

Concert Arrangement Instrumentation- SATB, one steel pan, piano, & percussion
***St. Francis in the Americas: A Caribbean Mass*, by Glenn McClure**

Steel Drum part is written for Double Seconds Steel drums, but your pan player may choose to transpose double seconds parts to play on other steel pan.

The concert arrangement uses the same choral scores as the original full-steel band arrangement.

same in original & concert (reduced) arrangements	time	Title of movement and vocal parts	Vocal solos	PIANO	Double 2nds Steel Drum	Optional Bass	PERCUSSION	Drum set (trap set)	Conga drum (high)	2 nd Conga (low)	shakers guiro rattles	Low cow Bell	Hand claps	Bongos	Surdu (lg tom or small bass drum)
X	:50	Letter to the Faithful (Chant)	Solo, small group, or section												
	4:47	ALTISSIMO satb	Countertenor, alto or contralto	X		o			X	X	shakers				
	4:50	KYRIE reduced –from earthsongs satb or ssa		X ES	X ES	O MP		X ES				X+ ES			
	7:40	Gloria satb	Countertenor, alto or tenor	X	X	o		X							
X	1:04	Una Carta al Hermano Leo (Chant)	Solo, small group, or section												
	3:55	Alleluia satb	Treble duet or small group	X	X	o		X	X 1 player both congas	X	shakers				
	3:15	CREDO satb	baritone	X	X	o			X		Guiro	X	claps		
	3:40	Santo satb	Soprano and tenor	X	X	o					Guiro			X	X
X	4:08	Memorial Acclamation / Amen satb		X	X										
X	1:06	Como la Virtud Quita El Vicio (HOW VIRTUE) ssa									Egg shaker		claps		
X	1:38	AGNUS DEI from earthsongs satb	Soprano ES						X ES	X ES	African rattle ES				X ES
X	1:42	Lettera A “Frate” Jacopa (chant)	Solo, small group, or section												
	7:38	Cantico Di Frate Sole satb	Soprano and tenor	X	X	o		X	X 1 player both congas	X	X				
	45:18	TOTAL TIME													

+ Often a choir member will play this low cowbell part.

o Bass Steel Drum, String Bass, or Electric Bass

ES = score from Earthsongs

Kyrie SATB & SSA *choral scores* are sold by *Earthsongs* at www.earthsongsmus.com tel: 541.758.5760. Contact Earthsongs for *Kyrie* concert/reduced arrangement conductor’s scores, piano and other instrumental parts. All *Agnus Dei* scores are sold by Earthsongs. If you choose to add the optional *Kyrie Bass Steel Drum (String Bass)*, you must order this from McClure Productions. If you order all movements as one score, the *Kyrie Bass* score is already included.

All other movements and parts are available from McClure Productions, Inc., www.artforbrains.com, 585.243.0324.

Earthsongs catalog numbers:

	<i>Agnus Dei</i>	<i>Kyrie</i> SATB	<i>Kyrie</i> SSA
Choral	S-115	S-135	S-165
Conductor	S-115full	S-135full	S-165full
Parts	S-115parts	S-135parts	S-165parts
	(percussion parts)	(piano, double 2 nd steel drum & perc. parts)	

The steel drum parts are adaptable to many different instruments.

This work has been performed in a variety of configurations. Since steel drums are not readily available to all choirs, many ensembles have substituted marimba, vibes, or a variety of other instruments. Some touring choirs have performed this work with scaled down versions of the accompaniment. If steel drums are not available to you, there are many alternative possibilities.

So you don't have a steel band... If you are interested in performing the *St. Francis in the Americas: A Caribbean Mass* movements that include steel drums and your organization does not have steel drummers, please consider these options:

OPTION 1: Hire McClure Productions musicians. We work with musicians that have played the piece many times. This will cut down on rehearsal time. Check out your local arts council or other organizations for funding possibilities.

OPTION 2: Search for steel drummers in your region. Try this website <http://www.panonthenet.com/world/usa/index.htm>. Since there are many traditional steel drum players that do not read music, make sure than any musicians you consider hiring can play the piece.

In addition to these options, consider hosting a Master Class with the composer, Glenn McClure. Master Classes can be scheduled in conjunction with your performance. Glenn can also play steel drums in your performance, if needed.

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