

KYRIE LITANY

S *OSTINATO REFRAIN *Lamenting* (♩ = ca. 60)

Cm Abmaj7 Cm/Bb Bbadd9 Eb Eb/Ab Eb/Bb Bbsus4 Bb

1. *Ký - ri - e,* *e - lé - i - son.* *Ký - ri - e,* *e - lé - i - son.*
 2. *Chri - ste,* *e - lé - i - son.* *Chri - ste,* *e - lé - i - son.*
 3. *Ký - ri - e,* *e - lé - i - son.* *Ký - ri - e,* *e - lé - i - son.*

Fm Csus4 Cm/Bb Ab Bbadd9 Cm Abmaj7 Cm/G Gsus4/B (Fine)

1. *Ký - ri - e,* *e - lé - i - son.* *Ký - ri - e,* *e - lé - i - son.*
 2. *Chri - ste,* *e - lé - i - son.* *Chri - ste,* *e - lé - i - son.*
 3. *Ký - ri - e,* *e - lé - i - son.* *Ký - ri - e,* *e - lé - i - son.*

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*Assembly and choir begin with “Kyrie, eleison,” until the cantor strongly intones “Christe”; then all sing “Christe, eleison” until the cantor strongly intones “Kyrie.”

Note: During the verses, the Refrain may also be played or sung by choir using the text or on a neutral syllable.

VERSES 1-3: Cantor

Cm Abmaj7 Cm/Bb Bbadd9 Eb Eb/Ab Eb/Bb Bbsus4 Bb

1. Lord, Lov-ing Rul-er un-be - got - ten, True Es - sence of

Cm Abmaj7 Cm/Bb Bbadd9 Eb Eb/Ab Eb/Bb Bbsus4 Bb

2. Lord, _____ Fount of light and Cre - a - tor of

Cm Abmaj7 Cm/Bb Bbadd9 Eb Eb/Ab Eb/Bb Bbsus4 Bb

3. Lord, who has signed us in your

Fm Csus4 Cm/Bb Ab Bbadd9 Cm Abmaj7 Cm/G Gsus4/B *D.S./ to next Verse*

1. God, have mer - cy on us.

Fm Csus4 Cm/Bb Ab Bbadd9 Cm Abmaj7 Cm/G Gsus4/B *D.S./ to next Verse*

2. all things, have mer - cy on us.

Fm Csus4 Cm/Bb Ab Bbadd9 Cm Abmaj7 Cm/G Gsus4/B *D.S./ to next Verse*

3. im - age, have mer - cy on us. *Chri - ste!*

D.S./ to next Verse

VERSES 4-6: Cantor

Cm Abmaj7 Cm/Bb Bbadd9 Eb Eb/Ab Eb/Bb Bbsus4 Bb

4. Christ, True God and True

Cm Abmaj7 Cm/Bb Bbadd9 Eb Eb/Ab Eb/Bb Bbsus4 Bb

5. Christ, Rising Sun, through whom are all

Cm Abmaj7 Cm/Bb Bbadd9 Eb Eb/Ab Eb/Bb Bbsus4 Bb

6. Christ, Perfection of

Fm Csus4 Cm/Bb Ab Bbadd9 Cm Abmaj7 Cm/G Gsus4/B *D.S./ to next Verse*

4. Human, have mercy on us.

Fm Csus4 Cm/Bb Ab Bbadd9 Cm Abmaj7 Cm/G Gsus4/B *D.S./ to next Verse*

5. things, have mercy on us.

Fm Csus4 Cm/Bb Ab Bbadd9 Cm Abmaj7 Cm/G Gsus4/B *D.S./ to next Verse*

6. Wisdom, have mercy on us.

Ky-ri-e!

D.S./ to next Verse

VERSES 7-9: Cantor

Cm Abmaj7 Cm/Bb Bbadd9 Eb Eb/Ab Eb/Bb Bbsus4 Bb

7. Lord, _____ en - er - giz - ing Spir - it and pow - er of

Cm Abmaj7 Cm/Bb Bbadd9 Eb Eb/Ab Eb/Bb Bbsus4 Bb

8. Lord, _____ Breath of the Cre - a - tor, in whom are all

Cm Abmaj7 Cm/Bb Bbadd9 Eb Eb/Ab Eb/Bb Bbsus4 Bb

9. O ___ Lord, O Lord, O Con - sol - er of the

Fm Csus4 Cm/Bb Ab Bbadd9 Cm Abmaj7 Cm/G Gsus4/B *D.S./ to next Verse*

7. life, have mer - cy on us.

Fm Csus4 Cm/Bb Ab Bbadd9 Cm Abmaj7 Cm/G Gsus4/B *D.S./ to next Verse*

8. things, have mer - cy on us.

Fm Csus4 Cm/Bb Ab Bbadd9 Cm Abmaj7 Cm/G Gsus4/B *D.S./ Fine*

9. sor-row-ing soul, have mer - cy on us.

D.S./ Fine