Laudate, Laudate Dominum

*Millennium Hymn*

for the new Cathedral of Our Lady of the Angels, Los Angeles, California

Christopher Walker

INTRO: \( \frac{\text{f}}{\text{ca. 112}} \)

Keyboard

REFRAIN

Descant

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\text{Laudate omnes gentes, laudate}
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Soprano/Melody

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\text{We praise you, God of justice, we}
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Alto

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\text{Laudate, laudate Dominum, omnes gentes, laudate}
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We praise you, we praise your holy name, God of justice, we

Tenor

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Bass

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\text{Laudate omnes gentes, laudate}
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Four-part brass, timpani and solo instrument parts are available in manuscript form, edition 70078.
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Laudate te. Exultate, jubilate
May our living be thanks-giving

Laudate Dominum. Exsultate, jubilate perpetually the same. May our living be thanks-giving, re-

Omnes gentes. Lau-
now and always. We

annos Dominii, omnes gentes. Lauda-
ting, in your name, now and always. We praise you, we

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Laudate, Laudate Dominum

praise you, God of justice, we praise you,

praise your holy name, God of justice, eternally the same. May our

Jubilate per annum Domini, omnes gentes.
we praise you, rejoicing in your name now and always.

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living be thanks-giving, rejoicing in your name now and always.
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Optional Final Ending

Laude - te, om - nes gen - tes.
always. We praise you, God of justice.

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gen - tes.
Laude - te, om - nes gen - tes,____
always. We praise you, God of justice.

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ju - bi - la - te!
now and always.

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VERSES

1. In the faith of Christ, we walk hand in hand, light before our path as the
2. In the name of Christ we will spread the seed; share the Word of God with all
3. In the pow’r of Christ we proclaim one Lord. All who put on Christ are by

1. Caminamos juntos en la fe de Cristo. Luz en nuestra senda es el
2. Con los pobres compartimos luz de Cristo, y sembramos la palabra
3. Los benditos en un solo Señor, restaurados todos por la

1. Lord has planned; shining the torch of faith in our land;
2. those in need, faithful in thought and word and deed;
3. faith restored; sharing new life, salvation’s reward;

1. don de Dios, antorchas de fe, que iluminen al mundo,
2. del Señor, fieles en obra y nuestro pensamiento;
3. fe en Cristo, al canzarmos la nueva vida,

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Additional Verses

4. In the life of Christ, through the blood he shed, we are justified, and by him are fed, nourished by word and living bread: in the name of Christ Jesus.

5. In the Church of God we are unified, by the Spirit’s pow’r we are sanctified, temples of grace, where God may abide: by the pow’r of the Spirit.

6. Praise to God the Father while ages-run. Praise to Christ the Savior, God’s only Son, praise to the Holy Spirit be sung: omnes gentes, laudate.

Ordination Verses

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2. Con los po - bres com - par - ti - mos luz de Cris - to, y sem - bramos la pa - la - bra
3. Los bau - ti - za - dos en un so - lo Se - ñor; res - tau - ra - dos por la

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2. del Se - ñor, fie - les en o - bra y nues - tro pen - sar,
3. fe en Cris - to, al can - za - mos la nue - va vi - da,

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This Millennium hymn was commissioned by the Archdiocese of Los Angeles for the ground-breaking ceremony of the new Cathedral of Our Lady of the Angels. It was written to be useful in a variety of situations. A refrain in Latin was chosen as a universal symbol for multi-language occasions.

Verses are provided in English and Spanish, with two special verses for ordinations. If you want to sing verses in other languages, feel free to adapt the given words and fashion verses in the language(s) of your parish. Send translations to OCP for possible distribution to other parishes seeking optional languages.

*Laudate, Laudate Dominum* is a processional song for the beginning or end of a celebration. It may be sung on all joyful occasions such as Dedications, Ordinations and Holy Orders. It also works well at liturgies with themes of discipleship and mission.

The piece can be sung in a variety of ways, depending on the resources of your parish or diocese:

1) with keyboard accompaniment, the refrain and verses sung by the whole assembly in unison.
2) with the assembly singing just the refrain, supported by the choir adding harmony and a descant, and a cantor or the choir singing the verses.
3) with a contemporary group (guitars and keyboards) using the chords as a basis and adding harmony and the instrument part for variety.
4) with full organ, brass and timpani for grand occasions and choral festivals using the optional final ending.

Parts for four-part brass, timpani, and solo instrument are available in manuscript form, edition 70078. The piece is ideal as a wedding processional by playing the accompaniment on the organ, leaving out the introduction. Instruments may play the soprano and solo instrument parts.

I am most grateful to Frank Brownstead for his encouragement and advice on the way to construct the hymn, to Father William Bonner SVD, chairperson of the committee that commissioned it, Canon Noel Vincent, of Liverpool Cathedral, and to Sue Pontin for her invaluable help in writing the Latin refrain. Translation: “Praise the Lord, all people. Praise and be joyful through the years of the Lord.”

—C.W.
LAUDATE, LAUDATE DOMINUM

REFRAIN
Laudate, laudate Dominum, omnes gentes, laudate Dominum.
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5. In the Church of God, we are unified,
6. Praise to God the Father while a CREW runs.

4. Organ al Señor y asigenle,
5. En la iglesia es tama nos unidos,

4. we are justified and by him are fed,
5. by the Spirit's power we are sanctified,
6. Praise to Christ the Saviour, God's only Son.

4. ven gan a la bar y comer de El,
5. san ti ficados por el Espíritu, mos,
6. siempre bendito sea el Hijo de Dios.

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5. temples of grace, where God may abide:
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6. omnes gentes, laudate.

4. en el nom bre de Cristo
5. por el poder del Espíritu
6. omnes gentes, laudate.