

ALMA REDEMPTORIS — harmonized by Dr. Eugène Lapierre • *Canadian organist, Dr. Lapierre (d. 1970), was the one who gave Roger Wagner his doctorate. In Paris, Lapierre studied with Vincent d'Indy (d. 1931), Marcel Dupré (d. 1971), Henri Potiron (d. 1972), and Dom Jean Hébert Desroquettes (d. 1974). Of Potiron and Desroquettes, Lapierre said: "These two eminent Gregorianists were my professors in Paris, and they remain my guides."*

I. FROM ADVENT TO CANDLEMAS:
*By Herimann the Lamé, monk of Reichenau
 (d. 1054)*

ALMA Redemptoris mater, quæ per-
 uia caeli porta manes et stella maris,
 succurre cadenti,
 surgere qui curat, populo: tu quæ genuisti,
 natura mirante, tuum sanctum Genitorem.
 Virgo prius ac posterior, Gabriëlis ab ore
 sumens illud aue, peccatorum miserere.

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HOLY mother of our Redeemer, thou
 gate leading to heaven and star of the
 sea; help the falling people who seek
 to rise, thou who, all nature wondering, didst
 give birth to thy holy Creator. Virgin always,
 hearing that greeting from Gabriel's lips, take
 pity on sinners.

Al - - ma* Re-dem-ptó-ris Ma-ter, quae pér-vi-a cae-li por-ta ma-nes, Et stel-la ma-ris, suc-cúr-re ca-dén-ti

súr-ge-re qui cu-rat pó-pu-lo: Tu quae ge-nu-i-sti, na-tú-ra mi-rán-te, tu-um san-ctum Ge-ni-tó-rem:

Vir-go pri-us ac po-sté-ri-us, Ga-bri-é-lis ab o-re su-mens il-lud A-ve, pec-ca-tó-rum mi-se-ré-re.