



ST. THOMAS MORE CHORAL SERIES

If I, Your Lord and Master

for Assembly, SATB Choir, Descant, Solo Instrument and Clarinet in B \flat

Based on John 13:4–6, 8, 13–15

Stephen Dean

INTRO ($\text{♩} = \text{ca. } 54$)

B \flat Eb B \flat /D Cm F

Keyboard

ALTERNATIVE INTRO ($\text{♩} = \text{ca. } 54$)

B \flat Eb B \flat /D Cm F

(Use when no solo instruments are available)

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Descant (last time only)

If I, your Lord and Mas - ter, have washed your

Soprano
If I, your Lord and Mas - ter, have washed your

Alto

Tenor

Bass

B \flat B \flat maj7/D E \flat add9 Cm Dm B \flat maj7 Cm Gm/B \flat

feet, you must do the same for one an - oth - er. *Fine*

div. feet, you must do the same for one an - oth - er. *Fine*

A \flat 7 F7 B \flat Dm7 Gm Cm7 Fsus4 F *Fine*

VERSES

1. The Lord — Je - sus, when he had eat - en with his dis - ci - ples, —
 2. But Si - mon Pe - ter asked why the Lord had — stooped to wash him, —
 3. “You call me Mas - ter, but here you see me — as your ser - vant. —

B \flat F/A Gm7 Ebmaj7 B \flat /D Cm B \flat /D Gm

1. — took wa - ter in a ba - sin and knelt down to wash their
 2. — and Je - sus an - swered, “Pe - ter, if I do not wash your
 3. — If I whom you call Mas - ter have done such a thing for

D7/F \sharp Gm/B \flat C7 Dm A \flat 7/C Gm C6

1. feet, say - ing: “This ex - am - ple I leave you.”
 2. feet for you, “ you have no part with me.”
 3. you, you must now do the same for each oth - er.”

Am7 B \flat /D Gm/B \flat F/A Gm Cm add9 F F7

D.S.

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(Guitar/Vocal)

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Capo 3: (G) (C) (G/B) (Am) (D)
B \flat E \flat B \flat /D Cm F

(Keyboard)

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(G) (Gmaj7/B) (Cadd9) (Am) (Bm) (Gmaj7) (Am) (Em/G)
B \flat B \flat maj7/D E \flat add9 Cm Dm B \flat maj7 Cm Gm/B \flat

If I, your Lord _____ and Mas - ter, have washed your

(F \sharp 7) (D7) (G) (Bm7) (Em) (Am7) (Dsus4) (D)
A \flat 7 F7 B \flat Dm7 Gm Cm7 Fsus4 F

feet, _____ you must do the same for one an - oth - er. *Fine*

VERSES

(G) (D/F \sharp) (Em7) (Cmaj7) (G/B) (Am) (G/B) (Em)
B \flat F/A Gm7 E \flat maj7 B \flat /D Cm B \flat /D Gm

1. The Lord _____ Je - sus, when he had eat - en with his dis - ci - ples, _____
2. But Si - mon Pe - ter asked why the Lord had _____ stooped to wash him, _____
3. "You call me Mas - ter, but here you see me _____ as your ser - vant. _____

(B7/D \sharp) (Em/G) (A7) (Bm) (F \sharp 7/A) (Em) (A6)
D7/F \sharp Gm/B \flat C7 Dm A \flat 7/C Gm C6

1. _____ took wa - ter in a ba - sin and knelt down to wash their
2. _____ and Je - sus an - swered, "Pe - ter, if I do not wash your
3. _____ If I whom you call Mas - ter have done such a thing for

(F \sharp m7) (G/B) (Em/G) (D/F \sharp) (Em) (Amadd9) (D) (D7)
Am7 B \flat /D Gm/B \flat F/A Gm Cmadd9 F F7

1. feet, say - ing: & "This ex - am - ple I leave you."
2. feet for you, & you have no part with me."
3. you, you must now do the same for each oth - er."

D.S.

Composer Notes

This is one of the antiphons for the *Mandatum*, the ceremony that gives the name to Maundy Thursday, as it is called in Britain and Ireland. The tempo chosen depends on how the verses will sound; the second half of the verse must not be rushed. The words must be heard and understood, at a time when people's attention may be occupied by watching the ritual. Sing with the desire to communicate and use *rubato*. The accompanist should follow.

—*Stephen Dean*

Preview

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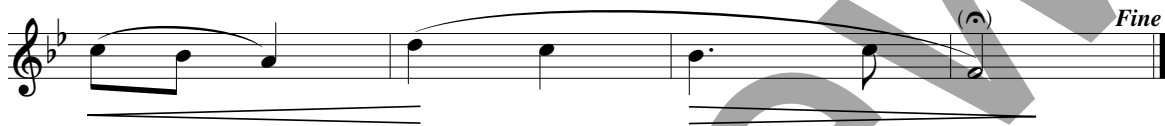
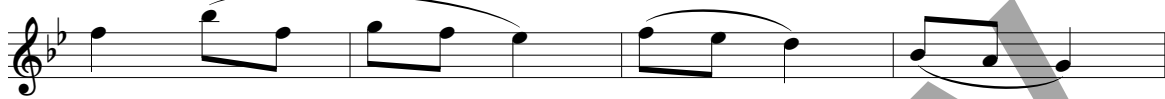
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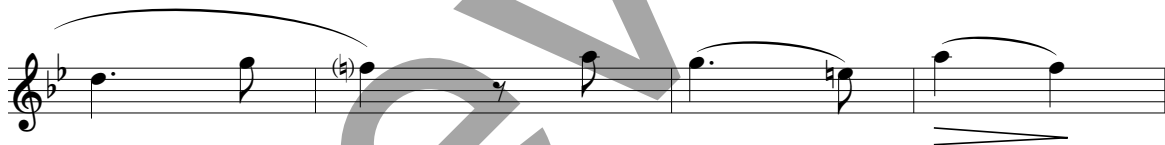
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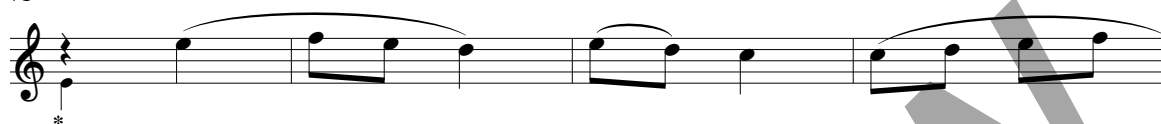
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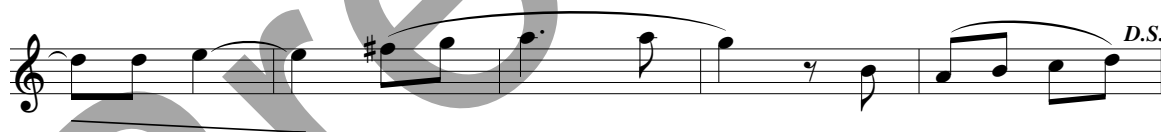
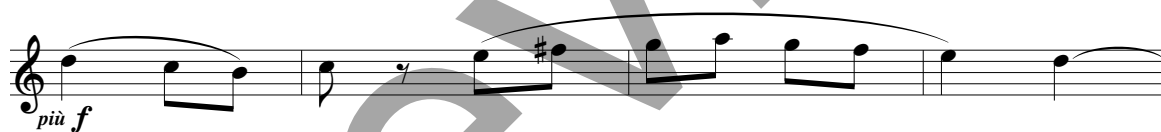
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Assembly Edition

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Refrain



If I, your Lord and Mas - ter, have washed your feet, you must do the same for one an - oth - er.

Verses



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2. But Si - mon Pe - ter asked why the
3. "You call me Mas - ter, but here you



1. eat - en with his dis - ci - ples, took
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3. see me — as your ser - vant. If



1. wa - ter in a ba - sin and knelt down to wash their
2. Je - sus an - swered, "Pe - ter, if I do not wash your
3. I whom you call Mas - ter have done such a thing for

to Refrain



1. feet, say - ing: "This ex - am - ple I leave you."
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