

OFFERTORY HYMN

“Ave Maria”: chant in the Music Issue

OFFERTORY ANTIPHON (choir)

VIII

A - ve * Ma-rí- a,
 grá- ti- a ple- na, Dó-
 mi-nus te- cum : be-ne- dí- cta tu in
 mu- li- é- ri- bus, et bene- dí- ctus fru- ctus
 ven- tris tu- i. *T. P.* Al- le- lú- ia.

COMMUNION HYMN

“O Holy Mary” Music Issue

RECESSIONAL HYMN

Come, Thou Long-Expected Jesus

FOURTH SUNDAY of ADVENT

PRELUDE

Intr. 1.

R Ó-rá-te * caé- li dé-su- per, et nú- bes plú- ant
 jú- stum : ape-ri- á-tur tér- ra, et gérmínet Salva-
 tó-rem. *Ps.* Caéli enárrant gló-ri- am Dé- i : * et ópera
 mánu-um é-jus annúnti- at firmamén- tum. Gló-ri- a Pá-
 tri. E u o u a e.

Drop down dew from heaven above, and let the clouds rain down the Just One; let the earth be opened and bring forth a Savior.

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON

I
Drop down dew from a-bove, you heavens, and let
the clouds rain down the Just One; let the earth be opened
and bring forth a Sav- ior.

The heavens declare the glory of God,
and the firmament proclaims the work of his hands.
Day unto day conveys the message,
and night unto night imparts the knowledge.

No speech, no word, whose voice goes unheeded;
their sound goes forth through all the earth,
their message to the utmost bounds of the world.

There he has placed a tent for the sun;
it comes forth like a bridegroom coming from his
tent,
rejoices like a champion to run his course.

*Ordinary of the Mass : ICEL chant Mass
Found in Today's Missal*

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III
Lord, make us turn to you; let us see your face
and we shall be saved.

O shepherd of Israel, hearken,
from your throne upon the cherubim, shine forth.
Rouse your power,
and come to save us.

Once again, O LORD of hosts,
look down from heaven, and see;
take care of this vine,
and protect what your right hand has planted
the son of man whom you yourself made strong.

May your help be with the man of your right hand,
with the son of man whom you yourself made strong.
Then we will no more withdraw from you;
give us new life, and we will call upon your name.

ALLELUIA

III
AL- le- lu- ia, al- le- lu- ia, al- le- lu- ia.