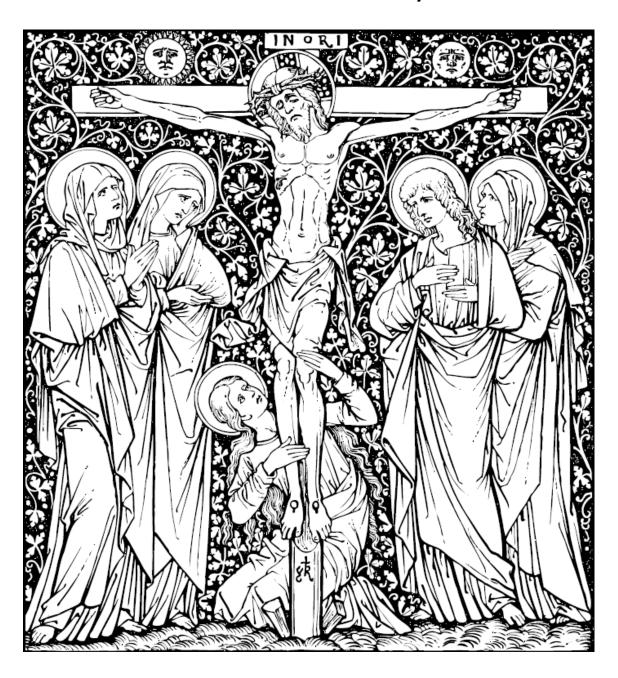
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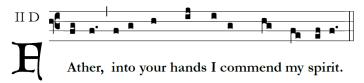
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GOOD FRIDAY OF OUR LORD'S PASSION

Responsorial Psalm

A. Esguerra (Modern, America)



Gradual: Christus Factus Est

Christus factus est pro nobis obediens usque ad mortem, mortem autem crucis. Propter quod et Deus exaltavit illum et dedit illi nomen, quod est super omne nomen.

F. Anerio (1560-1614, Italy)

Christ became obedient for us unto death, even to the death, death on the cross.

Therefore God exalted Him and gave Him a name which is above all names.

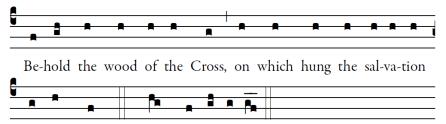
The Solemn Intercessions

Roman Missal

Sung by a cantor, Deacon, and the Bishop, these intercessions include time for silent prayer as the congregation kneels.

The Showing of the Holy Cross

Roman Missal



of the world. R. Come, let us a-dore.



At the Adoration of the Holy Cross: The Reproaches

J. Sanders (1933-2003, England)

O my people, what have I done to you? How have I offended you? Answer me! I led you out of Egypt, from slavery to freedom, but you led your Saviour to the cross. O my people, what have I done to you? How have I offended you? Answer me! Holy is God! Holy and strong! Holy immortal One, have mercy on us. For forty years I led you safely through the desert.

I fed you with manna from heaven, and brought you to a land of plenty; but you led your Saviour to the cross.

Holy is God! Holy and strong! Holy immortal One, have mercy on us.

What more could I have done for you? I planted you as my fairest vine, but you yielded only bitterness: when I was thirsty you gave me vinegar to drink, and you pierced your Saviour's side with a lance.

Holy is God! Holy and strong! Holy immortal One, have mercy on us. I opened the sea before you, but you opened my side with a spear.

I led you on your way in a pillar of cloud, but you led me to Pilate's court.

O my people, what have I done to you? How have I offended you? Answer me!

I bore you up with manna in the desert, but you struck me down and scourged me.

I gave you saving water from the rock, but you gave me gall and vinegar to drink.

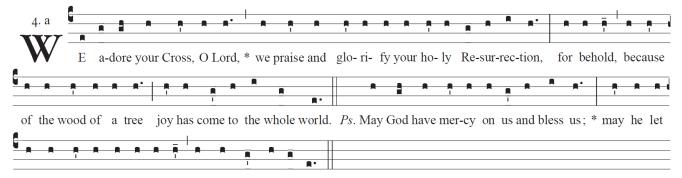
O my people, what have I done to you? How have I offended you? Answer me! I gave you a royal sceptre, but you gave me a crown of thorns.

I raised you to the height of majesty, but you have raised me high on a cross.

O my people, what have I done to you? How have I offended you? Answer me!

Chant: Crucem Tuam

Fr. S. Weber, OSB (Modern, America)



his face shed its light up-on us and have mer- cy on us.

Motet: Vexilla Regis

Vexilla regis prodeunt Fulget crucis mysterium Quo carne carnis conditor Suspensus est patibulo.

O crux ave spes unica Hoc passionis tempore Auge piis justitiam Reisque dona veniam.

Te summa Deus Trinitas Collaudet omnis spiritus Quos per crucis mysterium Salvas rege per saecula. Amen.

A. Bruckner (1824-1896, Austria)

Forth the Banners fly
The mystery of the Cross shines
Which the creator and Savior
Was hanged to die.

Hail, O Cross, our one hope In this Passion time Increase godly justice And gifts of forgiveness.

God most high Trinity
May every soul gathered
See the mystery of the cross
Where you ever reign.
Amen.





Motet: Stabat Mater

Stabat Mater dolorosa Iuxta crucem lacrimosa Dum pendebat Filius.

Cuius animam gementem Contristatam et dolentem Pertransivit gladius.

J.G. de Padilla (1590-1664, Mexico)

At the cross her station keeping, stood the mournful mother weeping, close to Jesus to the last.

Through her soul, of joy bereaved, bowed with anguish, deeply grieved, now at length the sword hath passed.