

# Benedictus

Set to music in the key of C

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With moderate movement

SOPRANO *p* Bless - ed be the Lord God of Is - ra-el: for he hath

ALTO *p* Bless - ed be the Lord God of Is - ra-el: for he hath

TENOR *p* Bless - ed be the Lord God of Is - ra-el: for he hath

BASS *p* Bless - ed, —

With moderate movement  $\text{♩} = 60-63$

ORGAN *mp* Ch. *p*

Ped. 8' only

*mp* vis - it - ed and re - deemed his peo - ple; And hath raised up a might - y sal -

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*mp* vis - it - ed and re - deemed his peo - ple; And hath raised sal -

*p* Bless - ed be the Lord God of Is - - ra - el: —

*mf* Sw. Man.

*dim.*  
-va-tion for us: in the house of his servant Da-vid;  
*dim.*  
-va-tion for us: in the house of his servant Da-vid;  
*dim.*  
-va-tion for us: in the house of his servant Da-vid;

*mf*  
As he

*dim.* *mp Ch.*  
Ped. 16'

*mf*  
which have been since the world be -  
spake by the mouth of his ho - ly Pro - phets: which have been since the world be -

*p* Gt with Sw.  
Ped.

*f*  
That we should be saved from cur en - e-mies: and from the hands of all that  
*f*  
and from the hands of all that  
-gan;  
-gan;

*mf Ch. with Sw.*  
Man. Ped.

*mf*  
 hate us; To per-form the mer-cy pro-mised to our fore - fa - thers:  
 hate us; To perform the mer-cy pro - mised to our fore - fa - thers:  
 To per-form the mer-cy pro - mised to our fore - fa - thers: and to re-  
 To perform the mer-cy pro - mised to our fore - fa - thers: and to re-

*mf*  
 To per - form the oath — which he  
 To perform the oath — which he  
 -mem-ber his ho - ly Co - ve - nant; To per - form the oath — which he  
 -mem-ber his ho - ly Co - ve - nant; To perform the oath — which he

Ped.

*f* *dim.* *P*  
 sware to our fore-father A - bra-ham: that he would give us; That  
*f* *dim.* *p*  
 sware to our fore-father A - bra-ham: that he would give us; That  
*f* *dim.* *p*  
 sware to our fore-father A - bra-ham: that he would give us; That  
*f* *dim.* *p*  
 sware to our fore-father A - bra-ham: that he would give us; That

*mp* *p Sw.*

we — be-ing de-liv-ered out of the hands of our en - e-mies: might serve him with-out\_

we — be-ing de-liv-ered out of the hands of our en - e-mies: might serve him with-out\_

we — be-ing de-liv-ered out of the hands of our en - e-mies: might serve him with-out\_

we — be-ing de-liv-ered out of the hands of our en - e-mies: might serve

*f sub.* fear; In ho - li-ness and right - eousness be - fore him: all\_ the\_

fear; In ho - li-ness and right - eousness be - fore him:

fear; In ho - li - ness and righteous - ness be - fore\_ him:

him; In ho - li - ness and righteous - ness be - fore\_ him:

*f Gt* *piu f*

*poco rit.* *a tempo*

days of our life.

all\_ the days of our life. *poco rit.* *a tempo*

all\_ the days\_ of our life.

all the days of our life. *poco rit.* *a tempo*

*f* *mf*

*mf* And thou Child shalt be called the Prophet of the High - est: for thou shalt go be-  
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*mf* Full Sw. *f* *fg*  
 G<sup>♯</sup> to Ped.

- fore the face of the Lord to pre-pare his ways; To give know-ledge of sal-  
*dim.*  
*dim.*  
 - fore the face of the Lord to pre-pare his ways; To give  
*dim.*  
 - fore the face of the Lord to pre-pare his ways; To give know-ledge of sal-  
*dim.*  
 - fore the face of the Lord to pre-pare his ways; To give

*mf* Sw. *dim.*  
 Man.

*a little slower* *mp* SOLO  
 - va - tion un - to his peo-ple: for the re - mis-sion of their sins, Through the ten-der  
 know - ledge of sal - va - tion: *a little slower*  
 - va - tion un - to his peo-ple:  
 know - ledge of sal - va - tion: *a little slower*

*p* *più p*  
 Ped. *p*

mer - cy of our God: where-by the day-spring from on high hath vis - it - ed

SOLO *p*

SOLO *p* where - by the day - spring from on high hath vis - it - ed

Through the ten - der mer - cy of our God:

SOLO *p*

where - by the day - spring from on high hath vis - it - ed

Man. Ped.

us; To give light to them that sit in dark-ness

FULL *mp*

FULL *mp* us; To give light to them that sit in dark - ness and in the

FULL *mp*

FULL *mp* To give light to them that sit in dark-ness

FULL *mp*

FULL *mp* us; To give light to them that sit in dark - ness and in the

*mp* Ch.

and to guide our feet in-to the way of peace.

*pp*

sha - dow of death: and to guide our feet in-to the way of peace.

*pp* rit.

and to guide our feet in-to the way of peace.

*pp* rit.

sha - dow of death: and to guide our feet in-to the way of peace.

*pp* rit.

*p* Sw. *pp*

Tempo I *mf* *cresc.*  
 Glo-ry be to the Fa-ther, and to the Son: and to the Ho - ly  
*mf* *cresc.*  
 Glo-ry be to the Fa-ther, and to the Son: and to the Ho - ly  
 Tempo I *mf* *cresc.*  
 Glo-ry be to the Fa-ther, and to the Son: and to the Ho - ly  
*mf* *cresc.*  
 Glo-ry be to the Fa-ther, and to the Son: and to the Ho - ly  
 Tempo I  
*mf* G<sup>♯</sup> Diaps. with Sw. *cresc.*  
 Ped. *f* *legato sempre*

*f*  
 Ghost; As it was in the be-gin - ning, is now, and  
*f*  
 Ghost; As it was in the be - gin-ning, is now,  
*f*  
 Ghost; As it was in the be - gin-ning, is now,  
*f*  
 Ghost; As it was in the be-gin-ning, is now,  
*f*

*cresc.* *ff* *allarg.*  
 ev - er shall be: world - with-out end. A - men.  
*cresc.* *ff*  
 and ev - er shall be: world - with-out end. A - men.  
*cresc.* *ff* *allarg.*  
 and ev - er shall be: world - with-out end. A - men.  
*cresc.* *ff*  
 and ev - er shall be: world - with-out end. A - men.  
*cresc.* *piu f* *ff*

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