

Deo Dicamus Gratias

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Three-part Mixed (15/1782H)

In liturgical Latin, unlike English, all the vowel sounds should be pure and unchanging. Following is a pronunciation and translation guide for your use with this work:

<i>Déo</i>	<i>dicámus</i>	<i>grátias.</i>
Déh-aw	dee-kah-moos	grah-tsee-ahs
<i>(To God</i>	<i>let us say</i>	<i>thanks.)</i>
<i>Benedicámus</i>	<i>Dómino.</i>	
Beh-neh-dee-kah-moos	Daw-mee-naw	
<i>(Let us give praise</i>	<i>to the Lord.)</i>	

For additional information on Latin pronunciations, translations, and usage, refer to *Translations and Annotations of Choral Repertoire, Volume 1: Sacred Latin Texts*, by Ron Jeffers (1988, Earthsongs).

29 *p* *mf*
no. Be - ne - di - ca - mus
p *mf*
Be - ne - di - ca - mus,

32 **Boldly** *rit.* *f* **Tempo I** **Quarter=76**
Do - mi - no! De - o di - ca - mus
rit. *f*
Boldly *rit.* **Tempo I** *mf*

35
gra - ti - as, De - o gra - ti - as.

38 *f* *mf*

De - o di - ca - mus gra - ti - as, De - o

41 *rit.*

gra - ti - as!

44 *Gently mp rit.*

De - o gra - ti - as.

Gently mp

rit.

Gently mp

rit.

8va