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MASS PROPER: REQUIEM – ALL THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED

MASS *Réquiem ætérrnam* (black)

INTROIT 4 Esdras 2: 34-35

Réquiem ætérrnam dona eis, Dómine:
et lux perpétua lúceat eis. (Ps. 64: 2,
3) Te decet hymnus, Deus, in Sion, et
tibi reddéatur votum in Jerúsa!em:
exáudi oratióne meam, ad te omnis
caro véniet. Réquiem ætérrnam dona
eis, Dómine; et lux perpétua lúceat
eis.

COLLECT

Fidélium, Deus, ómnium cónditor et
redémptor: animábus famulórum
familiarúmque tuárum remissióne
cunctórum tríbue peccatórum; ut
indulgéntiam, quam semper
optavérunt, piis supplicatióibus
consequántur. Qui vivis et regnas,
cum Deo Patre in unitáte Spíritus
Sancti, Deus, per ómnia sácula
sæculórum.

LESSON Apocalypse 14: 13

In diébus illis: Audívi vocem de cælo,
dicéntem mihi: Scribe: Beáti mórtui,
qui in Dómino moriúntur. Ámodo jam
dicit Spíritus, ut requiéscant a
labóribus suis: ópera enim illórum
sequúntur illos.

GRADUAL 4 Esdras 2: 34-35

Réquiem ætérrnam dona eis, Dómine:
et lux perpétua lúceat eis. (Ps. 111: 7)
In memória ætérrna erit justus: ab
auditióne mala non timébit.

TRACT

Absólve, Dómine, ánimas ómnium
fidélium defunctórum ab omni vínculo
delictórum. Et grátia tua illis
succurénte, mereántur evádere
judícium ultiónis. Et lucis ætérrnæ
beatitúdine pérfrui.

Eternal rest give unto them, O Lord;
and let perpetual light shine upon
them. (Ps. 64: 2, 3) A hymn, O God,
becometh Thee in Sion; and a vow
shall be paid to Thee in Jerusalem: O
Lord, hear my prayer; all flesh shall
come to Thee. Eternal rest give to
them, O Lord; and let perpetual light
shine upon them.

O God, the Creator and Redeemer of
all the faithful: grant unto the souls of
Thy servants and handmaidens the
remission of all their sins: that through
devout supplications, they may obtain
the pardon which they have ever
desired. Who lives and reigns with
God the Father in the unity of the Holy
Spirit, God, forever and ever.

In those days I heard a voice from
heaven, saying to me: Write: blessed
are the dead, who die in the Lord.
From henceforth now, saith the Spirit,
that they may rest from their labors,
for their works follow them.

Eternal rest give unto them, O Lord;
and let perpetual light shine upon
them. (Ps. 111: 7) The just shall be in
everlasting remembrance; he shall not
fear the evil hearing.

Absolve, O Lord, the souls of all the
faithful departed from every bond of
sins. And by the help of Thy grace
may they be enabled to escape the
avenging judgment. And enjoy the
bliss of everlasting light.

SEQUENCE

Dies iræ, dies illa,
Solvet sæclum in favilla:
Teste David cum Sibylla.

Quantus tremor est futurus,
Quando judex est venturus.
Cuncta stricte discussurus!

Tuba, mirum spargens sonum
Per sepulchra regiónum.
Coget omnes ante thronum.

Mors stupébit, et natúra,
Cum resúrget creatúra,
Judicánti responsúra.

Liber scriptus proferétur.
In quo totum continétur,
Unde mundus judicéatur.

Judex ergo cum sedébit,
Quidquid latet apparébit:
Nil inúltum remanébit.

Quid sum miser tunc dicturus?
Quem patrónum rogárus,
Cum vix justus sit secúrus?

Rex treméndæ majestatis,
Qui salvándos salvas gratis,
Salva me, fons pietatis.

Recordáre, Jesu pie,
Quod sum causa tuæ viæ:
Ne me perdas illa die.

Quærens me, sedísti lassus:
Redemísti crucem passus:
Tantus labor non sit cassus.

Juste judex ultiónis,
Donum fac remissiónis
Ante diem ratiónis.

Day of wrath, that day of mourning,
Lo, the world in ashes burning,
Seer and David gave the warning,

O what fear man's bosom rendeth,
When from heaven the Judge
descendeth,
On whose sentence all dependeth.

Wondrous sound the trumpet flingeth,
Through earth's sepulchres it ringeth,
All before the throne it bringeth.

Death is struck, and nature quaking,
All creation is awaking,
To its Judge an answer making.

Lo, the book exactly worded,
Wherein all hath been recorded,
Thence shall judgment be awarded.

When the Judge His seat attaineth,
And each hidden deed arraigneth,
Nothing unavenged remaineth.

What shall I, frail man, be pleading?
Who for me be interceding
When the just are mercy needing?

King of majesty tremendous,
Who dost free salvation send us,
Fount of pity, then befriend us.

Think, kind Jesus, my salvation
Caused Thy wondrous Incarnation.
Leave me not to reprobation.

Faint and weary Thou hast sought me,
On the cross of suffering bought me,
Shall such grace be vainly brought
me?

Righteous Judge of retribution,
Grant Thy gift of absolution,
Ere that reck'ning day's conclusion.

In gemíscō, tamquam reus:
Culpa rubet vultus meus:
Supplicánti parce, Deus.

Qui Maríam absolvísti,
Et latrónem exaudísti,
Mihi quoque spem dedísti.

Preces meæ non sunt dignæ:
Sed tu bonus fac benígne.
Ne perénni cremer igne.

Inter oves locum præsta,
Et ab hædis me sequéstra,
Státuens in parte dextra.

Confutátis maledíctis,
Flammis ácribus addíctis:
Voca me cum benedíctis.

Oro supplex, et acclínis,
Cor contrítum quasi cinis:
Gere curam mei finis.

Lacrymósa dies illa,
Qua resúrget ex favilla,

Judicándus homo reus.
Huic ergo parce, Deus:

Pie Jesu Dómine,
Dona eis réquiem. Amen.

GOSPEL John 6: 51-55

In illo témpore: Dixit Jesus turbis
Judæórum: Ego sum panis vivus, qui
de cælo descéndi. Si quis
manducáverit ex hoc pane, vivet in
ætérnum: et panis, quem ego dabo,
caro mea est pro mundi vita.
Litigábant ergo Judæi ad ívincem,
dicéntes: Quómodo potest hic nobis
carnem suam dare ad
manducándum? Dixit ergo eis Jesus:
Amen, amen, dico vobis: nisi
manducavéritis carnem Fílii hóminis,

Guilty now I pour my moaning,
All my shame with anguish owning,
Spare, O God, Thy suppliant groaning.

Thou the sinful Mary savest,
Thou the dying thief forgavest,
And to me a hope vouchsafest.

Worthless are my prayers and sighing,
Yet, good Lord, in grace complying,
Rescue me from fires undying.

With Thy favored sheep O place me,
Nor among the goats abase me,
But to Thy right hand upraise me.

When the wicked are confounded,
Doomed to flames of woe unbounded,
Call me with Thy Saints surrounded.

Low I kneel with heart's submission,
See, like ashes, my contrition,
Help me in my last condition.

Ah! That day of tears and mourning,
From the dust of earth returning,

Man for judgment must prepare him,
Spare, O God, in mercy spare him.

Lord, all pitying, Jesu blest,
Grant them Thine eternal rest. Amen.

At that time, Jesus said to the
multitudes of the Jews, I am the living
bread, which came down from
heaven. If any man eat of this bread
he shall live forever: and the bread
that I will give is My flesh for the life of
the world. The Jews therefore strove
among themselves, saying, How can
this man give us His flesh to eat?
Then Jesus said to them, Amen,
amen, I say unto you, except you eat
the flesh of the Son of man, and drink

et bibéritis ejus sanguinem, non habébitis vitam in vobis. Qui mandúcat meam carnem, et bibt meum sanguinem, habet vitam æternam: et ego resuscitábo eum in novíssimo die.

OFFERTORY

Dómine Iesu Christe, Rex gloriæ, líbera ánimas ómnium fidélium defunctórum de pœnis inféni, et de profundo lacu: líbera eas de ore leónis, ne absórbeat eas tártarus, ne cadant in obscurum: sed signifer sanctus Míchaël repræsentet eas in lucem sanctam: Quam olim Ábrahæ promisisti, et sémini ejus. Hóstias et preces tibi, Dómine, laudis offérimus: tu súscipe pro animábus illis, quarum hodie memóriam, fácimus: fac eas, Dómine, de morte transire ad vitam. Quam olim Ábrahæ promisisti, et sémini ejus.

SECRET

Hóstias, quæsumus, Dómine, quas tibi pro animábus famulórum famularúmque tuárum offérimus, propitiátus inténde: ut quibus fidei christiánae méritum contulísti, dones et præmium. Per Dóminum nostrum Jésu Christum, Fílium tuum, qui tecum vivit et regnat in unitate Spíritus Sancti, Deus, per ómnia sǽcula sǽculórum.

PREFACE FOR THE DEAD

Vere dignum et justum est, æquum et salutare, nos tibi semper et ubique grátias ágere: Dómine sancte, Pater omnípotens, æterne Deus: per Christum Dóminum nostrum. In quo nobis spes beátæ resurrectiōnis effúlsit, ut quos contristat certa moriéndi conditio, eósdem consolétur futuræ immortalitatis promissio. Tuis enim fidélibus, Dómine, vita mutatur, non tollitur, et dissoluta terréstris hujus

His blood, you shall not have life in you. He that eateth My flesh, and drinketh My blood, hath everlasting life and I will raise him up in the last day.

O Lord Jesus Christ, King of glory, deliver the souls of all the faithful departed from the pains of hell and from the deep pit; deliver them from the lion's mouth, that hell engulf them not, nor they fall into darkness, but let Michael, the holy standard-bearer, bring them into the holy light which Thou once didst promise to Abraham and his seed. We offer Thee, O Lord, sacrifices and prayers of praise; do Thou accept them for those souls whom we this day commemorate; grant them, O Lord, to pass from death to the life which Thou once didst promise to Abraham and his seed.

Mercifully regard, we beseech Thee, O Lord, the Sacrifice for the souls of Thy servants and handmaidens: that to those to whom Thou didst grant the favor of the Christian Faith Thou wouldest also grant due reward. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, Thy Son, Who lives and reigns with Thee in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, forever and ever.

It is truly meet and just, right and for our salvation, that we should at all times and in all places, give thanks unto Thee, O holy Lord, Father almighty, everlasting God, through Christ our Lord. In Whom the hope of a blessed resurrection hath shown forth unto us: so that those who are saddened by the certain lot of dying may be consoled by the promise of a future deathless life. For to Thy faithful

incolátus domo, æterna in cælis habitatio comparatur. Et ideo cum Ángelis et Archángelis, cum Thronis et Dominationibus, cumque omni militia cælestis exércitus, hymnum gloriæ tuæ canimus sine fine dicentes:

COMMUNION 4 Esdras 2: 35, 34

Lux æterna luceat eis, Dómine: Cum Sanctis tuis in æternum: quia pius es. Réquiem æternam dona eis, Dómine: et lux perpetua luceat eis. Cum Sanctis tuis in æternum: quia pius es.

POSTCOMMUNION

Animábus, quæsumus, Dómine, famulórum famularúmque tuárum oratio proficiat supplicántium: ut eas et a peccatis ómnibus éxuas, et tuae redemptiōnis fáciás esse partícipes: Qui vivis et regnas, cum Deo Patre in unitate Spíritus Sancti, Deus, per ómnia sǽcula sǽculórum.

people, O Lord, life is changed, not taken away: and when the home of this earthly sojourn is dissolved, an eternal dwelling place is being prepared in the heavens. And therefore with the Angels and Archangels, with Thrones and Dominations and with all the hosts of the heavenly army, we sing the hymn of Thy glory, saying without end:

May eternal light shine upon them, O Lord, with Thy Saints forevermore, for Thou art gracious. Eternal rest give to them, O Lord; and let perpetual light shine upon them: with Thy Saints forevermore, for Thou art gracious.

May the prayers of Thy suppliant people, we beseech Thee, O Lord, avail for the souls of Thy servants and handmaids: that Thou mayest both deliver them from all their sins and make them to be sharers in Thy Redemption. Who lives and reigns with God the Father in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, forever and ever.