



Religious Education Congress 2017
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Sing Justice, Live Justice – Liturgical
Song Inspiring Social Action
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Songs of Justice & Mission by Michael Mangan

Product Codes

LCC	Let The Children Come	DOM	Doors of Mercy
GLM	1,2,3 God Loves Me	TWB	This We Believe
TCS	True Colours Shine	TT	This Is The Time
FWS	Forever I Will Sing	SHOF	Setting Hearts On Fire

Be The Change	TCS	Called To Serve	TWML
Chosen And Sent	LCC	Common Good	TCS
Doors of Mercy	DOM	Do To Others	GLM
Do What Jesus Did	GLM	Free The World	TCS
God's Plan	LCC	Hearts On Fire	SHOF
Heaven Shall Be Yours	TCS	Holy Spirit, Come	TCS
If Not For The Kingdom	TCS	Justice & Freedom	TCS
Justly, Tenderly, Humbly	TT	Litany Of Mercy	DOM
Live God's Dream	LCC	Love God Love Each Other	LCC
Mary's Song of Praise	DOM	Make A Little Difference	SHOF
Merciful	DOM	Mercy Shall Be Yours	DOM
My Spirit Sings	FWS	One Body In Christ	TWB
Open Up Our Hearts	TCS	Peace For All Time	TCS
Prophets	TWB	Radiating Hope	TCS
Rain Down	TWB	Sing Mercy	DOM
St Teresa's Prayer	SHOF	Show Us Your Kindness	FWS
Taking It To The Streets	TWB	This Is The Time	TT
We Are The Church	GLM	We Can Be God's Mercy	DOM
We Remember You	LCC	Whatever We Do	DOM

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Charity, justice and evangelization are ... the normal consequences of liturgical celebration. Particularly inspired by sung participation, the body of the Word Incarnate goes forth to spread the Gospel with full force and compassion. (Sing to the Lord 9)

If one of the brothers or one of the sisters is in need of clothes and has not enough food to live on and one of you says to them, 'I wish you well; keep yourself warm and eat plenty,' without giving them these bare necessities of life, then what good is that?

Faith is like that: if good works do not go with it, it is quite dead. This is the way to talk to people of that kind: "You say you have faith and I have good deeds; I will prove to you that I have faith by showing you my good deeds - now you prove to me that you have faith without any good deeds to show. (James 2:14-18)

In addition to expressing texts, music can also unveil a dimension of meaning and feeling, a communication of ideas and intuitions which words alone cannot give. (Music in Catholic Worship 24)

The Power Of Music

- *to inspire & motivate*
- *to bring aesthetic understanding to words and ideas*
- *to open eyes, ears and hearts to our call to mission*
- *to change ways of looking at things*
- *to put the words & teachings of Jesus into our mouths, minds & hearts*
- *to open our minds & hearts to justice issues*
- *Lex orandi est lex credendi*

*The law of prayer is the law of belief OR
We pray what we believe, we believe what we pray*