LITURGICAL SONG

Music Recommendations

Second Sunday of Advent - Year B

Sunday 6 December 2026

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

Is 40:1-5. 9-11

Prepare the way for the Lord.

Responsorial Psalm [PAT1-85a]

Ps 84:9-14. R. v.8

Lord, let us see your kindness,
and grant us your salvation.

2nd Reading

2 Pt 3:8-14

We wait for new heavens and a new earth.

Gospel Acclamation [GA-v2]

Lk 3:4. 6

Alleluia, alleluia!
Prepare the way of the Lord, make straight his paths:
all people shall see the salvation of God.
Alleluia!

Gospel

Mk 1:1-8

Make straight the paths of the Lord.

Antiphons

Entrance Antiphon

Cf. Is 30:19,30

O people of Sion, behold,
the Lord will come to save the nations,
and the Lord will make the glory of his voice heard
in the joy of your heart.

Offertory Antiphon (Graduale Romanum)

Ps 84:7-8

You will turn toward us, O God,
and restore our life again,
and your people will rejoice in you.
Show us, Lord, your mercy
and grant us your salvation.

Communion Antiphon

Bar 5:5; 4:36

Jerusalem, arise and stand upon the heights,
and behold the joy which comes to you from God.

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A new heart for a new world (Create a new heart, holy Lord)					L										
L C CWBII-477 AOV1-158 GA-438 LC-5	X														X
Advent litany (Word of justice)					L										
2 L CWBII-253 GA-279 LC-8	X						X								
Advent song (Gather in hope)															
L GA-281	X														
Alleluia (Glendalough Mass)															
L GLEN-3						X									
* **Alleluia (Mass of Glory and Praise)**															
A L CWBII-25c MGP-3 MPS-7 GOS-1						X									
* **Alleluia (Mass of the Saints)**															
A L MPS-38 GOS-3						X									
Alleluia (Mode II)															
L GOS-4						X									
Amen (Chant)															
P CWBII-13 CHANT-7										X					
Amen (Glendalough Mass)															
L GLEN-8										X					
Amen (Mass of Our Lady Help of Christians)															
CWBII-23e MOLHC-5										X					
Amen (Mass of the Saints)															
L MPS-43										X					
Bread of life, hope of the world					L										
L CWBII-459 AOV1-164 GA-199 LC-25													X		
Christ, be our light (Longing for light)					L										
L CWBII-540 AOV2-3 GA-404 TS-1409 LC-29	X												X		X
City of God (Awake from your slumber)					L										
C L CWBII-453 AOV1-57 GA-498 LC-32															X
Come to set us free															
L CWBII-233 AOV1-39 GA-277							X								
Come, Lord Jesus, come					L										
G L C CWBII-234 LC-34	X						X								
Come, O Jesus, come, O Lord															
L CWB-658 NLP-46	X						X								
Come, O long expected Jesus															
C L CWBII-232 CWB-657	X														
* **Comfort, comfort, O my people**															
1 G L CWBII-238 RS-488							X								
God of Abraham															
L AOV1-137 GA-306							X								X
Hail to the Lord's anointed															
C L CWBII-277 TiS-275														X	

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Hark, a herald voice is sounding	*G*	C L	CWBII-239 TiS-264	X														
Holy, Holy, Holy (Glendalough Mass)		L	GLEN-4								X							
Holy, Holy, Holy (Mass of Our Lady Help of Christians)			CWBII-23c MOLHC-3								X							
Holy, Holy, Holy (Mass of the Saints)		L	MPS-39								X							
Holy, Holy, Holy (Mass XVIII - Chant)		P	CWBII-11 CHANT-7								X							
In the Lord I'll be ever thankful (Taize)		L	CWBII-522 AOV2-109 GA-429							X								
Kyrie (Glendalough Mass)		L	GLEN-1		X													
Kyrie (Mass of Our Lady Help of Christians)			CWBII-23a MOLHC-1		X													
Kyrie (Mass XVI - Chant)		P	CWBII-4b CHANT-1		X													
Lamb of God (Mass of Our Lady Help of Christians)			CWBII-23f MOLHC-6												X			
Lamb of God (Glendalough Mass)		L	GLEN-10												X			
Lamb of God (Mass of the Saints)		L	MPS-44												X			
Lamb of God (Mass XVIII - Chant)		P	CWBII-17 CHANT-8												X			
* **Like a shepherd**	*1 G*	L	CWBII-538 AOV1-160 GA-467 LC-74					L								X		
Lord, have mercy (Chant)		P	CWBII-4a CHANT-1		X													
Lord, have mercy (Mass of the Saints)		L	MPS-35		X													
Love divine, all loves excelling		P L C	CWBII-552 CWB-740 GA-463 NLP-144 RS-743 TiS-217(i)	X													X	X
My Soul in Stillness Waits (For you, O Lord)		L	CWBII-237 GA-280													X		
Now in this banquet		L	GA-197													X		
O come, O come, Emmanuel		P L C	CWBII-242 AOV1-174 GA-285 HSS2-25 LC-86	X				L										X
* **On Jordan's bank the baptist's cry**	*G*	C L	CWBII-244 CWB-780 NLP-198 TiS-270	X														

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Our Father / The Lord's Prayer (Chant)		P	CWBII-14a GA-7 CHANT-8											X				
* **Prepare the Way (There was a man of God)**	1 G	L	CWBII-250 CWB-794 GA-284 LC-105	X				L										
* **Prepare the way, O Zion**	1 G	C L	CWBII-245	X						X								
Priestly people, kingly people		L	CWBII-589 CWB-796 NLP-210														X	
* **Psalm 85: Lord, let us see your kindness (C.Smith)**	R	L	RPY-B-6					X										
* **Psalm 85: Lord, let us see your kindness (J.Gelineau/R.Carroll)**	R	L	LPGG-1005/1152/1163					X										
Sanctus (Mass VIII - de Angelis)		P	CWBII-70a CHANT-7 GM-105								X							
Save us, Saviour (Mass of the Saints)		L	MPS-42									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						
* **Seasonal Psalm 85: Lord let us see your kindness (C.Willcock)**	R	L	PFS-4					X										
* **Seasonal Psalm 85: Lord let us see your kindness (N.Ancell)**	R		CWB-176					X										
* **Seasonal Psalm 85: Lord let us see your kindness (P.Mason)**	R	L	PAT1-85a					X										
* **Seasonal Psalm 85: Lord let us see your kindness (R.Heagney)**	R	L	PCY-85					X										
Seasonal Psalm 85: Lord show us your mercy (P.Mason)	R	L	PAT1-85					X										
Take Christ to the World		L	GA-369															X
The voice of God		L C	CWBII-621 CWB-835 GA-476	X						X								X
* **Wait for the Lord (Taize)**	1 G	L	CWBII-251 GA-283 LC-139					L		X								
We are called		L	HSS1-15 Liturgical Song download LC-140	X				L		X						X		X
We proclaim your Death (Mass of Our Lady Help of Christians)			CWBII-23d MOLHC-4									X						
We proclaim your Death (Chant)		P	CWBII-12a CHANT-7									X						

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We proclaim your Death (Glendalough Mass) L GLEN-5									X						
We proclaim your Death (Mass of the Saints) L MPS-40									X						
When we eat this Bread (Mass of Our Lady Help of Christians) MOLHC-5									X						
When we eat this Bread (Chant) P CWBII-12b CHANT-7									X						
When we eat this bread (Glendalough Mass) L GLEN-6									X						
When we eat this Bread (Mass of the Saints) L MPS-41									X						

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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