

Alma Redemptoris Mater

Marian antiphon for Advent

Bassus II (part 8 of 8)

Tomàs Luis de Victoria (1548-1611)

Cantica B. Virginis vulgo magnificat (Dominici Basae press, Rome, 1581)

The musical score for *Alma Redemptoris Mater* (Bassus II, part 8) features two voices (indicated by numbers 1 and 2) in common time. The key signature is one flat. The lyrics are written below the notes, corresponding to the musical phrases. Measure numbers are placed above the staves at various points.

Measures 1-2: Re - dem - pto - ris Ma - ter, quæ per - vi-

Measures 3-4: a cæ - - li por - ta ma - - nes,

Measures 5-6: por - ta ma - nes, et stel - la ma - ris, ma -

Measures 7-8: - ris, suc - cur - re ca - den - ti, suc - cur -

Measures 9-10: re ca - den - ti sur - ge-re, sur - ge-re qui cu - rat po - pu - lo. Tu,

Measures 11-12: tu, tu quæ ge - nu - i - sti, na - tu - ra, na - tu -

Measures 13-14: ra mi - ran - te, tu - um san - ctum Ge - ni - to - rem:

Measures 15-16: 1 Vir - go, 1 Vir - go pri - us ac po -

Measures 17-18: ste - - ri - us, 2 Ga - bri - e - lis ab o - -

Measures 19-20: re su - mens il - lud a - ve, a - ve, 2 pec - ca - to -

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