

## Pange Lingua Gloriosi

Text: St. Thomas Aquinas (†1274)

1. "Sing, O my tongue, the mystery of the glorious Body and of the precious Blood, which the King of the Gentiles, the fruit of a noble womb, shed for the redemption of the world."



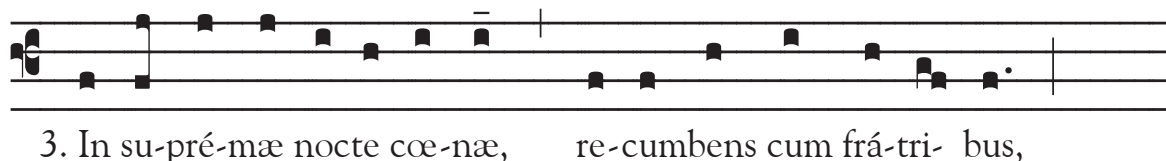
an-ge, língua, glo-ri- ó- si Córpo- ris mysté- ri- um,  
Sangi- nisque pre- ti- ó- si, quem in mundi pré- ti- um, fru- ctus  
ventris ge- ne- ró- si Rex ef- fú- dit gén- ti- um.

2. "Given to us, and born for us of a stainless Virgin, He dwelt on earth sowing the seed of the word, and closed in a wondrous manner the days of His earthly sojourning."



2. No- bis da- tus, no- bis na- tus ex in- tácta Vír- gi- ne, et in mundo  
conver- sá- tus, sparso ver- bi sé- mi- ne, su- i mo- ras in- co- lá- tus  
mi- ro cláu- sit ór- di- ne.

3. "On the night of the Last Supper, reclining with His brethren—the Law having been fully complied with in regard to legal meats—with His own hands, He gives Himself as Food to the assembled twelve."



3. In su- pré- mæ nocte cœ- næ, re- cumbens cum frá- tri- bus,



observá-ta le-ge ple-ne, ci-bis in le- gá-li-bus, ci-bum turbæ



du- o-dé-næ se dat su- is má-ni- bus.

4. "The Word-made-Flesh changes by His word true bread into His Flesh; and wine becomes the Blood of Christ; and if the intellect does not grasp this, faith alone suffices to make sure the sincere heart."



4. Ver-bum ca-ro, pa-nem ve-rum, Verbo carnem éf-fi- cit, fitque

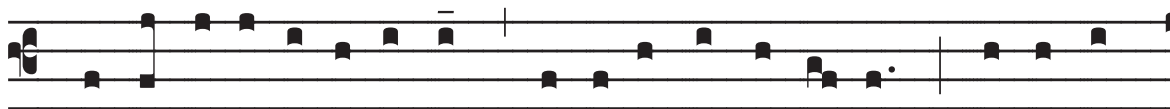


sanguis Chri-sti me-rum, et si sensus dé- fi-cit, ad firmándum



cor sincé-rum so-la fi-des súf-fi- cit.

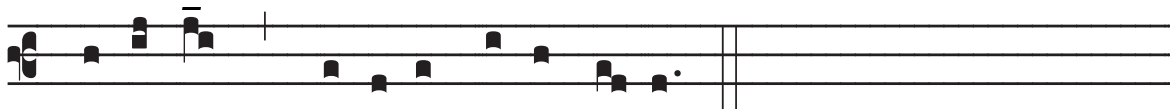
5. "Let us therefore, prostrate, adore so great a Sacrament, and let the Old Law give way to the New Ordinance; let faith supplement the weakness of the senses."



5. Tantum ergo Sacraméntum ve-ne-ré-mur cérnu- i: et an-tí-



quum do-cuméntum no-vo ce-dat rí-tu- i: præstet fi-des sup-



plementum sénsu- um de-fé-ctu- i.

6. "To the Father and to the Son be praise, glory, salvation, honor, power, and benediction also! And to Him proceeding from Them both be equal praise."



6. Ge-ni- tó- ri, Ge-ni- tóque laus et ju-bi-lá-ti- o; sa-lus, ho-nor,



vir-tus quoque sit et be-ne- dícti- o; pro-ce-dénti ab utróque



compar sit laudá-ti- o. A- men.

*Cantus Selecti, Tantum Ergo VII ("Sancte Dei")*