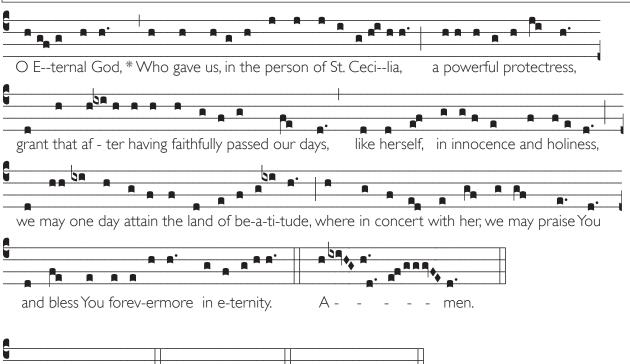
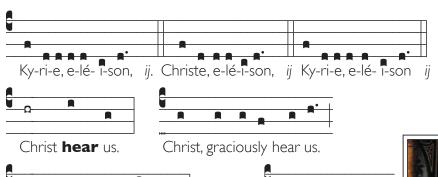
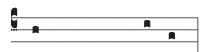
## A Chant Novena to Saint Cecilia







God the Father of **heav**en. God the Son, Redeemer of **the** world, Have mercy on us. God the Holy **Spi**rit, Holy Trinity, **one** God,



Holy Mary, Mother of God, Saint Cecilia,

Saint Cecilia, wise **vir**gin,

Saint Cecilia, whose heart burned with the fire of divine love, Saint Cecilia, apostle by your zeal and **cha**rity,

Have mercy on us. Have mercy on us. Have mercy on us.



Pray for us.



Saint Cecilia, who converted your spouse and procured for him the crown of **mar**tyrdom,

Saint Cecilia, who by your pleadings moved the hearts of pagans, and brought them into the **true** Church,

Saint Cecilia, who did unceasingly see your guardian angel by your side,

Saint Cecilia, who mingled your voice with the celestial harmonies of the **vir**gins,

Saint Cecilia, who by your melodious accents celebrated the praises of Jesus,

Saint Cecilia, illustrious martyr of Jesus Christ,

Saint Cecilia, who during three days suffered most excruciating torments,

Saint Cecilia, consolation of the afflicted,

Saint Cecilia, protectress of all who invoke you,

Saint Cecilia, patroness of holy canticles,

Saint Cecilia, special patroness and advocate of all singers, musicians, authors, and **stud**ents,

We salute you, O Virgin, who gave your blood for the defense and faith of Jesus Christ.

We seek your prayers for liturgical music that is beautiful, holy, and universal.





Lamb of God, you take away the sins of **the** world Spare **us**, O Lord. Lamb of God, you take away the sins of **the** world, Graciously hear **us,** O Lord. Lamb of God, you take away the sins of **the** world, Have mercy on us.

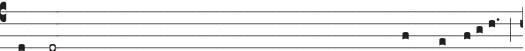


God glorified Saint Ceci-li-a, \* And he crowned her virtues.

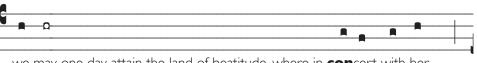




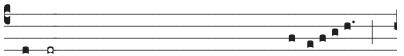
Let us pray \* O Eternal God, who gave us, in the person of Saint Cecilia, a powerful protectress,



grant that after having faithfully passed our days, like herself, in innocence and holiness,



we may one day attain the land of beatitude, where in **con**cert with her,



we may praise you and bless you forevermore in e-ternity.



