

SHOWING OF THE CROSS



KNEEL

VENERATION OF THE CROSS

My people, what have I done to you?
How have I offended you? Answer Me!

Lord, Let me Walk #432

We Acclaim the Cross #451

My God, my God, why have You abandoned Me?

HYMN

O Sacred Head

Verse 1: Sir H. W. Baker, 1821-77, alt.

Verse 2: Melvin Farrell, S. S.

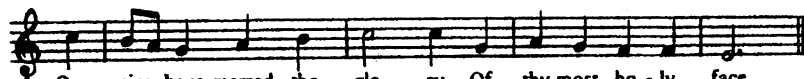
Hans Leo Hassler, 1601



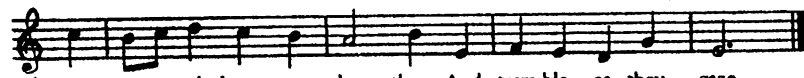
2. The Lord of ev - 'ry na - tion Was hung up - on a tree.



2. His death was our sal - va - tion, Our sins, his ag - o - ny.

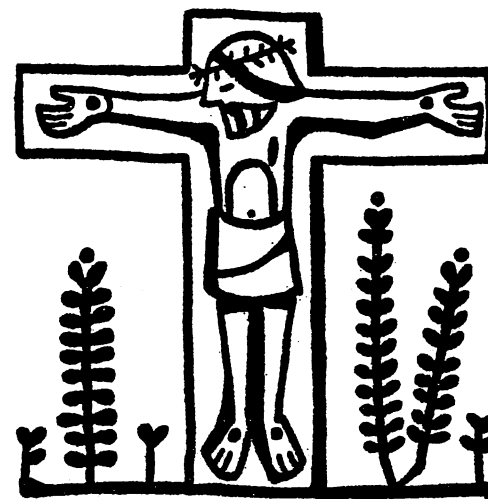


2. O - Je - sus, by thy Pas - sion, Thy life in us in - crease;



2. Thy death for us did fash - ion Our par - don and our peace.

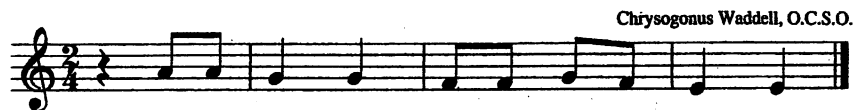
Good Friday of The Lord's Passion



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PSALM 31

Into Your Hands



In - to your hands I com - mend my spir - it.

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GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ, King of endless Glory

GENERAL INTERCESSIONS

1. FOR THE CHURCH

Almighty and eternal God,
you have shown your glory to all
nations
in Christ, your Son.
Guide the work of your Church.

Help it to persevere in faith,
proclaim your name,
and bring your salvation to people
everywhere.
We ask this **People: Amen.**

2. FOR THE POPE

Almighty and eternal God,
you guide all things by your word,
you govern all Christian people.
In your love protect the Pope you
have chosen for us.

Under his leadership deepen our
faith
and make us better Christians.
We ask this **People: Amen.**

3. FOR THE CLERGY AND THE LAITY OF THE CHURCH

Almighty and eternal God,
your Spirit guides the Church
and makes it holy.
Listen to our prayers

and help each of us
in his own vocation
to do your work more faithfully.
We ask this **People: Amen.**

4. FOR THOSE PREPARING FOR BAPTISM

Almighty and eternal God,
you continually bless your Church
with new members.
Increase the faith and understanding
of those (among us) preparing for
baptism.

Give them a new birth in these
living waters
and make them members of your
chosen family.
We ask this **People: Amen.**

5. FOR THE UNITY OF CHRISTIANS

Almighty and eternal God,
you keep together those you have
united.
Look kindly on all who follow Jesus
your Son.

our common baptism.
Make us one in the fullness of faith,
and keep us one in the fellowship
of love.

We are all consecrated to you by **People: Amen.**

6. FOR THE JEWISH PEOPLE

Almighty and eternal God,
long ago you gave your promise to
Abraham and his posterity.
Listen to your Church as we pray
that the people you first made your

own
may arrive at the fullness of
redemption.

We ask this **People: Amen.**

7. FOR THOSE WHO DO NOT BELIEVE IN CHRIST

Almighty and eternal God,
enable those who do not
acknowledge Christ
to find the truth
as they walk before you in sincerity
of heart.

another,
to grasp more fully the mystery of
your godhead,
and to become more perfect
witnesses of your love
in the sight of men.

Help us to grow in love for one
We ask this **People: Amen.**

8. FOR THOSE WHO DO NOT BELIEVE IN GOD

Almighty and eternal God,
you created mankind
so that all might long to find you
and have peace when you are found.
Grant that, in spite of the hurtful
things
that stand in their way,

they may all recognize in the lives
of Christians
the tokens of your love and mercy,
and gladly acknowledge you
as the one true God and Father of
us all.

We ask this **People: Amen.**

9. FOR ALL IN PUBLIC OFFICE

Almighty and eternal God,
you know the longings of men's
hearts
and you protect their rights.
In your goodness
watch over those in authority,

so that people everywhere may
enjoy
religious freedom, security, and
peace.

We ask this **People: Amen.**

10. FOR THOSE IN SPECIAL NEED

Almighty, ever-living God,
you give strength to the weary
and new courage to those who have
lost heart.
Hear the prayers of all who call on

you in any trouble
that they may have the joy of
receiving your help in their need.

We ask this **People: Amen.**