

# Laudem dicite Deo

All Saints, Respond at 1st Vespers

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(c1515 - c1559)

The musical score consists of five staves for Alto 1, Alto 2, Tenor 1, Tenor 2, and Bass. The key signature is common time with one flat. The vocal parts enter sequentially. Alto 1 begins with a single note. Alto 2 follows with a single note. Tenor 1 enters with a sustained note followed by a melodic line: 'Lau - dem di - ci - te \_\_\_\_'. Tenor 2 enters with a sustained note followed by a melodic line: 'De - o nos - - -'. Bass enters with a sustained note followed by a melodic line: 'De - o nos - - -'.

Large accidentals above notes are *musica ficta*;  
small accidentals above notes are cautionary.

The musical score consists of six staves for Alto 1, Alto 2, Tenor 1, Tenor 2, Bass, and a continuo part (B.). The key signature changes to common time with two flats. The vocal parts sing a continuous line of notes. The continuo part (B.) provides harmonic support with sustained notes and eighth-note patterns. The lyrics include: 'tro, nos - tro om - nes san - cti e - ius, om - nes san - cti', 'De - o nos - - - - - tro om - nes', 'tro om - nes - san -', 'tro om - nes san - cti e - - -', and 'tro om - nes san - cti e - - -'.

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A1. e - - - - - ius et qui ti - me - tis De -

A2. san - sancti e - ius, om - nes san - sancti e - ius et qui ti -

T1. 8 - sancti e - - - ius et qui ti - me -

T2. 8 ius, om - nes san - sancti e - ius, om - nes san - sancti e - ius et qui ti -

B. ius, om - nes san - sancti e - - - ius et qui ti - me - tis,

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A1. um, et qui ti - me - tis De - um pu - sil - li et

A2. me - tis De - um pu - sil - li et ma -

T1. 8 tis De - um pu - sil - li

T2. 8 me - tis De - um, De - um pu - sil - li et ma -

B. et qui ti - me - tis De - um pu - sil - li et

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A1. ma - gni, pu - sil - li et ma - gni

A2. - gni, pu - sil - li et ma - gni et ma - gni

T1. 8 et ma - gni

T2. 8 gni, pu - sil - li et ma - gni et ma - gni

B. ma - gni, pu - sil - li et ma - gni

**A**

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A1. quo - ni - am re - gna - vit do - mi - nus, do - mi - nus, re - gna - vit do - mi - nus, quo - ni -

A2. quo - ni - am re - gna - vit do - mi - nus, \_\_\_\_\_ quo

T1. quo - ni - am re - gna - \_\_\_\_\_

T2. quo - ni - am re - gna - vit do - mi - nus De - us nos -

B. quo - ni - m re - gna - vit do - mi - nus De - us nos -

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A1. am re - gna - vit do - mi - nus De - us nos - ter om - ni - po - tens, De - us nos - ter om -

A2. - ni - am re - gna - vit do - mi - nus De - us nos - ter om - ni - po - tens, De - us nos - ter om -

T1. - vit do - mi - nus\_\_\_\_\_ De - - - - us\_\_\_\_\_ nos -

T2. - ter om - ni - po - tens, De - us nos - ter om - ni - po - tens, De - us nos - ter om -

B. ter om - ni - po - tens, De - us nos - ter om - ni - po - tens,

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A1. - ni - po - tens, De - us nos - ter om - ni - po - tens, De - us nos - ter om - ni - po -

A2. ni - po - tens, De - us nos - ter om - ni - po - tens, De - us nos - ter om - ni - po -

T1. - - - - ter\_\_\_\_\_ om - ni -

T2. ni - po - tens, De - us nos - ter om - ni - po - tens, De - us nos - ter om - ni - po -

B. De - us nos - ter om - ni - po - tens, De - us

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A1. tens, De - us nos - ter om - ni po - tens.

A2. tens, om - ni - po tens, De - us nos - ter om - ni - po - tens.

T1. <sup>8</sup> po tens.

T2. <sup>8</sup> tens, De - us nos - ter, De - us nos - ter om - ni - po - tens, om - ni - po - tens.

B. nos - ter om - ni - po - tens, De - us nos - ter om - ni - po - tens.

**B** 57

A1. Gau - de - a mus et ex - ul - te - mus et de -

A2. Gau - de - a - mus, gau - de - a - mus et ex - ul - te - mus et

T1. <sup>8</sup> Gau - de - a - mus et ex - ul - te -

T2. <sup>8</sup> Gau - de - a - mus, gau - de - a - mus et ex - ul - te - mus, et ex - ul -

B. Gau - de - a - mus et ex - ul - te - mus et de - mus,

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A1. mus, et ex - ul - te - mus, et ex - ul - te - mus et de - mus

A2. de - mus, et ex - ul - te - mus et de - mus, et ex - ul - te - mus et de - mus

T1. <sup>8</sup> mus et

T2. <sup>8</sup> te - mus, et ex - ul - te - mus et de -

B. et ex - ul - te - mus et de - mus glo

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A1. — glo - ri - am e - - i, glo - ri - am e - - - - -

A2. glo - ri - am e - - - - i, glo - ri - am e - i, glo -

T1. de - - mus glo - - - - - ri -

T2. 8 mus, et de - - mus glo - ri - am e - - i, glo - ri -

B. glo - ri - am e - - i, glo - ri - am e - - - - -

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A1. - i, glo - ri - am e - - - - - i

A2. - ri - am e - - i, glo - ri - am e - - i

T1. 8 - am - - e - - - - i

T2. 8 am e - - - i, glo - ri - am e - - - - i

B. - - - - - - - - - i

**END**

T1. 8 Ge - nus\_ e - lec - tum gens san - cta po - pu - lus\_ ac - qui - si - ti - o - - nis\_

T1. 8 me - mo - res me - mo - rum\_ lau - da - - - - te\_ De - - um\_

**Repeat from A to END**

T1. 8 Glo - ri - a\_ pa - tri et fi - li - o\_ et\_ spi - ri - tu - i san - cto\_

**Repeat from B to END**

Speak praise to our God, all ye who are his saints, and all ye who fear God, both small and great;  
for the Lord God Almighty is King. Let us rejoice and exult and give him glory.  
O chosen race, O holy nation, O ye who are his people, be mindful of God and praise him.  
Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost.