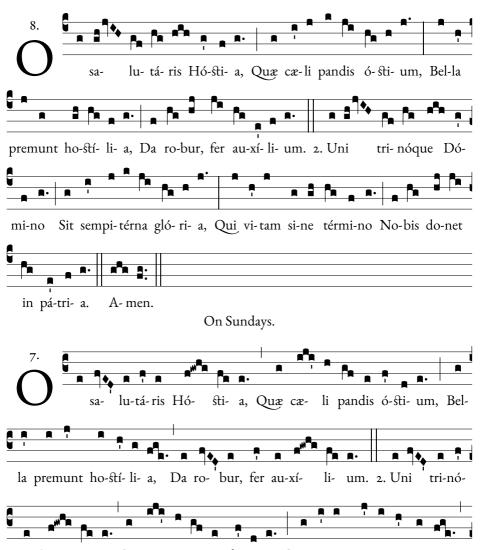
O salutáis Hóstia, Quæ caeli pandis óstium: Bella premunt hostília, Da robur, fer auxílium.

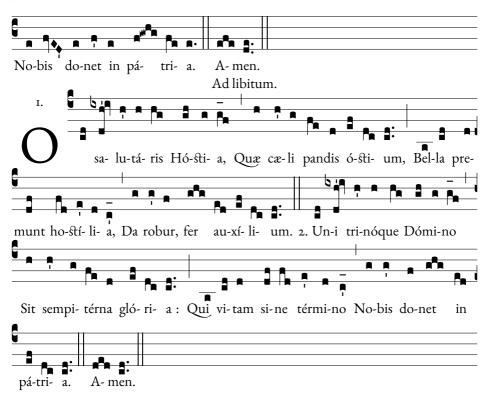
Uni trinóque Dómino Sit sempitérna glória, Qui vitam sine término Nobis donet in pátria. Amen. O saving Victim, Who expandest the door of heaven, Hostile armies press, Give strength; bear aid.

To the One and Triune Lord, May there be everlasting glory; who life without end gives us in the homeland. Amen.

On feasts.



que Dó- mi-no Sit sem-pi- térna gló-ri- a, Qui vi-tam si-ne térmi-no



## During the week.

## O salutaris Hostia



Text: St. Thomas Aquinas, ca. 1225–1274 Melody: Attributed to Abbé Dieudonné Duguet, 1794–1849 Harmonization: Traditional

**DUGUET 88.88** 

Prayer Before Benediction of thee Most Holy Eucharist at Holy Hour

The priest says this prayer.

O most sweet Jesus, who didst come into this world to enrich all souls with the life of Thy grace, and in order to preserve and foster that life within them, dost give Thyself day by day in the most adorable Sacrament of the Eucharist, as a saving remedy to heal their infirmities and a divine food to support their weakness: we humbly beseech Thee graciously to pour forth Thy Holy Spirit upon them all; so that, filled therewith, such as are defiled with deadly stain may return to Thee and recover the life of grace which they have forfeited by sin, and such as by the gift of Thy mercy already cleave to Thee may, as to each is given, approach every day Thy heavenly Banquet with true devotion. Strengthened thus, may they find herein an antidote to daily venial faults and a nourishing of the life of grace; that so being ever more and more cleansed, they may come to enjoy everlasting happiness in Heaven. Re. Amen.

Then follows the prayer for the Sovereign Pontiff: <sup>I</sup>

- $\psi$ . Let us pray for our Pontiff, N.
- Re. The Lord preserve him, and give him life, | and make him blessèd upon the earth, | and deliver him up not up to the will of his enemies.
- v. Our Father...
- Ry. Give us this day...
- ऐ. Hail Mary...
- R. Holy Mary...

Priest:

Almighty, everlasting God, have mercy upon Thy servant, N, our Sovereign Pontiff, and direct him, according to Thy clemency, into the way of everlasting salvation; that by Thy grace he may desire those things that are pleasing to Thee, and perform them with all his strength.  $\Re$ . Amen.

Then follows Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament, as usual.

Prayer Before Benediction on Sundays at Holy Hour<sup>2</sup>

Used on all Sundays of the year, except on the second Sunday of each month.

All kneel; the Priest begins:

O Blessed Virgin Mary, (*all join*) Mother of God | and our most gentle Queen and Mother, | look down in mercy upon us all | who greatly hope and trust in thee. | By

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Partialis indulgentia conceditur christifideli qui,...spiritu filialis devotionis, pro Summo Pontific aliquam prece legitime adprobatam pi recitaverit (e.g. Oremus pro Pontifice) (Enchiridion Indulgentiarum, nº 25, 1º)

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>Prayer adapted from Nicholas Stephen Cardinal Wiseman, Archbishop of Westminster (1802–1865).

thee it was that Jesus | our Savior and our Hope | was given unto the world; | and He has given thee to us | that we might hope still more.

Plead for us, thy children, | whom thou didst receive and accept | at the foot of the Cross, | O sorrowful Mother. | Intercede for our separated brethren, | that with us, | in the one true fold, | they may be united to the supreme Shepherd, | the Vicar of thy Son.

Pray for us all, dear Mother | that by faith | fruitful in good works, | we may all deserve to see and praise God, | together with thee, | in our heavenly home. Amen.

Then follows Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament of the Eucharist, in the usual way.

On the Second Sunday of each month, instead of the prayer O Blessed Virgin Mary, the following prayer is said, all kneeling.

The priest says:

O merciful God, let the glorious intercession of Thy saints assist us; above all, the most blessed Virgin Mary, the Immaculate Mother of Thine only-begotten Son, and Thy holy apostles, Peter and Paul, through whose patronage we humbly commend this land. Be mindful of our fathers, Thy glorious bishop John Neumann; of Junípero and Damian, Thy priests. Remember our holy martyrs who shed their blood for Christ: Isaac, René and Jean. Remember those holy virgins and widows: Frances, Rose-Philippine, Katherine, Théodore, Marianne, Kateri, and Elizabeth Ann; and all those holy men and women who made this country illustrious by their glorious merits and virtues. Let not thy memory perish before Thee, O Lord, but let their supplication enter daily into Thy sight; and do Thou, who didst so often spare Thy sinful people for the sake of Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob, now, also moved by the prayers of our fathers, brothers, and sisters reigning with Thee, have mercy up on us, save Thy people and bless Thine inheritance; and suffer not those souls to perish which Thy Son hath redeemed with His own most Precious Blood: Who liveth and reignest with Thee, world without end. R. Amen.

Let us pray.

O most loving Lord Jesus, Who, when Thou wert hanging on the Cross, didst commend us all in the person of Thy disciple John to Thy most sweet Mother, that we might find in her our refuge, our solace and our hope; look graciously upon our beloved land, and on those who are bereaved of so powerful a patronage; that acknowledging the dignity of this Holy Virgin, they may honor and venerate her with all affection of devotion, and own her as Queen and Mother. May her sweet name be listed by little ones, and linger on the lips of the agèd and dying; and may it be invoked by the afflicted, and hymned by the joyful; that this Star of the Sea being their protection and their guide, all may come to the harbor of eternal salvation. Who liveth and reignest with Thee, world without end. By. Amen.

Tantum ergo Sacramentum Veneremur cernui: Et antiquum documentum Novo cedat ritui: Præstet fides supplementum Sensuum defectui.

Genitori, Genitoque Laus et jubilatio, Salus, honor, virtus quoque Sit et benedictio: Procedenti ab utroque Compar sit laudatio. Amen.

- R. Omne delectamentum in se habentem. (*T.P.* Allelúia.)

Oremus.

Deus, qui nobis sub sacramento mirabili, passionis tuæ memoriam reliquisti: tribue, quæsumus, ita nos corporis et sanguinis tui sacra mysteria venerari, ut redemptionis tuæ fructum in nobis iugiter sentiamus. Qui vivis et regnas in sæcula sæculorum. R. Amen.

Therefore so great a Sacrament Let us fall down and worship, and let the old law give way to a new rite, and let faith stand forward to make good the defects of sense.

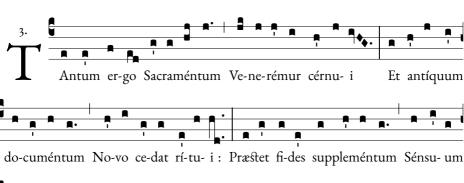
To the Father and the Son be praise and joy, health, honour and virtue and blessing, and to him proceeding from both be equal praise. Amen.

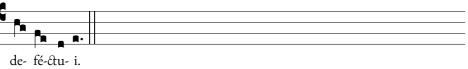
- v. Thou hast given them bread from heaven. (*P.T.* Alleluia.)
- Reg. Having within it all sweetness. (*P.T.* Alleluia.)

Let us pray.

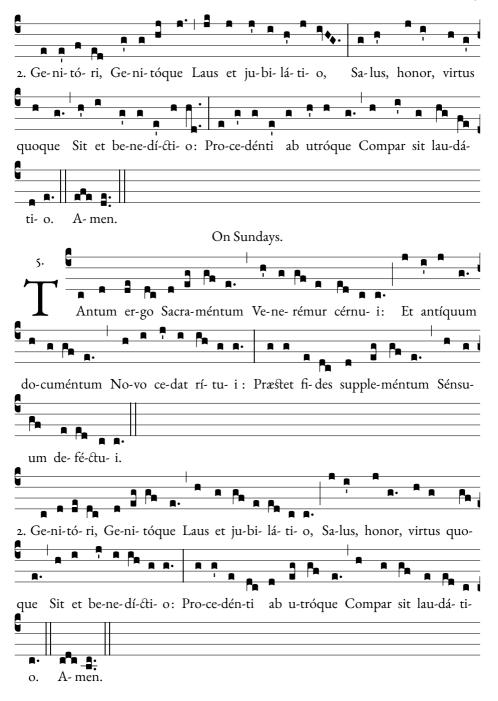
O God, who in this wonderful Sacrament hast left us a memorial of Thy Passion: grant, we implore Thee, that we may so venerate the sacred mysteries of Thy Body and Blood, as always to be conscious of the fruit of Thy Redemption. Who livest and reignest forever and ever. R. Amen.

On Feasts.





<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup>Atque per octavam Corporis Christi. As well as throughout the octave of Corpus Christi.



### During the week.

# Tantum Ergo Sacramentum







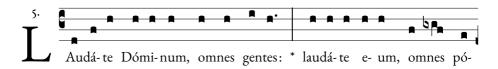
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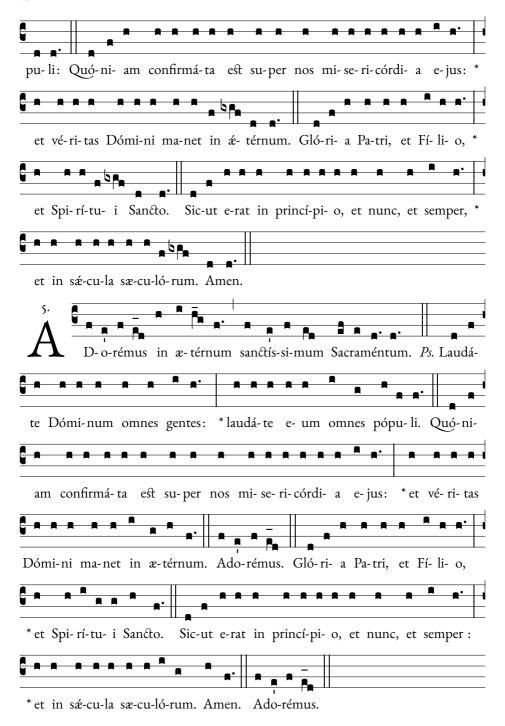
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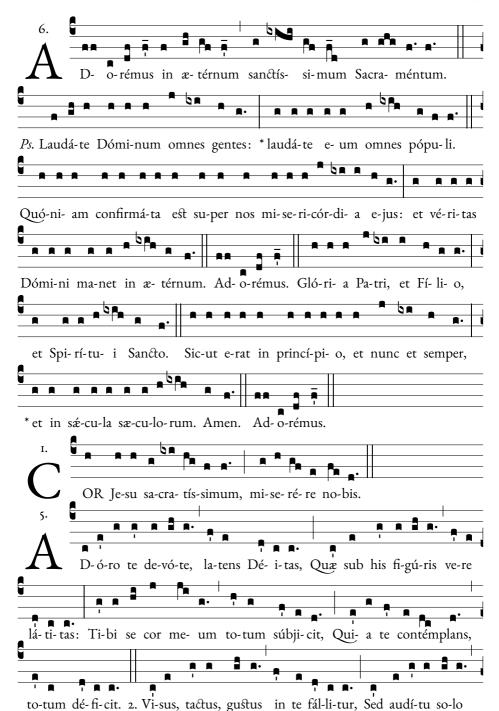


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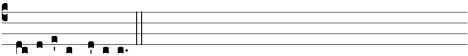








tu-to cré-di-tur: Cre-do quidquid di- xit De- i Fí- li- us: Nil hoc verbo



Ve- ri-tá-tis vé-ri- us.

3. In Cruce latébat sola Déitas, At hic latet simul et humánitas:

Ambo tamen credens atque cónfitens,

Peto quod petívit latro poénitens.

4. Plagas, sicut Thomas, non intúeor:

Deum tamen meum te confíteor:

Fac me tibi semper magis crédere,

In te spem habére, te dilígere.

5. O memoriále mortis Dómini! Panis vivus vitam præstans hómini!

Præsta meæ menti de te vívere,

Et te illi semper dulce sápere.

6. Pie pellicáne, Jesu Dómine!

Me immúndum munda tuo Sánguine:

Cujus una stilla salvum fácere

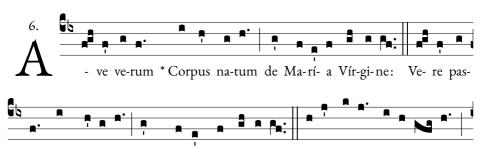
Totum mundum quit ab omni scélere.

7. Jesu, quem velátum nunc aspício,

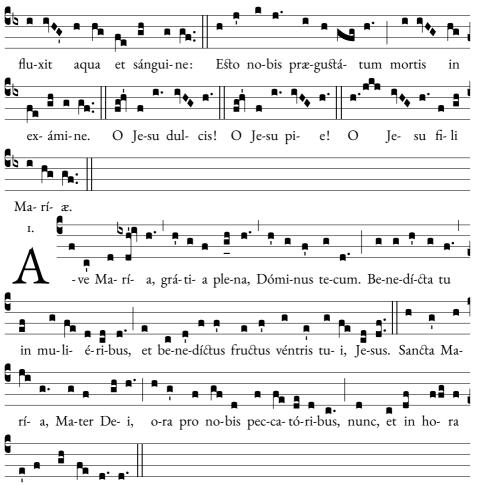
Oro fiat illud quod tam sítio:

Ut, te reveláta cernens fácie,

Visu sim beátus tuæ glóriæ. Amen.

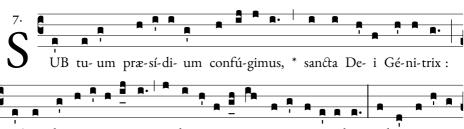


sum, immo-lá-tum in Cru-ce pro hómi-ne. Cu-jus la-tus perfo-rá- tum



mortis nostræ. Amen.

Hail, Mary, full of grace, the Lord is with thee. Blessed art thou amongst women and blessed is the fruit of thy womb, Jesus. Holy Mary, Mother of God, pray for us sinners, now and at the hour of our death. Amen.



nostras depre-ca-ti- ó-nes ne despí-ci- as in ne-ces-si-tá-ti-bu: sed a per-í-cu-



lis cunctis lí-be-ra nos sem-per, Virgo glo-ri- ó-sa et be- ne-dí-cta.

Under thy protection we seek refuge, O Holy Mother of God; In our necessities, despise not our petitions, but deliver us always from all dangers, O Glorious and Blessed Virgin.



O Ma-rí- a! Quæ so-la invi- o- lá- ta perman- sí- sti.

Inviolate, whole and chaste art thou, Mary: Thou art the shining gate of heaven. O kind mother, dearest to Christ, receive our pious proclamations of praise. To thee our devout hearts and mouths cry out: may our souls and bodies be pure. Through thy sweet sounding prayers may thou grant us forgiveness forever. O kindly one! O Queen! O Mary! Thou alone didst remain inviolate.



