FUNERAL MASS

Gregorian Chant for the English Propers of the Mass

Antiphons of the Roman Missal

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INTROIT

Requiem aeternam

6. Eternal rest * grant unto them, O Lord: and let perpetual light shine upon them. Ps. To you our praise is due in Zion, O God. To you we pay our vows, you who hear our prayer. Ant. Eternal.

ANTIPHON

In Paradisum

AY the angels take you into paradise, may the martyrs come to welcome you on your way, and lead you into the holy city, Jerusalem. May the choir of angels welcome you, and with Lazarus who once was poor, may you have everlasting rest.
Chants for the Last Farewell

RESPONSORY
Subvenite

4. Saints of God, come to his/her aid! Hasten to meet him/her, angels of the Lord! * Receive his/her soul and present him/her to God the Most High.

V May Christ, who called you, take you to himself; may angels lead you to the bosom of Abraham. Receive.

V Eternal rest grant unto him/her, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon him/her. Receive.

OFFERTORY
Domine Iesu Christe

2. O Lord Jesus Christ, King of glory,
derive the souls of all the departed faithful from the sufferings of hell and from the deep pit; derive them from the mouth of the lion,
may they not be swallowed up by hell, may they not fall into darkness; but may Saint Michael, the standard bearer, present them in holy light
* as you promised long ago to

A-bram and his descend-ants. Ἔ We of-fer our

sa-cri-fices and our prayers to you, O Lord; re-

ceive them for the souls that we are re-mem-ber-ing

to-day; O Lord, make them pass from death

to life * as you

COMMUNION

Lux aeterna

8. May e-ter-nal light shine upon them, O Lord, in

the com-pan-y of your saints for e-ter-ni-ty, for

you are full of goodness.