

Tantum Ergo

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1. *Tantum ergo sa-cra-mentum Ve-ne-re-mur cer-nu-i; Et an-tiquum do-cu-men-tum*
2. *Gen-i-to-ri, Gen-i-to-que, Laus et ju-bi-la-ti-o, Sa-lus, ho-nor, vir-tus quo-que*

No-voc-ce-dat ri-tu-i; Præstet fi-des sup-plemen-tum Sen-su-um de-fec-tu-i.
Sit et be-ne-dic-ti-o: Pro-ce-den-ti ab u-tro-que Compar sit lau-da-ti-o. A-men.

1. Down in adoration falling,
Lo! the sacred Host we hail;
Lo! o'er ancient forms of worship
Newer rites of grace prevail;
Faith for all defects supplying,
Where the feeble senses fail.

2. To the everlasting Father
And the Son who reigns on high,
With the Holy Ghost proceeding
Forth from each eternally,
Be salvation, honor, blessing,
Might and endless majesty.
Amen.

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