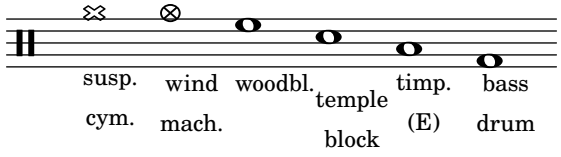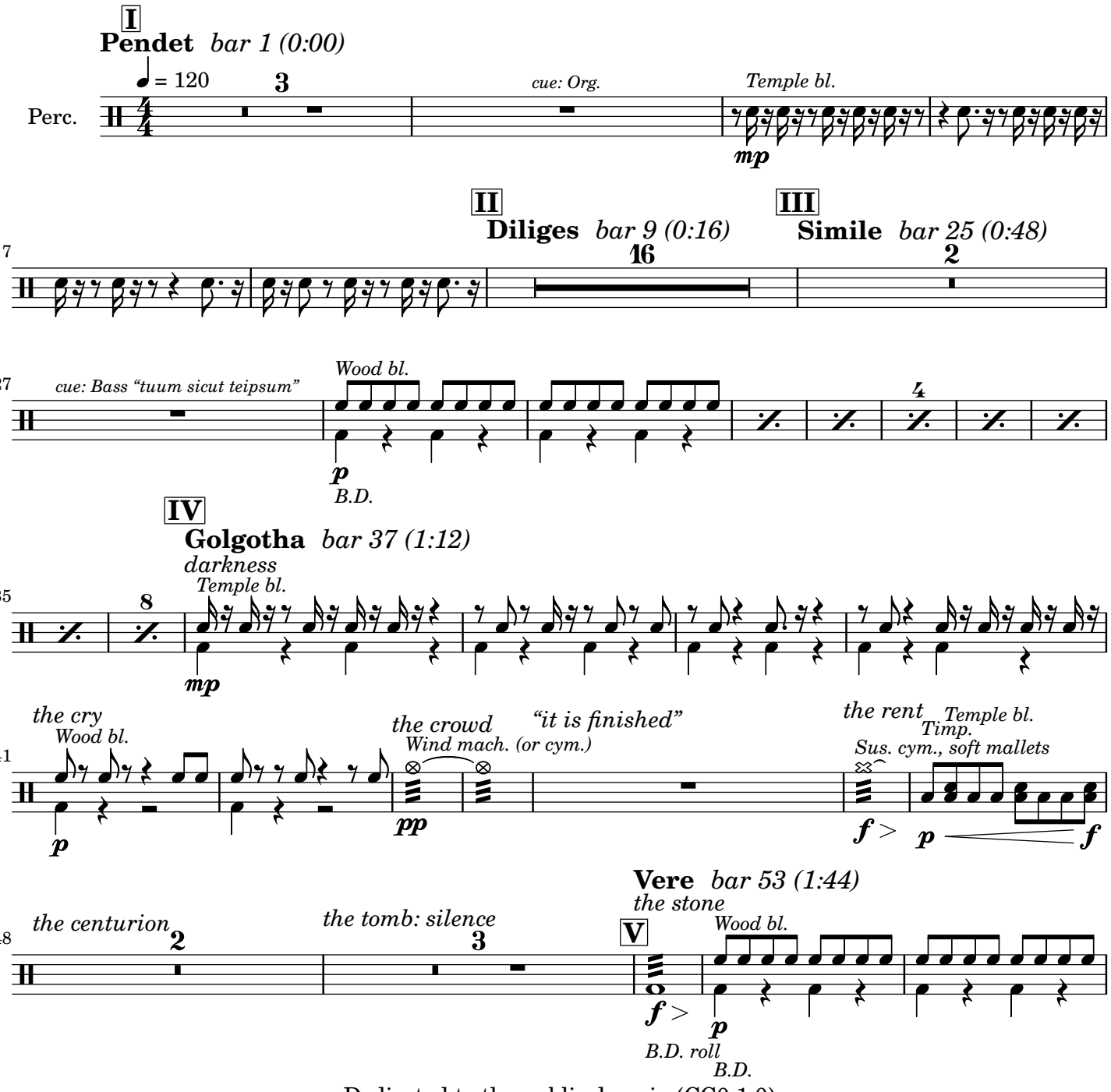
On These Two Hang

A double fugue for Matthew 22:34–40
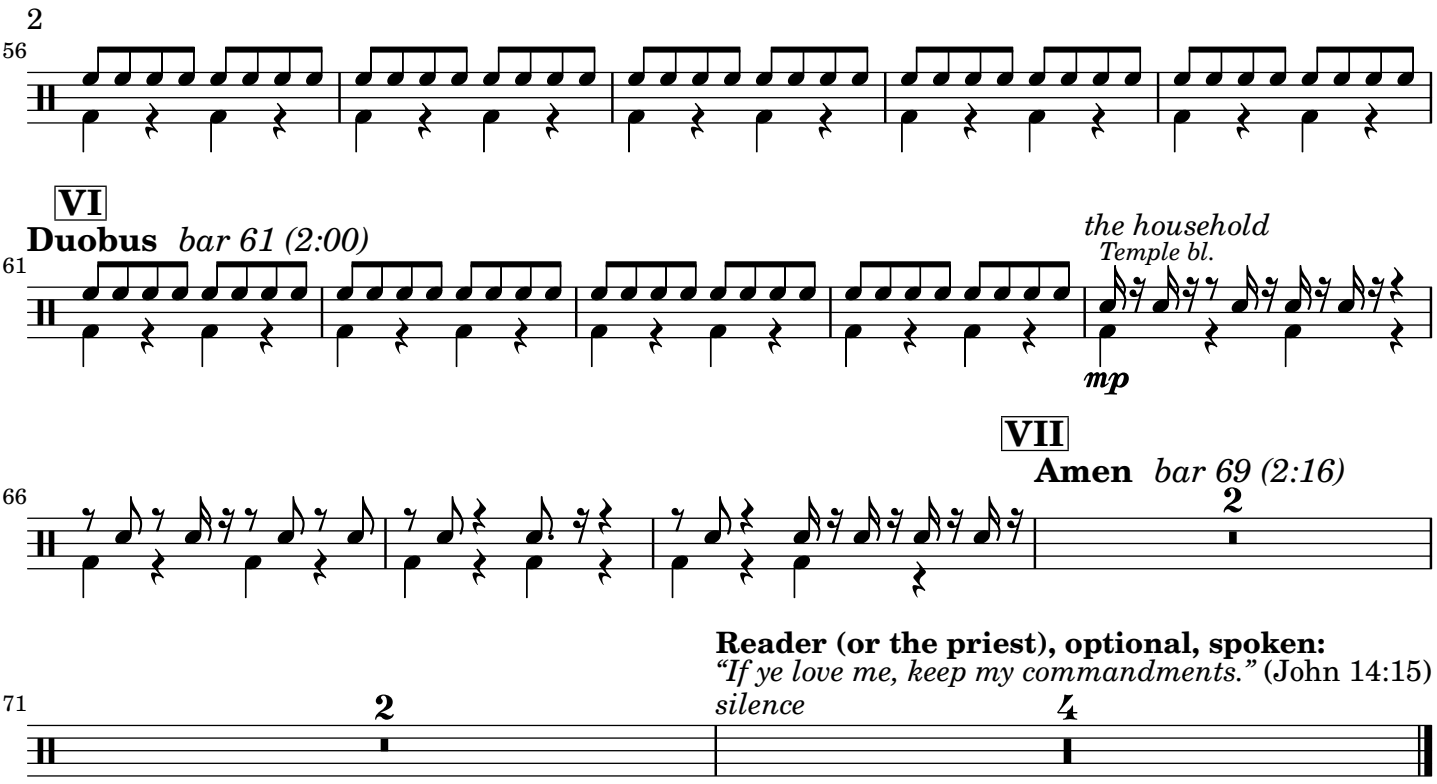
Percussion (optional, one player)

Bass drum (soft beater; soft mallets for the rolls), woodblock (or claves), temple block (or side stick), suspended cymbal (soft mallets), one timpano tuned to E, wind machine (or the cymbal, rolled). The clock: bass drum on 1 and 3, woodblock in eighths. The hammer: the Morse of “Is not this the carpenter”, a dot a sixteenth, a dash a dotted eighth. Cues are in words. 76 bars, 2:32; a bar is two seconds.





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2
56
VI
Duobus bar 61 (2:00)
61
the household
Temple bl.
mp
VII
Amen bar 69 (2:16)
66
2
Reader (or the priest), optional, spoken:
"If ye love me, keep my commandments." (John 14:15)
71
2
silence
4