

HYMNE DE SAINTE GENEVIEVE AUX NOCTURNES

Propre de Saint-Etienne-du-Mont

Hymn.

I.



empla pandúntur; fa-ci-lis cli- entum Audi- at festos

Geno-ve-fa cantus, Quæ vi-gil templo so-li-das ama-bat

Du-ce-re no-ctes. Hostis extincta sty-gi-u lu-cerna, Nocte

pergentem co-hi-be-re tentet; Lu-di-tur: sa-cro re-di-vi-va fla-tu

Flamma re-surgit. Molle dum mactat, si-bi du-ra, corpus,

Cu-rat ægro-tos ope, veste nudos; Seque de-fau-dat, se-ges unde

ma-jor Crescat e-ge-nis. Integram vi-tæ sce-le-ra-ta mordent

Ora; Germa-ni si-lu-e-re jussu: Mox et inson-tem po-ti-o-re

signo Senti- et or-bis. Numi-nis vindex pa-ti-ens vo-ca-ri

Hunnus, algentem fu-git a-cer arcton, Et Pa-ri- si- nis tru-cu-lentus
 instat Atti-la mu- ris. Pallu- it ci-vis, pre-ce Virgo pugnat:
 Barba-rus ponit fe-ra corda prædo: It tremor ca-stis;
 fugat impo-tentes Agna le-o-nes. Effi-cax Hunni pro-hi-be-re
 turmas, Di-va, ne blando supe-remur hoste; Cordis insa-nos,
 qui-bus æstu-amus, Pelle fu-ro-res. Summa laus Patri, ge-ni-toque
 Verbo, Et ti-bi compar utri-usque nexus, Qui tu-o, vi-ctor,
 sa-ta nocte monstra Lumi-ne ter-res. A-men.

