

# Ave verum Corpus

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Musical score for Ave verum Corpus, first section. The score consists of four staves in common time (indicated by 'C') and a key signature of one flat (indicated by 'F'). The vocal parts are: Soprano (S), Alto (A), Tenor (T), and Bass (B). The lyrics are:

A - ve ve - rum Cor - pus, na - tum deMa-ri - a Vir gi ne; Ve -  
A - ve ve - rum Cor - pus, na - tum deMa-ri - a Vir - gi - ne: Ve -  
A - ve ve - rum Cor - pus, na - tum deMa-ri - a Vir - gi - ne: Ve -  
A - ve ve - rum Cor - pus, na - tum de\_ Ma-ri - a Vir - gi - ne: Ve -

Musical score for Ave verum Corpus, second section. The score consists of four staves in common time (indicated by 'C') and a key signature of one flat (indicated by 'F'). The vocal parts are: Soprano (S), Alto (A), Tenor (T), and Bass (B). The lyrics are:

- re pas - sum, im - mo-la - tum in cru - ce pro ho mi ne:  
- re pas - sum, im - mo-la - tum in cru - ce pro ho - mi - ne:  
- re pas - sum, im - mo-la - tum in cru - ce pro ho - mi - ne:  
- re pas - sum, im - mo-la - tum in cru - ce pro ho - mi - ne:

Musical score for Ave verum Corpus, third section. The score consists of four staves in common time (indicated by 'C') and a key signature of one flat (indicated by 'F'). The vocal parts are: Soprano (S), Alto (A), Tenor (T), and Bass (B). The lyrics are:

Cu - ius la - tus per - fo-ra - tum, un - da flu - xitsan - gu - ne, san - gu -  
Cu - ius la - tus per - fo - ra - tum, un - da flu - xit san - gu - ne, san - gu -  
Cu - ius la - tus per - fo - ra - tum, un - da flu - xit san - gu -  
Cu - ius la - tus per - fo - ra - tum, un - da flu - xit san - gu -

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ne: Es - to no - bis prea - gus - ta - tum in mor - tis ex - a - mi - ne. O  
 ne: Es - to no - bis prea - gus - ta - tum in mor - tis in mor - tis ex - a - mi - ne  
 ne: Es-to no - bis praegus - ta - tum in mor - tis ex-a - mi - ne.  
 ne: Es - to no - bis prea - gus - ta - tum in mor - tis ex-a - mi - ne.

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dul - cis, O pi - e, O Je - su Fi - li Ma-ri - ae,  
 O dul - cis, O pi - e, O Je - su Fi - li Ma-ri - ae,  
 O dul - cis, O pi - e, O Je - su Fi - li Ma-ri - ae,  
 O dul - cis, O pi - e, O Je - su Fi - li Ma-ri - ae,

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mi - se - re - re me - i, mi - se - re - re  
 mi - se - re - re me - i, mi - se - re - re me - i, mi - se -  
 mi - se - re - re me - i, mi - se - re - re me - i, mi - se -  
 mi - se - re - re me - i, mi - se - re - re me - i, mi -

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me - i, me - i. O - i. A - men.  
 re - re me - i. A - men.  
 - i, mi - se - re - re me - i. - i. A - men.  
 - se - re - re me - i. - i. A - men.