

Sung at Christmas
[LASSUS CD2
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Good morning, this day of Easter-time, the 40th, which marks the Day of the Ascension of Christ, the last of those appearances of His by which His disciples learnt that truly He is the Lord, the risen Saviour — the end of the special period when (as the gospel tells us) ^{during} for 40 days He made His presence with His disciples visible. So, first, for a moment now, let's pray together "Almighty God, fill us with a holy joy: teach us how to thank you with reverence & love on account of the Ascension of Christ your Son. You have raised us up with Him; when He, the head, has preceded us in glory, those ~~we~~ the body are called, in hope: thro' Jesus Christ Our Lord. Amen."



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