

Blessed Be St. Joseph

(for two equal voices, accompanied or unaccompanied)

Composed by a

Benedictine of Mary, Queen of Apostles

Translation: *Christ the Son of God, who deigned to be thought the son of Joseph, come let us adore Him.*

♩ = c. 104

Refrain

Sop. *mp* Christ-um, De - i Fi - li - um qui - pu -

Alto Christ - um De - i Fi - li - um qui -

7 - ta - ri dig - na - tus est fi - li - us Jo - seph, -

- pu - ta - ri dig - na - tus est fi - li - us Jo - seph,

13 ve - ni - te, a - dor - e - mus. -

Ve - ni - te, a - do - re - mus. poco rit. - - - -

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SA

1. Bles-sed be the eyes that hast seen what thou hast seen,____
 2. Bles-sed is thy heart all a - flame with ar - dent love,____

mp

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Bles - sed be the ears that have heard what thou hast heard, -
 Cho - sen and be - lov'd by the Ho - ly Tri - ni - ty. -

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Bles - sed be the arms____ that have held thy Cre - a - tor, -
 Bles - sed be thy vir - gin spouse, en - trust - ed un - to thee, -

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Bles - sed be the hands that have la - bored for the Word.
 Bless____ all dear Jo - seph, who love and hon - or thee!

to Refrain

SAINTS

*St. Joseph***O blessed Saint Joseph**

The Patronage of St. Joseph

Father Faber

Melody from the
Trier Gesangbuch (1872)

Moderato

mf

1. O bless-ed Saint Jo-seph, how great was thy worth, The
 2. For thou to the pil-grim art fa-ther and guide, And

one chos-en shad-ow of God up-on earth, The
 Je-sus and Ma-ry felt safe by thy side; Ah,

fa-ther of Je-sus!—Ah, then, wilt thou be, Sweet
 bless-ed Saint Jo-seph, how safe I should be, Sweet

spouse of our La-dy! a fa-ther to me?
 spouse of our La-dy! if thou wert with me!



1. Jo - seph, be our guide and pat - tern, Faith - ful
2. Faith - ful to the guid - ing vi - sion, Lis - t'ning
3. Lead - ing them through man - y dan - gers To the
4. Work - man skilled with saw and ham - mer, Strong to



to your sa - cred trust, Strong pro - tec - tor of the Vir - gin
to the an - gel's word; Shield - ing Mar - y from all slan - der,
home in Na - za - reth, Hum - bly for their needs pro - vid - ing
earn the dai - ly bread, From the gifts of God cre - a - ting



And the in - fant, Je - sus Christ. Jo - seph, firm and
Guard - ing Christ, both Son and Lord. Jo - seph, true and
In your wise and stead - fast faith. Jo - seph, brave, o -
Use - ful things for peo - ple's need. Jo - seph, strong and



faith - ful, guide us, Jo - seph walk the way with us.
trust - ing, guide us, Jo - seph walk the way with us.
be - dient, guide us, Jo - seph walk the way with us.
stead - fast, guide us, Jo - seph walk the way with us.

Tune: LAUDA ANIMA (WIII #530)

Text: WIII #693

Mortem tuam

harm. RKF

Mor-tem tu - am an-nun-ti - a - mus, Do - mi - ne,

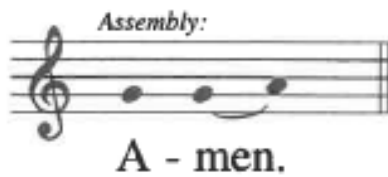
The first system of musical notation consists of two staves. The upper staff is in treble clef and contains a melody of eighth and quarter notes, with a key signature change to one sharp (F#) in the final measure. The lower staff is in bass clef and provides a harmonic accompaniment with chords and moving lines. The lyrics 'Mor-tem tu - am an-nun-ti - a - mus, Do - mi - ne,' are written above the upper staff.

et tu - am re-sur-rec-ti - o - nem con-fi-te - mur, do - nec ve-ni - as.

The second system of musical notation continues the piece with two staves. The upper staff in treble clef carries the vocal melody, and the lower staff in bass clef provides the accompaniment. The lyrics 'et tu - am re-sur-rec-ti - o - nem con-fi-te - mur, do - nec ve-ni - as.' are written above the upper staff.

Doxology & Amen

Priest: Through him, and with him, and in him,
O God, almighty Father,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
all glory and honor is yours,
for ever and ever.



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