

Music Recommendations
Third Sunday of Advent - Year C
Sunday 15 December 2024

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

Zep 3:14-18

With gladness the Lord will rejoice over you.

Responsorial Psalm (PAT3-Is12a)

Is 12:2-6 R. v.6

Cry out with joy and gladness: for among you is the great and Holy One of Israel.

2nd Reading

Phil 4:4-7

The Lord is near.

Gospel Acclamation (GA-3)

Is 61:1 (cf. Lk 4:18)

Alleluia, alleluia!

The Spirit of the Lord is upon me;
he sent me to bring Good News to the poor.
Alleluia!

Gospel

Lk 3:10-18

What, then, must we do?

Antiphons

Entrance Antiphon

Phil 4:4-5

Rejoice in the Lord always; again I say, rejoice. Indeed, the Lord is near.

Offertory Antiphon (Graduale Romanum)

Ps 84 (85):2

O Lord, you have blessed your land,
you have put an end to Jacob's captivity;
you have forgiven the guilt of your people.

Communion Antiphon

Cf. Is 35:4

Say to the faint of heart: Be strong and do not fear.
Behold, our God will come, and he will save us.

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Song	Relevance	©	Resource Reference	Entrance	Penitential Act	Sprinkling Rite	Glory to God	Responsorial Psalm	Gospel Acclamation	Offertory	Holy Holy Holy	Memorial Acclamation	Amen	Our Father	Lamb of God	Communion	Song of Praise	Sending Forth	
Advent litany (Word of justice)	L		CWBII-253 GA-279	X						X									
Advent song (Gather in hope)	L		GA-281	X															
Alleluia (Glendalough Mass)	L		GLEN-3					X											
* Alleluia (Mass of Glory and Praise)	A	L	CWBII-25c MGP-3 MPS-7 GOS-1					X											
* Alleluia (Mass of the Saints)	A	L	MPS-38 GOS-3					X											
* Alleluia (Mass Shalom)	A	L	CWBII-27d AOV1-195 MSH-4 MPS-26 GOS-2					X											
Alleluia (Mode II)	L		GOS-4					X											
Amen (Chant)	P		CWBII-13 CHANT-7										X						
Amen (Glendalough Mass)	L		GLEN-8										X						
Amen (Mass of Our Lady Help of Christians)			CWBII-23e MOLHC-5										X						
Amen (Mass of St Francis)	L		CWBII-22g MSF-7										X						
Amen (Mass of the Saints)	L		MPS-43										X						
Amen (Mass Shalom)	L		CWBII-27j AOV1-195 MSH-9 MPS-32										X						
Blessed be the Lord, the God of Israel (Benedictus)			NLP-34															X	
Bread of life, hope of the world	L		CWBII-459 AOV1-164 GA-199															X	
Canticle of Zechariah (Blessed be the God of Israel)			CWB-637															X	
Christ, be our light (Longing for light)	G	L	CWBII-540 AOV2-3 GA-404 TS-1409	X													X		X
Come to set us free	L		CWBII-233 AOV1-39 GA-277							X									
Come, Lord Jesus, come	G	C	L	CWBII-234	X					X									
Come, O Jesus, come, O Lord	L		CWB-658 NLP-46	X					X										
Come, O long expected Jesus	C	L	CWBII-232 CWB-657	X															

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Comfort, comfort, O my people

1 R G L CWBII-238 RS-488

Communion Psalm 85: Lord, let us see your kindness (P.Mason)

L PAT-85a

Emmanuel

L S SS-140

God of Abraham

L AOV1-137 GA-306

Hail to the Lord's anointed

1 G C L CWBII-277 TiS-275

Hark, a herald voice is sounding

C L CWBII-239 TiS-264

Hark, a thrilling voice is sounding

G C NLP-84 TiS-264

Holy, Holy, Holy (Glendalough Mass)

L GLEN-4

Holy, Holy, Holy (Mass of Our Lady Help of Christians)

CWBII-23c MOLHC-3

Holy, Holy, Holy (Mass of St Francis)

L CWBII-22c MSF-3

Holy, Holy, Holy (Mass of the Saints)

L MPS-39

Holy, Holy, Holy (Mass Shalom)

L CWBII-27f AOV1-195 MSH-6 MPS-28

Holy, Holy, Holy (Mass XVIII - Chant)

P CWBII-11 CHANT-7

In the Lord I'll be ever thankful (Taize)

2 L CWBII-522 AOV2-109 GA-429

* Isaiah 12: Cry Out with Joy and Gladness (P.Mason)

R L PAT3-Is12a

Kyrie (Glendalough Mass)

L GLEN-1

Kyrie (Mass of Our Lady Help of Christians)

CWBII-23a MOLHC-1

Kyrie (Mass of St Francis)

L CWBII-22a MSF-1

Kyrie (Mass XVI - Chant)

P CWBII-4b CHANT-1

Lamb of God (Mass of Our Lady Help of Christians)

CWBII-23f MOLHC-6

Lamb of God (Glendalough Mass)

L GLEN-10

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Lamb of God (Mass of St Francis)

L CWBII-22h MSF-8

Lamb of God (Mass of the Saints)

L MPS-44

Lamb of God (Mass Shalom)

L CWBII-27k AOV1-195 MSH-10 MPS-33

Lamb of God (Mass XVIII - Chant)

P CWBII-17 CHANT-8

Let heaven rejoice

L AOV1-124

Lift up your heads, you mighty gates

R C L TiS-267

Like a shepherd

L CWBII-538 AOV1-160 GA-467

Lord, have mercy (Chant)

P CWBII-4a CHANT-1

Lord, have mercy (Mass of St Francis)

L CWBII-22a MSF-1

Lord, have mercy (Mass of the Saints)

L MPS-35

Lord, have mercy (Mass Shalom)

L CWBII-27a AOV1-195 MSH-1 MPS-23

My Soul in Stillness Waits (For you, O Lord)

L CWBII-237 GA-280

Now in this banquet

L GA-197

O come divine Messiah

1 2 C L RS-479 CBWIII-310

O come, O come, Emmanuel

C L CWBII-242 AOV1-174 CWB-763 GA-285 NLP-171 TiS-265

O Emmanuel

L CWBII-241

On Jordan's bank the baptist's cry

G C L CWBII-244 CWB-780 NLP-198 TiS-270

One bread, one body

L CWBII-579 AOV1-129 GA-193

Our Father / The Lord's Prayer (Chant)

P CWBII-14a GA-7 CHANT-8

Penitential Act (Mass Shalom)

L CWBII-27b AOV1-195 MSH-2 MPS-24

Prepare the Way (There was a man of God)

G L CWBII-250 CWB-794 GA-284

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Prepare the way, O Zion C L CWBII-245	X						X								
* Psalm Is12: Cry out with joy (J.Gelineau/R.Batastini) R L LPG					X										
Psalm Is12: Cry out with joy (J.O'Brien) R PSY-C-10					X										
* Psalm Is12: Cry out with joy (K.Boschetti) R CWB-180					X										
* Psalm Is12: Cry out with joy (P.Mason) R L PAT3-Is12a					X										
Rejoice, rejoice! (Awake, awake!) 1 2 C L CWB-798															X
Rejoice, the Lord is King 1 2 L C CWBII-377 CWB-799 TiS-216	X													X	X
Sanctus (Mass VIII - de Angelis) P CWBII-70a CHANT-7 GM-105							X								
Save us, Saviour (Mass of the Saints) L MPS-42								X							
Save us, Saviour of the world (Chant) P CWBII-12c CHANT-7								X							
Save us, Saviour of the world (Glendalough Mass) L GLEN-7								X							
Save us, Saviour of the world (Mass of St Francis) L CWBII-22f MSF-6								X							
Save us, Saviour of the world (Mass Shalom) L CWBII-27i AOV1-195 MSH-9 MPS-31								X							
Seasonal Psalm 25: To you, O Lord (C.Willcock) L CWBII-632 GA-26 PFS-2					X										
Seasonal Psalm 25: To you, O Lord (P.Mason) L PAT1-22					X										
Seasonal Psalm 25: To you, O Lord (R.Heagney) R L PCY-25					X										
Seasonal Psalm 85: Lord let us see your kindness (C.Willcock) L PFS-4					X										
Seasonal Psalm 85: Lord let us see your kindness (N.Ancell) CWB-176					X										
Seasonal Psalm 85: Lord let us see your kindness (P.Mason) L PAT1-85a					X										
Seasonal Psalm 85: Lord let us see your kindness (R.Heagney) R L PCY-85					X										
Seasonal Psalm 85: Lord show us your mercy (P.Mason) L PAT1-85					X										

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Seasonal Psalm 145: I will praise your name (C.Willcock)

L CWB-337/441 GA-82 PFS-58

Seasonal Psalm 145: I will praise your name for ever (P.Mason)

L PAT-145

Sing out, earth and skies

L CWBII-235 AOV2-032

The Spirit of God

L CWBII-388 CWB-832 GA-185

* The voice of God

1 G L C CWBII-621 CWB-835 GA-476

Wait for the Lord (Taize)

2 L CWBII-251 GA-283

Wake, awake, for night is flying

L CWB-853 NLP-268 TiS-266

Wake, O wake! The night is dying

L CWBII-252

We are called

L HSS2-2 Liturgical Song download

We proclaim your Death (Mass of Our Lady Help of Christians)

CWBII-23d MOLHC-4

We proclaim your Death (Chant)

P CWBII-12a CHANT-7

We proclaim your Death (Glendalough Mass)

L GLEN-5

We proclaim your Death (Mass of St Francis)

L CWBII-22d MSF-4

We proclaim your Death (Mass of the Saints)

L MPS-40

We proclaim your Death (Mass Shalom)

L CWBII-27g AOV1-195 MSH-7 MPS-29

What does the Lord require

L TiS-618

* When the King shall come again

C L CWBII-249

When we eat this Bread (Mass of Our Lady Help of Christians)

MOLHC-5

When we eat this Bread (Chant)

P CWBII-12b CHANT-7

When we eat this bread (Glendalough Mass)

L GLEN-6

When we eat this Bread (Mass of St Francis)

L CWBII-22e MSF-5

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When we eat this Bread (Mass of the Saints)

L MPS-41

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When we eat this Bread (Mass Shalom)

L CWBII-27h AOV1-195 MSH-8 MPS-30

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Resource List

Abbrev.	Title	Publisher	Composer (s)	Availability
AHB	Australian Hymn Book	Collins	Various	Out Of Print
AOV1	As One Voice vol. 1	Willow Publishing	Various	asonevoice.com.au
AOV2	As One Voice vol. 2	Willow Publishing	Various	asonevoice.com.au
AOVNG	As One Voice Next Generation	Willow Publishing	Various	asonevoice.com.au
CHANT	Missa Cantata	CTS	arr. G Cox	ctsbooks.org
CWB	Catholic Worship Book	Collins / E.J.Dwyer	Various	Out Of Print
CWBII	Catholic Worship Book II	Morning Star	Various	morningstarpublishing.net.au
GA	Gather Australia	NLMC Publications	Various	Out Of Print
GLEN	Glendalough Mass	GIA	Liam Lawton	giamusic.com
GOS	Gospel Acclamations	Liturgical Song	Various	liturgicalsong.com
HSS	Hymns & Spiritual Songs	Liturgical Song	Various	liturgicalsong.com
LITMUS	Various Compilations	Litmus Productions	Michael Mangan	litmusproductions.com
LP	Lyric Psalter	GIA	Alonso, Haugen	giamusic.com
LPGG	Psalms: Revised Grail / Gelieau	GIA	J Gelineau sj	giamusic.com
MCH	Mass of Christ the Redeemer	OCP	B Kirkpatrick	ocp.org
MCY	Masses for the Church's Year	Liturgical Song	Roger Heagney	liturgicalsong.com
MGP	Mass of Glory and Praise	Liturgical Song	Paul Mason	liturgicalsong.com
MiM	Missa Magis	OCP	C Willcock sj	ocp.org
MOLHC	Mass, Our Lady Help of Christians	Cantica Nova	R Connolly	asonevoice.com.au
MPS	Masses for Parish & School	Liturgical Song	Mason & Smith	liturgicalsong.com
MSF	Mass of St Francis	Willow Publishing	Paul Taylor	asonevoice.com.au
MSH	Mass Shalom	Liturgical Song	Smith & Mason	liturgicalsong.com
NLP	New Living Parish Hymnal	E.J. Dwyer	Various	Out Of Print
PAT	Psalms for All Time	Liturgical Song	Paul Mason	liturgicalsong.com
PCY	Psalms for the Church's Year	Liturgical Song	Roger Heagney	liturgicalsong.com
PFS	Psalms for Feasts and Seasons	OCP	C Willcock sj	Out Of Print
PSY	Psalms for Sundays of the Year	Jenny O'Brien	Jenny O'Brien	Out Of Print
RPY	Responsorial Psalms for the Year	Willow Publishing	Colin Smith cfc	asonevoice.com.au
SSP	Simply Singable Psalms	Liturgical Song	Anne Millard	liturgicalsong.com
SS	Spirit & Song	OCP	Various	ocp.org
TiS	Together in Song	Harper Collins	Various	Out Of Print
TS	The Source Volume 1	Kevin Mayhew	Various	amazon.com.au