

**Music Recommendations**  
**Ash Wednesday**  
Wednesday, 22 February 2023

The following reading references, psalm responses, antiphons and music recommendations are provided to assist music coordinators in preparing for Confirmation. First Communion Masses should use similar repertoire with particular reference to the Mass of the Day.

Priority is given firstly to the major parts of the Mass and the responsorial psalm. A sprinkling rite recalling Baptism is recommended in the introductory rites. The Taize chant "Veni Sancte Spiritus," or similar soft chant, is recommended during the anointing. The Entrance song and the song of praise after communion should be familiar to the parish community, encouraging strong participation by all.

**Readings**

**1st Reading**

**Jl 2:12-18**

*Let your hearts be broken, and not your garments torn.*

**Responsorial Psalm**

**Ps 50 (51):3-6. 12-14. 17. R. Cf. v.3**

Be merciful, O Lord, for we have sinned.

**2nd Reading**

**2 Cor 5:20-6:2**

*Be reconciled to God, now is the acceptable time.*

**Gospel Acclamation**

**Cf. Ps 94 (95):8**

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ, king of endless glory!

If today you hear his voice,  
harden not your hearts.

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ, king of endless glory!

**Gospel**

**Mt 6:1-6, 16-18**

*Your Father, who sees all that is done in*

**Antiphons**

**Entrance Antiphon**

**Wis 11:24,25,27**

You are merciful to all, O Lord,  
and despise nothing that you have made.  
You overlook people's sins, to bring them to repentance,  
and you spare them, for you are the Lord our God.

**Ashes Processional Antiphons**

1.

Let us change our garments to sackcloth and ashes,  
let us fast and weep before the Lord,  
that our God, rich in mercy, might forgive us our sins.

2.

**Cf. Jl 2:17; Est 4:17**

Let the priests, the ministers of the Lord,  
stand between the porch and the altar and weep  
and cry out:  
Spare, O Lord, spare your people;  
do not close the mouths of those who sing your praise, O Lord.

3.

**Ps 50 (51):3**

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\* - denotes the song contains a direct quotation or reference to one of the texts of the day.

Letters or numbers in the relevance area indicate the song has a clear relation to one or more of the texts of the day, as follows:

**E** - Entrance Antiphon, **1** - 1st Reading, **R** - Responsorial Psalm, **2** - 2nd Reading,

**A** - Gospel Acclamation, **G** - Gospel, **C** - Communion Antiphon

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## Song

Relevance © Resource Reference

### A new heart for a new world (Create a new heart, holy Lord)

L C CWBII-477 AOV1-158 GA-438

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### Again we keep this solemn fast

1 G L CWBII-285 RS-559

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### Amazing grace

P L C CWBII-450 AOV1-029 GA-437 NLP-18 TiS-129 TS-18

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### Amazing grace (My chains are gone)

S C SS-265 TS-1718

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### Amen (Chant)

P CWBII-13 CHANT-7

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### Amen (Glendalough Mass)

L GLEN-8

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### Amen (Mass of Glory and Praise)

L CWBII-25j MGP-9 MPS-17

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### Amen (Mass Shalom)

L CWBII-27j AOV1-195 MSH-9 MPS-32

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### Ashes (We rise again from ashes)

L AOV2-16 GA-209

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### Attende Domine (Hear us, almighty Lord)

1 R L CWBII-292 WorIII-414

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### Attende Domine, et miserere (Hear us, O Lord)

1 R L NLP-24

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### Be reconciled as one

2 L AOV1-162

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### Bring us back to you, O Lord our God

CWBII-287 CWB-629

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### Communion Psalm 91: Be with me, Lord (C.Willcock)

L PFS-16

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### Communion Psalm 91: Be with me, Lord (P.Mason)

L PAT-64

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### Create in me a clean heart, O God

R CWBII-478 CWB-664

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### Create in us a clean heart

L TiS-712

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### Entrance Psalm 95: If today you hear God's voice (C.Willcock)

L PFS-50

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### Entrance Psalm 95: If today you hear his voice (P.Mason)

L PAT1-95

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### Forgive our sins as we forgive

2 L C CWBII-120 CWB-680 NLP-68 TiS-635

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### Forty days and forty nights

L C CWBII-288 NLP-70 TiS-591

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Entrance  
Penitential Act  
Sprinkling Rite  
Glory to God  
Responsorial Psalm  
Gospel Acclamation  
Anointing w. Chrism  
Offertory  
Holy Holy Holy  
Memorial Acclamation  
Amen  
Our Father  
Lamb of God  
Communion  
Song of Praise  
Sending Forth

## Song

Relevance © Resource Reference

<b>From ashes to the living font</b> L CWBII-289 RS-561	X																	X	X
<b>Grant to us, O Lord</b> 1 G L C CWBII-291 CWB-698 GA-303									X									X	
<b>Holy, Holy, Holy (Glendalough Mass)</b> L GLEN-4									X										
<b>Holy, Holy, Holy (Mass of Glory and Praise)</b> L CWBII-25e MGP-5 MPS-11									X										
<b>Holy, Holy, Holy (Mass Shalom)</b> L CWBII-27f AOV1-195 MSH-6 MPS-28									X										
<b>Holy, Holy, Holy (Mass XVIII - Chant)</b> P CWBII-11 CHANT-7									X										
<b>Hosea (Come back to me)</b> 1 L AOV1-30 CWB-715 GA-213									X										
<b>Kyrie (Glendalough Mass)</b> L GLEN-1		X																	
<b>Kyrie (Mass XVI - Chant)</b> P CWBII-4b CHANT-1		X																	
<b>Lamb of God (Glendalough Mass)</b> L GLEN-10																	X		
<b>Lamb of God (Mass of Glory and Praise)</b> L CWBII-25k MGP-11 MPS-19 MPS-20																	X		
<b>Lamb of God (Mass Shalom)</b> L CWBII-27k AOV1-195 MSH-10 MPS-33																	X		
<b>Lamb of God (Mass XVIII - Chant)</b> P CWBII-17 CHANT-8																	X		
<b>Lenten Acclamation (L Deiss)</b> L CWBII-54 CWB-566								X											
<b>Lenten Acclamation (Mass of Glory and Praise)</b> L CWBII-25d MGP-4 MPS-8 GOS-6								X											
* <b>Lenten Acclamation (Mass Shalom)</b> A L CWBII-27e AOV1-195 MSH-5 MPS-27 GOS-7								X											
<b>Lenten Acclamation (N Ancell)</b> CWBII-60 CWB-563								X											
<b>Lenten Acclamation (P Jones)</b> CWBII-58 CWB-569								X											
<b>Let justice roll like a river</b> 1 G L GA-515																			X
<b>Lord, have mercy (Chant)</b> P CWBII-4a CHANT-1		X																	
<b>Lord, have mercy (Mass Shalom)</b> L CWBII-27a AOV1-195 MSH-1 MPS-23		X																	

## Song

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### Morning Hymn (O Sun of Justice)

L GA-2

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### O Lord, hear my prayer

AOV1-017 GA431 TiS 741 TS-394

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### \* O Sun of justice (Jesu dulcis memoria)

2 L CWBII-179 RS-544

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### Our Father / The Lord's Prayer (Chant)

P CWBII-14a GA-7 CHANT-8

X

### Our Father / The Lord's Prayer (Mass of Glory and Praise)

L MGP-10 MPS-18

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### \* Parce Domine (Spare your people Lord)

1 L CWBII-299 RS-549

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### Penitential Act (Mass of Glory and Praise)

L CWBII-25a MGP-1 MPS-5

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### Penitential Act (Mass Shalom)

L CWBII-27b AOV1-195 MSH-2 MPS-24

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### Praise to you, O Christ our Saviour

L CWBII-587 AOV1-028 GA-407 TiS-258

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### \* Psalm 51: Be merciful, O Lord (C.Smith)

R L RPY-A-19

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### \* Psalm 51: Be merciful, O Lord (D.Mews)

R CWB-202

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### \* Psalm 51: Be merciful, O Lord (J.Gelineau/P.Craig)

R L LPG-791

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### \* Psalm 51: Be merciful, O Lord (J.O'Brien)

R PSY-A-20

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### Reshape my heart

L HSS-11

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### \* Return to God

1 2 L CWBII-298 GA-304

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### Sanctus (Mass VIII - de Angelis)

P CWBII-70a CHANT-7 GM-105

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### Save us, Saviour of the world (Chant)

P CWBII-12c CHANT-7

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### Save us, Saviour of the world (Glendalough Mass)

L GLEN-7

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### Save us, Saviour of the world (Mass of Glory and Praise)

L CWBII-25h MGP-8 MPS-15

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### Save us, Saviour of the world (Mass Shalom)

L CWBII-27i AOV1-195 MSH-9 MPS-31

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### \* Seasonal Psalm 51: Be Merciful, O Lord (C.Willcock)

R L GA-41 PFS-14

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## Song

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### \* Seasonal Psalm 51: Be merciful, O Lord (P.Mason)

R L PAT-41

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### The glory of these forty days

L CWBII-301 CWB-825

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### There's a wideness in God's mercy

P L C CWBII-624 CWB-838 TiS-136

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### Though the mountains may fall

1 2 L AOV1-182 GA-453

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### Tree of life (A Thompson)

L AOVNG-138

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### Unless a grain of wheat

L CWBII-635 AOV1-035 GA-500

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### We proclaim your Death (Chant)

P CWBII-12a CHANT-7

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### We proclaim your Death (Glendalough Mass)

L GLEN-5

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### We proclaim your Death (Mass of Glory and Praise)

L CWBII-25f MGP-6 MPS-13

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### We proclaim your Death (Mass Shalom)

L CWBII-27g AOV1-195 MSH-7 MPS-29

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### What does the Lord require

G L TiS-618

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### When we eat this Bread (Chant)

P CWBII-12b CHANT-7

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### When we eat this bread (Glendalough Mass)

L GLEN-6

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### When we eat this Bread (Mass of Glory and Praise)

L CWBII-25g MGP-7 MPS-14

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### When we eat this Bread (Mass Shalom)

L CWBII-27h AOV1-195 MSH-8 MPS-30

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### \* Yes, I shall arise

R L CWBII-648 CWB-867 GA-214

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