

Christ the King Procession



Christ conquers! Christ rules! Christ commands!

Recessional Hymn

To Jesus Christ, Our Sovereign King (St. Michael Hymnal, no. 800)

To Jesus Christ, our Sov'reign King,
Who is the world's salvation,
All praise and homage do we bring,
And thanks and adoration.

Thy reign extend, O King benign,
To ev'ry land and nation, For in Thy
kingdom, Lord divine,
Alone we find salvation.

Refrain:

Christ Jesus Victor, Christ Jesus
Ruler! Christ Jesus, Lord and
Redeemer!

To Thee and to Thy Church, great
King, We pledge our hearts' oblation,
Until before Thy throne we sing,
In endless jubilation.

Adoremus in aeternum (St. Michael Hymnal, no. 407)

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D- o-ré-mus in ae-térnum sanctíssimum Sacramén-
tum. *Ps.* Laudá-te Dómi-num omnes gentes : * laudá-te e- um
omnes pó-pu-li. Quó-ni- am confirmá-ta est su-per nos mi-
se-ri-córdi- a e-jus : * et vé-ri-tas Dómi-ni ma-net in ae-tér-
num. Ado-ré-mus. Gló-ri- a Patri, et Fí-li- o, * et Spi-rí-
tu- i Sancto. Sic-ut e-rat in princí-pi- o, et nunc, et sem-
per : * et in saécu-la saecu-ló-rum. Amen. Ado-ré-mus.

We will adore for eternity the most holy Sacrament. Ps. Praise the Lord, all ye nations: praise Him all ye peoples. Because his mercy is confirmed upon us: and the truth of the Lord remains forever. Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost: As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

Reading – Revelation 5:11-14 (RSV)

Then I looked, and I heard around the throne and living creatures and the elders the voice of many angels, numbering myriads or myriads and thousands of thousands, saying with a loud voice, “Worthy is the Lamb who was slain, to receive power and wealth and wisdom and might and honor and glory and blessing!” And I heard every creature in heaven and on earth and under the earth and in the sea, and all therein, saying, “To him who sits upon the throne and to the Lamb be blessing and honor and glory and might for ever and ever!” And the four living creatures said, “Amen!” and the elders fell down and worshiped.

Prayer: O Jesus Christ, we acknowledge Thee as universal King. All that has been made, has been created for Thee. Exercise all Thy rights over us. We renew our baptismal vows, renouncing Satan, his pomps and his works; and we promise to live as good Christians. In particular do we pledge ourselves to labor, to the best of our ability, for the triumph of the rights of God and Thy Church. Divine Heart of Jesus, to Thee do we proffer our poor services, laboring that all hearts may acknowledge Thy Sacred Kingship, and that thus the reign of Thy peace be established throughout the whole universe. Amen.

Prayer Source: *My Catholic Faith: A Manual of Religion* by Most Rev. Louis Laravoire Morrow, S.T.D., My Mission House, 1965

Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven (St. Michael Hymnal, no. 716)

Praise, my soul, the King of Heaven;
To His feet thy tribute bring.
Ransomed, healed, restored, forgiven,
Evermore His praises sing:
Alleluia! Alleluia!
Praise the everlasting King.

Praise Him for His grace and favor
To our fathers in distress.
Praise Him still the same as ever,
Slow to chide, and swift to bless.
Alleluia! Alleluia!
Glorious in His faithfulness.

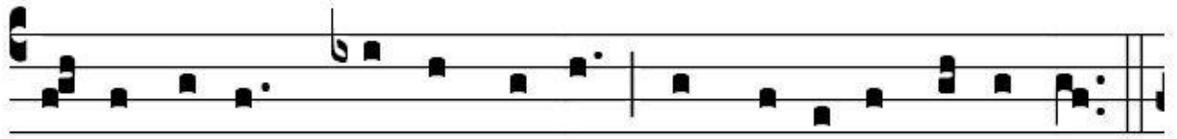
Fatherlike He tends and spares us;
Well our feeble frame He knows.
In His hands He gently bears us,
Rescues us from all our foes.
Alleluia! Alleluia!
Widely yet His mercy flows.

Frail as summer's flower we flourish,
Blows the wind and it is gone;
But while mortals rise and perish
Our God lives unchanging on,
Praise Him, Praise Him, Hallelujah
Praise the High Eternal One!

Angels, help us to adore Him;
Ye behold Him face to face;
Sun and moon, bow down before Him,
Dwellers all in time and space.
Alleluia! Alleluia!
Praise with us the God of grace.

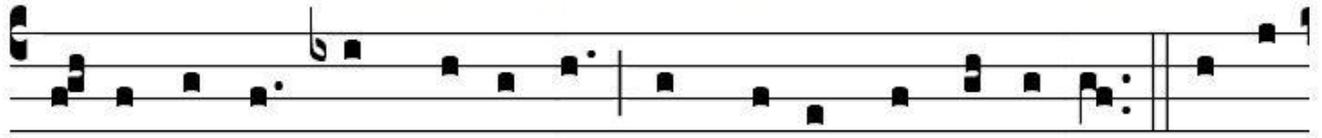
Ave Verum Corpus

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- ve ve-rum Corpus na-tum de Ma-rí- a Vírgi-ne:



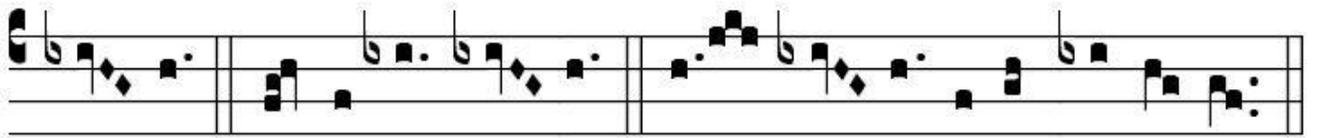
Ve-re passum, immo-lá-tum in cruce pro hómi-ne: Cu-jus



la-tus perfo-rá- tum flu-xit aqua et sán-gui-ne: Esto



no-bis prægustá- tum mortis in ex-ámi-ne. O Je- su



dul- cis! O Je- su pi- e! O Je- su fi-li Ma-rí- æ.

Hail, true Body, born of the Virgin Mary: truly having suffered, immolated on the cross for man: from whose pierced side flowed water and blood, be unto us a foretaste [of glory] in the trial of death. O sweet Jesus, O loving Jesus, O Jesus, Son of Mary.

Reading – Psalm 2:8-12 (RSV)

Ask of me, and I will make the nations your heritage, and the ends of the earth your possession. You shall break them with a rod of iron, and dash them in pieces like a potter's vessel." Now therefore, O kings, be wise; be warned, O rulers of the earth. Serve the Lord with fear, with trembling rejoice, lest he be angry, and you perish in the way; for his wrath is quickly kindled. Blessed are all who take refuge in him.

Prayer: We pray Thee, O Almighty and Eternal God, who through Jesus Christ hast revealed Thy glory to all nations, to preserve the works of Thy mercy; that Thy Church, being spread through the whole world, may continue, with unchanging faith, in the confession of Thy name. We pray Thee, who alone art good and holy, to endow with heavenly knowledge, sincere zeal, and sanctity of life our all bishops, priests, and deacons. We recommend likewise to Thy unbounded mercy all our brethren and fellow-citizens, throughout the United States, that they may be blessed in the knowledge, and sanctified in the observance of most holy law; that they may be preserved in union, and in that peace which the world cannot give; and, after enjoying the blessings of this life, be admitted to those which are eternal. Finally, we pray Thee, O Lord of mercy, to remember the souls of Thy servants departed who are gone before us with the sign of faith, and repose in the sleep of peace. To these, O Lord, and to all that rest in Christ, grant, we beseech Thee, a place of refreshment, light, and everlasting peace, through the same Jesus Christ, our Lord and Savior. Amen.

Prayer Source: *Selections taken from a prayer composed by Archbishop Carroll in 1800.*

Christus Vincit, Christus Regnat, Christus Imperat

(St. Michael Hymnal, no. 479)

Christus vincit, Christus regnat, Christus, Christus, imperat.

Christ conquers, Christ rules, Christ commands

- The Lord said to my Lord: * Sit Thou at my right hand. Until I make Thy enemies * Thy footstool.
- The Lord will send forth the scepter of Thy power out of Sion * rule Thou in the midst of Thy enemies. With Thee is the principality in the day of Thy strength: in the brightness of the saints; * from the womb before the day star I begot Thee.
- The Lord hath sworn, and he will not repent: Thou are a priest for ever according to the order of Melchisedech. The Lord at Thy right hand * hath broken kings in the day of his wrath.
- He shall judge among nations, He shall fill ruins: He shall crush the heads in the land of many. He shall drink of the torrent in the way: * therefore shall He lift up the head.
- Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, * and to the Holy Ghost.
As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end.
Amen.

Sedebit Dominus Rex (Communion Antiphon for Christ the King)

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The image shows a musical score for a communion antiphon. It consists of two staves of music. The first staff begins with a treble clef, a key signature of one flat (B-flat), and a common time signature (C). The melody is written on a five-line staff. Below the first staff, the Latin text 'Edé-bit * Dómi-nus Rex in ae- tér- num : Dómi-nus' is written. The second staff continues the melody, ending with a double bar line. Below the second staff, the Latin text 'be-ne-dí- cet pópu-lo su- o in pa- ce.' is written. The text is in a Gothic-style font.

S Edé-bit * Dómi-nus Rex in ae- tér- num : Dómi-nus

be-ne-dí- cet pópu-lo su- o in pa- ce.

Translation: The Lord will sit on his royal throne for ever; the Lord will bless his people in peace.

Reading – Psalm 29 [28]:10 (RSV)

The Lord sits enthroned over the flood; the Lord sits enthroned as king for ever. May the Lord give strength to his people! May the Lord bless his people with peace!

Prayer: Most sweet Jesus, Redeemer of the human race, look down upon us humbly prostrate before you. We are yours, and yours we wish to be; but to be more surely united with you, behold each one of us freely consecrates himself today to your Most Sacred Heart. Many indeed have never known you; many, too, despising your precepts, have rejected you. Have mercy on them all, most merciful Jesus, and draw them to your Sacred Heart. Be King, O Lord, not only of the faithful who have never forsaken you, but also of the prodigal children who have abandoned you; grant that they may quickly return to their Father's house, lest they die of wretchedness and hunger. Be King of those who are deceived by erroneous opinions, or whom discord keeps aloof, and call them back to the harbor of truth and the unity of faith, so that soon there may be but one flock and one Shepherd. Grant, O Lord, to your Church assurance of freedom and immunity from harm; give tranquility of order to all nations; make the earth resound from pole to pole with one cry: Praise to the divine Heart that wrought our salvation; to it be glory and honor for ever. Amen.

Prayer Source: *Enchiridion of Indulgences* , June 29, 1968

Pange Lingua (St. Michael Hymnal no. 706)

Tantum Ergo and Benediction (St. Michael Hymnal no. 865)

