

The Beatitudes

Greek Chant

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In Thy King-dom re-mem-ber us, O Lord, when Thou comest into Thy King - dom.

1. Bless-ed are the poor in spir-it: for theirs is the kingdom of heav-en. 2. Bless-

ed are they that mourn: for they shall be com-fort-ed. 3. Bless-ed are the meek.

for they shall in -her-it the earth. 4. Bless-ed are those who hunger and thirst

for right-eous-ness: for they shall be filled. 5. Bless-ed are the mer-

ci-ful: for they shall obtain mer - cy. 6. Bless-ed are the pure in heart

A handwritten musical score for five voices (SATB and basso continuo) in common time, treble clef, and G major. The score consists of six staves of music with corresponding lyrics from the Beatitudes. The lyrics are written in a cursive script and are partially obscured by the musical notes.

1. Treble (Soprano):

for they shall see God. 7. Bless-ed are the peace-mak-ers for they sha

2. Alto:

be called the children of God. 8. Bless-ed are they that are persecut-ed for

3. Bass (Bassoon):

right-eous-ness sake: for theirs is the king-dom of heav-en. 9. Bless-

4. Tenor:

ed are you when men shall re-vile you and per-se-cute you, and shall

5. Bass (Basso Continuo):

say all manner of evil against you falsely, for my sake. Re-joice and

6. Bass (Basso Continuo):

be ex-ceed-ing-ly glad: for great is your re-ward in heav-en.