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Os iusti meditabitur

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Gradual (de Confessore)

S, A, T, B (coro), 2 ob, 2 clno (C), timp (C-G), 2 vl, vla, vlc, b, org

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Full score





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Critical Report

Abbreviations

A	alto
B	bass
b	basses
clno	clarion
ob	oboe
org	organ
S	soprano
T	tenor
timp	timpani
vl	violin
vla	viola
vlc	violoncello

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Lyrics

Os iusti meditabitur sapientiam,
et lingua eius loquetur iudicium.
Lex Dei eius in corde ipsius,
et non supplantabuntur gressus eius.
(Psalms 37(36):30–31)

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Adagio

Oboe I, II

*Clarino I, II
in C*

*Timpani
in C-G*

I
Violino

II

Violà

Soprano

Alto

Tenore

Basso

*Violoncello
e Bassi*

Organo

7

p Tutti

Os iu - sti me-di - ta - bitur, me-di - ta - bi-tur sa - pi -

p Tutti

Os iu - sti me-di - ta - bitur, me-di - ta - bi-tur sa - pi -

p Tutti

8 Os iu - sti me-di - ta - bitur, me-di - ta - bitur sa - pi -

p Tutti

Os iu - sti me-di - ta - bitur, me-di - ta - bi-tur sa - pi -

tasto solo

14

en - ti - am, me - di - ta - bi - tur sa - pi - en - ti - am,
 en - ti - am, me - di - ta - bi - tur sa - pi - en - ti - am,
 en - ti - am, me - di - ta - bi - tur sa - pi - en - ti - am,
 en - ti - am, me - di - ta - bi - tur sa - pi - en - ti - am,

cresc.
 cresc.
 cresc.
 cresc.

p
p
p
p

Allegro con spirito

21 a 2

Violin I:

- Measure 21: Rest (1st measure), eighth note (2nd measure), eighth note (3rd measure), eighth note (4th measure), eighth note (5th measure).
- Measure 22: Rest (1st measure), eighth note (2nd measure), eighth note (3rd measure), eighth note (4th measure), eighth note (5th measure).

Violin II:

- Measure 21: Rest (1st measure), eighth note (2nd measure), eighth note (3rd measure), eighth note (4th measure), eighth note (5th measure).
- Measure 22: Rest (1st measure), eighth note (2nd measure), eighth note (3rd measure), eighth note (4th measure), eighth note (5th measure).

Cello/Bass:

- Measure 21: Rest (1st measure), eighth note (2nd measure), eighth note (3rd measure), eighth note (4th measure), eighth note (5th measure).
- Measure 22: Rest (1st measure), eighth note (2nd measure), eighth note (3rd measure), eighth note (4th measure), eighth note (5th measure).

Double Bass:

- Measure 21: Rest (1st measure), eighth note (2nd measure), eighth note (3rd measure), eighth note (4th measure), eighth note (5th measure).
- Measure 22: Rest (1st measure), eighth note (2nd measure), eighth note (3rd measure), eighth note (4th measure), eighth note (5th measure).

Trombones:

- Measure 21: Rest (1st measure), eighth note (2nd measure), eighth note (3rd measure), eighth note (4th measure), eighth note (5th measure).
- Measure 22: Rest (1st measure), eighth note (2nd measure), eighth note (3rd measure), eighth note (4th measure), eighth note (5th measure).

Timpani:

- Measure 21: Rest (1st measure), eighth note (2nd measure), eighth note (3rd measure), eighth note (4th measure), eighth note (5th measure).
- Measure 22: Rest (1st measure), eighth note (2nd measure), eighth note (3rd measure), eighth note (4th measure), eighth note (5th measure).

Vocal Line:

- Measure 21: 'et lin-gua e - ius,' followed by a repeat sign and 'et lin-gua e - ius.'
- Measure 22: 'et lin-gua e - ius,' followed by a repeat sign and 'et lin-gua e - ius.'

Dynamic Markings:

- Measure 21: f
- Measure 22: f
- Measure 22 (end): f
- Measure 22 (end): Tutti
- Measure 22 (end): 6 6

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a 2

f

que - tur, lo - quetur iu - di - ci - um, iu - di - ci - um, lo - que - tur, lo -

que - tur, lo - quetur iu - di - ci - um, iu - di - ci - um, lo - que - tur, lo -

que - tur, lo - quetur iu - di - ci - um, iu - di - ci - um, lo - que - tur, lo -

que - tur, lo - quetur iu - di - ci - um, iu - di - ci - um, lo - que - tur, lo -

[6] 6 7 8

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que - tur iu - di - ci - um. Lex De - i e - ius in cor - de i -

que - tur iu - di - ci - um. Lex De - i e - ius in cor - de i -

que - tur iu - di - ci - um. Lex De - i e - ius in cor - de i -

que - tur iu - di - ci - um. Lex De - i e - ius in cor - de i -

[5] 6 6] 5 6 6 6 6

41 a 2

psi - us, in cor - de, in cor - de i - psi - - us, et non su -
 ff

psi - us, in cor - de, in cor - de i - psi - - us, et non su -
 ff

psi - us, in cor - de, in cor - de i - psi - - us, et non su -
 ff

ff

6 7 4 6 [6] 5 6 ff

47

plan - ta - bun - tur, et non su - plan - ta - bun - tur

plan - ta - bun - tur, et non su - plan - ta - bun - tur

plan - ta - bun - tur, et non su - plan - ta - bun - tur

plan - ta - bun - tur, et non su - plan - ta - bun - tur

7 3 3

7 # 3 3 #

54

61

decresc.

decresc.

decresc.

tur.

tur.

tur.

decresc.

Solo \sharp 5 $\frac{6}{5}$ 6 \sharp decresc.

67

The musical score consists of six staves. The top three staves (Treble, Bass, and Alto) are blank with rests. The fourth staff (Treble) begins with a dynamic **p**. The fifth staff (Treble) also begins with a dynamic **p**. The sixth staff (Bass) begins with a dynamic **p**. The vocal parts (Treble and Bass) sing the lyrics "Os iu - sti me - di - ta - bi - tur," repeated three times. The bass part continues the melody. The final staff is labeled "P tasto solo".

Treble staff lyrics: Os iu - sti me - di - ta - bi - tur,

Bass staff lyrics: Os iu - sti me - di - ta - bi - tur,

Bass staff lyrics: Os iu - sti me - di - ta - bi - tur,

Bass staff lyrics: Os iu - sti me - di - ta - bi - tur,

Bass staff lyrics: Os iu - sti me - di - ta - bi - tur,

P

p

p

p

p

p

P tasto solo

76

me - di - ta - bi - tur sa - pi - en - ti - am,

me - di - ta - bi - tur sa - pi - en - ti - am,

me - di - ta - bi - tur sa - pi - en - ti - am,

me - di - ta - bi - tur sa - pi - en - ti - am,

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me - di - ta - - bi - tur sa - - pi - en -
me - di - ta - - bi - tur sa - - pi - en -
me - di - ta - - bi - tur sa - - pi - en -
me - di - ta - - bi - tur sa - - pi - en -

cresc.

cresc.

cresc.

cresc.

p

93

a 2

f

p

p

p

p

- ti - am, et lin-gua e - ius, et lin-gua e - ius,
- ti - am, et lin-gua e - ius, et lin-gua
- ti - am, et lin-gua e - ius, et lin-gua
- ti - am, et lin-gua e - ius, et lin-gua

f Tutti

6

7

99

a 2

et lin-gua e - ius lo - que - tur, lo - que-tur iu - di - ci - um, iu -

e - ius, et lin-gua e - ius lo - que-tur iu - di - ci - um, iu -

e - ius, et lin-gua e - ius lo - que-tur iu - di - ci - um, iu -

6 6 6 7

105

di - ci - um, lo - que - tur, lo - que - tur iu - di - ci - um.

di - ci - um, lo - que - tur, lo - que - tur iu - di - ci - um.

di - ci - um, lo - que - tur, lo - que - tur iu - di - ci - um.

di - ci - um, lo - que - tur, lo - que - tur iu - di - ci - um.

8

[6] [5] 4 6 6

111

Lex De - i e - ius in cor - de i - psi - us, in cor - de, in cor - de i -

Lex De - i e - ius in cor - de i - psi - us, in cor - de, in cor - de i -

⁸ Lex De - i e - ius in cor - de i - psi - us, in cor - de, in cor - de i -

Lex De - i e - ius in cor - de i - psi - us, in cor - de, in cor - de i -

$\frac{2}{3}$ $\frac{5}{3}$ 6 6 6 6 $\frac{6}{4}$ $\frac{5}{3}$ 4 [6] 6

117

a 2

ff

ff

ff

ff

psi - - us, et non su - plan-ta - bun - tur, et non su -

ff

psi - - us, et non su - plan-ta - bun - tur, et non su -

ff

psi - - us, et non su - plan-ta - bun - tur, et non su -

ff

psi - - us, et non su - plan-ta - bun - tur, et non su -

ff

4 6 - **ff** **b7** 3 3 3

124

8

p

plan - ta - bun - - tur gres - sus e - ius, gres - sus e - ius

p

plan - ta - bun - - tur gres - sus e - ius, gres - sus e - ius

p

⁸ plan - ta - bun - - tur gres - sus e - ius, gres - sus e - ius

p

plan - ta - bun - - tur gres - sus e - ius, gres - sus e - ius

p

Solo

$\frac{7}{3}$ $\frac{5}{3}$ $\frac{6}{4}$ $\frac{7}{5}$ $\frac{5}{3}$ $\frac{6}{4}$ $\frac{7}{5}$

131

f

f

f

f

f

f

f

f

non, non, non su - plan - ta - bun - tur.

f

non, non, non su - plan - ta - bun - tur.

f

non, non, non su - plan - ta - bun - tur.

f

non, non, non su - plan - ta - bun - tur.

f

f Tutti

7 4 3 Solo

[4]6

137

The musical score consists of four staves. The top staff is soprano, the second is alto, the third is tenor, and the bottom is bass. The music begins with a forte dynamic. The alto and bass staves have rests. The tenor staff has a sustained note followed by a fermata. The soprano staff has a sustained note. The music then transitions to a piano dynamic. The alto and bass staves have sustained notes. The tenor staff has eighth-note patterns. The soprano staff has sixteenth-note patterns. The music continues with sustained notes in the alto and bass staves, while the tenor and soprano provide harmonic support. The lyrics "Alleluia" are repeated three times in a descending pattern from soprano to bass. The final measure shows a tutti dynamic with a bassoon part.

Al - le - lu - ia, *al - le - lu - ia,*

Al - le - lu - ia, *al - le - lu - ia,*

Al - le - lu - ia, *al - le - lu - ia,*

Al - le - lu - ia, *al - le - lu - ia,*

Tutti

[6] [5]

143

al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia,

al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia,

al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia,

al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia,

6 6 6 6 6 6 5 5 4 5 6

4
3 3

149

The musical score consists of six staves of music. The top three staves are treble clef, the bottom three are bass clef. The key signature changes throughout the piece. The lyrics "al - le - lu - ia," are repeated four times across the staves, with the eighth repetition starting with a measure number 8. Measure numbers 149 through 154 are indicated above the staves. Time signatures include common time, 6/4, 8/6, 7/5, 6/4, 6/3, 6/4, and 5/3.

al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia,
 al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia,
 8 al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia,
 al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia,
 al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia,

5 ————— 6 8 7
 3 ————— 6 3
 6 ————— 6
 4 3
 6 5 [3]

