

Music Recommendations

Christmas Midnight

Monday, 25 December 2017

The following reading references, psalm responses, antiphons and music recommendations are provided to assist music coordinators in preparing for their particular parish community Mass.

Readings

1st Reading

Is 9:1-7

A son is given to us.

Responsorial Psalm

Ps 95 (96):1-3. 11-13 R. Lk 2:11

Today is born our Saviour, Christ the Lord.

2nd Reading

Ti 2:11-14

God's grace has been revealed to all people.

Gospel Acclamation

Lk 2:10-11

Alleluia, alleluia!

Good News and great joy to all the world:
today is born our Saviour, Christ the Lord.

Alleluia!

Gospel

Lk 2:1-14

Today a saviour has been born for you.

Antiphons

Entrance Antiphon

Ps 2:7

The Lord said to me: You are my Son.
It is I who have begotten you this day.

or

Let us all rejoice in the Lord, for our Saviour has
been born in the world.

Today true peace has come down to us from
heaven.

Offertory Antiphon (Graduale Romanum)

Ps 95 (96):11

Let the heavens rejoice and let the earth be glad
before the face of the Lord he cometh.

Communion Antiphon

Jn 1:14

The Word became flesh, and we have seen his
glory.

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 Sprinkling Rite
 Glory to God
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 Holy Holy Holy
 Memorial Acclamation
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 Our Father
 Lamb of God
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Song

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A light will shine on us this day

CWB-614

All the ends of the earth (Dufford)

L AOV1-076 GA-420

X

All the ends of the earth (Fisher)

L AOVNG-5

X

All the Ends of the Earth (Sing to the Lord)

L AOV2-143 GA-57

X

Alleluia (Glendalough Mass)

L GLEN-3

Alleluia (Mass of Glory and Praise)

L CWBII-25c MGP-3

Amen (Chant)

P CWBII-13 CHANT-7

Amen (Glendalough Mass)

L GLEN-8

Angels we have heard on high

P CWBII-255 AOV2-140 CWB-622 GA-286 NLP-20

X

Angels, from the realms of glory

C L TiS 309 TS 631

Away in a manger

P CWBII-256 GA-289 NLP-28 TiS-318 TS-36

Baby lying in a manger

CWBII-257 AOVK-63

Behold, a rose e'er blooming

P CWBII-258

Behold, a rose is growing

TiS-294

Bread of life, hope of the world

L CWBII-459 AOV1-164 GA-199

Carol at the manger

L CWBII-259 RS-516

Child of mercy

L GA-292

Emmanuel (Together in this place of worship)

C AOVNG-40

X

Glad music fills the Christmas sky

L CWBII-260 HTC-82

X

Gloria (Mass VIII - de Angelis)

P CWBII-41 CHANT-2 GM-103

Glory to God (Glendalough Mass)

L GLEN-2

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Glory to God (Mass XV - Chant)	P	CWBII-5 CHANT-3				X											
Good Christians all, rejoice	C L	CWBII-261 CWB-697	X													X	X
Hark! the herald angels sing	P	CWBII-262 AOV1-171 CWB-704 GA-294 NLP-85 TiS-303														X	X
Holy, Holy, Holy (Glendalough Mass)	L	GLEN-4								X							
Holy, Holy, Holy (Mass XVIII - Chant)	P	CWBII-11 CHANT-7							X								
In deepest night	L	CWBII-264 JS-351							X								
Infant holy, Infant lowly	P	CWBII-263 TiS-292							X								
Joy to the world	P	CWBII-265 AOV1-170 CWB-728 GA-295 NLP-125 TiS-268														X	X
Kyrie (Glendalough Mass)	L	GLEN-1		X													
Kyrie (Mass XVI - Chant)	P	CWBII-4b CHANT-1		X													
Lamb of God (Glendalough Mass)	L	GLEN-10												X			
Lamb of God (Mass XVIII - Chant)	P	CWBII-17 CHANT-8												X			
Let heaven rejoice	L	AOV1-124														X	X
Lord, have mercy (Chant)	P	CWBII-4a CHANT-1		X													
Mary's Child (Born In The night)	L	AOV2-101 TiS-323							X								
O come, all ye faithful (Adeste Fideles)	P	CWBII-267 AOV1-167 CWB-760 GA-287 NLP-170 TiS-304	X														
O little town of Bethlehem	P	CWBII-266 CWB-772 GA-296 NLP-185 TiS-316 TS-393	X						X								
Of the Father's love begotten	C L	CWBII-268 CWB-779 NLP-197 TiS-290	X						X								
Open the heavens, Lord	L	CWBII-243 AOV2-163														X	X
Our Father / The Lord's Prayer (Chant)	P	CWBII-14a GA-7 CHANT-8											X				
Psalm 96: Today a saviour is born (J.O'Brien)	R	PSY-C-16					X										

Song

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Resource List	Abbreviation	Title	Publisher	Composers	Website
	AHB	Australian Hymn Book	Collins	Various	Out of print
	AOV1	As One Voice vol. 1	Willow Publishing	Various	www.asonevoice.com.au
	AOV2	As One Voice vol. 2	Willow Publishing	Various	www.asonevoice.com.au
	AOVNG	As One Voice Next Generation	Willow Publishing	Various	www.asonevoice.com.au
	CHANT	Chant Mass	Catholic Truth Society	Gregorian Chant, arr. Geoffrey Cox	www.paulinebooks.com.au
	CWB	Catholic Worship Book	Collins / E.J.Dwyer	Various	Out of print
	CWBII	Catholic Worship Book II	Morning Star Publishing	Various	www.morningstarpublishing.net.au
	GA	Gather Australia	NLMC Publications / GIA	Various	Out of print
	GLEN	Glendalough Mass	GIA	Liam Lawton	www.paulinebooks.com.au
	LP-A, LP-B, LP-C, LP-SFO	Lyric Psalter - Revised Grail	GIA	Tony Alonso and Marty Haugen	www.paulinebooks.com.au
	LPGG	Lectionary Psalms: Revised Grail	GIA	Joseph Gelineau sj, Michel Guimont	www.paulinebooks.com.au
	MCH	Mass of Christ the Redeemer	OCP	Bernard Kirkpatrick	www.paulinebooks.com.au
	MGP	Mass of Glory and Praise	Liturgical Song	Paul Mason	www.liturgicalsong.com
	MiM	Missa Magis	OCP	Christopher Willcock sj	www.paulinebooks.com.au
	MOLHC	Mass of Our Lady, Help of Christians	Cantica Nova	Richard Connolly	www.paulinebooks.com.au
	MSF	Mass of St Francis	Archdiocese of Melbourne	Paul Taylor	www.paulinebooks.com.au
	MSH	Mass Shalom	Liturgical Song / Willow Publishing	Colin D. Smith cfc and Paul Mason	www.liturgicalsong.com
	NLP	New Living Parish Hymnal	E.J. Dwyer	Various	Out of print
	PAT	Psalms for All Time	Liturgical Song	Paul Mason	www.liturgicalsong.com
	PAT-octavo	Psalms for All Time Octavos	Liturgical Song	Paul Mason	www.liturgicalsong.com
	PET	Psalms for Easter Triduum & Major Feasts	Jenny O'Brien	Jenny O'Brien	jobrien@ow.adelaide.catholic.org.au
	PFS	Psalms for Feasts and Seasons	OCP	Christopher Willcock	www.paulinebooks.com.au
	PSY-A, PSY-B, PSY-C	Psalms for Sundays of the Year - A, B, C	Jenny O'Brien	Jenny O'Brien	jobrien@ow.adelaide.catholic.org.au
	RPY-A, RPY-B, RPY-C	Responsorial Psalms for the Year - A, B, C	Willow Publishing	Colin D. Smith cfc	www.asonevoice.com.au
	TiS	Together in Song	Harper Collins Religious	Various	www.togetherinsong.org
	TS	The Source	Kevin Mayhew	Various	www.koorong.com.au