

2024-12-29 Meditation for the Second Sunday of Christmas is now available at: <https://pgimf.org/meditations/>

Theme song (7th-century hymn):

Creator of the stars of night
Your people's everlasting light,
O Christ, Redeemer of us all,
We pray you hear us when we call

In sorrow that the ancient curse
Should doom to death a universe

Mass in D major, Quoniam and Cum Sancto Spiritu, P. 46 (c. 1731; pub. 1787)

Lyrics: Mass Ordinary

Music: Giovanni Battista Pergolesi (1710-1736)

Artists: Ghislieri Choir & Consort, Giulio Prandi (dir.)

Francesca Boncompagni (soprano), Sonia Tedia (soprano)

Maria Chiara Gallo (mezzosoprano), Michele Concato (tenor), Matteo Bellotto (bass)
Utrecht, Festival Oudemuziek (August 24, 2019)

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=FLreNPUr IE> (gives the entire work performed live)

VIII. Quoniam

[Instrumental ritornello]

Quoniam tu solus sanctus.

For you alone are holy.

Tu solus Dominus.

You alone are Lord.

Tu solus Altissimus, Jesu Christe.

You alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ.

[Closing instrumental ritornello]

IX. Cum Sancto Spiritu

Cum Sancto Spiritu in gloria Dei Patris. Amen.

With the Holy Spirit in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

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