Sanctus

Three-part canon from the Tournai Mass (14th c.)

Arranged for voice and piano by Alex Ness

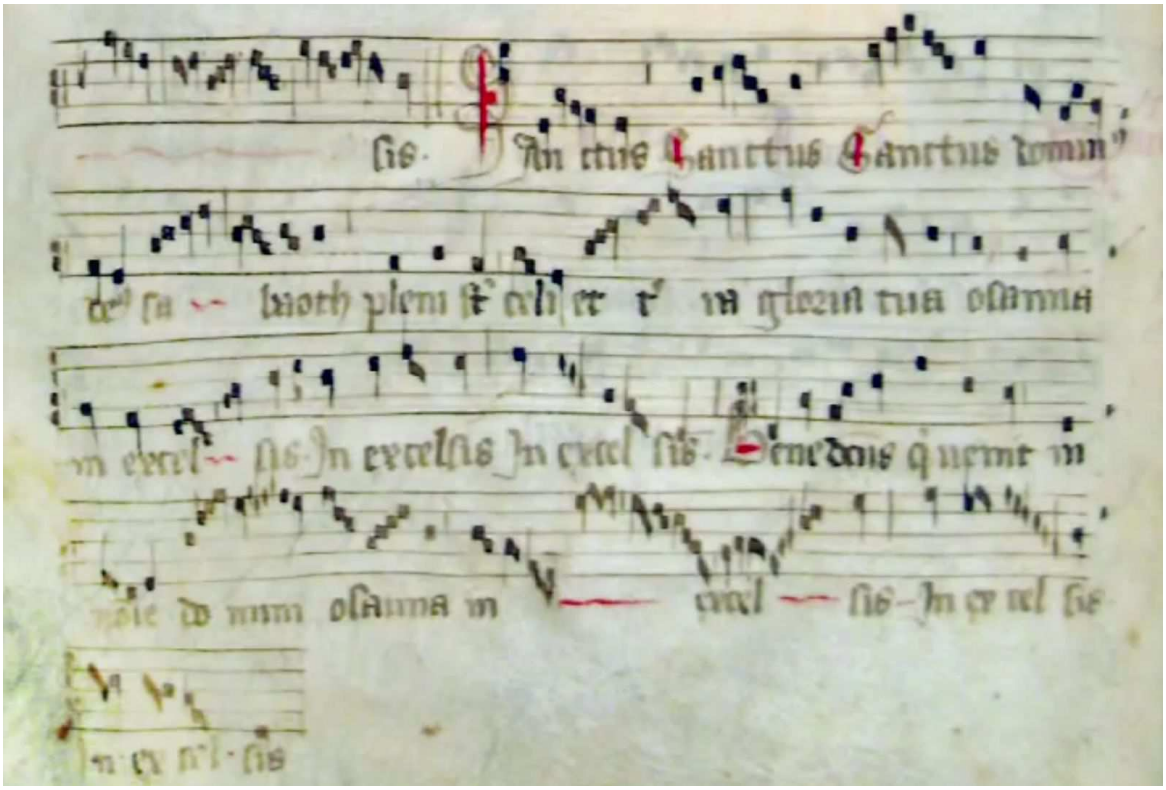
Introduction

Over the last year or so, I've been arranging early music repertoire for myself to sing while playing the piano. I'd like to share this wonderful music with you, and to encourage you to rearrange it to your own tastes and abilities: for example, by transposing it to a different register, changing the instrumentation, or making the counterpoint simpler or more complex. MuseScore and MusicXML source files are available to make such alterations as painless as possible.

Source

I transcribed the composition from Manuscript B-Tc 476, available on IMSLP here:

http://imslp.org/wiki/Manuscript,_B-Tc_476_(Anonymous)



Text

Latin text	Pronunciation (IPA)
Sanctus, Sanctus, Sanctus	saŋktus saŋktus saŋktus
Dominus Deus Sabaoth.	dominus deus sabaot
Pleni sunt cæli et terra gloria tua.	pleni sunt tʃeli et tera gloria tua
Hosanna in excelsis.	hosana in ekʃelsis
Benedictus qui venit in nomine Domini.	benediktus kwi venit in nomine domini
Hosanna in excelsis.	hosana in ekʃelsis

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from the Tournai Mass

Anon., arr. Alex Ness

♩ = 40

A (Sing part 1)

San - ctus, San - ctus, San - ctus Do - mi - nus De - us

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Sa - - ba - oth. Ple ni sunt cae - li et ter - ra

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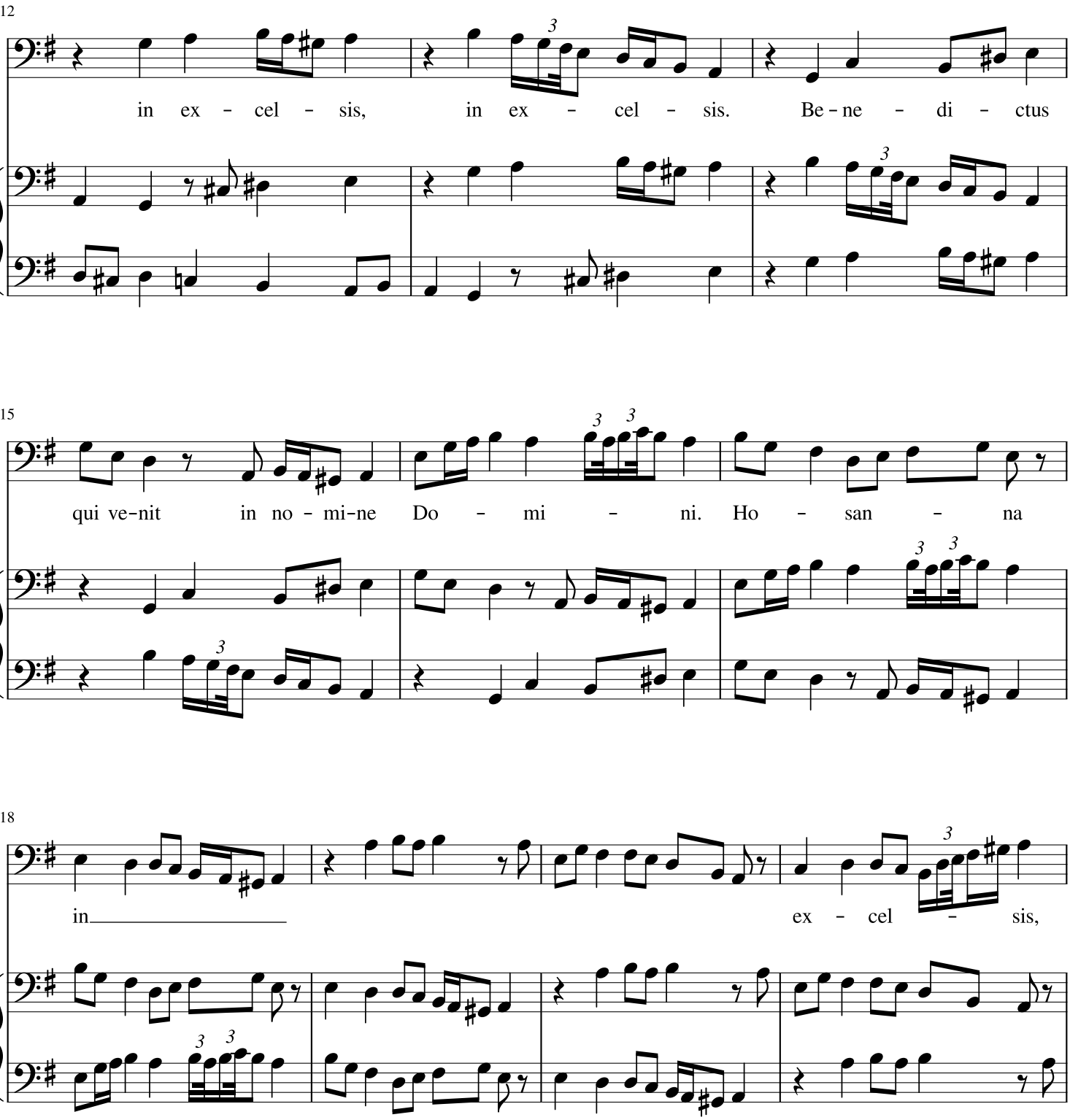
glo - ri - a tu - a Ho-san-na in ex - cel - - sis,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in ex - cel - sis, in ex - cel - sis. Be - ne - di - ctus
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qui ve-nit in no - mi-ne Do - mi - ni. Ho - san - na
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in ex - cel - sis,

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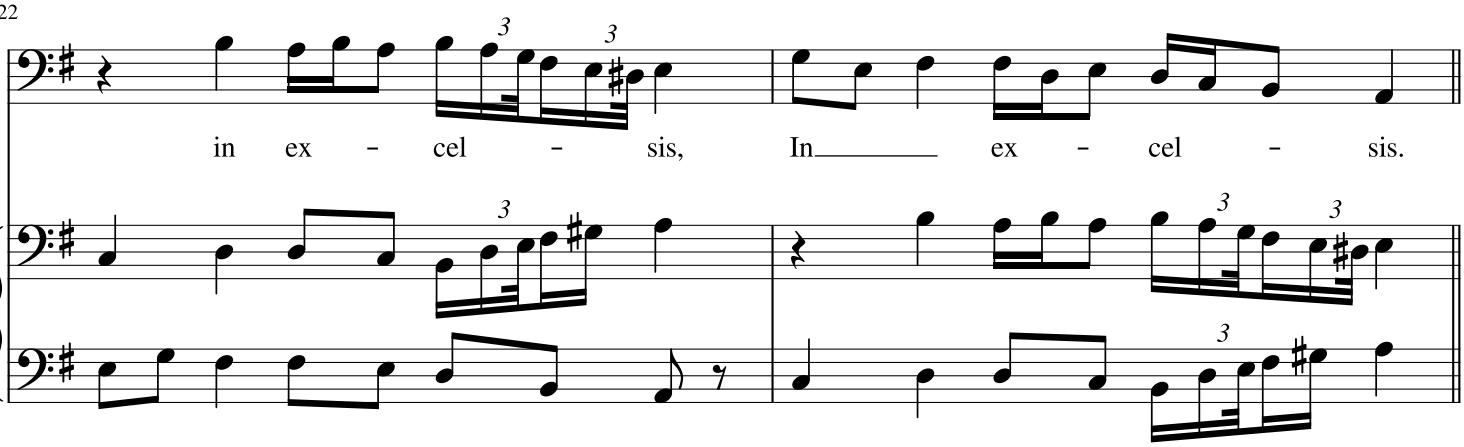

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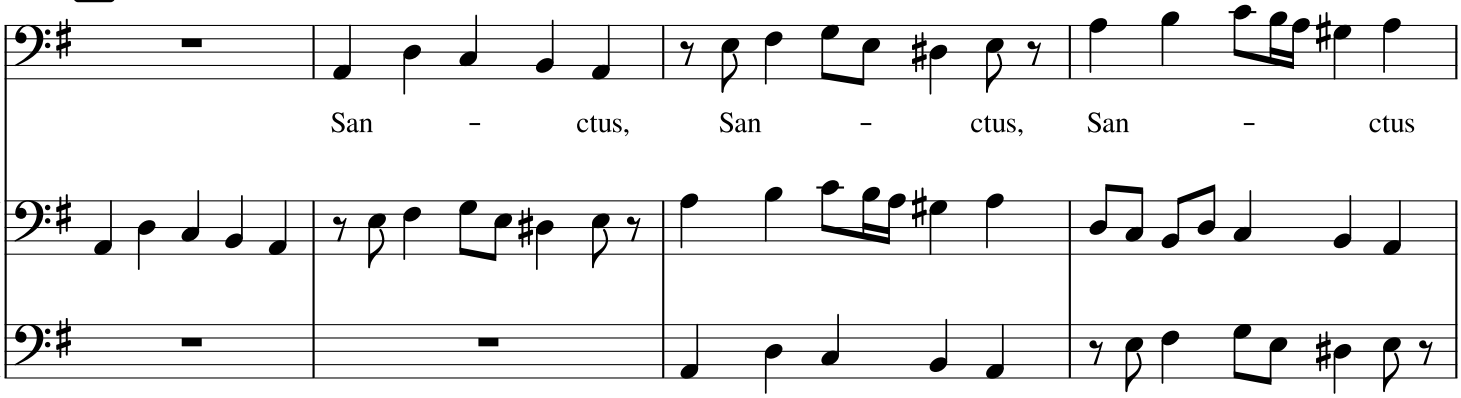

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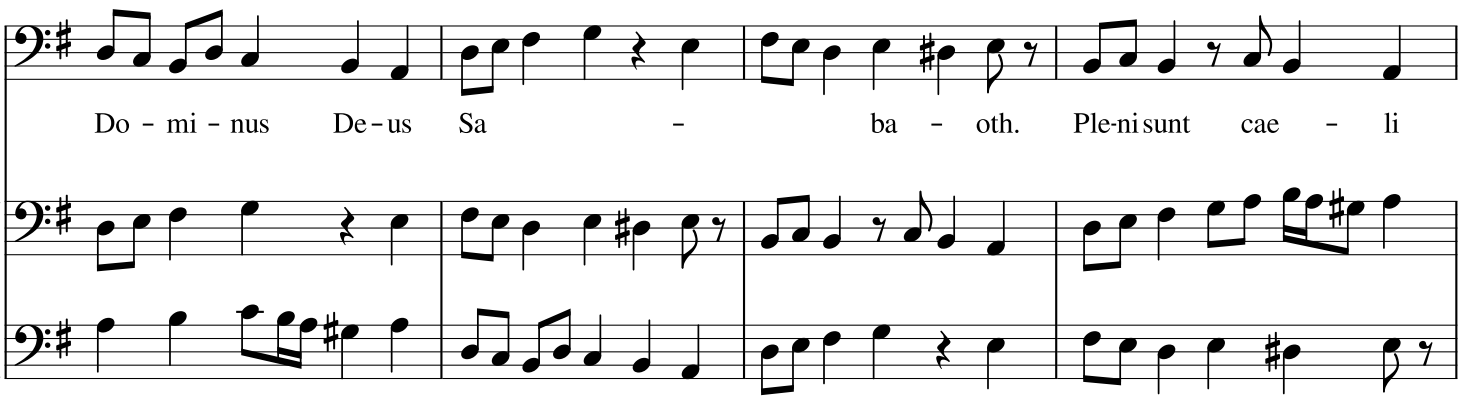

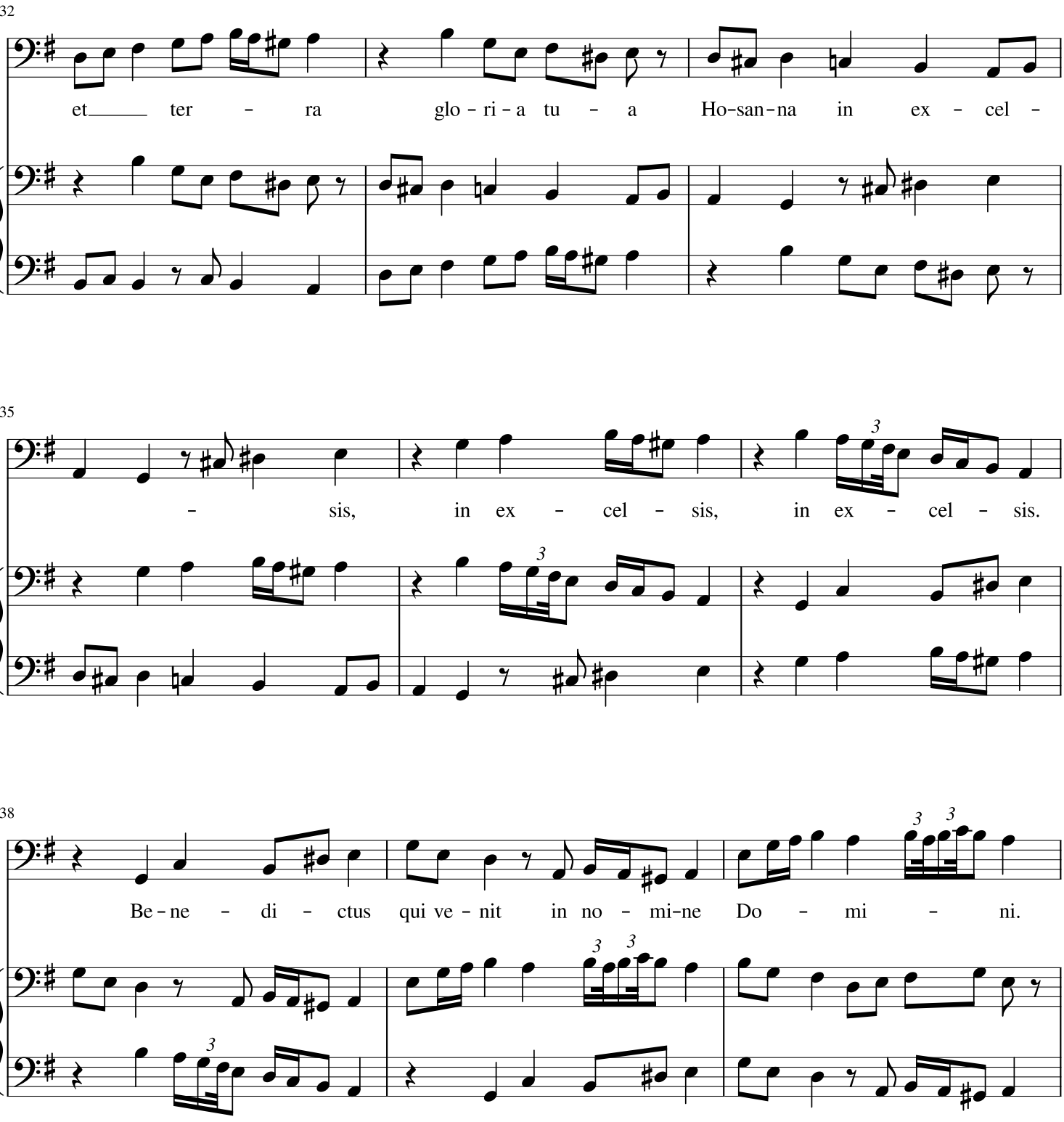
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et ter - ra glo - ri - a tu - a Ho-san-na in ex - cel -
35
- sis, in ex - cel - sis, in ex - cel - sis.
38
Be - ne - di - ctus qui ve - nit in no - mi-ne Do - mi - ni.

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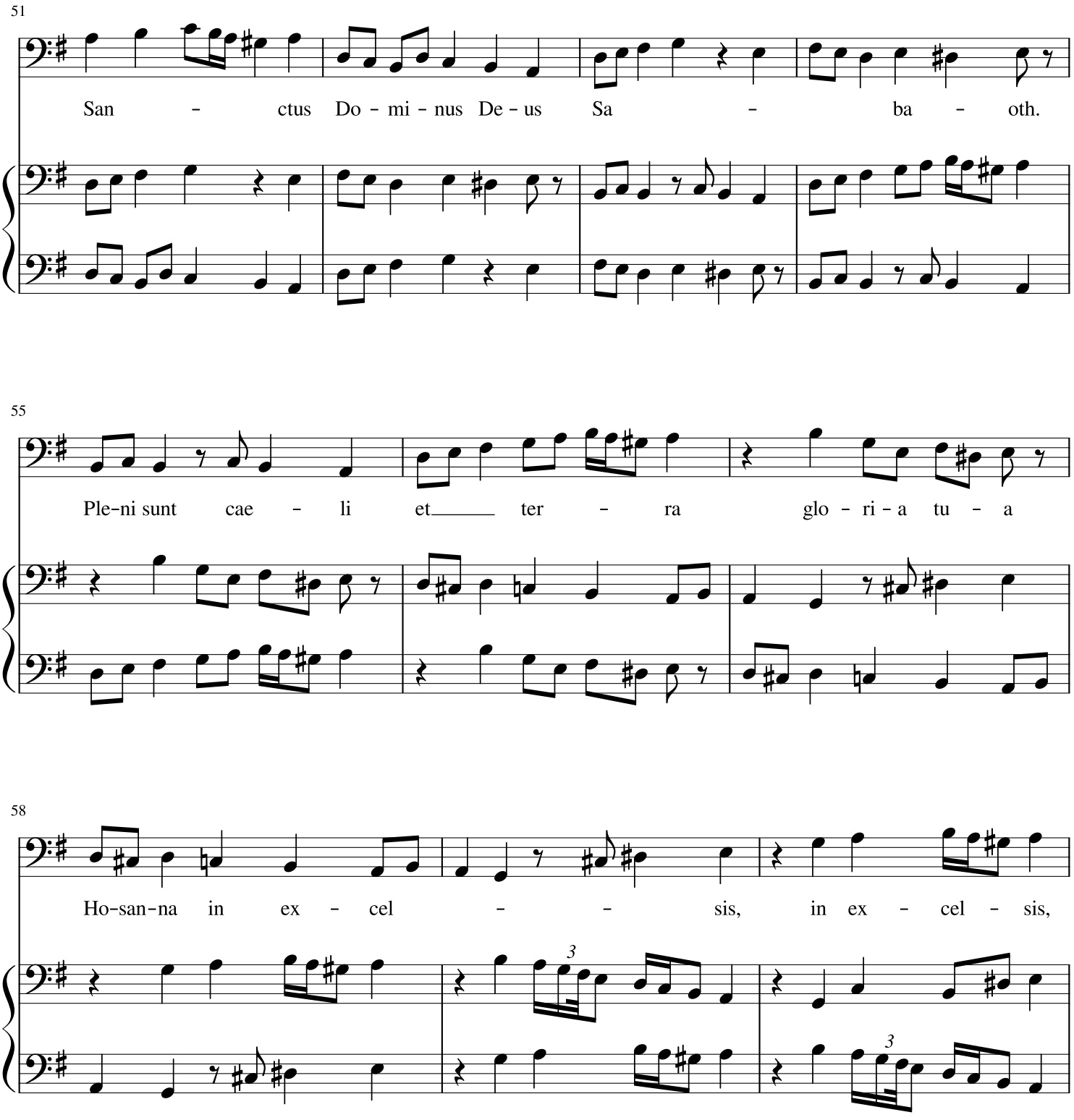
Ho - san - na in

45

ex - cel - sis, in ex - cel - sis.

47 **C** (Sing part 3)

San - ctus, San - ctus,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San - ctus Do - mi - nus De - us Sa - ba - oth.
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Ple-ni sunt cae - li et ter - ra glo - ri - a tu - a
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Ho-san-na in ex - cel - - sis, in ex - cel - sis,
3
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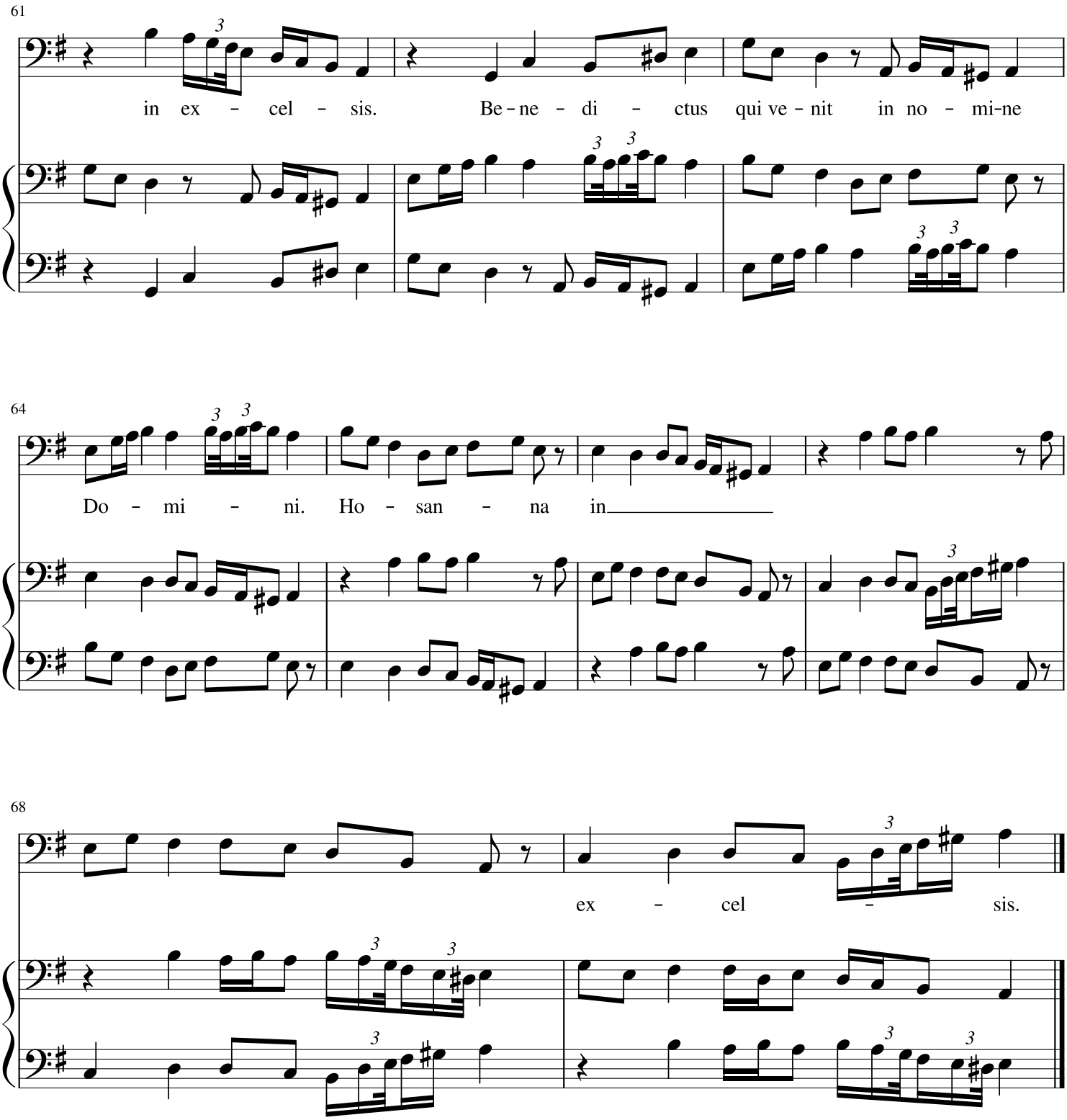
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in ex - cel - sis. Be - ne - di - ctus qui ve - nit in no - mi-ne
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Do - mi - ni. Ho - san - na in
68
ex - cel - sis.