

Music Recommendations Ash Wednesday

Wednesday 5 March 2025

The following reading references, psalm responses, antiphons and music recommendations are provided to assist music coordinators in preparing for their particular parish community Mass.

Readings

1st Reading

JI 2:12-18

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

Responsorial Psalm (PAT1-51a)

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 (GA-vL1)

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 secret, will reward you.

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

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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. JI 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

Blot out my transgressions, O Lord.

Communion Antiphon

Cf. Ps 1:2-3

He who ponders the law of the Lord day and night

will yield fruit in due season.

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Repertoire Recommendations Memorial Acclamation Responsorial Psaln Ash Wednesday **Gospel Acclamatio** Wednesday 5 March 2025 **Sprinkling Rite** Holy Holy Hol Penitential Act Glory to Goo Lamb of Goo Our Fathe Offertor 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 LC-3 Again we keep this solemn fast L CWBII-285 RS-559 **Amazing grace** P L C CWBII-450 AOV1-029 GA-437 NLP-18 TiS-129 HSS2-10 Amazing grace (My chains are gone) S C SS-265 TS-1718 Amen (Chant) CWBII-13 CHANT-7 X P Amen (Glendalough Mass) L GLEN-8 X Amen (Mass of Glory and Praise) CWBII-25j MGP-9 MPS-17 X Amen (Mass Shalom) CWBII-27j AOV1-195 MSH-9 MPS-32 Ashes (We rise again from ashes) AOV2-16 GA-209 Attende Domine (Hear us, almighty Lord) CWBII-292 WorlII-414 Attende Domine, et miserere (Hear us, O Lord) NI P-24 X L Be reconciled as one AOV1-162 L Bring us back to you, O Lord our God CWBII-287 CWB-629 X Communion Psalm 91: Be with me, Lord (C.Willcock) PFS-16 X Communion Psalm 91: Be with me, Lord (P.Mason) PAT-64 X Create in me a clean heart, O God CWBII-478 CWB-664 X Create in us a clean heart TiS-712 X Entrance Psalm 95: If today you hear God's voice (C.Willcock) PFS-50 Entrance Psalm 95: If today you hear his voice (P.Mason) PAT1-95 X Forgive our sins as we forgive L C CWBII-120 CWB-680 NLP-68 TiS-635

Forty days and forty nights

L C CWBII-288 NLP-70 TiS-591 HSS2-15 LC-38

Memorial Acclamatio Responsorial Psali **Gospel Acclamatio** Wednesday 5 March 2025 **Sprinkling Rite Holy Holy Ho** Glory to Go Lamb of Goo Our Fathe Offertor Song Relevance © Resource Reference From ashes to the living font CWBII-289 RS-561 Grant to us, O Lord CWBII-291 CWB-698 GA-303 L C X Holy, Holy, Holy (Glendalough Mass) GLEN-4 X Holy, Holy, Holy (Mass of Glory and Praise) CWBII-25e MGP-5 MPS-11 X Holy, Holy, Holy (Mass Shalom) CWBII-27f AOV1-195 MSH-6 MPS-28 Holy, Holy, Holy (Mass XVIII - Chant) CWBII-11 CHANT-7 X Hosea (Come back to me) L AOV1-30 CWB-715 GA-213 LC-55 **Kyrie (Glendalough Mass)** GLEN-1 Kyrie (Mass XVI - Chant) CWBII-4b CHANT-1 Lamb of God (Glendalough Mass) GLEN-10 Lamb of God (Mass of Glory and Praise) CWBII-25k MGP-11 MPS-19 MPS-20 Lamb of God (Mass Shalom) CWBII-27k AOV1-195 MSH-10 MPS-33 X Lamb of God (Mass XVIII - Chant) CWBII-17 CHANT-8 Lenten Acclamation (L Deiss) CWBII-54 CWB-566 X **Lenten Acclamation (Mass of Glory and Praise)** CWBII-25d MGP-4 MPS-8 GOS-6 X * Lenten Acclamation (Mass Shalom) CWBII-27e AOV1-195 MSH-5 MPS-27 GOS-7 X **Lenten Acclamation (N Ancell)** CWBII-60 CWB-563 **Lenten Acclamation (P Jones)** CWBII-58 CWB-569 X Let justice roll like a river 1 G GA-515 L Lord, have mercy (Chant) CWBII-4a CHANT-1 Lord, have mercy (Mass Shalom) CWBII-27a AOV1-195 MSH-1 MPS-23

Repertoire Recommendations

Ash Wednesday

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| | Morning Hymn (O Sun of Justice) L GA-2 | X | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | O Lord, hear my prayer AOV1-017 GA431 TiS 741 TS-394 | | | | | | | X | | | | | | | | |
| * | O Sun of justice (Jesu dulcis memoria) CWBII-178 CWBII-179 RS-544 | X | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 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 |) | | | | | | | | | | X | | | | |
| * | Parce Domine (Spare your people Lord) 1 | | | | | | | X | | | | | | | | |
| | Penitential Act (Mass of Glory and Praise) L CWBII-25a MGP-1 MPS-5 | | X | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Penitential Act (Mass Shalom) L CWBII-27b AOV1-195 MSH-2 MPS-24 | | X | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Praise to you, O Christ our Saviour L CWBII-587 AOV1-028 GA-407 TiS-258 LC-96 | X | | | | | | | | | | | | | X | X |
| * | Psalm 51: Be merciful, O Lord (C.Smith) R L RPY-A-19 | | | | | X | | | | | | | | | | |
| * | Psalm 51: Be merciful, O Lord (D.Mews) CWB-202 | | | | | X | | | | | | | | | | |
| * | Psalm 51: Be merciful, O Lord (J.Gelineau/P.Craig) R L LPG-791 | | | | | X | | | | | | | | | | |
| * | Psalm 51: Be merciful, O Lord (J.O'Brien) PSY-A-20 | | | | | X | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Reshape my heart L HSS-11 | | | | | | | X | | | | | | | | X |
| * | Return to God 1 2 L CWBII-298 GA-304 LC-100 | X | | | | | | X | | | | | | X | | |
| | Sanctus (Mass VIII - de Angelis) P CWBII-70a CHANT-7 GM-105 | | | | | | | | X | | | | | | | |
| | Save us, Saviour of the world (Chant) P CWBII-12c CHANT-7 | | | | | | | | | X | | | | | | |
| | Save us, Saviour of the world (Glendalough Mass) L GLEN-7 | | | | | | | | | X | | | | | | |
| | Save us, Saviour of the world (Mass of Glory and Praise) L CWBII-25h MGP-8 MPS-15 | | | | | | | | | X | | | | | | |
| | Save us, Saviour of the world (Mass Shalom) L CWBII-27i AOV1-195 MSH-9 MPS-31 | | | | | | | | | X | | | | | | |
| * | Seasonal Psalm 51: Be Merciful, O Lord (C.Willcock) R L GA-41 PFS-14 | | | | | X | | | | | | | | | | |

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Repertoire Recommendations

CWBII-648 CWB-867 GA-214

Ash Wednesday

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Song of Praise
Communion
Lamb of God
Our Father
Amen
Memorial Acclamation
Holy Holy Holy
Offertory
Gospel Acclamation
Responsorial Psalm
Glory to God
Sprinkling Rite
Penitential Act

Song

Relevance © Resource Reference

Resource List

| Abbrev. | Title | Publisher | Composer (s) | Availability |
|---------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|-----------------|------------------------------|
| AHB | Australian Hymn Book | Collins | Various | Out Of Print |
| AOV1 | As One Voice vol. 1 | Willow Publishing | Various | asonevoice.com.au |
| AOV2 | As One Voice vol. 2 | Willow Publishing | Various | asonevoice.com.au |
| AOVNG | As One Voice Next Generation | Willow Publishing | Various | asonevoice.com.au |
| CHANT | Missa Cantata | CTS | arr. G Cox | ctsbooks.org |
| CWB | Catholic Worship Book | Collins / E.J.Dwyer | Various | Out Of Print |
| CWBII | Catholic Worship Book II | Morning Star | Various | morningstarpublishing.net.au |
| GA | Gather Australia | NLMC Publications | Various | Out Of Print |
| GLEN | Glendalough Mass | GIA | Liam Lawton | giamusic.com |
| GOS | Gospel Acclamations | Liturgical Song | Various | liturgicalsong.com |
| HSS | Hymns & Spiritual Songs | Liturgical Song | Various | liturgicalsong.com |
| LITMUS | Various Compilations | Litmus Productions | Michael Mangan | litmusproductions.com |
| LP | Lyric Psalter | GIA | Alonso, Haugen | giamusic.com |
| LPGG | Psalms: Revised Grail / Gelieau | GIA | J Gelineau sj | giamusic.com |
| MCH | Mass of Christ the Redeemer | OCP | B Kirkpatrick | ocp.org |
| MCY | Masses for the Church's Year | Liturgical Song | Roger Heagney | liturgicalsong.com |
| MGP | Mass of Glory and Praise | Liturgical Song | Paul Mason | liturgicalsong.com |
| MiM | Missa Magis | OCP | C Willcock sj | ocp.org |
| MOLHC | Mass, Our Lady Help of Christians | Cantica Nova | R Connolly | asonevoice.com.au |
| MPS | Masses for Parish & School | Liturgical Song | Mason & Smith | liturgicalsong.com |
| MSF | Mass of St Francis | Willow Publishing | Paul Taylor | asonevoice.com.au |
| MSH | Mass Shalom | Liturgical Song | Smith & Mason | liturgicalsong.com |
| NLP | New Living Parish Hymnal | E.J. Dwyer | Various | Out Of Print |
| PAT | Psalms for All Time | Liturgical Song | Paul Mason | liturgicalsong.com |
| PCY | Psalms for the Church's Year | Liturgical Song | Roger Heagney | liturgicalsong.com |
| PFS | Psalms for Feasts and Seasons | OCP | C Willcock sj | Out Of Print |
| PSY | Psalms for Sundays of the Year | Jenny O'Brien | Jenny O'Brien | Out Of Print |
| RPY | Responsorial Psalms for the Year | Willow Publishing | Colin Smith cfc | asonevoice.com.au |
| SSP | Simply Singable Psalms | Liturgical Song | Anne Millard | liturgicalsong.com |
| SS | Spirit & Song | OCP | Various | ocp.org |
| TiS | Together in Song | Harper Collins | Various | Out Of Print |
| TS | The Source Volume 1 | Kevin Mayhew | Various | amazon.com.au |