

THE SOLEMN INTERCESSIONS

(Good Friday)

INTRO *Tenderly* (♩ = ca. 65)

Am Am/G Fmaj7 Am/E Dm Am/E E Am

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(Kbd)

INTERCESSIONS: Deacon or other suitable minister

Am E/G#

1. Let us pray, dearly beloved, for the holy Church of God,
2. Let us pray also for our most Holy Fath - er Pope N.,
3. Let us pray also for our Bish - op N.,
4. Let us pray also for (our) cat - e - chumens,
5. Let us pray also for all our brothers and sisters who be - lieve in Christ,
6. Let us pray also for the Jew - ish people,
7. Let us pray also for those who do not be - lieve in Christ,
8. Let us pray also for those who do not ac - knowl - edge God,
9. Let us pray also for those in pub - lic office,
10. Let us pray, dearly beloved, to God the Fath - er al - mighty,

Am G/B D

1. that our God and Lord be pleased to give her peace,
2. that our God and Lord,
3. for all Bishops, Priests, and Deacons of the Church
4. that our God and Lord may open wide the ears of their in - most hearts
5. that our God and Lord may be pleased,
6. to whom the Lord our God spoke first,
7. that, enlightened by the Ho - ly Spirit,
8. that, following what is right with sinceri - ty of heart,
9. that our God and Lord
10. that he may cleanse the world of all errors,

Dm C/E

1. to guard her and to unite her throughout the whole world
2. who chose him for the Or - der of Bishops,
3. (-----)
4. and unlock the gates of his mercy,
5. (-----)
6. (-----)
7. (-----)
8. (-----)
9. (-----)
10. banish disease, drive out hunger, unlock prisons, loos - en fetters,

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F E

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| 1. | and grant that, leading our life in | tranqui - 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, |

Am E

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| 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

Am Am/G Fmaj7 rit. *All kneel for silent prayer* Dm a tempo Am/E E Am *All stand*

Let us kneel. Let us stand.

PRAYER: Priest

Am Am/G

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

F C/E

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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, |

Dm C/E F C/E

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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, | all may recognize the signs of your fatherly love |
| 9. on those who govern with authority over | us, | that throughout the whole world, |
| 10. (-----) | | (-----) |

Dm Am/C

<p>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,</p>	<p>spread throughout all the world, governed by you their maker, that, by the gift of your grace, font of Baptism, may be joined together by integrity of faith made your own and striving to understand more fully the mystery of your life, and so in gladness confess you, the assurance of peace, and freedom of religion because in their hour of need</p>
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G/B E *a tempo*

<p>1. may persevere with steadfast faith in confessing your 2. may grow in merit by reason of their 3. all may serve you 4. they may be added to the number of your adopted 5. and united in the bond of 6. may attain the fullness of 7. may be made more perfect witnesses to your love in the 8. the one true God and Father of our human 9. may through your gift be made 10. your mercy was at</p>	<p>name. faith. faithful - ly. children. chari - ty. re - demption. world. race. se - cure. hand.</p>
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Am Am/G Fmaj7 Am/E Dm Am/E E Am *D.S./Fine*

Priest **All** *rit. last time*

Through Christ our Lord. _____ A - men.