GRAMMY-NOMINATED CATHOLIC ARTIST LAURA HUVAL BREATHES NEW LIFE INTO CLASSIC HYMNS BY OREGON CATHOLIC PRESS WITH HER NEW ALBUM "RAISED IN THE CHOIR LOFT."

This new uplifting collection includes prayerful renditions of OCP classics like "Here I Am," "Turn to Me," and "Isaiah 49." The album was produced by six-time Grammy winning sound engineer and producer, Tony Daigle. **The collection will be released on May 12th on all streaming platforms.** We invite you to preview Laura's "Isaiah 49" Music Video <u>here</u>!

Please share 'Raised in the Choir Loft' Album release concert with others through parish bulletin, Flocknote, parish website, social media pages, etc using the attached graphic or download from our <u>website</u>.

Laura is a native of the culturally rich community of Cecilia, Louisiana, located in the region of Acadiana. She is a parishioner of St. Joseph Catholic Church and has served as a music minister for over twenty years. She was brought up in a home filled with music and love for the Lord. Her father, the late Grammy-nominated Cajun musician, <u>Al Berard</u>, along with her mother and sisters were all members of the St. Joseph Church Choir. Huval's new album, 'Raised in the Choir Loft', is a tribute to her faith, family and Cajun culture.

Listening Options 'Raised in the Choir Loft' (available May 12th):

Download the Album using the streaming service of choice at <u>https://orcd.co/raisedchoirloft</u> Purchase the physical CD from our online shop <u>here</u>.

Album Release Concert: Thursday July 8, 2023 at 6:30 PM at St. Joseph Catholic Church

(Cecilia, LA). Join Laura Huval for the Album Release of "Raised in the Choir Loft." The collection includes prayerful renditions of OCP classics like "Here I Am," "Turn to Me," and "Isaiah 49." Special guests include Maegan Rankin, Callie Guidry, Chynna Huval, Adrian Huval, Nikia Reaux, Tony Daigle, and Catholic composer, Tom Booth. *Tickets are non-refundable. We will be collecting Canned Meals (Spaghetti-Os, Ravioli, Etc.) to support FoodNet.

Purchase event tickets online via Eventbrite <u>here</u> or at the door the night of the event.

In 2019, Huval founded Laura Huval Music Ministry, with the mission of "Sharing the Gospel one song at a time" through Parish Retreats and Missions, Eucharistic Adoration, Praise & Worship Concerts, Catholic School Faculty Retreats, Youth Ministry Events and more. Visit our <u>website</u> for more information and invite Laura to speak at an event by submitting this <u>form</u>.

Testimonials: What are event participants saying about Laura Huval Music Ministry? Visit our website to read more testimonials <u>here</u>.

"Laura weaves in her beautiful music with her reflections on Catholic spirituality. She is humorous, energetic, joyful, and engaging. Her love of Jesus and the Catholic faith is inspiring to listeners". -Father Mario Romero; Pastor of Holy Cross Catholic Church, Lafayette, LA, Parish Mission

"I was introduced to a new way to connect with our Lord through the gift of praying with music. Laura Huval's vocals, songs and reflections were balm to my weary soul". -Courtney Pourciau; St. Bernard Parish, Breaux Bridge, LA, Mother's Day of Reflection Diocese Event.