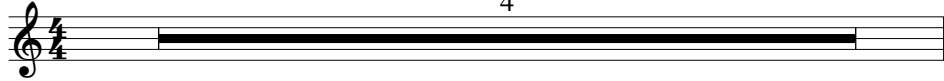


# THE SOLEMN INTERCESSIONS

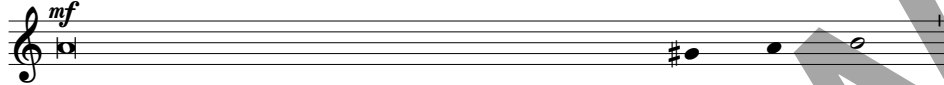
(Good Friday)

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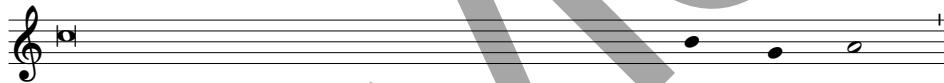
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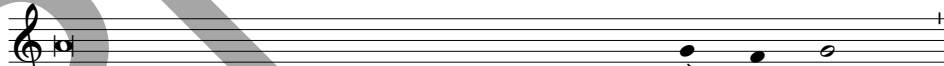
*Intercessions: Deacon or other suitable minister*



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| <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Let us pray, dearly beloved, for the holy</li> <li>2. Let us pray also for our most Holy</li> <li>3. Let us pray also for our</li> <li>4. Let us pray also for (our)</li> <li>5. Let us pray also for all our brothers and sisters who</li> <li>6. Let us pray also for the</li> <li>7. Let us pray also for those who do not</li> <li>8. Let us pray also for those who do not</li> <li>9. Let us pray also for those in</li> <li>10. Let us pray, dearly beloved, to God the</li> </ol> | <table border="0" style="width: 100%;"> <tr> <td style="text-align: right;">Church</td> <td style="text-align: center;">of</td> <td style="text-align: left;">God,</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: right;">Fath - er</td> <td style="text-align: center;">Pope</td> <td style="text-align: left;">N.,</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: right;">Bish - op</td> <td style="text-align: center;">N.,</td> <td style="text-align: left;"></td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: right;">cat - e</td> <td style="text-align: center;">chumens,</td> <td style="text-align: left;"></td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: right;">be - lieve</td> <td style="text-align: center;">in</td> <td style="text-align: left;">Christ,</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: right;">Jew - ish</td> <td style="text-align: center;">people,</td> <td style="text-align: left;"></td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: right;">be - lieve</td> <td style="text-align: center;">in</td> <td style="text-align: left;">Christ,</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: right;">ac - knowl - edge</td> <td style="text-align: center;">God,</td> <td style="text-align: left;"></td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: right;">pub - lic</td> <td style="text-align: center;">office,</td> <td style="text-align: left;"></td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: right;">Fath - er</td> <td style="text-align: center;">al -</td> <td style="text-align: left;">mighty,</td> </tr> </table> | Church  | of | God, | Fath - er | Pope | N., | Bish - op | N., |  | cat - e | chumens, |  | be - lieve | in | Christ, | Jew - ish | people, |  | be - lieve | in | Christ, | ac - knowl - edge | God, |  | pub - lic | office, |  | Fath - er | al - | mighty, |
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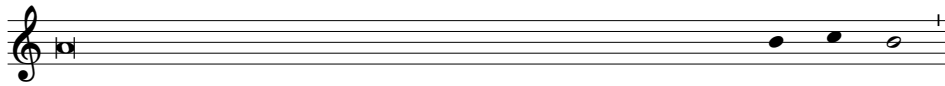
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| <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. that our God and Lord be pleased to</li> <li>2. that our</li> <li>3. for all Bishops, Priests, and Deacons</li> <li>4. that our God and Lord may open wide the ears of their</li> <li>5. that our God and Lord</li> <li>6. to whom the Lord our</li> <li>7. that, enlightened by the</li> <li>8. that, following what is right with</li> <li>9. that our</li> <li>10. that he may cleanse the world</li> </ol> | <table border="0" style="width: 100%;"> <tr> <td style="text-align: right;">give</td> <td style="text-align: center;">her</td> <td style="text-align: left;">peace,</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: right;">God</td> <td style="text-align: center;">and</td> <td style="text-align: left;">Lord,</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: right;">of</td> <td style="text-align: center;">the</td> <td style="text-align: left;">Church</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: right;">in -</td> <td style="text-align: center;">most</td> <td style="text-align: left;">hearts</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: right;">may</td> <td style="text-align: center;">be</td> <td style="text-align: left;">pleased,</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: right;">God</td> <td style="text-align: center;">spoke</td> <td style="text-align: left;">first,</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: right;">Ho - ly</td> <td style="text-align: center;">Spirit,</td> <td style="text-align: left;"></td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: right;">sinceri - ty</td> <td style="text-align: center;">of</td> <td style="text-align: left;">heart,</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: right;">God</td> <td style="text-align: center;">and</td> <td style="text-align: left;">Lord</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: right;">of</td> <td style="text-align: center;">all</td> <td style="text-align: left;">errors,</td> </tr> </table> | give     | her | peace, | God | and | Lord, | of | the | Church | in - | most | hearts | may | be | pleased, | God | spoke | first, | Ho - ly | Spirit, |  | sinceri - ty | of | heart, | God | and | Lord | of | all | errors, |
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| God  | and  | Lord,    |     |        |     |     |       |    |     |        |      |      |        |     |    |          |     |       |        |         |         |  |              |    |        |     |     |      |    |     |         |
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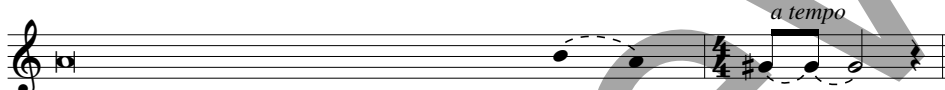
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| <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. to guard her and to unite her throughout the</li> <li>2. who chose him for the</li> <li>3. (-----)</li> <li>4. and unlock the gates</li> <li>5. (-----)</li> <li>6. (-----)</li> <li>7. (-----)</li> <li>8. (-----)</li> <li>9. (-----)</li> <li>10. banish disease, drive out hunger, unlock prisons,</li> </ol> | <table border="0" style="width: 100%;"> <tr> <td style="text-align: right;">whole</td> <td style="text-align: center;">_____</td> <td style="text-align: left;">world</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: right;">Or - der</td> <td style="text-align: center;">of</td> <td style="text-align: left;">Bishops,</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: right;">of</td> <td style="text-align: center;">his</td> <td style="text-align: left;">mercy,</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: right;">loos - en</td> <td style="text-align: center;">fetters,</td> <td style="text-align: left;"></td> </tr> </table> | whole    | _____ | world | Or - der | of | Bishops, | of | his | mercy, | loos - en | fetters, |  |
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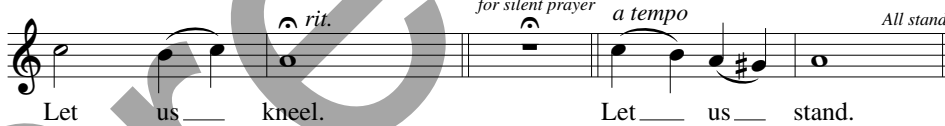


1. and grant that, leading our life in tranquili-ty and quiet,
2. may keep him safe and unharmed for the Lord's ho - ly Church,
3. (-----)
4. that, having received forgiveness of all their sins through the waters of re - birth,
5. as they live the truth,
6. that he may grant them to advance in love of his name
7. (-----)
8. (-----)
9. may direct their minds and hearts according to his will
10. granting to travelers safety, to pil-grims re - turn,

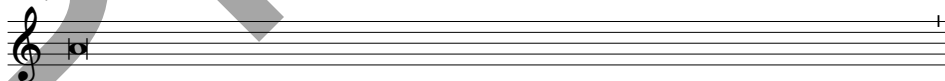


1. we may glorify God the Father al - might - y.
2. to govern the holy Peo - ple of God.
3. and for the whole of the faith - ful peo-ple.
4. they, too, may be one with Christ Je - sus our Lord.
5. to gather them together and keep them in his one Church.
6. and in faithfulness to his cov - e - nant.
7. they, too, may enter on the way of sal - va - tion.
8. they may find the way to God him - self.
9. for the true peace and free - dom of all.
10. health to the sick, and salvation to the dy - ing.

*Invitations: Deacon*

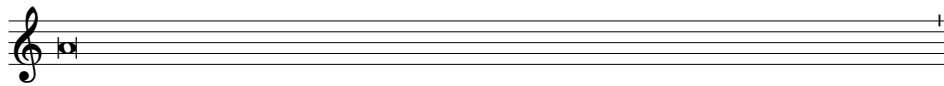


*Prayer: Priest*

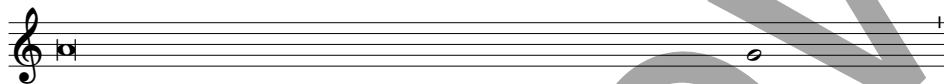


1-10. Almighty ever-living God,

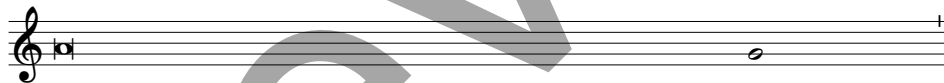
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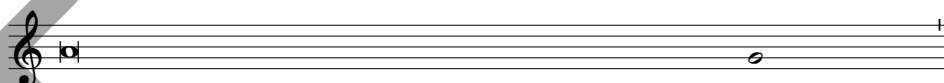
1. who in Christ revealed your glory to all the nations,
2. by whose decree all things are founded,
3. by whose Spirit the whole body of the Church
4. who make your Church ever fruitful with new offspring,
5. who gather what is scattered
6. who bestowed your promises on Abraham and his descendants,
7. grant to those who do not confess Christ
8. who created all people to seek you always by desiring you
9. in whose hand lies every human heart and the rights of peoples,
10. comfort of mourners, strength of all who toil,



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| 1. watch over the works of your                                  | mercy,          |
| 2. look with favor on our  | prayers         |
| 3. is sanctified and   | governed,       |
| 4. increase the faith and understanding of (our)                 | cate - chumens, |
| 5. and keep together what you have                               | gathered,       |
| 6. graciously hear the prayers of your                           | Church,         |
| 7. that, by walking before you with a sincere                    | heart,          |
| 8. and, by finding you, come to                                  | rest,           |
| 9. look with favor, we   | pray,           |
| 10. may the prayers of those who cry out in any tribulation come | be - fore you,  |

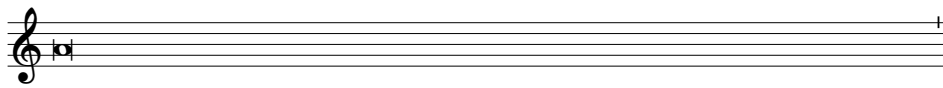


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| 1. (-----)  |           |
| 2. and in your kindness protect the Pope chosen for | us,       |
| 3. (-----)  |           |
| 4. (-----)  |           |
| 5. look kindly on the flock of your                 | Son,      |
| 6. (-----)  |           |
| 7. they may find the                                | truth,    |
| 8. grant, we pray, that, despite every harmful      | obstacle, |
| 9. on those who govern with authority over          | us,       |
| 10. (-----)   |           |

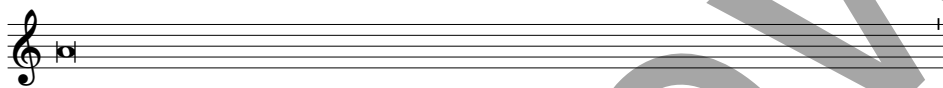


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| 2. (-----)                                      |        |
| 3. (-----)                                      |        |
| 4. (-----)                                      |        |
| 5. (-----)                                      |        |
| 6. (-----)                                      |        |
| 7. (-----)                                      |        |
| 8. all may recognize the signs of your fatherly | love   |
| 9. that throughout the whole                    | world, |
| 10. (-----)                                     |        |

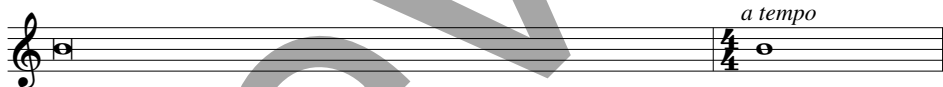
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1. that your Church,
2. that, under him, the Christian people,
3. hear our humble prayer for your ministers,
4. that, reborn in the
5. that those whom one Baptism has consecrated
6. that the people you first
7. and that we ourselves, being constant in mutual love
8. and the witness of the good works done by those who believe in you,
9. the prosperity of peoples,
10. that all may rejoice,



1. spread throughout all the world,
2. governed by you their maker,
3. that, by the gift of your grace,
4. font of Baptism,
5. may be joined together by integrity of faith
6. made your own
7. and striving to understand more fully the mystery of your life,
8. and so in gladness confess you,
9. the assurance of peace, and freedom of religion
10. because in their hour of need



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|---|----------------|
| 1. may persevere with steadfast faith in confessing your  | name.          |
| 2. may grow in merit by reason of their                   | faith.         |
| 3. all may serve you                                      | faithful - ly. |
| 4. they may be added to the number of your adopted        | children.      |
| 5. and united in the bond of                              | chari - ty.    |
| 6. may attain the fullness of                             | re - demption. |
| 7. may be made more perfect witnesses to your love in the | world.         |
| 8. the one true God and Father of our human               | race.          |
| 9. may through your gift be made                          | se - cure.     |
| 10. your mercy was at                                     | hand.          |

*Priest*                      *Soprano/All*                      *rit. last time*                      *D.S./Fine*

Through Christ our Lord.                      A - men.                      A - men.

*Tenor*                      *Bass*                      *rit. last time*

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