

Pange Lingua Gloriosi

When the Prayer after Communion has been said, the priest, accompanied by the ministers, carries the Blessed Sacrament through the church in procession, to the place of reposition. The Blessed Sacrament will remain there until the following day.

The last two stanzas of this hymn (starting with “Tantum ergo . . .”) are not sung until the priest arrives at the place of repose and begins to incense the Sanctissimum.

Hymn during the procession:

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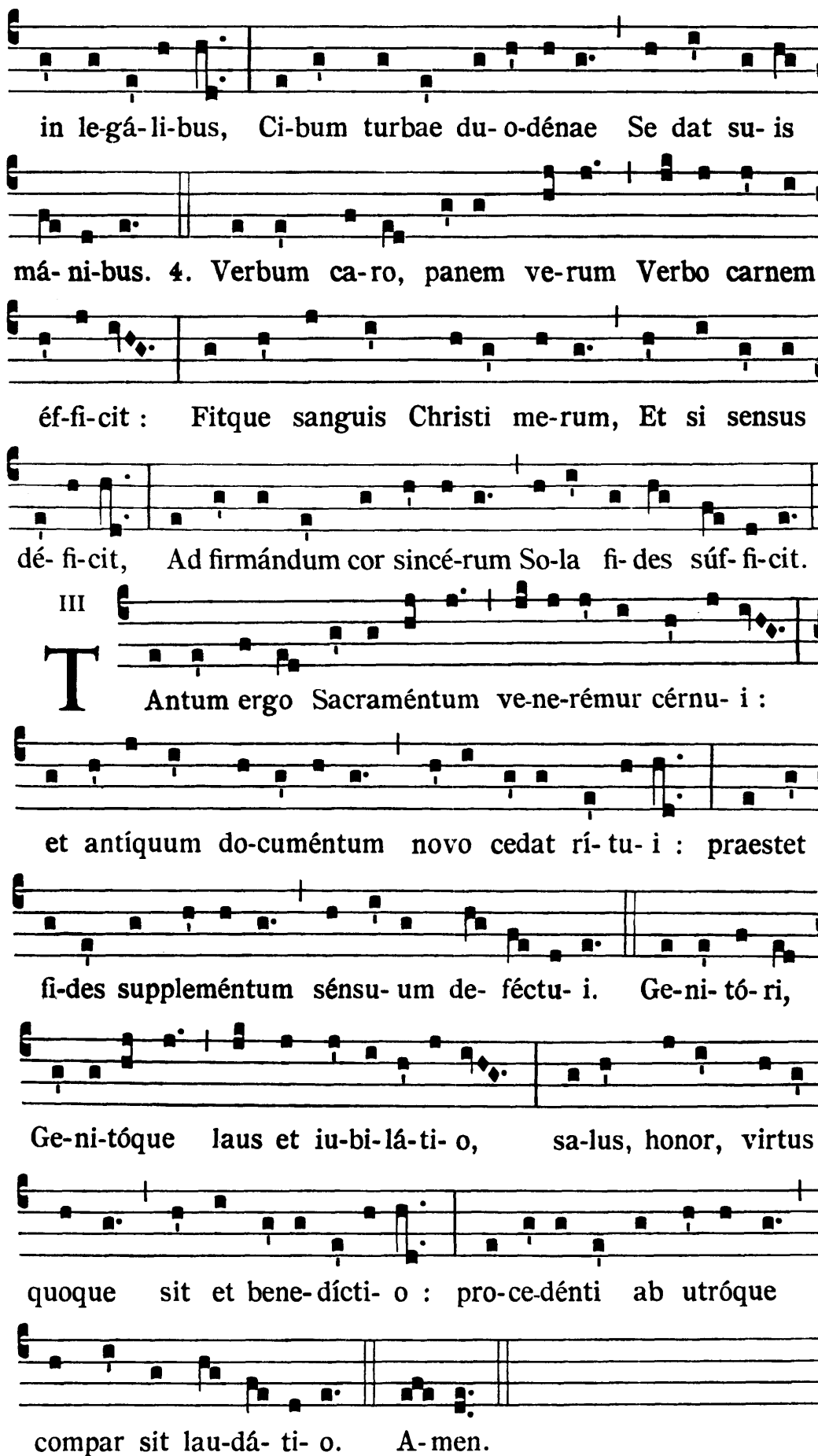


Ange lingua glo-ri- ó-si Córpo-ris mysté-ri- um,
Sangui-nisque pre-ti- ó-si, Quem in mundi pré-ti- um Fructus
ventris gene-ró-si Rex effú-dit gén-ti- um. 2. No-bis da-tus,
no-bis na-tus Ex intácta Vírgi-ne, Et in mundo con-
versá-tus, Sparso verbi sémi-ne, Su- i mo-ras inco-lá-tus
Mi-ro clausit ór-di-ne. 3. In suprémae nocte cenae Re-
cúmbens cum frátri-bus, Observá-ta lege ple-ne Ci-bis

1. Sing, O my tongue,
and praise the mystery
of the glorious body
and the most precious
blood, shed to save the
world by the King of the
nations, the fruit of a
noble womb.

2. Unto us he was
given, he was born
unto us of a Virgin
untainted and pure;
he dwelt among us in
the world, sowing the
seeds of God's word;
and he ended the time
of his stay on earth
in the most wondrous
of fashions.

3. On his last night
at supper, reclining at
table in the midst of his
brethren disciples, He
fully observed the An-
cient Law and partook
of the Passover meal;
and then, with his own
hands, he gave himself
up as food for the group
of the Twelve.



in le-gá-li-bus, Ci-bum turbæ du-o-dénæ Se dat su-is
má-ni-bus. 4. Verbum ca-ro, panem ve-rum Verbo carnem
éf-fi-cit: Fitque sanguis Christi me-rum, Et si sensus
dé-fi-cit, Ad firmándum cor sincé-rum So-la fi-des súf-fi-cit.
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T Antum ergo Sacraméntum ve-ne-rémur cérnu-i:
et antíquum do-cuméntum novo cedat rí-tu-i: præstet
fi-des suppléméntum sénsu-um de-féctu-i. Ge-ni-tó-ri,
Ge-ni-tóque laus et iu-bi-lá-ti-o, sa-lus, honor, virtus
quoque sit et bene-dícti-o: pro-ce-dénti ab utróque
compar sit lau-dá-ti-o. A-men.

4. The Word made flesh, by a simple word, makes of his flesh the true bread; the blood of Christ becomes our drink; and though senses cannot perceive, for confirming pure hearts in true belief, faith alone suffices.

5. In face of so great a mystery, therefore, let us bow down and worship; let precepts of the Ancient Law give way to the new Gospel rite; and let faith assist us and help us make up for what senses fail to perceive.

6. Unto the Father and the Son, our praise and our joyful singing; unto whom saving power, honor and might, and every holy blessing; and to the Spirit who proceeds from both, an equal tribute of glory. Amen.