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## Three Eucharistic Motets

1. **Laetabitur Justus In Domino**  
from the Communion for the  
Feast of St. Mark the Evangelist  
*Psalm 64:10*

Gerald Near

Graciously  $\text{♩} = \text{c. } 112$

Sopranos  $p$

Lae - ta - bi - tur jus - tus in

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Do - mi - no, \_\_\_\_\_ et spe - ra - bit in

Tenors *p* Lae - ta - bi - tur jus - tus in Do - mi - no,

Basses *p* et spe - ra - bit in

e - o, \_\_\_

Altos Lae - ta - bi - tur jus-tus in Do - mi - no, al - le -

et spe - ra - bit in e - o, \_\_\_

e - o, \_\_\_

Bassoon part

al - le - lu - ia, \_\_\_\_\_  
lu - ia, \_\_\_\_\_  
al - le - lu - ia, \_\_\_\_\_

mp  
Lae -

A musical score for two voices (Soprano and Bass) and piano. The score consists of four systems of music, each starting with a treble clef and a bass clef, followed by a key signature of one flat (B-flat). The time signature varies between common time (indicated by '8') and triple time (indicated by '3'). The vocal parts sing in unison, with lyrics in Latin: 'ta - bi - tur jus - tus in Do - mi - no,' 'et spe - ba - bit in e - o: al - le -' (with a fermata over 'al'), and 'ta - bi - tur jus - tus in Do - mi - no.' The piano part provides harmonic support with sustained notes and rhythmic patterns. The vocal parts enter at the beginning of each system, while the piano part continues from the previous system's ending.

ta - bi - tur jus - tus in Do - mi - no,

et spe - ba - bit in e - o: al - le -

Musical score for two voices (Soprano and Bass) and piano. The score consists of four systems of music.

**System 1:** Treble clef, 9/8 time. Soprano sings "lu - ia," Bass sings "al - le -". Dynamic: *mp*.

**System 2:** Treble clef, 9/8 time. Soprano sings "al - le - lu - ia," Bass sings "ia, \_\_". Dynamic: *mp*.

**System 3:** Treble clef, 9/8 time. Soprano sings "lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia." Dynamic: *Ped.*

**System 4:** Treble clef, 9/8 time. Soprano sings "lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia." Dynamic: *p*. Bass sings "al - le - lu - ia." Dynamic: *p*. Final dynamic: *pp*.

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## 2. Ave, Verum Corpus

Gerald Near

In chant style\*       $\text{♩} = \text{c. } 76$

de Ma - ri - a Vir - gi - ne:—  
A - ve, ve - rum Cor - pus na - tum de Ma - ri - a Vir - gi - ne:  
Cor - pus na - tum de Ma - ri - a Vir - gi - ne:

im - mo - la - tum in cru - ce pro ho - mi-ne:—  
ve - re pas - sum, im - mo - la - tum in cru - ce pro ho - mi-ne:  
in cru - ce pro ho - mi-ne:—

S.  
eu-jus la-tus per - fo - ra - tum flux - it a - qua et  
T.  
flux - it a - qua et

\*Dynamics should be congruent with the rise and fall of the chant melody and Latin text.

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san - qui - ne: \_\_\_\_\_

*mf*

san - gui - ne: \_\_\_\_\_ Es - to no - bis prae - gu - sta - tum

et san - gui - ne: \_\_\_\_\_

san - gui - ne: \_\_\_\_\_

mor - tis in ex - a - mi - ne.

mor - tis in ex - a - mi - ne.

mor - tis in ex - a - mi - ne.

O Je - su dul + cis! O Je - su pi - e!

O Je - su dul - cis! O Je - su pi - e!

*mp*

O Je - su (oo) *p* fi - li\_ Ma - ri - ae!

*p*

## 3. O Sacrum Convivium

Gerald Near

Very slow and sustained

*O* \_\_\_\_\_  
*mp* *O* \_\_\_\_\_ *sa-crum con-vi-vi-um!*  
*O* \_\_\_\_\_  
*p* *O* \_\_\_\_\_ *sa-crum con-vi-vi-um!*

*Sw. Strings*

*p*

*Ped.*

*mp*

*in quo Chri-stus*

*mp*

\* The chant melody should always stand out slightly.

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A musical score for SATB choir and piano. The score consists of six systems of music. The top system shows two staves for piano (treble and bass) and two staves for Alto (soprano) and Tenor voices. The Alton staff includes lyrics: "su - mi - tur: re" and "co - li - tur me - mo - ri - a pas - si - o - nis". The bottom system shows two staves for piano. The vocal parts are written in common time, while the piano parts often feature 6/8 time. The score is in G major (two sharps). Dynamics include *mp* (mezzo-forte) and *p* (pianissimo).

Sopranos      mens \_\_\_\_\_ im - ple - tur gra - ti - a:  
*mf*

e - jus: \_\_\_\_\_ et fu - tu - rae

Basses      mens \_\_\_\_\_ im - ple - tur gra - ti - a:  
*mf*      *mf*

et fu - tu - rae glo - ri - ae  
*Cresc.*      *f*

glo - ri - ae,      *f* glo - ri - ae  
*Cresc.*      *f*

et fu - tu - rae      *f* glo - ri - ae  
*Cresc.*

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Musical score for three voices (Soprano & Alto, Tenor & Bass, Swell) and piano.

The score consists of three systems of music:

- System 1:** Treble and Bass staves. Dynamics: *mp*. Vocal parts sing "no - bis pi - gnus da - tur," followed by a repeat sign and "tur,".
- System 2:** Treble and Bass staves. Dynamics: *mp*. Vocal parts sing "al - le" followed by a repeat sign and "le,".
- System 3:** Treble and Bass staves. Dynamics: *pp*. The vocal parts sing "Sw." (Swell).

Measure numbers 8 and 9 are indicated above the vocal parts in System 1 and System 2 respectively.

lu ia.

>

ppp

