



HYMN : ADSIS THOMA

Lauds hymn for St. Thomas of Canterbury

Hymnus
VII



Adsis Thoma, De-i pró-te-ge vi-ne-am: Hanc vastá-
tor a-per dum stu-det íngre-di, Custos, clange tuba, vo-
céque lí-be-ra Hostem có-mi-nus ínc-re-pes. 2. Nil Præsul
frá-gi-li captus imá-gi-ne, Obsistit scé-le-ri : rex á-cu-
it simul Linguas et glá-di-os, ín-dicat ut si-bi Vir
contrá-ri-us ócci-dat. 3. Surgat prava cohors : ei-a satél-
li-tes! En pulchrum fá-ci-nus! Pastor et hós-ti-a In tem-
plo pró-pe-rat réd-de-re sán-gui-nem Christo, qui trí-bu-it



su-um. 4. Mortem quid tí-me-am? dúm-mo-do pá-ci-fer
Exstet christí-co-lis, quem dé-de-ro, cru-or; Exsúl-tans
móri-or. Sic a-it, impi-is Thomas sub glá-di-is ca-
dens. 5. Præsta, summa Tri-as, plebs tu-a pól-le-at
Liber-tá-te sac-ra, cujus amor bonos Pastó-res áni-
mam pér-de-re com-pu-lit, Quæ Christo da-ta réd-di-
tur. Amen.

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