

# Benedictus

(A flat)

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**Allegro moderato**

*f*

Treble

Bles - sed be the Lord God of Is - ra - el

Alto

Bles - sed be the Lord God of Is - ra - el

Tenor

Bles - sed be the Lord God of Is - ra - el

Bass

Bles - sed be the Lord God of Is - ra - el

Organ

*f* Gt.

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6

*mp*

*f*

Tr.

for he \_\_\_\_\_ hath vis- i - ted and re - deem - ed his peo - ple; And hath rais - ed

*mp*

*f*

A.

for he \_\_\_\_\_ hath vis- i - ted and re - deem - ed his peo - ple; And hath rais - ed

*mp*

*f*

T.

for he \_\_\_\_\_ hath vis- i - ted and re - deem - ed his peo - ple; And hath rais - ed

*mp*

*f*

B.

for he hath vis- i - ted and re - deem - ed his peo - ple; And hath rais - ed

Org.

*mp* Ch.

*f* Gt.

senza Ped.

Ped.

11

Tr. up a migh-ty sal - va - tion for us in the house of his ser - vant Da - vid; As he

A. up a migh-ty sal - va - tion for us in the house of his ser - vant Da - vid; As he

T. up a migh-ty sal - va - tion for us in the house of his ser - vant Da - vid; As he

B. up a migh-ty sal - va - tion for us in the house of his ser - vant Da - vid; As he

Org. *mp* Ch. *f* Gt. senza Ped.

16

Tr. spake by the mouth of his ho - ly Pro phets which have been since the world be - gan; That

A. spake by the mouth of his ho - ly Pro phets which have been since the world be - gan; That

T. spake by the mouth of his ho - ly Pro phets which have been since the world be - gan; That

B. spake by the mouth of his ho - ly Pro phets which have been since the world be - gan; That

Org. Ch. Gt. *f* senza Ped. Ped.

21

Tr. we should be sav - ed from our en - e - mies and from the hands of all that

A. we should be sav - ed from our en - e - mies and from the hands of all that

T. we should be sav - ed from our en - e - mies and from the hands of all that

B. we should be sav - ed from our en - e - mies and from the hands of all that

Org. senza Ped. Ped.

26

Tr. *p* hate us; To per - form the mer - cy pro - mis - ed to our fore - fa - thers

A. *p* hate us; To per - form the mer - cy pro - mis - ed to our fore - fa - thers

T. *p* hate us; To per - form the mer - cy pro - mis - ed to our fore - fa - thers

B. *p* hate us; To per - form the mer - cy pro - mis - ed to our fore - fa - thers

Org. *p* Sw. Ped.

30

Tr. *cresc.* and to re - mem - ber his ho - ly Cov - e - nant; To per - form the oath which he sware

A. *cresc.* and to re - mem - ber his ho - ly Cov - e - nant; To per - form the oath which he

T. *cresc.* and to re - mem - ber his ho - ly Cov - e - nant; To per - form the oath which he sware

B. *cresc.* and to re - mem - ber his ho - ly Cov - e - nant; To per - form the oath which he

Org. *cresc.*

34

Tr. *dim.* to our fore - fa - ther A - bra - ham that he would give us; That *p* *f*

A. *dim.* sware to our fore - fa - ther A - bra - ham that he would give us; That *p* *f*

T. *dim.* to our fore - fa - ther A - bra - ham that he would give us; That *p* *f*

B. *dim.* sware to our fore - fa - ther A - bra - ham that he would give us; That *p* *f*

Org. *dim.* *p* *f*

38

Tr. we be-ing de - li - ver-ed out of the hand of our en - e - mies

A. we be-ing de - li - ver-ed out of the hand of our en - e - mies

T. we be-ing de - li - ver-ed out of the hand of our en - e - mies

B. we be-ing de - li - ver-ed out of the hand of our en - e - mies might

Org. Gt. Ped.

42

Tr. might serve him with - out fear; In ho - li - ness and right - eous - ness be - *mf* *dim.*

A. might serve him with - out fear; In ho - li - ness and right - eous - ness be - *mf* *dim.*

T. might serve him with - out fear; In ho - li - ness and right - eous - ness be - *mf* *dim.*

B. serve him with out fear; In ho - li - ness and right - eous - ness be - *mf* *dim.*

Org. *mf* *dim.* senza Ped. Ped.

46

Tr. fore him all the days of our life. *p*

A. fore him all the days of our life. *p*

T. fore him all the days of our life. *p* *f marcato* And thou Child shalt be

B. fore him all the days of our life. *p* *f marcato* And thou Child shalt be

Org. *p* *f* Gt. Ped.

52

Tr.

A.

T.  
8

B.

Org.

cal - led the Pro - phet of the High - est for thou shalt go be - fore the

cal - led the Pro - phet of the High - est for thou shalt go be - fore the

57

Tr.

A.

T.  
8

B.

Org.

*p*

To give know - ledge of sal - va - tion un - to his

face of the Lord to pre - pare his ways;

face of the Lord to pre - pare his ways;

solo

*p* Sw.

62

Tr.

A.

T.  
8

B.

Org.

peo - ple for the re - mis - sion of their sins,

*p*

Through the

*p*

Through the ten - der

*p* Sw.

Ped.

67 *p dolce*

Tr. Through the ten-der mer-cy of our God where-by the day -

A. *p* Through the ten-der, ten-der mer-cy of our God where-by the

T. 8 ten-der, ten-der—mer-cy of our God where-by the—

B. mer-cy— the ten-der mer-cy of our God where-by the

Org.

senza Ped.

73

Tr. - spring from on high hath vis-i-ted us; To give light to them that sit in dark-ness

A. day spring from on high hath vis-i-ted us; To give light to them that sit in dark-ness

T. 8 day spring from on high hath vis-i-ted us; To give light to them that sit in dark-ness

B. day spring from on high hath vis-i-ted us; To give light to them that sit in dark-ness

Org.

Ped.

78 *rall.* *meno mosso* *pp*

Tr. and in the sha-dow of death and to guide our feet—

A. *pp* and in the sha-dow of death and to guide to guide our

T. 8 *pp* and in the sha-dow of death and to guide our feet—

B. *pp* and in the sha-dow of death and to guide our

Org. *rall.* *meno mosso*

83 **Tempo I**

Tr. — in - to the way of peace. Glo - ry be to the Fa - ther, and to the

A. feet in - to the way of peace. Glo - ry be to the Fa - ther, and to the

T. — in - to the way of peace. Glo - ry be to the Fa - ther, and to the

B. feet in - to the way of peace. Glo - ry be to the Fa - ther, and to the

Org. *Gt. f*

88

Tr. Son, and to the Ho - ly Ghost; As it was —

A. Son, and to the Ho - ly Ghost; As it was —

T. Son, and to the Ho - ly Ghost; As it was —

B. Son, and to the Ho - ly Ghost; As it was —

Org. *mf* senza Ped. *f* Ped.

92

Tr. in the be - gin - ning, is now, and ev - er shall be, world with - out — end, —

A. in the be - gin - ning, is now, and ev - er shall be, world with - out —

T. in the be - gin - ning, is now, and ev - er shall be, world with - out — end, —

B. in the be - gin - ning, is now, and ev - er shall be, world with - out —

Org.

97

Tr. world with - out end, A - - - - -

A. end, world with - out end,

T. 8 world with - out end, A - - - - -

B. end, world with - out end, A - -

Org.

100

Tr. - - - men, A - - - men, **rall.** A - - - - - men.

A. A - - - men, A - - - men, A - - - - - men.

T. 8 - - - men, A - - - men, A - - - - - men.

B. - - - men, A - - - men, A - - - - - men.

Org. **rall.**