Several publishers have provided these lists of musical resources for use with the rites of adult initiation. For additional information on the role of musicians in adult initiation, see the February 2005 issue of The Liturgical Singer.

RESOURCES FROM WORLD LIBRARY PUBLICATIONS

MUSIC RESOURCE

Chosen in Christ/Elegidos en Cristo: Music for Christian Initiation. This resource contains music for the ritual moments of the initiation process. Time-tested pieces that have appeared in WLP’s worship resources over the years are included as well as newly commissioned pieces that have been composed to allow the assembly to sing in three formats: English-only, Spanish-only, and in a bilingual format.

SUGGESTIONS FOR THE RITES

Rite of Acceptance into the Order of Catechumens

Gathering
All the Earth WS 651/PMB 484/WC 878
Gathered As One WS 618/PMB 464/WC 856
I Heard the Voice of Jesus Say WS 606/PMB 452/WC 838

Acclamations for the Introductory Rites
Blessed Be God, Who Chose You WS 32/PMB 11
The Cross of Christ/La Luz de Cristo WC 210

Acclamation for Signing with the Cross
By This Sign WS 33/PMB 12/WC 211
Gloria, Honor a Ti (Deiss) CAN 116

Glory and Praise to You (Deiss) WS 34/PMB 15/WC 214
The Cross of Christ/La Luz de Cristo WC 210

Entry
Con la Cruz CAN 127
Oye el Llamado CAN 131
Vamos a la Casa del Señor CAN 156
You Are God’s Work of Art WC 595

Dismissal
Go Now in Peace WS 634/PMB 14/WC 213
Go Now in Peace/Vayan en Paz WS 586
We Send You Forth WS 36/PMB 290

Rite of Sending Catechumens for the Rite of Election

Signing of the Book of the Elect
Blessed Be God WS 430
Treasures Out of Darkness/Tesoros Ocultos WS 589/PMB 440/WC 821/CAN 147
Who Calls You By Name WS 426/WC 596
You Chosen Ones WS 37/PMB 17/WC 216

Scrutinies

Intercessions for the Elect
Intercessions for the Elect WS 39/PMB 19/WC 218
Three Litanies for the Scrutinies WS 40/PMB 20/WC 219

Song after the Exorcism Rite
First Scrutiny
From Ashes to the Living Font WS 41/PMB 21/WC 220
I’ve Just Come from the Fountain WC 594
Send Us Flowing Water, Lord WS 244/WC 326

Second Scrutiny
Amazing Grace WS 472/PMB 323/WC 649
Awake, O Sleeper, Rise from Death WS 539/WC 771
From Ashes to the Living Font WS 41/PMB 21/WC 220
God Is My Light WS 285/PMB 23/WC 377
I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light WS 557/PMB 404/WC 767
**Initiation Music Resources**

*Third Scrutiny*
- From Ashes to the Living Font WS 41/ PMB 21/WC 220
- I Am the Bread of Life, vs 4–5 WS 445/WC 610
- On the Wings of Change WS 671/PMB 512/WC 928
- Yes, I Shall Arise WS 476/PMB 325/WC 657

*General*
- Amazing Grace WS 472/PMB 323/WC 649
- From Ashes to the Living Font WS 41/PMB 21/WC 220
- Lead Me, Guide Me WS 541/PMB 397/WC 760
- Precious Lord, Take My Hand WS 611/PMB 448/WC 827
- There’s a Wideness In God’s Mercy WS 470/PMB 322/WC 650

**Celebration of the Sacraments of Initiation**

*Litany of the Saints*
- WS 118/PMB 615

*Prayer Over the Water and Acclamation*
- WS 119

*Acclamation for Baptism*
- Acclamation for Baptism WS 427/PMB 31/WC 597
- Acclamation for Baptism/Aclamación Bautismal WC 585
- You Have Put On Christ (Hughes) WS 120/PMB 30/WC 598
- You Have Put On Christ (Olivier) PMB 291/WC 599
- You Have Put On Christ (Waddell) WS 428/WC 600

*Song between Baptism and Confirmation*
- Baptized in Living Waters WS 527/PMB 386/WC 737
- Baptized in Water WS 429/PMB 286/WC 593
- I’ve Just Come From the Fountain WC 594
- Spirit, Move Upon the Waters PMB 285/WC 591
- Water and Spirit WC 592

*Song for Confirmation*
- Come, Holy Ghost WS 521/PMB 372/WC 723
- Come, Holy Spirit, Wind and Fire WS 519/PMB 375/WC 721
- Come, O Spirit, Come (Gift of God) WS 435/PMB 289/WC 587
- I Have Been Anointed WS 551/PMB 395/WC 763
- O Holy Spirit, by Whose Breath WS 518/PMB 371/WC 726
- Spirit Divine, Attend Our Prayer PMB 374/WC 725
- Ven, Oh Espíritu CAN 117

*Song for the Sprinkling of the Assembly*
- Con el Agua, Con el Espíritu CAN 91
- I Saw Water Flowing WS 246/PMB 112/WC 324
- Send Us Flowing Water, Lord WS 244/WC 326

This Is Our Faith WS 437 / PMB 29 / WC 601
- Un Solo Señor CAN 138
- Vi Que Manaba Agua CAN 257
- Waters of Life WS 247/WC 325

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**Resources From GIA Publications**

**Music Resource**

*Up from the Waters: Music for Christian Initiation*. Marty Haugen. This resource includes music for the rite of acceptance, the signing of the senses, the dismissal of candidates, and the celebration of the scrutinies. (Some of these acclamations appear in the hymnal *RitualSong*.)

*Who Calls You by Name, Volumes I and II*. David Haas with Jeanne Cotter, Francis Patrick O’Brien, Victoria M. Tufano, and Thomas H. Morris. These collections include hymns, songs, psalms, acclamations, and litanies for the seasons and rites of the RCIA.

**Hymnals**

- Christian Initiation of Adults (86–98)
- Christian Initiation (792–802)

*Lead Me, Guide Me* (1987)

- Christian Initiation of Adults (324–327)

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**Resources From MorningStar**

**Music Resource**

*Blessed Are We*. Jeffrey Honoré. Includes responses for the Rite of Election.
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RESOURCES FROM OREGON CATHOLIC PRESS (OCP)

MUSIC RESOURCE

Christ We Proclaim: A Music and Liturgy Resource for the Rites of Christian Initiation. Christopher Walker, editor. This publication covers the entire period of Christian Initiation from the Precatechumenate through Easter to the Mystagogy. Christ We Proclaim contains a study edition of the ritual text for all the rites, summaries of the rubrics, planning guides for organizing the liturgies, and a wide selection of music for all the ritual moments—all in the order you will use them.

Hymnals and Other Resources


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