

# CHRIST THE KING

ST. MATTHEW CATHOLIC CHURCH

Ant. His kingdom  
lasts, and all kings shall serve him  
and obey.

Ant. Regnum eius regnum semper  
num est, et omnes reges servient ei et  
obedient.

## INTROIT

Vv. Ps. 71(72)

Kingdom, which shall not be destroyed.  
shall not be taken away: so also his  
shall not be interrupted.

V. Potestas eius, potestas aeterna, quae  
non auferetur: et regnum eius, quod  
non corrumpetur.



## ALLELUIA

See Music Issue, #858.

## GLORIA

See Music Issue, #857.

## KYRIE

The Sts. Gregory and Romanos Guild is a Gregorian chant choir serving the parishes of the Champaign Vicariate. Membership is open to anyone who wishes to sing with us; practices are held at Holy Cross in Champaign every Monday at 7 PM. For more information, visit our website at <http://www.schola-champagin.net/> or contact Nichols Hagggin at (217) 722-2840 or directore@schola-champagin.net .

E-ia er-go, Ad-vo-ca-ta nostra, il-los tu-os mi-se-tri-cor-de-s o-cu-los  
ad te sus-pi-ramus, ge-men-te-s et flen-te-s in hac la-cri-ma rum val-le.  
Et je - sum, be-ne dictum fructum ventris tu-i,  
ad nos con-ver-te. Dul-ci - a, O dul-ci Virgo Ma-ri - a.  
ho-bis post hoc ex - si - li - um o - sten - de. O cle - mens,  
dul-ci Virgo Ma-ri - a.

OFFERTORY

Vexilla Christus ínclita  
late triúmphans éplicat:  
gentes adéste súpplices,  
Regique regum pláudite.

Non Ille regna cládibus,  
non vi metúque súbdidit:  
alto levátus stípite,  
amóre traxit ómnia.

O ter beáta cívitás  
cui rite Christus ímparat,  
quæ iussa pergit éxsequi  
edicta mundo cælitus!

Non arma flagrant ímpia,  
pax usque firmat foedera,  
arrídet et concórdia,  
tutus stat ordo cívicus.

Servat fides connúbia,  
iuvénta pubet íntegra,  
púdica florent límina  
domésticis virtútibus.

Optáta nobis spléndeat  
lux ista, Rex dulcissime-  
te, pace adépta cándida,  
adóret orbis súbditus.

Iesu, tibi sit glória,  
qui sceptra mundi témperas,  
cum Patre et almo Spíritu,  
in sempitérna sácula. Amen.

*Now Christ unfurls in triumph high,  
His glorious banner to the sky:  
Ye suppliant nations kneel and praise  
The king of kings with joyful lays.*

*He hath not won his kingdom here  
By devastation, force, or fear;  
But on the Cross uplifted high  
By love alone draws all men nigh.*

*How trebly blessed is the land  
Obedient unto Christ's command,  
Which urges laws that prove the worth  
Of heavenly edicts here on earth.*

*No armed rebellion kindles there,  
Peace strengthens union everywhere,  
And concord smiles; upon all sides  
The civil order safe abides.*

*There married faith is kept secure;  
There ripening youth is ever pure;  
And modest households flourish, fair  
With sweet and homely virtues, there.*

*Pour down that longed-for light of thine  
Upon us all, dear King divine;  
And let the conquered world adore  
In shining peace for evermore.*

*All glory, Lord, to thee, whose sway  
The world's dominion doth obey;  
All glory, as is ever meet,  
To Father and to Paraclete. Amen.*

# **SANCTUS**

See *Music Issue*, #859.

## **MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION**

## **AGNUS DEI**

See *Music Issue*, #862.

## **COMMUNION**

**Ant.** Sedébit Dóminus Rex in ætérnum: Dóminus benedícte populo suu in pace.

**Ant.** The LORD, the King, sits enthroned forever: may the LORD bless his people with peace.

Vv. Ps 28(29)

## **COMMUNION MEDITATION**

Musical notation for the first line of the hymn 'Christus vincit'. The music is in common time with a treble clef. The notes are mostly quarter notes with some eighth notes and rests. The lyrics are written below the notes.

Christus\_ vin-cit, Christus\_ reg --nat, Christus im-pe-rat.

*Christ conquers, Christ reigns, Christ commands.*