dor bright, Star cean chil thy Hear of race. our for Hope of cede us: shield thy love, Rise to Guide home - ward, O the night, us Maid glad ness. Thou art the tal Mar Show us, Help. plore Mar we ish our sad ness: tal: To im mor sus, our Broth - er: be fore thee: sons for Mar us,

## O Sanctissima

For music see R - 4

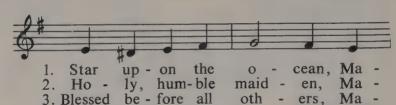
- 1. O sanctissima, O piíssima, 2. Tota pulchra es, O María, Dulcis Virgo María, Et mácula non est in te, Mater amáta, intemeráta, Ora, ora pro nobis.
  - Mater amáta, intemeráta, Ora, ora pro nobis.

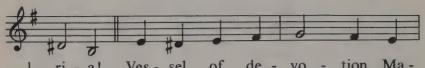


## Star Upon the Ocean

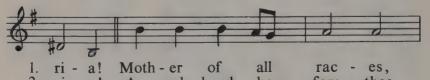
Michael Gannon

Münster, 1855

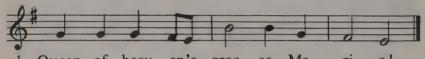




- ri a! Ves - sel of de - vo - tion, Ma -
- ri a! Thou with grace art lad en, Ma-ri a! Moth er of all moth ers, Ma-

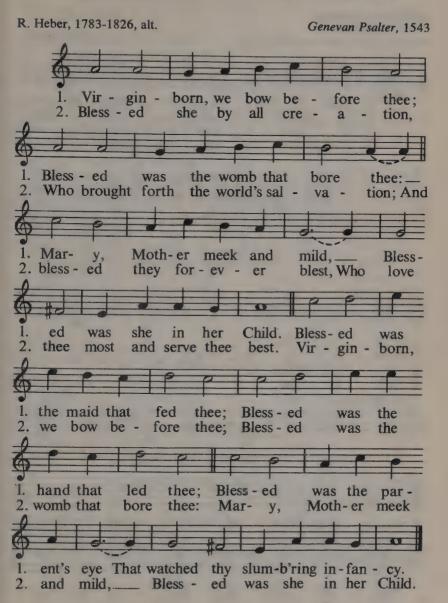


- 2. ri a!
- An gels bend be fore thee, In our life pro tect us,



- Oueen of heav en's grac es, Ma ri a! Men on earth im - plore thee, Ma - ri - a!
- our death di rect us, Ma ri a!

## Virgin-Born, We Bow Before Thee



## Hail, Holy Queen, Enthroned Above



## BLESSED VIRGIN - MAY CROWNING R-9 Holy Mary, Now We Crown You

Melvin Farrell, S.S.

J. L. Steiner, 1735, alt.

Repeat refrain after each verse.



REFRAIN: Ho 12 Mar - $\nu$ , now we crown this day we

sing your prais - es. Stain has nev - er marred you,

Glo - rious Queen. look down in kind - ness Gate of Heav en. vou were Moth - er

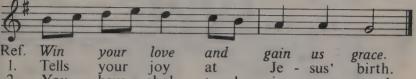
Queen of Man -



Ref. No -Vir gin. mav our ute 1. While the beau ty the spring -2. God, whose might ex ceeds the heav -

3. Bring God's bless ing to vour dren: 4. Now be Moth er to your iects.

5. Mold our hearts to seek his glo



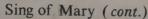
You have shel tered in your womb. Watch our homes and guard our In our souls give

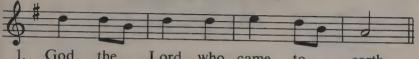
sus birth. 5. Till we reach our home a

# BLESSED VIRGIN Sing of Mary

Plymouth Collection, New York, 1855 Anon., 1914 pure and low - ly, Mar- y, of Mar- y, son 2. Sing of Je sus, God the 3. Glo - ry he to de un moth - er gin -Na 7.a home at God the to be ry God's Son most ho -1. Sing own 2: Toil wea la bor can - not and God the Spir - it, 3. Glo he to ry tle child. came her Who be death. dur ing un to Love en the Three in to Glo of Fair est child fair est moth - er. the stant love he was bless the heart of ed 3. From

(R-10)

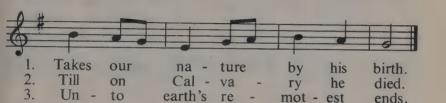




1. God, the Lord, who came to earth, 2. Though he went forth from her side, 3. From all saints the song as - cends.



1. Word - made - flesh, our ver - y broth - er, 2. Forth to preach and heal and suf - fer, 3. And the Church the strain re - ech - oes



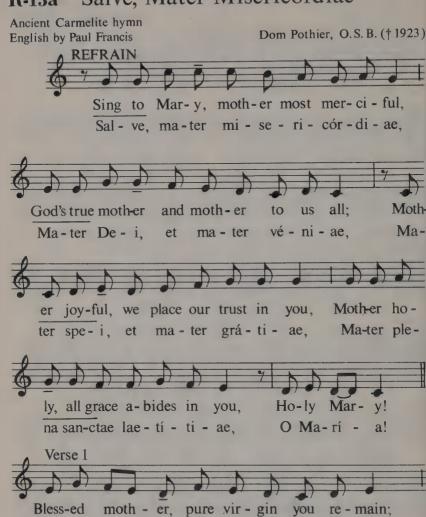




## Hail, Mary



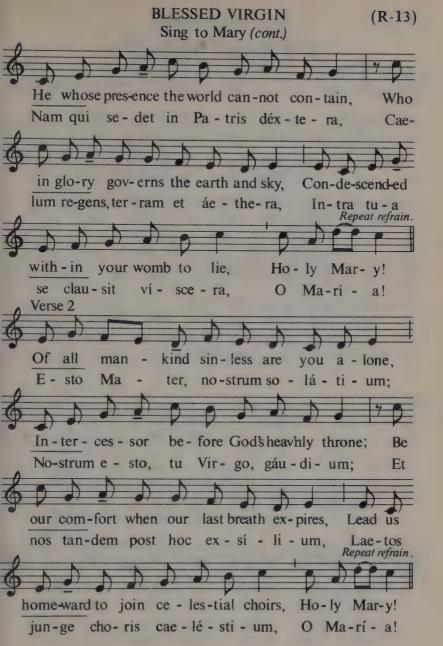
# R-13Sing to Mary, Mother Most Merciful R-13a Salve, Mater Misericordiae



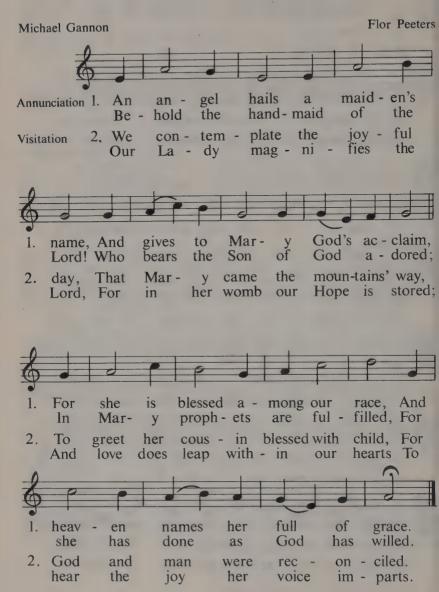
Sal-ve.

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## The Joyful Mysteries



(R-15)

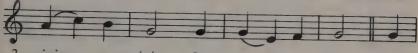
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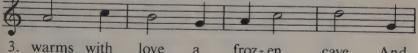
3. A Child is born in Beth - le - hem, Re-In this, the Vir - gin's ho - ly night, The

4. The pres - en - ta - tion of Our Lord Brings
The proph - ets in the tem - ple sing, That

5. What joy must fill the Vir - gin's breast To But nei - ther she nor Jo - seph knows How



- 3. joice, re joice, Je ru sa lem! He an gels fill the dark with light As
- and new to great ac cord: A1 thev be hold the prom ised King. And 5. end the
- 5. end the sor row of her quest: The far the way of sor row goes: For



- froz-en a cave. And heav en sends its iov to earth. ln might God -- the Ho - ly One. Is Mar v's eyes, with won-der. see Sal -5. Child
- 5. Child is safe with in the town, In-man's re demp-tion has be gun; The

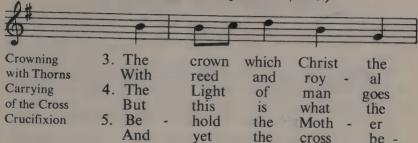


- 3. bless es those he comes to save. hom age of the In fant's birth.
- 4. Mar y's Child--the new born Son. va tion clothed in in fan cy.
- 5. struct ing doc tors of re nown. Fa ther's busi ness must be done.

## The Sorrowful Mysteries

Geistliche Lieder, Leipzig, 1589 Michael Gannon den shel 1. Agony ly This prayer in the Garden This of Sor Scourging Though re at the Pillar of God. sight trees will. not Son: Let mv en's scourged. viled and dored, Re ful. -His ci cule mer rid -The his knees: chal - ice on done? be thine Re to but Lord: Christ the Oh is rule. giv ing He for hope is here. For Christ our man what love can be: The tri umph bruised for fir mi - ties. And done. That ful men have he may quered hu - man Geth sem - a - ni. ni - qui i our East - er

### The Sorrowful Mysteries (cont.)





- 3. King has worn Is wov-en now with pain-ful robe of red, Our Lord be fore the crowd is
- 4. veiled and dim Be neath the shame
  Fa ther willed, What pro-phe-cy
  5. and her loss: The dy ing Son

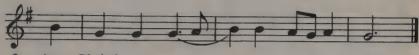
  that bur-dens would have fulup on the

5. and her loss: The dy ing Son up on the comes a sign Of something splen did and di-



- 3. thorn, As though to hint in trav es ty led, And hears the tu mult and the cry:
- 4. him; And Gol go tha be -yond the street filled: That Christ should die to save his own;

  5. Cross: What heart can know the an owighed law.
- 5. Cross; What heart can know the an-guished love vine, For what is done on Cal va ry



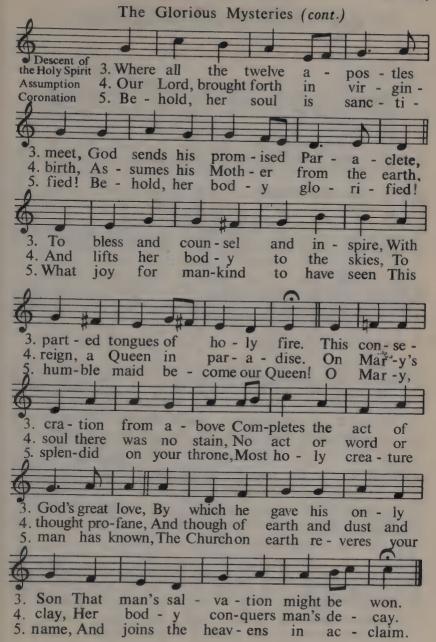
- 3. At Christ's sur pass ing ma-jes ty.
  To cru ci fy, to cru ci fy!
- 4. Ap pears to mean the King's de-feat.

  No great er love has man-kind known.

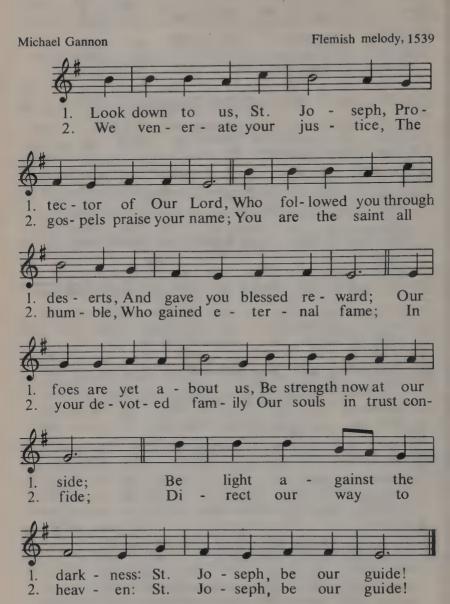
  5. That views that bod - y hung a bove?
- Is God's re demp tive vic to ry.

## The Glorious Mysteries

Marinus de Jong Michael Gannon ous, tri - umph glo Ascension 2. Re - joice and sing, all tions na day! For Christ a - ris - es whence he lav. round! That Christ has blessed our hum - ble ground. and com - mands And walks and bless-es grace Which And plant -ed here the seeds of - demp-tive hands. It star-tles 1. wounds in his re make our earth ho - ly place. And now be a of the world to This mar - vel see eyes The Lord of fore th'a - pos - tles' land and The God who died for and skies his As - cends to tri umph-ant Now lives a - mong us once a - gain. 2. throne, Where men may name him as their own.



## Look Down to Us, St. Joseph



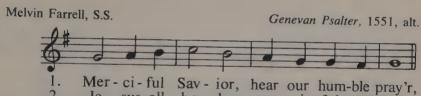
## Francis, Friend of All Things Living



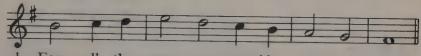
## Let Us Praise Our Noble God



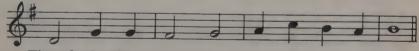
## Merciful Savior, Hear Our Humble Prayer



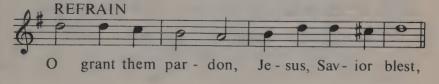
Je - sus, all ho - ly, mer - ci - ful and just, O gen-tle Sav- ior, Lamb for sin-ners slain. Lord, at thy Pas-sion love did con-quer fear;

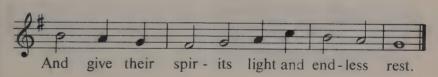


- 1. For all thy serv ants passed be youd life's Do thou re - mem - ber man was made from dust.
- 3. Look on thy broth-ers, cleanse their hearts of
- 4. Now share that tri umph with these souls so



- Though sin has touched them, yet their weak-ness spare.
- Un to thy mer cy we these souls en-trust. Thy cross has won them ev er last ing gain. Ban ish their sor rows, let thy light ap pear.



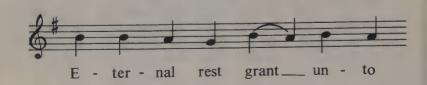


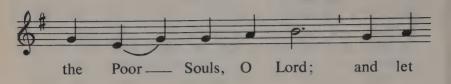
### POOR SOULS

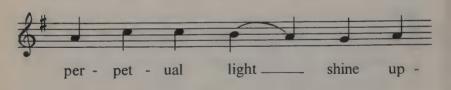
### Eternal Rest

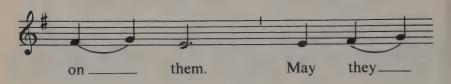
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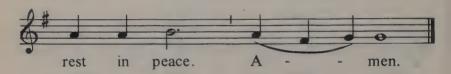
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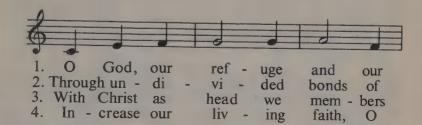




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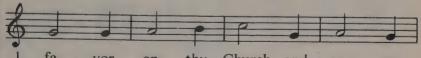
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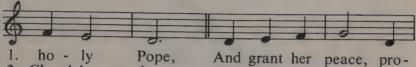




- strength, our life faith thy bless and hope. Look down with faith bless - ings flow: He sees not
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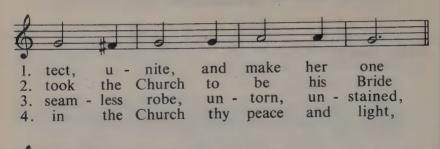
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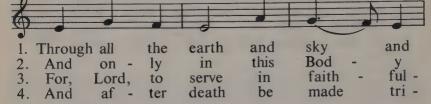
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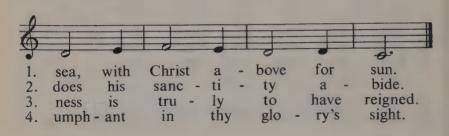
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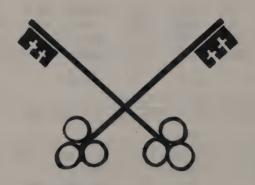
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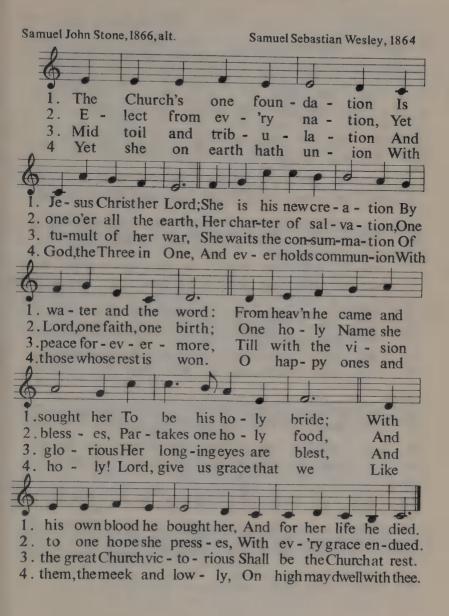








### The Church's One Foundation



### BISHOP'S RECEPTION

## Great Shepherd of a Loyal Flock



## Praise and thanksgiving Praise to the Lord

J. Neander, d. 1680 Tr. C. Winkworth, d. 1878, alt. Stralsund Gesangbuch, 1665 1. Praise the to Lord, the Al-might-y, 2. Praise to the Lord, who doth pros-per 3. Praise to the Lord, O let all that King a tion: my soul. work and de fend thee: Sure - lv in dore a him! praise him, for he is thy health and sal - va -2. good-ness and mer - cy shall dai - ly at - tend and breath come now in prais-es be - fore hear, Now to his al - tar What the Al-might-v der a new the Sound from his peo - ple men Join - ing near. in glad ad - o - ra do, Who with love doth be- friend his thee.

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### PRAISE AND THANKSGIVING

## Holy God, We Praise Thy Name



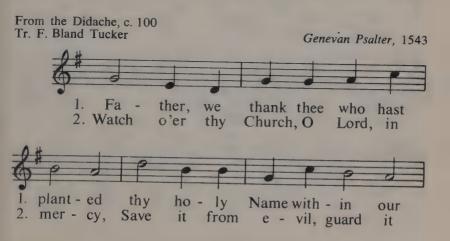
### PRAISE AND THANKSGIVING

(T-2)

Holy God, We Praise Thy Name (cont.)



# Father, We Thank Thee T-3



#### PRAISE AND THANKSGIVING (T-3)Father. We Thank Thee (cont.) life hearts. Knowl-edge and faith and Per - fect it thv love. in still: Je - sus, thy Son, to us im-parts. 2. nite it, Cleansed and con-formed un- to thy will. Lord, didst make all for thv Thou. grain, once scat - tered As on Didst give food pleas ure, man sides. Was this brok - en in his days, So 2. bread made one, the Bread e - ter - nal; Christ gath - ered thy Church be lands thine the praise. Thine the power, be

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# Praise to the Holiest in the Height



# T-5 PRAISE AND THANKSGIVING Praise the Lord of Heaven



#### PRAISE AND THANKSGIVING

## Round the Lord in Glory Seated



# (T-6) PRAISE AND THANKSGIVING Round the Lord in Glory Seated (cont.)



# Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven

Based on Psalm 102 H. F. Lyte, 1834, alt. John Goss, 1869 Praise, my soul, the King of heav Praise him for his grace and fa vor Fa - ther - like tends and he spares 115: An - gels, help us to a dore him. thy his feet trib - ute bring: Ran-somed. To his chil - dren dis in tress: Praise Well fee ble our frame he knows: In his You he hold him face to face: Sun re - stored, for - giv en. the same as ev er. Slow to hand he gen tlv bears us, Res moon. bow down be fore him. the prais sing: es chide and swift to bless: lu - ia! from all foes. our prais - es of our race: 1. Praise the ev - er - last - ing King. 2. Glo - rious in his faith - ful - ness. lu-ia! 3. Wide - ly yet his mer-cy flows. 4. Praise with the us God of

# T-8 PRAISE AND THANKSGIVING Praise We Our God With Joy

Verse 1: F. Oakeley, 1802-80, alt. Verse 2: Martin Rinkart, 1586-1649 Tr. C. Winkworth, 1829-78, alt. J. Criiger, 1598-1662 God with iov Praise OUT thanks to God All praise and gels glad-ness end - ing; nev-er Son Fa - ther now be giv - en, The and grate - ful voic - es saints with us Their Spir - it blessed Who reign in high - est a Fa-ther's care: His His blend - ing. is ter - nal. Tri - une God, Whom E heav - en: a par - ent's love; His and heav'n dore; For earth a -He show-ers from with - out end. a now. And shall be was, is ev - er

# T-8a

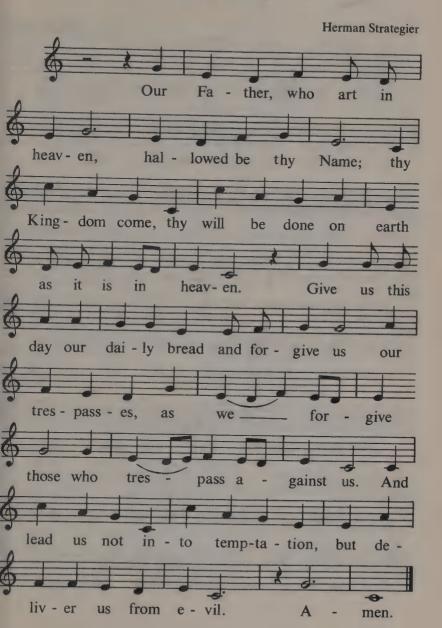
# PRAISE AND THANKSGIVING Now Thank We All Our God



# T-9 PRAISE AND THANKSGIVING O Father, Thou Whose Hand



## Our Father



# T-10a PRAISE AND THANKSGIVING SECOND TUNE Our Father



### T-11

### PRAISE AND THANKSGIVING

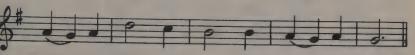
# Praise the Lord, Ye Heavens

Based on Psalm 148

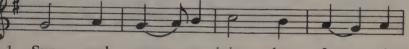
Verses 1, 2: Foundling Hospital Collection, c. 1801

Verse 3: Edward Osler, 1836 Rowland Hugh Prichard, 1855





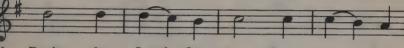
- 1. dore him; Praise him, an gels in the height; 2. glo-rious, Nev-er shall his prom-ise fail:
- 2. glo-rious, Nev-er shall his prom-ise fail; 3. bless-ing, Lord, we of - fer un - to thee:



- 1. Sun and moon, re-joice be-fore him; 2. God has made his saints vic - to - rious,
- 3. Young and old, thy praise ex press ing,

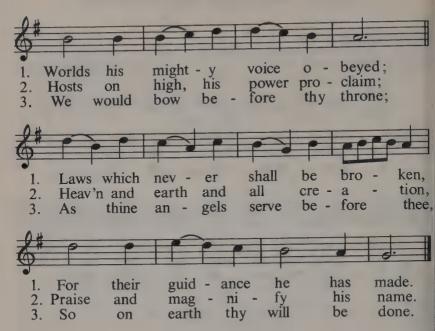


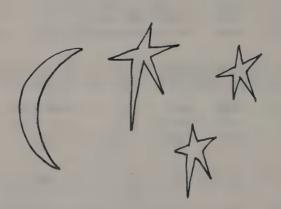
- 1. Praise him, all ye stars of light.
  2. Sin and death shall not pre vail.
- 3. In glad hom age bend the knee.



- 1. Praise the Lord, for he has spo ken; 2. Praise the God of our sal - va - tion;
- 3. All the saints in heav'n a dore thee,

# (T-11) PRAISE AND THANKSGIVING Praise the Lord, Ye Heavens (cont.)





# PRAISE AND THANKSGIVING

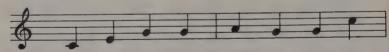


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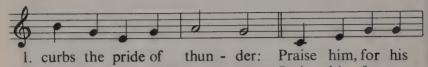
## Praise the Grandeur of Our God

Melvin Farrell, S.S.

James Burns.S.S.



- Praise the gran-deur of our God Who
- Praise the Lord whose an gels tame The
- Praise our God whose mer-cies well From



- 2. surge of sea and o cean: Praise him, for we 3. springs that nev-er fal ter: Praise him, for his
- him for his



- might- v rod Has burst our bonds a sun-der.
- 2. owe his name A life time of de vo tion.
- 3. prais ers dwell For ev er round his al tar.

### T-14

#### PRAISE AND THANKSGIVING

## A Mighty Fortress Is Our God

Based on Psalm 45 Opening lines: Martin Luther, 1483-1546 Remainder of hymn text: J. Clifford Evers Martin Luther, 1483-1546 might-v for tress our God. A good-ness flow Throughof his deeds of peace. The Be - hold his won - drous ing. Pro-tect-ing us with bul - wark nev-er fail y, And glad-denhearts of cit ho - ly his tion. He knowsourwars and our sal God va staff and rod. His pow-er all pre-vail ing. What those who know His ten-der-ness and pit ev -'rv land and na 3 makes them cease In rage And surg-ing seas ram-page; na - tions sure. God's kingdom shall en - dure; na-tions stand un lance Are splin-tered by his glance: 3. war-rior's spear and I. What though the moun-tains fall, The Lord is God of pow-er shall re - main, His peaceshallev-er might Stand with-ered in his The guns and nu-clear qual. earth is not his On cob. God, the God of Ja reign.

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#### T-15 PRAISE AND THANKSGIVING

# Great God, We Praise Your Holy Name



## Loving Father, Ever Waiting

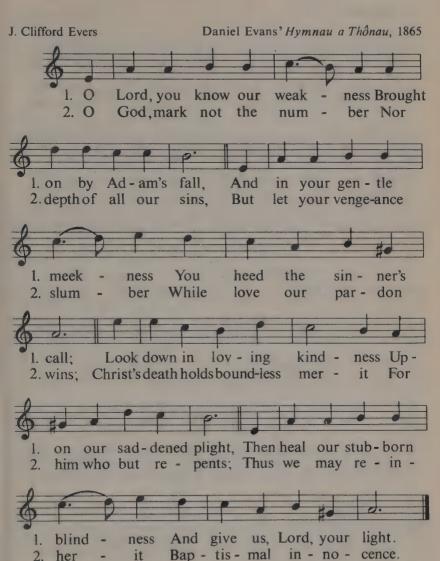


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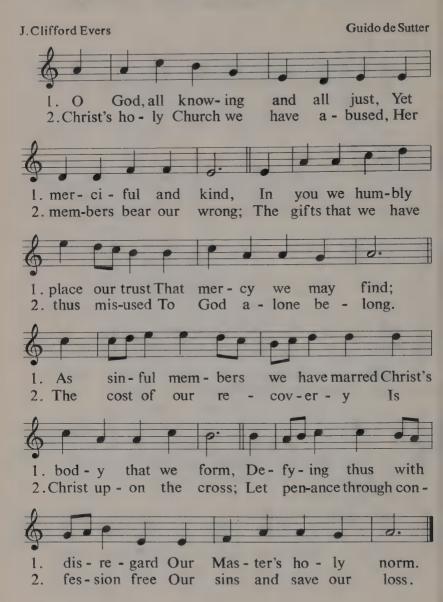
#### Loving Father, Ever Waiting (cont.)



## O Lord, You Know Our Weakness



# V-7 SACRAMENT OF PENANCE (Retreats, Missions) O God, All Knowing and All Just



# SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY

## Now Joined by God

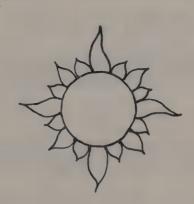


## When Morning Fills the Sky



### When Morning Fills the Sky (cont.)





## Shadows of Evening



## O God, Upholding These United States



## Lord of Nations, Bless in Kindness



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## The Prayer (Collect)

The Lord be with you. Priest: People: And with your spirit.

Priest:

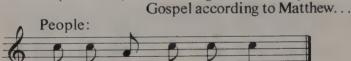
Let us pray . . . forever and ever. Priest:

People: Amen.

## Gospel

Deacon (or Priest): The Lord be with you. And with your spirit. People:

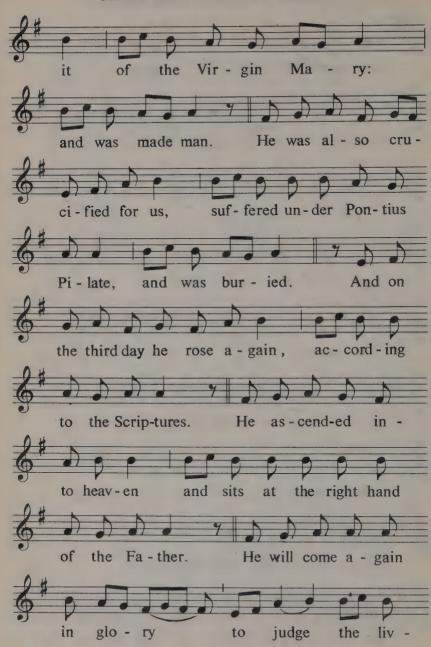
Deacon(or Priest): A reading from the holy

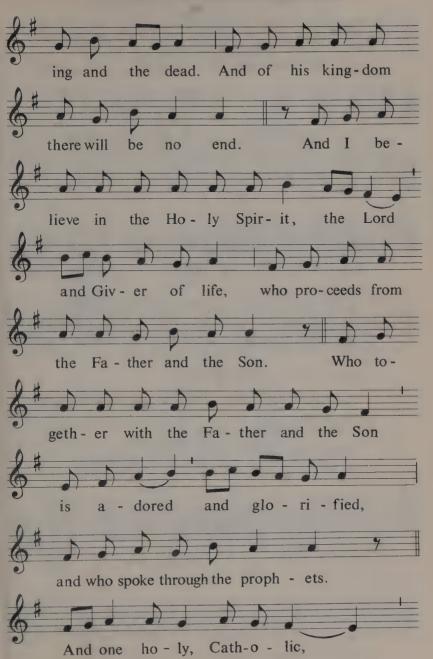


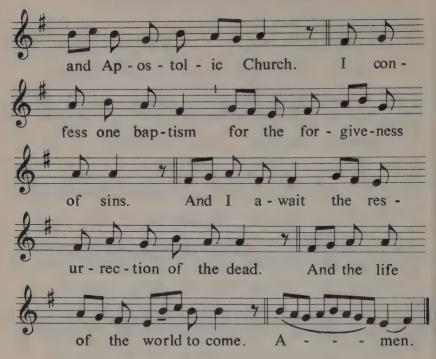
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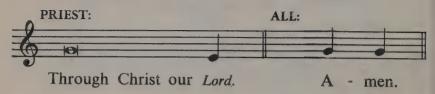


## Offertory

Priest: The Lord be with you. People: And with your spirit.

Priest: Let us pray.

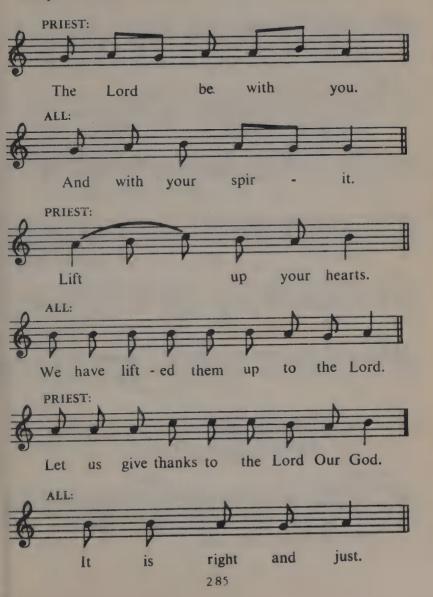
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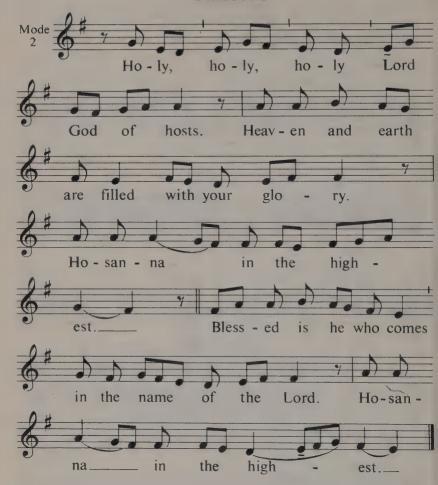
# Preface 1. SOLEMN TONE

Priest: Dominus vobiscum.

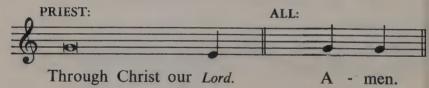
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## Sanctus



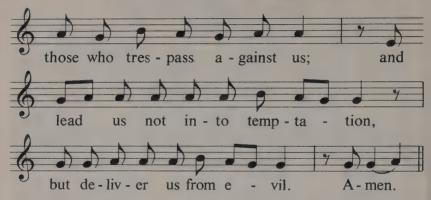
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## The Lord's Prayer

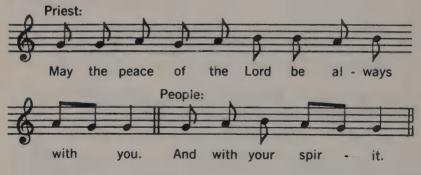


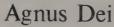


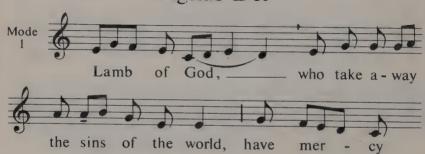
## Prayer for Peace

Priest: Forever and ever.

People: Amen.









## Postcommunion Prayer

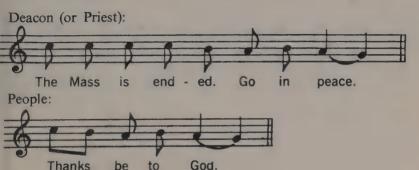
Priest: The Lord be with you. Priest: ... forever and ever.

People: And with your spirit. People: Amen.

Priest: Let us pray ...

## Dismissal

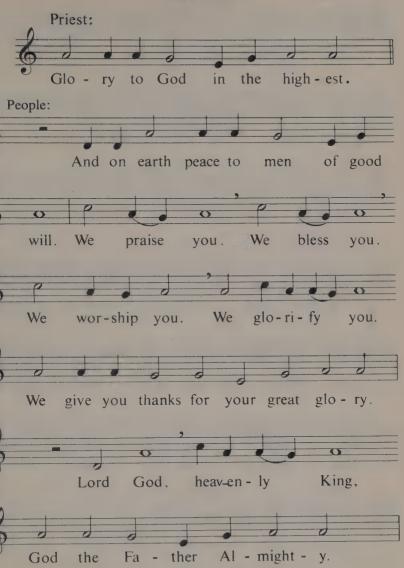
Priest: The Lord be with you. People: And with your spirit.



## Kyrie



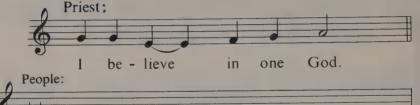
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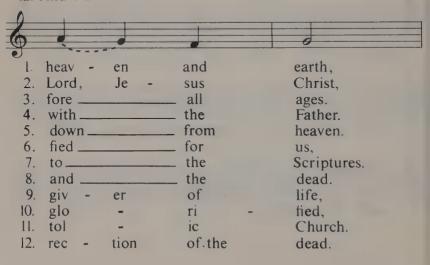


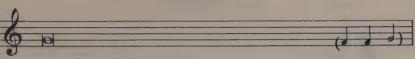


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- 1. The Father almighty, maker of
- 2. And I believe in one
- 3. Born of the Father be -
- 4. Begotten, not made, / of one substance
- 5. Who for us men and for our salvation / came
- 6. He was also cruci -
- 7. And on the third day he rose again, / according
- 8. He will come again in glory / to judge the living
- 9. And I believe in the Holy Spirit, / the Lord and
- 10. Who together with the Father and the Son is adored and
- 11. And one holy, Catholic, and Apos-
- 12. And I await the resur -





1, and of all things

2. the only be -

3. God of God, Light of Light, / true

4. By whom

5. And he became flesh by the Holy Spirit of the Vir-gin Mary:

6. suffered under Pontius

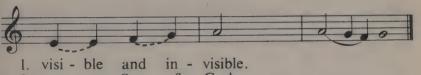
7. He ascended into heaven / and sits at the

8. And of his kingdom

9, who proceeds from the

10 and who

- 11. I confess one baptism for the for -
- 12 And the life of the



- got ten Son of God.
- God of true God.
- made. all things were\_\_\_\_
- and was made\_\_\_ 5.
- 6. Pi late, and was buried.
- right hand of 7. the Father.
- there will be end. no 8. 9. Fa - ther and the Son.
- 10. spoke through the Prophets.
- 11. give-ness of \_\_\_\_ sins.
- 12. world \_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_ come.

## Sanctus



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#### NOTES ON THE BIBLE SERVICES

Appropriate hymns or psalms should be selected to suit the general theme of the Bible Service or the particular theme expressed in the Scripture reading. Similar care should be taken to choose the most appropriate antiphon for the psalm.

Psalms may be recited or sung. When recited, people alternate on the recitation of the verses (verses 1, 3, 5, 7, etc. = gospel side; verses 2, 4, 6, 8, etc. = epistle side). When sung, choir sings verses of psalm while people sing antiphon after each verse. Certain verses of a psalm may be selected in preference to the entire psalm.

#### BIBLE SERVICE FOR ADVENT

The Coming of our God

This Bible service is arranged so that it may be used either as a four week preparation for Christmas or as a Christmas triduum. It may be extended into a longer preparation by using all the alternate scripture readings.

#### ENTRANCE PSALM OR HYMN

Stand

Select appropriate psalm or hymn.

#### READING OF THE WORD OF GOD

Sit

1st Week (1st Day):

The promise: God will come to be with his people and save them: Isaias 9:1-6

Alternate Readings: Isaias 11:1-5; 65:17-20, 23-24

#### 2nd Week (2nd Day):

God comes as a father for the orphan and as a redeemer for the sinful: Isaias 57:14-21

Alternate Readings: Osee 11:1-9; Baruch 3:1-8; 3:24-38

#### 3rd Week (3rd Day):

God will make a new covenant, inscribed upon their hearts: Jeremias 31:31-33

Alternate Readings: Ezechiel 36:24-32; 37:26-28; Isaias 42:1-8

#### 4th Week:

God prepares abundant joys: Sophonias 3:12-17

Alternate Readings: Joel 2:21-27; Jeremias 31:7-14

#### HOMILY

#### RESPONSE TO THE WORD OF GOD (Is. 63:15-64:3)

Kneel

Epistle: \*Look down from heaven/ and regard us from your holy and glorious palace!

Gospel: Where is your zealous care and your might,

your surge of pity, and your mercy? Epistle: O Lord, / hold not back,

for you are our Father.

<sup>\*</sup> Epistle=people on Epistle side; Gospel=people on Gospel side.

#### ADVENT

Gospel: Were Abraham not to know us,

nor Israel to acknowledge us,

Epistle: You, Lord, / are our Father,

our Redeemer vou are named forever.

Gospel: Why do you let us wander, O Lord, from your ways, and harden our hearts so that we fear you not?

Epistle: Return for the sake of your servants, the tribes of your heritage.

Gospel: Too long have we been like those you do not rule, who do not bear your name.

All: Oh, that you would rend the heavens and come down, with the mountains quaking before you.

While you wrought awesome deeds we could not hope for, such as they had not heard of from old.

No ear has ever heard, / no eye ever seen, any God but you,

doing such deeds for those who wait for him.

Priest: Let us pray.

Lord Jesus Christ, share your patience with us, so that we can value the opportunity of waiting upon you. If you do not come at once to answer our request, it is only because our desire is still small and our dedication still weak. Enlarge our hearts and strengthen our loyalty, so that when you come, we may be ready to receive you.

All: Amen.

#### PSALM OR HYMN

Stand

Select appropriate psalm or hymn.

#### READING OF THE WORD OF GOD

1st Week (1st Day): Stand

The Holy Spirit overshadowed the Virgin Mary and she conceived Emmanuel: Luke 1:26-38

Alternate Readings: Matthew 1:18-25; Luke 8:19-21

2nd Week (2nd Day): Stand

Jesus comes as Good Shepherd and Redeemer: Luke 15:1-10

Alternate Readings: Luke 7:36-50; John 3:16-21

3rd Week (3rd Day): Sit

The Christmas Christ comes anew to dwell within us more fully:
John 17:20-26

Alternate Readings: Titus 3:4-7; 1 Peter 1:5-12

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4th Week: Sit

On the eternal Christmas, we shall be caught up in the clouds to meet the Lord; then we will know that he came to us in every least man: Matthew 25:31-40

Alternate Readings: 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18; 5:4-11
Apocalypse 21:1-8

#### HOMILY

Sit

#### **PETITIONS**

Kneel

- P.: For God so loved the world that he sent his only begotten Son.
- All: That those who believe in him may not perish/ but have life everlasting. (Jn 3:16)
- P.: Let us pray for the Church.
- All: Come, Lord, / cleanse and sanctify us/that together with all Christians/we may be presented to you, / that we may be pure and holy, / without any spot or wrinkle. (Eph 5:27)
- P.: Let us pray for our Holy Father, the Pope, for the bishops of the world, and for Bishop (N) of our own diocese.
- All: Come, Lord Jesus, / fulfill your prayer when you asked your Heavenly Father/ not to take them out of the world/ but to keep them from evil/ and to sanctify them intruth./
  Through their example and teaching, / may we be one with you in forgiveness and knowledge.
- P.: Let us pray for our priests and religious.
- All: Come, Lord of the Harvest, / bless your laborers, / so that they may diligently sow the seed of your word, / and zealously watch over each growing plant, / so that when you come to call us / the harvest may be abundant.
- P.: Let us pray for our laity.
- All: Come, Lord Jesus, / make us living stones built on you/into a spiritual house, / your chosen people, / a holy and priestly nation. (1 Pt 2)
- P.: Let us pray for husbands and wives.
- All: Come, Lord Jesus,/you who called yourself the bridegroom of the Church,/come and be born within the hearts of husbands and wives;/inspire them how to love one another/and to give themselves to one another,/as you did for your bride, the Church. (Eph 5:21-23)

- P.: Let us pray for our children.
- All: Come, Lord Jesus,/gather these, our children, into your arms;/speak to them words of joy and strength;/bless them and protect them always. (Mt 10:15)
- P.: Let us pray for the unity of all Christians.
- All: Come, Lord Jesus, / Good Shepherd of all who believe in you, / fulfill your wish / that there be but one flock and one shepherd. / Thus we may aid one another to know you better / and to fulfill your word more fully.
- P.: Let us pray for all men and all nations.
- All: Come, Lord Jesus, / Prince of peace, / give all of us good will/ and bless us with peace. (Lk 2:14)
- P.: Let us pray for those who have never heard of Jesus Christ.
- All: Come, Lord Jesus, / may your light shine upon those still walking in darkness. (Is 9:2)
- P.: Let us pray for those suffering persecution for their faith.
- All: Come, Lord Jesus, / may the light of your coming this Christmas rise brightly on those living in dread, abandonment, and prison. / Return to them the freedom / of publicly expressing their loyalty and love towards you / and of peacefully teaching their faith to others.
- P.: Let us pray for those who are blinded by race prejudice.
- All: Come, Lord Jesus, / and speak to their hearts, / "Love one another as I have loved you. / By this will all men know that you are my disciples." (Jn 13:34-35)
- P.: Let us pray for our brethren who are sick or dying.
- All: Come, Lord Jesus, / and bless these our brethren/ in whom you never cease to come to us. / Give them peace, strength, and resignation.
- P.: Let us pray for our beloved dead.
- All: Come, Lord Jesus, / to those whom you have called home to eternity. / Fulfill in them your words, / "I am come that they may have life / and have it more abundantly." (Jn 10:10)
- P.: Come, Lord Jesus. Come, as you promised, to all of us here present.
- All: "Wherever two or three are gathered together in my name, / there I am among them." (Mt 18:20)
- P.: Come, Lord Jesus. We ask you to fulfill this promise in us:
- All: "If anyone love me, he will keep my word, / and my Father will love him, / and we will come to him/ and make our abode with him." (Jn 14:23)

P.: Let us pray.

O God and Father of Jesus Christ, we long for the coming of your Son. Give us the vision to see him, as he comes to us in the teaching of our pastors, in the love of our families, in the needs of the sick and the poor. Forgive us our selfishness and prejudice. Open our hearts with charity, for unless we recognize Jesus in our brethren, we will never see him coming on the final day. This Christmas, may we receive Jesus in our brethren, and thus prepare for the final, everlasting Christmas.

Mary, mother of Jesus, you were the first to receive our Lord and Savior. Ask God to share with us the strong, kindly and humble disposition, with which he prepared your heart for the coming of Jesus. Thus we hope to share your heavenly reward, Our Lord Jesus Christ.

All: Amen.

#### PSALM OR HYMN

Stand

Select appropriate psalm or hymn.

Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament follows.

## ASH WEDNESDAY OR ALTERNATE LENTEN BIBLE SERVICE

ENTRANCE PSALM OR HYMN

Select appropriate psalm or hymn.

Stand

READING OF THE WORD OF GOD: Joel 2:12-18

Alternate Readings: Zacharias 7:1-14: Genesis 3:14-19

Sit

HOMILY

LITANY

Kneel

Let us beg God to pity our weakness and to be merciful to us sinners. We first pause for silent, personal prayer.

Priest: O my people, what have I done to you, or how have I wearied you? Answer me! (Mi 6:3)

#### ASH WEDNESDAY

- All: Have mercy on me, O God, in your goodness; in the greatness of your compassion wipe out my offense.

  (Ps 50:3)
- P.: O Lord, in your anger punish me not, in your wrath chastise me not. (Ps 37:2)
- All: I acknowledge my offense, and my sin is always before me.

  (Ps 50:5)
- P.: Rend your hearts and not your garments, and return to the Lord, your God. (Jl 2:12)
- All: Have mercy on me, O God, in your goodness; in the greatness of your compassion wipe out my offense.
- P.: There is no health in my flesh because of your anger; and there is no wholeness in my bones because of my sins. (Ps 37:4)
- All: I acknowledge my offense, and my sin is always before me.
- P.: Even now, says the Lord, return to me with your whole heart, with fasting, and weeping, and mourning. (Jl 2:12)
- All: I acknowledge my offense, and my sin is always before me.

#### Prayer:

P.: O God, you who do not desire the death of sinners but their repentance, look down on our weakness and forgive us. Grant that the sacred ashes which we receive on the opening day of Lent may remind us of our helplessness without you and of our desperate claim upon your mercy. We are sorry for our sins and we trust in the forgiveness which you promised through Christ our Lord.

All: Amen.

#### PSALM OR HYMN

Stand

Select appropriate psalm or hymn.

READING OF THE WORD OF GOD: Matthew 6:16-21

Alternate Readings: 1 John 1:5-2:2; Luke 15:11-24

HOMILY

Sit

LITANY

Kneel

Let us beg God that our Lenten efforts will be inspired and strengthened by our honest wish to be united with Christ on his cross, so that we may repent of our sins and be united with the risen Lord on Easter. We first pause for silent, personal prayer.

- P.: As obedient children, do not conform to the lusts of former days when you were ignorant; but as the One who called you is holy, be you also holy in your behavior. (1 Pt 1:14-15)
- All: Lord, make us holy as you are holy.
- P.: If anyone does not abide in me, he shall be cast outside as the branch, and wither; and they shall gather them up and cast them into the fire, and they shall burn. (Jn 15:16)
- All: If you allow me, I will return, for you are the Lord, my God. (Jer 31:18)
- P.: Since Christ therefore has suffered in the flesh, do you arm yourselves with the same intent. (1 Pt 4:1)
- All: Lord, make us holy as you are holy.
- P.: To the penitent heprovides a way back, he encourages those who are losing hope! Return to the Lord and give up sin; pray to him and make your offenses few. (Sir 17:19-20)
- All: If you allow me, I will return, for you are the Lord, my God.
- P.: Happy are they who observe what is right, who do always what is just. (Ps 105:3)
- All: Lord, make us holy as you are holy.
- P.: I trust in the Lord; my soul trusts in his word. (Ps 129:5)
- All: If you allow me, I will return, for you are the Lord, my God.

#### Prayer:

- P.: O Lord God, on this day of Lent, we pray the words which your chosen people once spoke on their day of atonement words inspired by your Holy Spirit and preserved for us in the book of Sacred Scripture.
- All: Now, therefore, our God, / great, strong, and awesome, / who keep covenant and mercy, / turn not your face from all the burdens which have come upon us, / upon our kings, and our princes, / and our priests, and our prophets, and our fathers, / and all the people.

You are just in all things that have come upon us; / because you have done what is true/ and we have done wickedly.

Our kings, our princes, our priests, and our fathers/have not kept your law, and have not minded your commandments, and your testimonies which you have testified among them.

And they have not served you in their kingdoms, / and in your manifold goodness, which you gave them, / and in the large and prosperous land, / nor did they return from their wicked devices. (Neh 9:32-35)

P.: Lord God, who said that you loved us with an everlasting love, forgive our sins and have mercy on us. Let the ashes which we annually receive upon our foreheads be a sign that we are penitent, and as you behold the sorrow in our hearts which your goodness has inspired, may you forgive us our sins and restore the full joy of life with Christ, through whose intercession we ask this grace.

All: Amen.

#### CLOSING PSALM OR HYMN

Stand

Select appropriate psalm or hymn.

#### LENTEN BIBLE SERVICES

Explanatory Note:

These Lenten Bible services are composed of two main parts: (1) a service for the first week (that is, the first full week after Ash Wednesday) and the second week of Lent; and (2) a service for the third,

fourth, and fifth weeks of Lent.

The theme of the first service is that of penance; the second deals with preparation for Baptism. The choice of these themes is based on the original meaning of Lent. In the early Church, Lent was not merely a time of penance, but also included a positive element of spiritual renewal. The latter theme was expressed especially in the form of preparation for Baptism and the Easter mystery.

This double purpose of Lent is reflected in the liturgy of Lent itself. The Masses of the first few weeks concentrate on penitential themes. The Masses of the third and fourth weeks concentrate on baptismal themes. The fifth week looks toward the Passion-Resurrection mystery. All of these liturgical orientations are echoed in the Lenten Bible

services which follow.

## Bible Service for the First and Second Weeks of Lent Sin and Repentance

ENTRANCE PSALM OR HYMN

Select appropriate psalm or hymn.

Stand

#### READING OF THE WORD OF GOD

The mystery of sin: Genesis 3:1-13

Alternate Readings: Genesis 6:5-7, 11-22;

Exodus 32:1-8; Isaias 64:1-11

#### HOMILY

#### RESPONSE TO THE WORD OF GOD

Kneel

Sit

Priest: My people, what wrong have I done you? When have I ever grieved you? Answer me! I led you out of the land of Egypt.

All: And we have prepared a cross for you, our Savior.

P.: For your sake I scourged Egypt and its firstborn.

All: And we have handed you over to be scourged.

P.: I led you out of Egypt and drowned your enemies in the Red Sea.

All: And we have handed you over to your enemies to be tortured and killed.

P.: I opened up the sea as a path before you.

All: And we have opened up your side with a spear.

P.: I went before you in a pillar of bright cloud.

All: And we have led you to the judgment hall of Pilate.

P.: I nourished you with manna in the desert.

All: And we have rained blows and stripes upon you.

P.: I gave you life-restoring water from the rock to drink.

All: And we have quenched your thirst with gall and vinegar.

P.: For your sake I struck down the kings of Canaan.

All: And we have kept striking you on the head with a reed.

P.: I gave you a royal sceptre.

All: And we have placed a crown of thorns on your head.

P.: I raised you up above all others by my mighty power.

All: And we have hung you on the high gibbet of the cross.

P.: My people, what wrong have I done you? When have I ever grieved you? Answer me!

#### Prayer (from the Good Friday liturgy)

#### P.: Let us pray.

O God, who did punish Judas for his betrayal and reward the thief for his faith, let us experience your mercy; and as Our Lord Jesus Christ during his passion gave to each of them as he deserved, may he now free us from past guilt and extend to us the grace of his resurrection; who is living and reigning with you in unity with the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

All: Amen.

PSALM OR HVMN

Stand

Select appropriate psalm or hymn.

READING OF THE WORD OF GOD

The gift of repentance: Luke 15:11-32

Alternate Readings: John 8:3-11; Luke 23:39-43; Mark 2:1-12;

Luke 7:36-50: Luke 15:1-7

HOMILY

Sit

#### RESPONSE TO THE WORD OF GOD

Kneel

P.: Be merciful.

All: Spare us, O Lord!

P.: Be merciful.

All: Graciously hear us, O Lord!

P.: From all sin,

All: O Lord, deliver us!

(This response is repeated after each of the following petitions said by the priest.)

P.: From everlasting death,

Through the mystery of your holy Incarnation,

Through your coming,

Through your birth,

Through your baptism and holy fasting,

Through your cross and Passion,

Through your death and burial,

Through your holy Resurrection,

Through your wonderful Ascension,

Through the coming of the Holy Spirit, the Paraclete,

In the day of judgment,

Prayer (from the Communion service of Good Friday)

P.: Let us pray. We adore you, O Christ, and we bless you.

All: Because by your holy cross you have redeemed the world.

P.: O Lord, through the wood of a tree we became slaves, but by your holy cross we were set free; the fruit of a tree betrayed us, the Son of God redeemed us. Savior of the world, save us! By your cross and blood you have redeemed us; aid us now, our God, we pray you.

All: Amen.

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(All beg God's forgiveness for past sins.)

P.: O my God!

All: We are heartily sorry/for having offended you. And we detest all our sins/ because of your just punishments. But most of all, because we have offended you, our God, who are all good/ and deserving of all our love. We firmly resolve with the help of your grace to sin no more/ and to avoid the near occasions of sin. Amen.

P.: May Almighty God have mercy upon you, forgive you your sins, and bring you to life everlasting.

All: Amen.

#### CLOSING PSALM OR HYMN

Stand

Select appropriate psalm or hymn.

## Bible Service for the Third, Fourth and Fifth Weeks of Lent The Mystery of Baptism

ENTRANCE PSALM OR HYMN

Stand

Select appropriate psalm or hymn.

Sit

READING OF THE WORD OF GOD

3rd Week - Water is saving: Ezechiel 47:1-9

Alternate Readings: Exodus 17:1-7;

Genesis 6:13-14; 7:11-13,23-24; 8:1-3; 8:18-9:1

4th Week - An effect of Baptism:

Baptized into one body: Isaias 43:1-8

Alternate Readings:

A Covenanted People: Exodus 6:1-8 A Kingdom of Priests: Exodus 19:1-8

5th Week - Baptism effects a death-resurrection:

Ezechiel 36:24-32

Alternate Readings: 3 Kings 17:17-24; Isaias 49:14-21

#### HOMILY

#### RESPONSE TO THE WORD OF GOD

Kneel

P.: O God! Even at the beginning of the world, your spirit stirred the water.

All: That it might conceive the power of hallowing.

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- P.: Through water, O God, you washed away the crimes of a guilty world.
- All: For the torrent of the flood worked both the death of vice and a new beginning of virtue.
- P.: When your people thirsted in the desert, they called upon you.
- All: And water was given them from the sheer rock, a flowing life-giving water. (Wis 11:4)
- P.: So often, O God, you have used water to accomplish the salvation of your people.
- All: Today, the waters of baptism now save us also, through the resurrection of Jesus. (Eph 5:26)
- P.: We have drawn water with joy out of the Savior's fountains.
- All: Let us, therefore, praise the Lord and call upon his name.
  (Jn 7:38)

#### Prayer:

P.: O Lord, Holy Father, almighty and eternal God, look upon the face of your Church and multiply in her your acts of regeneration. Open the font of baptism over all the earth for the renewal of mankind. By your divine command may it receive from the Holy Spirit the grace of your only begotten Son. Far removed, Lord, be every unclean spirit at your command. May that nature created to your image and remade to its Maker's honor be cleansed from all sin, and may we live out in our daily lives the effects of this sacrament of regeneration by which we are born again to the new life of children of God and heirs of heaven.

All: Amen.

#### PSALM OR HYMN

Stand

Select appropriate psalm or hymn.

#### READING OF THE WORD OF GOD

3rd Week - Water is saving: John 9:1-12 (Stand)

Alternate Readings: John 3:1-8; Acts 8:26-40

4th Week - An effect of Baptism (Sit)

Baptized into one body: 1 Corinthians 12:1-13; Ephesians 4:1-6

Alternate Readings:

A Covenanted People: Romans 11:25-33 A Kingdom of Priests: 1 Peter 2:1-10

5th Week - Baptism effects death-resurrection: (Stand)
Romans 6:3-11

Alternate Readings: John 11:1-4, 17-27; Luke 7:11-19

#### RESPONSE TO THE WORD OF GOD

Kneel

- Gospel: All who have been baptized into Christ Jesus, have been baptized into his death.
- Epistle: But if we have died with Christ, we believe that we shall also live together with Christ. (Rom 6:3, 8)
- Gospel: We were buried with him by means of Baptism into death.

  (Rom 6:4)
- Epistle: Lord, long ago in the practice of the Church, / the waters of Baptism covered the person and buried him momentarily;/ may we bury our dead works/ with a renewed effort to live as a new person in Christ Jesus.
- Gospel: Christ has risen from the dead through the glory of the Father, / that we also may walk in newness of life. (Rom 6:4)
- Epistle: Our rising from the waters of our Baptism/ symbolized the resurrection of Christ in our person. Lord, may we courageously live the new life/ which is ours by the grace of our Baptism.
- Gospel: If you have risen with Christ,/ seek the things that are above,/ where Christ is seated at the right hand of God. (Col 3:1)
- Epistle: Mind the things that are above, not the things that are on earth

#### Prayer:

P.: O God, our Father almighty and all-loving, as the apostle teaches us, we have by Baptism been buried with Christ into death. As Christ, then, has risen from the dead, so we too, having come from the Baptismal font, may walk in newness of life. Help us to put to death the evil that is inus; and to exercise ourselves in the vigorous new life that is ours in virtue of our baptism into Christ, and the share in God's own life that is ours as baptized Christians. May this grace be granted through Our Lord Jesus Christ, who, together with the Holy Spirit, lives and reigns with you eternally.

All: Amen.

#### CLOSING PSALM OR HYMN

Stand

Select appropriate psalm or hymn.

During the closing hymn, the celebrant may walk down the church aisle and return, sprinkling the congregation with holy water. This action may be preceded by the renewal of baptismal vows.

## BIBLE SERVICE FOR THE WAY OF THE CROSS

#### ENTRANCE PSALM OR HYMN

Stand

Select appropriate psalm or hymn.

#### READING OF THE WORD OF GOD

Christ's Passion and Death: Matthew 16:21-27 Alternate Readings: Mark 10:32-35; Luke 12:22-34;

John 3:14-21: John 12:23-27

#### HOMILY

#### PSALM OR HYMN

As the priest and acolytes process from the sanctuary to begin the Stations of the Cross, the congregation sings an appropriate psalm or hymn.

#### THE WAY OF THE CROSS

Before each station:

P.: We adore you, (genuflect) O Christ, and we bless you.

All: Because by your holy Cross you have redeemed the world.

#### 1st Station: Jesus is condemned to death.

P. . He came unto his own.

All: And his own received him not.

P.: I shall not die, but live;

All: And declare the works of the Lord:

All: Lord Jesus crucified, have mercy on us.

#### 2nd Station: Jesus takes up his cross.

P.: He humbled himself becoming obedient unto death,

All: Even to death on a cross.

P.: And he bore the sins of many,

And prayed for transgressors. A11:

All: Lord Jesus crucified, have mercy on us.

#### 3rd Station: Jesus falls the first time.

God forbid that I should glory, P.:

Save in the cross of Jesus Christ. A11:

P.: We thought of him as a leper.

All: As one afflicted and struck by God.

All: Lord Jesus crucified, have mercy on us.

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#### 4th Station: Jesus meets his mother Mary.

P.: Your own soul a sword shall pierce,

All: That the thoughts of many may be revealed.

P.: This child is destined for the fall and rise of many,

All: And for a sign that shall be contradicted.

All: Lord Jesus crucified, have mercy on us.

#### 5th Station: Simon of Cyrene helps to carry Jesus' cross.

P.: With Christ I am nailed to the cross.

All: I live no longer, but Christ lives in me.

P.: Rescue me from my enemies,

All: For in you I hope.

All: Lord Jesus crucified, have mercy on us.

#### 6th Station: Veronica wipes the face of Jesus.

P.: Be you imitators of Christ and walk in love,

All: As Christ loved us and delivered himself up for us.

P.: May God have pity on us and bless us,

All: May he let his face to shine upon us.

All: Lord Jesus crucified, have mercy on us.

#### 7th Station: Jesus falls the second time.

P.: It was for our iniquities that he was wounded,

All: For our sins he was bruised.

P.: Unless the grain of wheat falls to the ground and dies, it remains alone.

All: But if it dies, it brings forth much fruit.

All: Lord Jesus crucified, have mercy on us.

#### PSALM OR HYMN

Stand

Select appropriate psalm or hymn.

#### 8th Station: Jesus speaks to the women of Jerusalem.

P.: Daughters of Jerusalem, do not weep for me,

All: But weep for yourselves and for your children.

P.: I will remember the tender mercies of the Lord,

All: I will proclaim the praise of the Lord, for all he bestowed on us.

All: Lord Jesus crucified, have mercy on us.

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#### 9th Station: Jesus falls the third time.

P.: Surely he has borne our infirmities,

All: And carried our sorrows.

P.: He gave himself for our sins,

All: That he might deliver us from the wickedness of the pre-

All: Lord Jesus crucified, have mercy on us.

#### 10th Station: Jesus is stripped of his clothing.

P.: Upon him lay the chastisement that brought us peace.

All: By his bruises we are healed.

P.: You know, you were redeemed,

All: With the precious blood of Christ, as of a Lamb.

All: Lord Jesus crucified, have mercy on us.

#### 11th Station: Jesus is nailed to the cross.

P.: He was offered because it was his own will,

All: And he opened not his mouth.

P.: The Son of Man must be lifted up,

All: That those who believe in him might not perish.

All: Lord Jesus crucified, have mercy on us.

#### 12th Station: Jesus dies on the cross.

P.: Christ died once for sins,

All: That he might bring us to God.

P.: We have been sanctified,

All: Through the offering of the body of Jesus Christ.

All: Lord Jesus crucified, have mercy on us.

#### 13th Station: Jesus is taken down from the cross.

P.: Purge out the old leaven,

All: For Christ, our Passover, has been sacrificed.

P.: Because he laid down his life for sin,

All: He shall see a long-lived posterity.

All: Lord Jesus crucified, have mercy on us.

#### 14th Station: Jesus is laid in the tomb.

P.: You will arise and have mercy on Sion.

All: For it is a time to pity her.

P.: If we have been united with him in the likeness of his death,

All: So shall we be in the likeness of his resurrection.

All: Lord Jesus crucified, have mercy on us.

#### PSALM OR HYMN

Select appropriate psalm or hymn.

Stand

#### READING OF THE WORD OF GOD

Christ's Resurrection: Matthew 28:5-11

Alternate Readings: Luke 24:13-28; John 2:13-23; Acts 2:29-37

#### HOMILY

Sit

#### RESPONSE TO THE WORD OF GOD

Kneel

- P.: If Christ has not risen,
- All: Then vain is our preaching, vain too our faith.
- P.: He who raised Jesus Christ from the dead,
- All: Will also bring to life our mortal bodies.
- P.: I am the resurrection and the life.
- All: He who believes in me, even if he die, shall live.
- P.: Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ,
- All: Who has begotten us again through the resurrection of Jesus Christ.
- P.: Let us pray.

O God, we have seen how you worked our salvation through the sufferings, death, and resurrection of your son, Jesus Christ; teach us to unite our trials and sorrows to his sufferings and death, so that we may likewise share in the joy and glory of his resurrection. We ask this grace through our Lord Jesus Christ.

All: Amen.

This devotion may be followed by benediction of the most Blessed Sacrament; if there is no benediction a closing hymn may be sung. On Good Friday this devotion may be followed by adoration of the cross.

#### BIBLE SERVICE FOR PENTECOST

#### A Novena in Preparation for the Feast of Pentecost

## ENTRANCE PSALM OR HYMN Select appropriate psalm or hymn.

Stand

#### READING OF THE WORD OF GOD

Sit

- 1st Day God's Spirit and creation: Genesis 1:1-5, 9-13, 26-27

  Alternate Reading: Ezechiel 36:25-30
- 2nd Day God's Spirit and life: Job 34:10-15
- 3rd Day God's Spirit and his active presence in human history:
  1 Samuel 11:4-9
  Alternate Reading: 1 Samuel 10:5-8
  - Atternate Reading: 1 Samuel 10:3-6
- 4th Day God's Spirit as living water: Zacharias 14:8-9, 16-18

  Alternate Reading: Psalm 41:1-6
- 5th Day God's Spirit and our divine adoption: Matthew 3:13-17
- 6th Day God's Spirit and prayer: Romans 8:14-17, 26-27'

  Alternate Reading: Galatians 4:1-7
- 7th Day God's Spirit and divine wisdom: Job 28:12-28

  Alternate Readings: Wisdom 7:7-15; 9:11-18; Genesis 41:37-41
- 8th Day God's Spirit and messianic fulfillment: Joel 3:1-5

  Alternate Readings: Isaias 42:1-9; 11:1-9
- 9th Day God's Spirit and our own resurrection: 2 Corinthians 4:7-18 Alternate Reading: 1 Corinthians 15:45-57

#### HOMILY

#### RESPONSE TO THE WORD OF GOD

Kneel

This response may be recited alternately between the priest and the people or between the two sides of the congregation.

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- 1: I will give you a heart to know me, / that I am the Lord;
- 2: And you shall be my people/ and I will be your God.
- 1: I will pour upon you clean water/ and you shall be cleansed from all your filthiness.
- 2: I will cleanse you from all your idols.
- 1: And I will give you a new heart and put a new spirit within you;
- 2: And I will take away the stony heart out of your flesh/ and will give you a heart of flesh.
- 1: And I will put my spirit in the midst of you;
- 2: And I will cause you to walk in my commandments/ and to keep my judgments and do them.
- 1: And it shall come to pass after this,
- 2: That I will pour out my spirit upon all flesh.
- 1: And your sons and your daughters shall prophesy;
- 2: And your old men shall dream dreams, / and your young men shall see visions.
- 1: All those guided by God's Spirit
- 2: Are God's sons.
- 1: The Spirit himself testifies with our spirits,
- 2: That we are God's children.
- 1: And you shall receive power when the Holy Spirit comes upon you.
- 2: And you shall be witnesses for me to the very ends of the earth,/in this our United States of America, our state of (N) and our city of (N);/in this our parish of (N).

Priest: Let us pray.

All: O God, / by the power and love of your Spirit / you brought forth the warmth of life on this bleak earth / and instilled courage, strength, and perseverance / in your people. / Give us this same Spirit, / with his power and love, / so that he may increase in us that true life / which is the knowledge and love of you, / and may renew our courage to live a truly Christian life / in loyalty to you, our God. / Through Jesus Christ, our Lord. / Amen.

#### PSALM OR HYMN

Stand

Select appropriate psalm or hymn.

#### READING OF THE WORD OF GOD

Sit

1st Day - God's Spirit and creation: 2 Corinthians 5:17-19

#### PENTECOST

2nd Day - God's Spirit and life: John 3:5-8

Alternate Readings: John 6:54-67; 2 Corinthians 3:4-11;

1 Corinthians 15:45-49

3rd Day - God's Spirit and his active presence in human history: Luke 3:21-22

Alternate Readings: Luke 4:1-4, 13-15; Acts 13:4-12

4th Day - God's Spirit as living water: John 4:5-15

Alternate Reading: John 7:37-44

5th Day - God's Spirit and our divine adoption: Romans 8:14-17

Alternate Reading: Acts 11:11-16

6th Day - God's Spirit and prayer: Luke 11:1-13

Alternate Reading: Matthew 6:7-13

7th Day - God's Spirit and divine wisdom: 1 Corinthians 1:17-29

Alternate Reading: 1 Corinthians 2:4-16

8th Day - God's Spirit and messianic fulfillment: Acts 2:29-33, 37-39 Alternate Reading: Acts 1:6-8

9th Day - God's Spirit and our own resurrection: Romans 8:5-11

#### HOMILY

Sit

# RESPONSE TO THE WORD OF GOD

Kneel

- 1: Whoever are led by the Spirit of God, / they are the sons of God. / Now you have not received a spirit of bondage / so as to be again in fear, / but you have received a spirit of adoption as sons, / in virtue of which we cry, "Abba, Father!"
- 2: The Spirit himself gives testimony to our spirit/ that we are sons of God./ But if we are sons,/ we are heirs also:/ heirs indeed of God,/ and joint heirs with Christ,/provided, however, we suffer with him/ that we may also be glorified with him.
- 1: Many things yet I have to say to you, / but you cannot bear them now. / But when he, the Spirit of truth, has come, / he will teach you all the truth.
- 2: He will not speak on his own authority, / but whatever he will hear, / he will speak.

- 1: He will glorify me, / because he will receive of what is mine/ and declare it to you.
- 2: All things that the Father has are mine. / That is why I have said / that he will receive of what is mine, / and will declare it to you.
- 1: And it shall come to pass in those days, / says the Lord, / that I will pour forth of my Spirit upon all flesh.
- 2: And you will receive power/ when the Holy Spirit comes upon you. / You shall be witnesses for me.
- 1: If then any man is in Christ, / he is a new creature; / the former things have passed away; / behold, they are made new!
- 2: All things come from God,/ who has reconciled us to himself through Christ/ and has given to us the ministry of reconciliation.
- 1: I will ask the Father/and he will give you another Advocate/to dwell with you forever,/ the Spirit of truth/whom the world cannot receive./ You shall know him,/ because he will dwell with you,/ and be in you.
- 2: These things I have spoken to you/while yet dwelling with you./ But the Advocate, the Holy Spirit, / he will teach you all things, / and bring to your mind/whatever I have said to you.

Priest: Let us pray.

All: O God, our Lord, / in the fullness of time / you have sent us as a gift of love, your Son, / who by his death and resurrection / was able to give us his Spirit / as a companion and guide in life. / In this way / you renewed the face of the earth by a new creation / which we must help you perfect. / Give to each of us / an increase of the Spirit of love, / who alone can make from fearful clay, zealous apostles, / from selfish children, loving sons, / and who will bring us to a glorious Resurrection / at which time we will begin the fullness of true life. Through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

### CLOSING PSALM OR HYMN

Stand

Select appropriate psalm or hymn.

# BIBLE SERVICE FOR A DAY OF RECOLLECTION

ENTRANCE PSALM OR HYMN

Select appropriate psalm or hymn.

Stand

### READING OF THE WORD OF GOD

The emptiness of many Christians' lives.

Worship can degenerate to external formalism: (Sit) Amos 5:21-24; 6:4-8

# Alternate Readings:

Christians can serve false gods: (Sit)
Deuteronomy 29:17-18, 21,23-26; 30:1-3
Many can refuse to listen to Christ: (Stand)
John 8:31-43

# HOMILY or Points for Personal Reflection:

Sit

Religion for some is a one-hour-a-week affair: Sunday Mass.

There is too much mere, external worship. We lack true interior

commitment of ourselves to Christ.

Our worship is often empty and meaningless because we do not offer ourselves in a meaningful way.

Religion seems irrelevant and unimportant for this life.

Perhaps we make money, pleasure, sex, status, and reputation our god.

How much are we influenced for good or evil by our environment? Our preoccupation with the things of the world makes it hard for us to listen to Christ and what he has to say to us.

In fact, we fail to realize the purpose why Jesus came to earth.

# RESPONSE TO THE WORD OF GOD

Kneel

Gospel: Lord Jesus, / in the past we have been too satisfied / with external, religious activity, / such as not eating meat on Friday, / going to Mass on Sunday, / fasting on the prescribed days. / We have not brought forth from our inner personality / a true commitment to you and your teachings.

Epistle: Lord Jesus, / you do not want merely strict conformity to laws. / You want the full dedication of all that is most personal in us. / How little we have thought of this!

Gospel: Lord Jesus, / perhaps we seek security in education, / in a good-paying job, / in cleverness, / in public esteem, / rather than in a loyal and responsible relationship with you.

Epistle: Lord Jesus, / the allure of wealth, ease, and belonging to a group, / seem to draw from us a deeper commitment than you do.

Gospel: Lord Jesus, / how many times are we almost embarrassed at being a Christian. / We remember that you said: / "He who is afraid to acknowledge me before men, / I will not acknowledge before my Father!"

Epistle: Lord Jesus, / we acknowledge in our hearts, / that charity towards our neighbor is often neglected. / We admit that many times we do not want to be bothered; / we do not want to take the time.

P.: Let us pray.

Lord Jesus, there are many factors in our lives which have killed our enthusiastic and wholehearted commitment to you and your teaching. Religion has been relegated to a shelf in our lives. Our whole personalities have not been involved; we have made a mere mental acceptance of formulas, often without thinking. We have shrunk from the challenge and responsibility of personal commitment and involvement. Let those days be gone forever. You said many times that he who is not with you is against you. Show us, O Lord, what we must do. Send your Spirit to guide us in fulfilling our role in the modern day world.

All: Amen.

### PSALM OR HYMN

Select appropriate psalm or hymn.

READING OF THE WORD OF GOD

The challenge of Christian life.

The Good Samaritan: Luke 10:25-37 (Stand)

Alternate Readings:

True sense of values: Ephesians 3:14-21 (Sit) Your calling, to build up the Body of Christ: (Sit) Ephesians 4:1-16

# HOMILY or Points for Personal Reflection:

Like the Good Samaritan, we must become involved in the needs of others, and never begin by measuring the discomfort or the cost.

Stand

Religion is not something apart from daily life. We love and serve God in our neighbor.

We must lay up true riches. What are they? What is the Christian attitude towards money, sex, reputation, friendship, etc.?

Christ came that we may have life! Christianity is not a system of restrictions. It is a dynamic way of life. God gave to each of us talents to invest in the betterment of our neighbor.

# RESPONSE TO THE WORD OF GOD

Kneel

Gospel: Lord Jesus, / what do you expect of us?

Epistle: Lord Jesus, / what can we do?

Gospel: Lord Jesus, / your apostle, Peter, was awed by your goodness so that he said: / "Master, you had better leave me behind. / I am a sinful man!" / Yet, you wanted him with you, / and you had great things ahead for him. / We must realize our need of you, / and trust in you when you ask us to do some work in life.

Epistle: Lord Jesus,/you came that we "might have life and have it more abundantly."/ If we have come to think/ that Christianity makes us "dead,"/perhaps we have not understood your message./ You expect us to be truly alive.

Gospel: Lord Jesus, / you taught us that we cannot be selfish and find happiness. / We realize now that the way to live / is to spend ourselves for others. / You expect us to offer our help, / even if it costs us time and effort.

Epistle: Lord Jesus, / you said that we were to be the light of the world. / We can help others/- our own children, and our neighbors-/ to see the way through life / to happiness.

Gospel: LordJesus,/you said that we should go and teach all nations./ We should pass on to others what we have learned from you./ Some of us can pass your message on to those in our homes,/to our children,/ to the students in our schools,/to our co-workers./ Others of us could volunteer for several years/ or at least for several weeks of specialized work,/ with you.

Epistle: Lord Jesus, / you challenged your followers/ to go to great lengths to carry on after you. / Give us the courage and zeal to face this challenge/ in whatever work we find

ourselves.

P.: Let us pray.

Lord Jesus, each of us knows what it is to long for happiness and security. We believe that you came to earth to tell us

how to achieve it. Now we feel responsible for passing on this "good news" to others, for you came "to cast fire upon the earth" and you willed that your zeal be enkindled in the hearts of your followers. Stir up in us the same vitality and spirit that drove you. Take away our fear of involvement in the struggles, sufferings, and aspirations of others. Open our minds to the movements going on all around the world, and give us the light and desire to grasp the dimensions of our world problems and aspirations. Show us when and how to contribute to the world the insights which you revealed to us, for you remain in our midst to lead the way. In whatever position of life we find ourselves, people should know that you have spoken to us and that we have heard your word.

All: Let it be so!

### CONCLUDING CEREMONY

If space permits, let the group come forward and stand before the enthroned Bible; or else, let each one stand in his ordinary place. Raising their right hands, let the group recite the following consecration after the priest.

All: My leader, Jesus Christ, / I commit myself to you! / In whatever place of life I find myself/ whether in the home, / the office, / the factory, / the school, / or the field, / I will strive to a ffect my environment / by my Christian spirit! / Give me the courage / to transform the things in the world / which I am able to change, / serenity to accept with Christian charity / the things which I cannot change, / and the wisdom to know the difference. / Help me, O Lord, to be fully alive with your spirit. / So be it. Amen.

## CLOSING PSALM OR HYMN

Select appropriate psalm or hymn.

Stand

# **EUCHARISTIC BIBLE SERVICE**

The Body of Christ

ENTRANCE PSALM OR HYMN

Select appropriate psalm or hymn.

Stand

READING OF THE WORD OF GOD

Sit

The Body of Christ: a covenant between God and his people:
Exodus 24:3-8

Alternate Readings: Deuteronomy 5:1-5, 22-24; Isaias 42:1-7

HOMILY

RESPONSE TO THE WORD OF GOD

Kneel

The Song of Moses given before the people of Israel (Dt 32)

Gospel: Give ear, O heavens, while I speak;

let the earth listen to the words of my mouth!

Epistle: May my instruction soak in like the rain, and my discourse permeate like the dew.

Gospel: For I will sing the Lord's renown.

Oh, proclaim the greatness of our God!

Epistle: The Rock - how faultless are his deeds, how right all his ways.

Gospel: A faithful God, without deceit, how just and upright he is!

Epistle: Is he not your father who created you?

Has he not made you and established you?

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Gospel: Think back on the days of old,

reflect on the years of age upon age.

Epistle: Ask your father and he will inform you; ask your elders and they will tell you:

Gospel: When the Most High assigned the nations their heritage, when he parceled out the descendants of Adam.

Epistle: The Lord's own portion was Jacob, his hereditary share was Israel.

Gospel: The Lord alone was their leader, no strange god was with him.

He had them ride triumphant over the summits of the land

and live off the products of its fields.

Gospel: Surely, the Lord shall do justice for his people;

on his servants he shall have pity.

Epistle: When he sees their strength failing,

and their protected and unprotected alike disappearing.

Gospel: Give ear, O heavens, when I speak;

let the earth listen to the words of my mouth!

Epistle: May my instruction soak in like the rain, and my discourse permeate like the dew.

# PSALM OR HYMN

Stand

Select appropriate psalm or hymn.

## READING OF THE WORD OF GOD

The Body of Christ: our Eucharistic Bread of Life: John 6:48-59

Alternate Readings: Luke 22:14-20; 1 Corinthians 11:23-29

# HOMILY

Sit

RESPONSE TO THE WORD OF GOD (Ps 117; Ap 5)

Kneel

Gospel: Give thanks to the Lord, for he is good, for his mercy endures forever.

Epistle: A new song has been heard in the land, a new song from God's family on earth.

Gospel: It is a song of joy

in praise of God our Savior.

Epistle: For he has chosen us from every continent, and from every race and nation.

Gospel: He has made us citizens,

and anointed us priests in his kingdom.

Epistle: This is all the work of the Lamb,

who was offered and slain for us.

Gospel: This is the New Covenant of life, eternally sealed in his blood.

Epistle: Give thanks to the Lord,

for he is good.

Gospel: And his mercy endures forever.

### PSALM OR HYMN

Stand

Select appropriate psalm or hymn.

## READING OF THE WORD OF GOD

The Body of Christ: Christ in all his brethren:

1 Corinthians 12: 12-27

Alternate Readings: John 15:1-14; John 17:20-26

HOMILY

Sit

# RESPONSE TO THE WORD OF GOD

A11:

Kneel

O God, our Father, / thousands of years ago / you chose out of all the nations of the world, / one family of people to become your own special friends. / You set them aside, / and blessed them with your presence.

When the hour came for which you had prepared so long, / you sent your only Son / to become a man among your people / and to be like them in every way.

With your people in ancient days / you sealed your presence with the blood of sacrificial animals. / Now, your Son has become our High Priest. / sealing the new and eternal convenant of your presence / with the life and blood of his own Body.

O Jesus, / Son of the Eternal Father and our brother. / may your Eucharistic Body and Blood so transform us / that our thoughts may be true and sincere like yours. / Grant that we may be one in love and forgiveness with all our brethren. / and by the bond of charity / may we reveal your presence in our midst.

Mary, / Mother of Jesus and our Mother, / you gave flesh and blood to God's only Son. / Help us to reverence the Eucharistic Body of Christ, / to receive it often, / and so to realize the joy and love of the covenant between God, / ourselves, and our brethren. Amen.

Benediction with the Eucharistic Body of Christ.

# BIBLE SERVICE FOR FIRST FRIDAYS

ENTRANCE PSALM OR HYMN

Stand

Select appropriate psalm or hymn.

READING OF THE WORD OF GOD

Sit

God the Father's love for men: Deuteronomy 7:6-9 Alternate Readings: Isaias 43:1-7; Jeremias 31:7-14: Osee 2:21-25

HOMILY

LITANY

Kneel

Let us beg God to reveal to us the mystery of his love. There will first be an opportunity for personal prayer in silence.

- Priest: I love the Lord because he has heard my voice in supplication. (Ps 114:1)
- All: A clean heart create for me, O God, / and a steadfast spirit renew within me. (Ps 50:12)
- P.: I love the Lord because he has inclined his ear to me the day
- All: O God, by your name save me, / and by your might defend my cause. (Ps 53:3)
- P.: I called upon the name of the Lord, "O Lord, save my life."

  (Ps 114:4)
- All: A clean heart create for me, O God, / and a steadfast spirit renew within me.
- P.: Gracious is the Lord and just; yes, our God is merciful.
  (Ps 114:5)
- All: O God, by your name save me, / and by your might defend my cause.
- P.: The Lord keeps the little ones; I was brought low, and he saved me. (Ps 114:6)
- All: A clean heart create for me, O God, / and a steadfast spirit renew within me.
- P.: Return, Omy soul, to your tranquillity, for the Lord has been good to you. (Ps 114:7)
- All: O God, by your name save me, / and by your might defend my cause.
- P.: For he has freed my soul from death, my eyes from tears, my feet from stumbling. (Ps 114:8)
- All: A clean heart create for me, O God, / and a steadfast spirit renew within me.
- P.: I shall walk before the Lord in the land of the living. (Ps 114:9)
- All: O God, by your name save me, / and by your might defend my cause.
- P.: Let us pray.
  - O Lord, by the humility of your Son, you have raised up a fallen world. Grant your people everlasting joy. Give eternal happiness to those who have preceded us in death, and make us worthy to share in the joy and peace of our heavenly home.
- All: Amen.

#### PSALM OR HYMN

Select appropriate psalm or hymn.

Stand

### FIRST FRIDAY

# READING OF THE WORD OF GOD

Stand

Christ our Savior's love for men: John 19:31-37

Alternate Readings: John 10:11-18; Luke 15:11-32;
Ephesians 3:14-21; 1 John 4:7-16

HOMILY

Sit

LITANY

Kneel

Let us beg Christ's continuing love as symbolized by his Sacred Heart. Let us promise our love and fidelity to him in return, so we may some day join our Risen King, with the Eternal Father and the Spirit of love. There will first be a few moments of silent, personal prayer.

- P.: The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want. (Ps 22:1)
- All: The Lord is my light and my salvation, / whom shall I fear?
  (Ps 26:1)
- P.: In verdant pastures he gives me repose; beside restful waters he leads me; he refreshes my soul. (Ps 22:2)
- All: My help is from the Lord, / who made heaven and earth.
  (Ps 120:2)
- P.: He guides me in right paths for his name's sake. (Ps 22:3)
- All: The Lord is my shepherd; / I shall not want.
- P.: Even though I walk in the dark valley I fear no evil. (Ps 22:4)
- All: My help is from the Lord, / who made heaven and earth.
- P.: For you are at my side with your rod and your staff that give me courage. (Ps 22:4)
- All: The Lord is my shepherd; / I shall not want.
- P.: You spread the table before me in the sight of my foes; you anoint my head with oil, my cup overflows. (Ps 22:5)
- All: My help is from the Lord, / who made heaven and earth.
- P.: Only goodness and kindness follow me all the days of my life. (Ps 22:6)
- All: The Lord is my shepherd; / I shall not want.
- P.: And I shall dwell in the house of the Lord for years to come.

  (Ps 22:6)
- All: My help is from the Lord, / who made heaven and earth.
- P.: Let us pray.

  O God, you mercifully bestow on us the unlimited wealth of your love in the heart of your Son, the heart which we wounded by our sins. We pray you to grant that by offering to it the worship of our devotion, we may also worthily fulfill our duty of reparation, through Christ our Lord.
- All: Amen.

CLOSING PSALM OR HYMN

Select appropriate psalm or hymn.

Stand

Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament follows, during which there is recited the act of dedication of the human race to the Sacred Heart.

# MARIAN BIBLE SERVICE

ENTRANCE PSALM, HYMN, OR CANTICLE Select appropriate psalm, hymn, or canticle.

Stand

READING OF THE WORD OF GOD

Sit

In this vale of tears men stand in need of an advocate before God: Genesis 3:8-15

Alternate Readings: Judith 8:9-20; Esther 14:1-6, 12-14

HOMILY

PSALM, HYMN, OR CANTICLE
Select appropriate psalm, hymn, or canticle.

Stand

RESPONSE TO THE WORD OF GOD

Kneel

Priest: O Lord, hear my prayer.
All: And let my cry come unto you.

P.: The Lord be with you. All: And with your spirit.

P.: Let us pray.

O God, after the fall of the first man and woman in the garden of Paradise, you gave us hope through another woman, the Virgin Mary, to regain a new and greater Paradise. In Mary, you not only provided a mother for Jesus, the Savior of the world, but you also gave a mother to us, all his followers. Grant that we may be humble as children, recognizing our need for help and looking to Mary as our intercessor with you.

All: Amen.

#### BLESSED VIRGIN

# READING OF THE WORD OF GOD

The King has raised Mary to his right hand as Queen: (Sit)

Luke 1:26-38

Alternate Readings: Judith 13:13-22; Proverbs 8:22-36 (Stand)

## HOMILY

Sit

PSALM, HYMN, OR CANTICLE

Stand

Select appropriate psalm, hymn, or canticle.

# RESPONSE TO THE WORD OF GOD

Kneel

P.: O Lord, hear my prayer.

All: And let my cry come unto you.

P.: The Lord be with you.

All: And with your spirit.

P.: Let us pray.

O God, grant that as we acknowledge Jesus Christ to be our King, so may we also recognize his Blessed Mother to be our Queen. Through her queenly and motherly assistance in this life, may we one day stand with her in your heavenly court, and by our presence there may we proclaim your goodness and power.

All: Amen.

# READING OF THE WORD OF GOD

Sit

Mary, our Queen, leads us into God's kingdom: Apocalypse 12:1-6

Alternate Readings: Wisdom 10:1-12: Sophonias 3:14-20

### HOMILY

# PSALM, HYMN, OR CANTICLE

Stand

Select appropriate psalm, hymn, or canticle.

# RESPONSE TO THE WORD OF GOD (Mt 5:3-10)

Kneel

P.: Blessed Mary, poor in spirit,

All: Lead us into the kingdom of heaven.

P.: Blessed Mary, so meek,

All: Obtain for us the messianic blessings.

P.: Blessed Mary, in mourning,

All: Comfort us in our daily trials.

.P.: Blessed Mary, clean of heart,

All: Help us that we may see God.

P.: Blessed Mary, lover of peace,

All: Help us rank as children of God.

P.: Blessed Mary, desirous of justice,

All: Aid us in doing God's holy will.

P.: O Lord, hear my prayer.

All: And let my cry come unto you.

P.: The Lord be with you. All: And with your spirit.

P.: O God, in whose wonderful providence Mary has been made Queen of angels and men, grant that through her intercession we may work joyfully for your kingdom on earth until we reach its glorious consummation in heaven.

All: Amen.

### CONCLUDING CEREMONY

This ceremony may conclude with the following prayer of consecration to Mary. Instead of this prayer a special consecration to Mary of the family, the parish, the school, religious community, etc., may be used, or the crowning of the statue of Our Lady may follow.

# The consecration to Mary:

All: Holy Mary, Mother of Jesus, / Queen of the Universe, my Mother and my Queen, / I entrust myself to your special protection, / this day, every day, and at the hour of my death. / I consecrate to you my family, my friends, / my country, and the whole human race, / confident that whatever I commend to your care will be preserved strong and joyful, / and will belong most truly to your son, / Jesus Christ.

Reign over us, O Mary, / as we pass through prosperity and difficulty, / through joy and sorrow, / through health and sickness. Watch over our minds, / so that they have true and courageous thoughts. Keep the love of our hearts generous, noble, and chaste. / Protect us from sin / and give us the strength to be sorry for our past offenses against God. / Preserve us in good health, / but we ask that you show a special maternal care for our children. / Teach us how to form great hopes, / as expansive as is God's love for us. /

We want to follow God's will / and belong to his family. / We know of no surer way than the one followed by Jesus. / So we ask you to be our Mother. / Bring all men into this family, for only when all are at home with you / will we be able to share most fully in the joy which Jesus obtained by his death and resurrection. / Amen.

CLOSING PSALM, HYMN, OR CANTICLE Select appropriate psalm, hymn, or canticle.

Stand

# BIBLE SERVICE FOR YOUNG PEOPLE

To Know One's Vocation

## ENTRANCE PSALM OR HYMN

Select appropriate psalm or hymn.

Stand

## READING OF THE WORD OF GOD

The call of Abraham: Genesis 12:1-3; 15:1-7

Alternate Readings:

The call of Moses: Exodus 3:1-10
The call of David: 1 Samuel 16:1-13
The call of Jeremia: Jeremias 1:4-10

Sit

HOMILY

PSALM OR HYMN

Select appropriate psalm or hymn.

Stand

RESPONSE TO THE WORD OF GOD

Kneel

Priest: Almighty God, we are privileged to call you our Lord and our Master, because you first loved us and revealed yourself to us. Your love was made known through your sacred word and through the mysterious attraction to follow your will. The great saints of earlier days - Abraham, Moses, the prophets, even your only son Jesus Christ - lived in complete obedience to your word. In that obedience they were able to share with others your strength, joy, and life. Overcome all obstacles in our stubbornness, pride, and ignorance, so that we may hear your voice, follow your will, and respond with all our strength and desire. Jesus, obedient son of the heavenly Father, share your spirit with each one of us, so that one with you and in you we may find our fulfillment to our own peace and to God's glory.

All: Amen.

READING OF THE WORD OF GOD: Mark 10:17-31

Stand

Alternate Readings: Luke 5:1-11; John 1:35-51; John 17:6-19; Galatians 1:11-24

HOMILY

Sit

### RESPONSE TO THE WORD OF GOD

Kneel

Gospel: Just as the Father loves me, so I love you. / Be sure to hold my love.

Epistle: If you treasure my Father's commandments, / you will hold my love, / just as I treasure my Father's commandments / and thus secure his love.

Gospel: I have told you this, / that my joy may be yours, / and your joy may be perfect.

Epistle: No one can give a greater proof of his love / than by laying down his life for his friends.

Gospel: You are my friends, / provided you do what I command.

Epistle: No longer do I call you servants / for a servant is not in his master's confidence.

Gospel: But I have called you friends / because I have made known to you / all that I have heard from my Father.

Epistle: Not that you chose me; / no, I have chosen you, / and the task I imposed upon you / is to go forward steadfastly / in bearing fruit; / and your fruit is to be lasting.

### PSALM OR HYMN

Stand

Select appropriate psalm or hymn.

## RESPONSE TO THE WORD OF GOD

Kneel

The shepherd entrusts the flock to his apostles and to all his chosen followers.

Gospel: After they had finished breakfast, / Jesus said to Simon Peter: / "Simon, son of John, / do you love me more than these others do?"

Epistle: "Yes, my master," / he replied, / "you know that I really love you."

Gospel: Jesus said to him, / "Feed my lambs."

Epistle: He asked him a second time: / "Simon, son of John, do you love me?"

Gospel: "Yes, Master, "he replied, / "you know that I really love you."

Epistle: Jesus said to him, "Be a shepherd to my sheep."

Gospel: For a third time / he put the question to him: / "Simon, son of John, / do you really love me?"

Epistle: It grieved Peter / that he had asked him the third time: / "Do you really love me?" / and he replied: / "Master, you know everything; / you know that I really love you!"

#### YOUTH RETREAT

Gospel: Jesus said to him, / "Feed my sheep. / I tell you the plain

truth: / when you were young. / you used to put on your own belt / and go where you wished: / but when you grow old. / you will stretch out your arms for someone else to gird you / and carry you where you have no wish to go."

Epistle: And having said this, / he said to him: / "Follow me."

Praver:

A11: Let us prav.

Lord Jesus Christ. / the rich young man did not have the courage to follow you / and he walked away sad. / Even though your apostles were often timid and fearful. / still with the gift of your spirit / they became strong and alert. It is not easy to say 'Yes' to you / and really mean it. / You are calling each one of us. Lord, / to a special vocation in life. / You are calling each one to be / either a priest, brother, or sister, / a husband or wife, / a father or mother of a family, / a worker in one of the many professions. / Give us the courage and generosity to answer your call / and to follow you. / Amen.

## CONCLUDING ACTION

Representatives of the group come forward to receive individual blessings from the priest.

# BIBLE SERVICE FOR A YOUTH RETREAT

The First Day - The World in Need of a Leader

ENTRANCE PSALM OR HYMN

Select appropriate psalm or hymn.

Stand

OLD TESTAMENT READING: Exodus 32:1-4

Alternate Readings: Exodus 5:4-9; Genesis 41:53-57

Sit

HOMILY

RESPONSE TO THE WORD OF GOD

Kneel

Priest: Without a leader, Lord, we go astray. We are like sheep without a shepherd. All:

Everything seems in darkness, Lord, without you. P.:

We are like sheep without a shepherd. A11:

P.: We are easily led astray.

All: Without you as our guide, / we are lost. Only when we realize this / will we look to you for the help which we

P.: Do not leave us alone, O Lord.

All: Track us down in our wandering; / forgive us; / pick us up and sustain us, / and bring us to the goal of our desires.

## PSALM OR HYMN

Stand

Select appropriate psalm or hymn.

NEW TESTAMENT READING: Luke 7:19-22

Alternate Readings: Mark 10:46-51; Matthew 9:35-36

### HOMILY

Sit

# RESPONSE TO THE WORD OF GOD

Kneel

P.: We have come to seek a leader, O Lord.

All: Are you the one who is to come / or must we look for another?

P.: We are so often filled with sadness and sorrow.

All: Are you the one who is to come / or must we look for another?

P.: Sickness or opposition can meet us at every turn.

All: Are you the one who is to come / or must we look for another?

P.: Never let evil, O Lord, dominate our lives.

All: Are you the one who is to come / or must we look for another?

P.: Let us pause for a moment of personal thought and prayer. (Pause for silent prayer.)

### PSALM OR HYMN

Stand

Select appropriate psalm or hymn.

### PRAYER

Kneel

P.: Let us pray.

All: The world is in need of a leader. We know we have a responsibility to the world, / but we are weak and fearful. Give us the knowledge and the courage / to do your work. We need, O Lord, / your light to see our way clearly, / your strength to go ahead resolutely. We ask this grace through Jesus

#### VOUTH RETREAT

Christ, / our brother and our God. / who shared the weak condition of our lives / in order that we might participate in the steady courage of his heart.

# The Second Day - Our Leader in Need of Us

# ENTRANCE PSALM OR HYMN

Stand

Select appropriate psalm or hymn

OLD TESTAMENT READING: Exodus 3:9-12

Alternate Readings: Josue 1:1-7: Genesis 15:1-6

Sit

#### HOMILY

# RESPONSE TO THE WORD OF GOD

Kneel

The world in which we live cries out for help. P .:

All: Lord, who am I / that I should lead your people?

We see the need, Lord, but what can we do? P.:

All: Lord, who am I / that I should lead your people?

No one can lead us but you. O Lord! p .

Lord, who am I / that you should choose me / to be your as-A11 · sistant and co-leader?

# PSALM OR HYMN

Stand

Select appropriate psalm or hymn.

NEW TESTAMENT READING: Acts 9:10-16 (Sit)

Alternate Readings: Mark 3:13-15; Matthew 5:13-16 (Stand)

#### HOMILY.

# RESPONSE TO THE WORD OF GOD

Kneel

The Lord knows us, each by his own name. P.:

The Lord needs us! A11 ·

The Lord comes to us in those we meet. P.:

The Lord needs us! A11:

Who can be worthy to serve the Lord? P.:

The Lord needs us! All:

Those who are to bear the Lord's name must be ready to P.: serve and to suffer.

The Lord needs us! All:

Let us pause for a moment of personal thought and prayer. P.: (Pause for silent prayer.)

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### PSALM OR HYMN

Select appropriate psalm or hymn.

Stand

### PRAYER:

Kneel

P.: Let us pray.

All: O Lord, / the world is in need of a leader. We know we have a responsibility to the world, / but we are weak and fearful. Give us the knowledge and the courage to do your work. We ask this grace through Jesus Christ, / our brother and our God, / who shared the weak condition of our lives in order that we might participate in the steady courage of his heart.

# CLOSING PSALM OR HYMN

Stand

Select appropriate psalm or hymn.

# The Third Day - Our Responsibility to the World

# ENTRANCE PSALM OR HYMN

Stand

Select appropriate psalm or hymn.

OLD TESTAMENT READING: Exodus 32:12-15

Sit

Alternate Readings: Ezechiel 34:11-16; Jeremias 1:4-8

### **HOMILY**

### RESPONSE TO THE WORD OF GOD

Kneel

P.: We need not fear.

All: The Lord is with us!

P.: Take courage, no obstacle is too great.

All: The Lord is with us!

P.: With our few talents we can do great things.

All: The Lord is with us!

P.: With you, we can always lead your people onward.

All: The Lord is with us!

### PSALM OR HYMN

Select appropriate psalm or hymn.

Stand

NEW TESTAMENT READING: Acts 2:1-4

Alternate Readings: Acts 1:6-8; John 16:31-33

### HOMILY

### RESPONSE TO THE WORD OF GOD

Kneel

P.: Left alone. O Lord. we are weak and afraid.

All: We are filled with the Holy Spirit.

P.: The task before us is great.

All: We are filled with the Holy Spirit.

P.: Our opportunities for doing good are unlimited!

All: We are filled with the Holy Spirit.

P.: Every obstacle gives way before the power of the Spirit.

All: We are filled with the Holy Spirit.

P.: Let us pause for a moment of personal thought and prayer.

(Pause for silent prayer.)

# PSALM OR HYMN

Stand

Select appropriate psalm or hymn.

# CONCLUDING ACTION

The renewal of Christian confirmation.

The priest, in place of the bishop, leads all in a prayer of blessing and re-dedication, modeled after the rite of confirmation. All kneel at the communion rail (or at their places in church), as Father, standing at the altar, faces them and prays:

P.: O God, our most powerful leader, through Baptism and Confirmation, you have given us assembled here a new way of life. You have forgiven our mistakes. Today, send forth upon us your Holy Spirit.

All: Come, Spirit of Jesus, / come!

P.: The power to know what is important in life.

All: Come, / Spirit of Jesus,/come

P.: The power to seek advice and to take responsible action.

All: Come, / Spirit of Jesus, / come!

P.: The power to respect the world and all that is in it.

All: Come, / Spirit of Jesus, / come!

P.: O Lord, fill these young men (and women) with your power of reverence and sign them with the sign of your cross, that each of them may do that special work which you have assigned to them in life. In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

All: Come, / Spirit of Jesus, / come!

# CLOSING PSALM OR HYMN

Stand

Select appropriate psalm or hymn.

# BIBLE SERVICE FOR CHILDREN

of the Fifth to Eighth Grades

# I OREDIENCE

# ENTRANCE PSALM OR HYMN Select appropriate psalm or hymn.

Stand

READING OF THE WORD OF GOD: Genesis 22:1-19

Alternate Reading: Sirach 3:1-16

Sit

HOMILY

# RESPONSE TO THE WORD OF GOD (Ps 118:1-17)

Kneel

The first part (1) of the following responses can be recited either by priest, leader, or small group of children in front of church; the second part (2) of each response is said by all. All repeat the antiphon as indicated below.

Antiphon: Happy are they whose way is blameless, who walk in the law of the Lord.

- 1: Happy are they whose way is blameless, who walk in the law of the Lord.
- 2: Happy are they who observe his decrees, who seek him with all their heart.
- 1: Who do no wrong but walk in his ways.
- 2: You have commanded that your precepts be diligently kept. Antiphon
- 1: Oh, that I might be firm in the ways of keeping your statutes!
- 2: Then should I not be put to shame when I beheld all your commands.
- 1: I will give you thanks with an upright heart, when I have learned your just ordinances.
- 2: I will keep your statutes;
  do not utterly forsake me. Antiphon
- 1: How shall a young man be faultless in his way?
  By keeping to your words.
- 2: With all my heart I seek you; let me not stray from your commands.
- 1: Within my heart I treasure your promise, that I may not sin against you.
- 2: Blessed are you, / O Lord; teach me your statutes. Antiphon

#### SERVICE FOR CHILDREN

- 1: In the way of your decrees I rejoice,
  as much as in all riches.
- 2: I will meditate on your precepts, and consider your ways.
- 1: Be good to your servant, / that I may live and keep your words.
- 2: Open my eyes, / that I may consider the wonders of your law. Antiphon

### PSALM OR HYMN

Select appropriate psalm or hymn.

Stand

READING OF THE WORD OF GOD: Luke 2:42-52 (Stand)

Alternate Readings: Hebrews 12:7-13: 13:17 (Sit)

HOMILY.

Sit

### RESPONSE TO THE WORD OF GOD

Kneel

Priest: Amen, amen, I say to you,

All: If anyone keep my word, / he will never see death. (Jn 8:51)

P.: Jesus went down with Mary and Joseph, and came to Nazareth.

All: And was subject to them.  $(Lk\ 2:51)$ 

P.: Let us pray.

All: Lord Jesus Christ, / as a child you were always obedient to Mary and Joseph. Make our family holy like yours / so that one day / through the prayers of Mary and Joseph we may all enjoy the unending family-life of heaven / where you live and reign / with the Father and the Holy Spirit / for ever and ever. / Amen. (Collect for the feast of the Holy Family)

Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament follows.

# 2. CHARITY

ENTRANCE PSALM OR HYMN Select appropriate psalm or hymn.

Stand

READING OF THE WORD OF GOD: Leviticus 19:13-18

Alternate Reading: Genesis 50:14-21

Sit

HOMILY

# RESPONSE TO THE WORD OF GOD (Ps 111:1-9)

Kneel

For recitation directions see those given in Section One of this service (Obedience).

Antiphon: He who has mercy on the poor lends to the Lord / and he will repay him. (Prv 19:17)

1: Happy the man who fears the Lord,

who greatly delights in his commands.

- 2: His posterity shall be mighty upon the earth; the upright generation shall be blessed. *Antiphon*
- 1: Wealth and riches shall be in his house; his generosity shall endure forever.
- 2: He dawns through the darkness, / a light for the upright; he is gracious and merciful and just; Antiphon
- 1: Well for the man who is gracious and lends, who conducts his affairs with justice;
- 2: He shall never be moved;

the just man shall be in everlasting remembrance. Antiphon

1: Lavishly he gives to the poor;

his generosity shall endure forever;

2: The wicked man shall see it and be vexed; the desire of the wicked shall perish. Antiphon

# PSALM OR HYMN

Stand

Select appropriate psalm or hymn.

READING OF THE WORD OF GOD: John 15:9-17

Alternate Readings: Luke 10:25-37: 1 Corinthians 13:1-13

### **HOMILY**

Sit

### RESPONSE TO THE WORD OF GOD

Kneel

- 1: A new commandment I give you,
- 2: That you love one another.
- 1: As I have loved you,
- 2: You also love one another.
- 1: By this will all men know that you are my disciples,
- 2: If you have love for one another. (Jn 13:34-35)
- 1: My neighbor is a man
- 2: like myself.
- 1: His blessings
- 2: can also be mine.

#### SERVICE FOR CHILDREN

- 1: He is created to God's likeness
- 2: as I am
- 1: He is a member of the Body of Christ
- 2: as I am.
- 1: He is a child of the Church
- 2: as I am.
- 1: He is nourished with the same sacraments
- 2: as I am.
- 1: God asks me to love him
- 2: as myself.
- 1: Jesus considers as done to himself
- 2: what I do to my neighbor.
- 1: He makes my neighbor
- 2: his representative.
- 1: I cannot be his disciple,
- 2: if I do not love my neighbor.
- 1: I am not Christian
- 2: when I do not help my neighbor.
- 1: If I despise my neighbor,
- 2: God will despise me.
- 1: If I hate my neighbor
- 2: God will hate me.
- 1: If I afflict my neighbor
- 2: God will afflict me.
- 1: If I pardon my neighbor,
- 2: God will pardon me.
- 1: If I support my neighbor,
- 2: God will support me.
- 1: If I excuse my neighbor,
- 2: God will excuse me.
- 1: What I do for my neighbor,
- 2: God will do for me.
- 1: God will judge me
- 2: according to the way I have loved my neighbor.
- 1: Lord,
- 2: Let me love my neighbor as I love myself. (+)

Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament follows during which the Benediction prayer from Section One of this service (Obedience) may be recited.

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## 3 TRUTHFULNESS

ENTRANCE PSALM OR HYMN Select appropriate psalm or hymn.

READING OF THE WORD OF GOD: Sirach 28:12-26

Stand

Sit

# HOMILY

# RESPONSE TO THE WORD OF GOD (Ps 139:2-9, 12)

Kneel

For recitation directions see those given in Section One of this service (Obedience).

Antiphon: A man of wicked tongue shall not abide in the land; evil shall abruptly entrap the violent man.

- 1: Deliver me. O Lord, / from evil men;
- 2: Preserve me from violent men,
- 1: From those who devise evil in their hearts.
- 2: And stir up wars every day. Antiphon
- 1: They make their tongues sharp as those of serpents.
- 2: Save me, O Lord, / from the hands of the wicked; preserve me from violent men.
- 1: I say to the Lord, / you are my God; listen, O Lord, / to my voice in supplication.
- 2: O God, my Lord, my strength and my salvation, you are my helmet in the day of battle. *Antiphon*
- 1: Grant not, O Lord, / the desires of the wicked; further not their plans.
- 2: A man of wicked tongue shall not abide in the land; evil shall abruptly entrap the violent man.

### PSALM OR HYMN

Select appropriate psalm or hymn.

Stand

READING OF THE WORD OF GOD: Acts 5:1-11

Alternate Readings: James 3:2-12

Sit

### **HOMILY**

RESPONSE TO THE WORD OF GOD ( Ps 33:1-12)

1: I will bless the Lord at all times; his praise shall be ever in my mouth.

2: Let my soul glory in the Lord; the lowly will hear me and be glad.

Kneel

#### CHRISTIAN WAKE

- 1: Glorify the Lord with me, let us together extol his name.
- 2: I sought the Lord, and he answered me and delivered me from all my fears.
- 1: Look to him that you may be radiant with joy, and your faces may not blush with shame.
- 2: When the afflicted man called out, the Lord heard, and from all his distress he saved him.
- 1: The angel of the Lord encamps
  around those who fear him and delivers them.
- 2: Taste and see how good the Lord is; happy the man who takes refuge in him.
- 1: Fear the Lord, you his holy ones,
  For nought is lacking to those who fear him.
- 2: The great grow poor and hungry; but those who seek the Lord want for no good thing.
- 1: Come, children, hear me;
  I will teach you the fear of the Lord.

Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament follows during which the Benediction prayer from Section One of this service (Obedience) may be recited.

# BIBLE SERVICE FOR A CHRISTIAN WAKE

PRAYER

Kneel

Leader: O God, whose nature is always to have mercy and to spare, we humbly beseech you on behalf of the soul (s) of your servant (s) N., whom you have bidden (this day) to depart out of this world, that you would not deliver him (her, them) into the hands of the enemy, nor forget him (her, them) forever, but command him (her, them) to be received by the holy angels, and taken to Paradise, his (her, their) home, that as he (she, they) had put his (her, their) faith and hope in you, he (she, they) may not undergo the pains of hell, but possess everlasting joys. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who being God, lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, for ever and ever. Amen.

### **PSALM 129**

Stand

All: Out of the depths I cry to you, O Lord; / Lord, hear my

Let your ears be attentive to my voice in supplication:

If you, O Lord, mark iniquities, / Lord, who can stand? But with you is forgiveness, / that you may be revered.

I trust in the Lord; / my soul trusts in his word.

My soul waits for the Lord / more than sentinels wait for

More than sentinels wait for the dawn, / let Israel wait for the Lord.

for with the Lord is kindness / and with him is plenteous redemption:

And he will redeem Israel from all their iniquities.

READING OF THE WORD OF GOD: 2 Machabees 12:43-46

Alternate Readings: Isaias 2:2-4; Ezechiel 37:1-14;

Zacharias 14:8-9: Apocalypse 14:13; Wisdom 2:23

Sit

THE KYRIE

Stand

L.: Lord, have mercy.

All: Lord, have mercy.

L.: Christ, have mercy.

All: Christ, have mercy.

L.: Lord, have mercy.

All: Lord, have mercy.

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L.: Lord, have mercy.

L.: Lord, have mercy.

### HOMILY OPTIONAL

Sit

READING OF THE WORD OF GOD: I Corinthians 15:51-57

Alternate Readings: Acts 10:37-43; 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18;

Colossians 3:1-4; Ecclesiastes 12:1-7; Apocalypse 21:1-8



Alternate Readings for the Death of ■ Child: (Stand)

Matthew 10:18-26; Matthew 19:13-15; Mark 10:13-16;

Luke 7:11-17: John 4:46-53

#### PSALM 22

Stand

All: The Lord is my shepherd; / I shall not want.

In verdant pastures he gives me repose;

Beside restful waters he leads me; / he refreshes my soul.

He guides me in right paths for his name's sake.

#### CHRISTIAN WAKE

Even though I walk in the dark valley / I fear no evil; for you are at my side / with your rod and your staff that give me courage.

You spread the table before me in the sight of my foes; you anoint my head with oil, / my cup overflows.

Only goodness and kindness follow me all the days of my life;

and I shall dwell in the house of the Lord for years to come.

## HOMILY OPTIONAL

Sit

READING OF THE WORD OF GOD: John 11:21-27

Alternate Readings: John 5:25-29: 6:37-40: 6:51-55: 20:1-9

Stand

PRAYER

Kneel

L.: Let us pray.

All: Absolve,/we beseech you, O Lord,/ the soul (s) of your servant (s), N.,/ from every bond of sin/ that he (she, they) may be raised up in the glory of the resurrection,/ and live among your saints and elect./ Through Christ our Lord.

L.: Eternal rest grant to him (her, them), O Lord.
All: And let perpetual light shine upon him (her, them).

L.: May he (she, they) rest in peace.

All: Amen.

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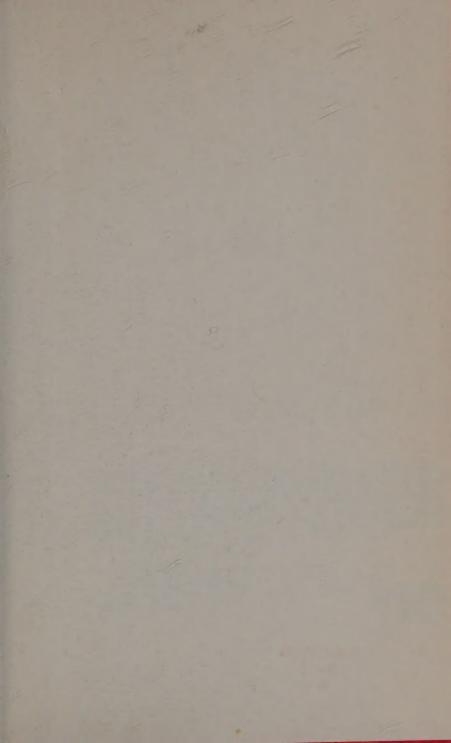
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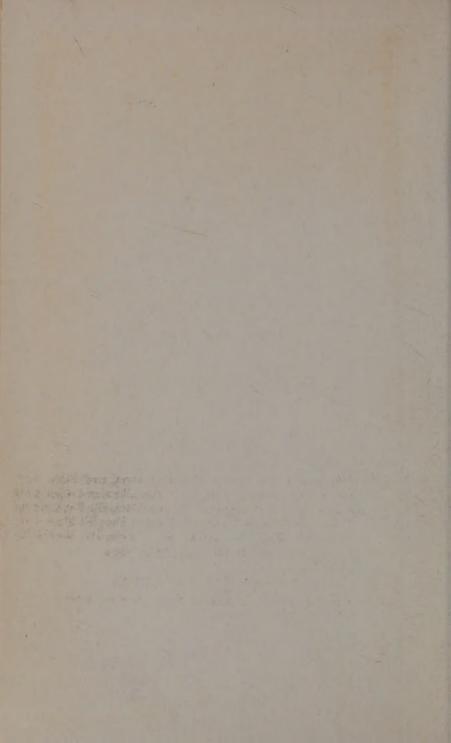
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