

Ego sum panis vivus

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Cantus

E - - - go sum pa - - - - nis vi - - - - -

Altus

E - - - - go sum pa - - - - -

Tenor

Bassus

The first system of the musical score consists of four staves: Cantus, Altus, Tenor, and Bassus. The Cantus staff begins with a treble clef and a key signature of one flat (B-flat). The lyrics 'E - - - go sum pa - - - - nis vi - - - - -' are written below the notes. The Altus staff has a soprano clef and contains the lyrics 'E - - - - go sum pa - - - - -'. The Tenor and Bassus staves have tenor and bass clefs respectively and contain rests.

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- - - - - vus,

- - - - - nis vi - vus, _____

E - - - - go sum pa - - - - nis vi - - - - -

E - - - - - go sum pa - - - - -

The second system starts at measure 5. The Cantus staff continues with the lyrics '- - - - - vus,'. The Altus staff has the lyrics '- - - - - nis vi - vus, _____'. The Tenor staff has the lyrics 'E - - - - go sum pa - - - - nis vi - - - - -'. The Bassus staff has the lyrics 'E - - - - - go sum pa - - - - -'. The music continues with various note values and rests.

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e - - - - go sum pa - - - - nis

e - - - - go sum pa - - - - - nis vi - -

- - vus, pa - nis vi - vus, e - go sum pa-

- - nis vi - - - - vus, e - go sum pa - nis vi-

The third system starts at measure 9. The Cantus staff has the lyrics 'e - - - - go sum pa - - - - nis'. The Altus staff has the lyrics 'e - - - - go sum pa - - - - - nis vi - -'. The Tenor staff has the lyrics '- - vus, pa - nis vi - vus, e - go sum pa-'. The Bassus staff has the lyrics '- - nis vi - - - - vus, e - go sum pa - nis vi-'. The music continues with various note values and rests.

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vi - - - - - vus. Pa - tres ve - stri man-

- - - - - vus. Pa - tres ve - stri man - du - ca-

- - - - - nis _____ vi - - - - - vus.

- - - - - vus. Pa - tres ve - stri man - du - ca-

The fourth system starts at measure 13. The Cantus staff has the lyrics 'vi - - - - - vus. Pa - tres ve - stri man-'. The Altus staff has the lyrics '- - - - - vus. Pa - tres ve - stri man - du - ca-'. The Tenor staff has the lyrics '- - - - - nis _____ vi - - - - - vus.'. The Bassus staff has the lyrics '- - - - - vus. Pa - tres ve - stri man - du - ca-'. The music continues with various note values and rests.

