# THE FEAST OF ALL SAINTS

NOVEMBER 1, 2026
10:00 A.M. • RITE II

# SAINT MICHAEL AND ALL ANGELS' CHURCH

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Mr. Fritz Anders, *Organist*
Ms. Kathy Undiks, *Parish Administrator*
The Reverend Father James B. Johnson, *Honorary Assistant*

*Artwork: All Saints' Day (Allerheiligen) (1599)*
*Artist: Johann König (1586-1642)*

THE FLOWERS ARE GIVEN TO THE GLORY OF GOD

at the High Altar by Robin Dow in loving memory of her grandparents, Carl Smith & Alice Hulce Dow, Corbin Leon & Drusilla Hathcock, and of her parents, Father Neal and Margery Dow;

at the Sanctuary by David & Sue Briggs in loving memory of Catherine May Scriven and in thanksgiving for the birthdays of Audrey Catherine Jones, Danny and Lucas Henderson, and Ryan Simmons;

THE LAMPS BURN TO THE GLORY OF GOD

at the Shrine of the Incarnation (no donor);

at the Shrine of the Passion (no donor);

at the Shrine of Saint Michael the Archangel given by Father Fraser in thanksgiving for Saint Michael's patronage of the Guild of All Souls;

at the Shrine of Our Lady of Walsingham given by Sunny Beck in loving memory and in thanksgiving for Sarah Marie Beck Van Doren & Philip Charles Beck;

at the lamp of the Annunciation (no donor);

at the Shrine of St. Clare in thanksgiving for Sue Briggs and her gifts of needlepoint to the Parish.

# The Holy Eucharist: Rite II

**Prelude** *Improvised Petit Suite on 'Sine Nomine': prelude, air, gigue and finale*
-organist

### The Entrance of the Sanctuary Party

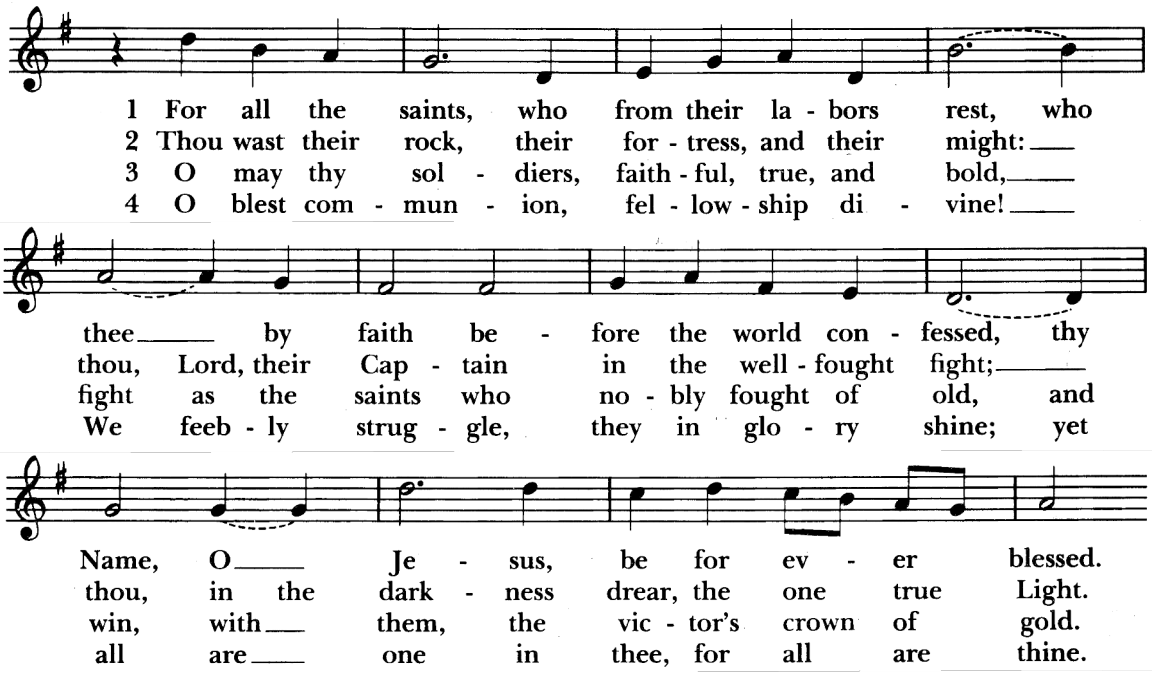
## Procession

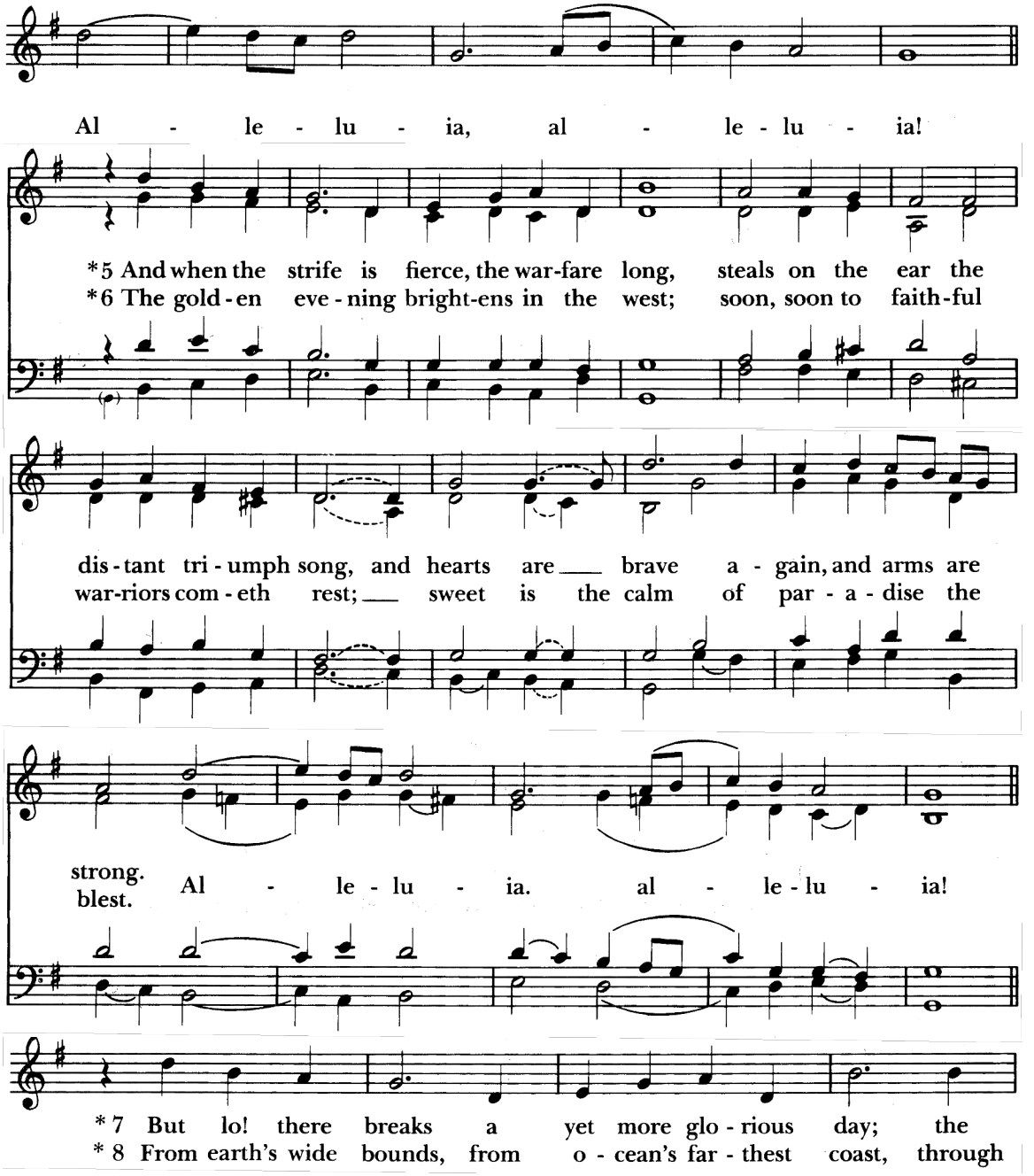
*Deacon* Let us go forth in peace.

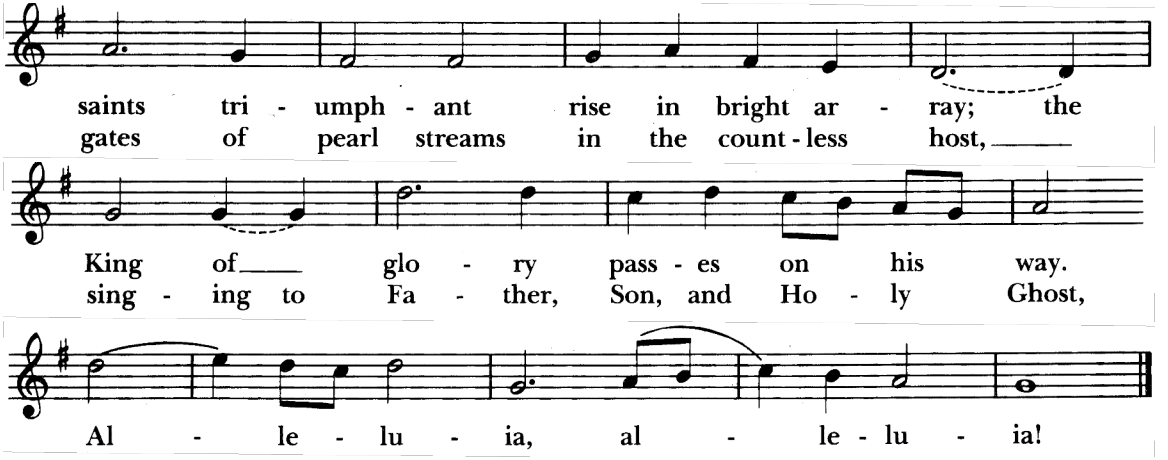
*People* In the Name of Christ. Amen.

### Hymn #287

Words: William Walsham How (1823-1897)
Music: *Sine Nomine,* Ralph Vaughan Williams (1872-1958)




Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!
*5 And when the strife is fierce, the war-fare long, steals on the ear the
*6 The gold-en eve-ning bright-ens in the west; soon, soon to faith-ful
dis-tant tri-umph song, and hearts are ___ brave a-gain, and arms are
war-riors com-eth rest; ___ sweet is the calm of par-a-dise the
strong.
blest.
Al - le - lu - ia. al - le - lu - ia!
*7 But lo! there breaks a yet more glo-rious day; the
*8 From earth's wide bounds, from o-cean's far-thest coast, through




## Station at the High Altar

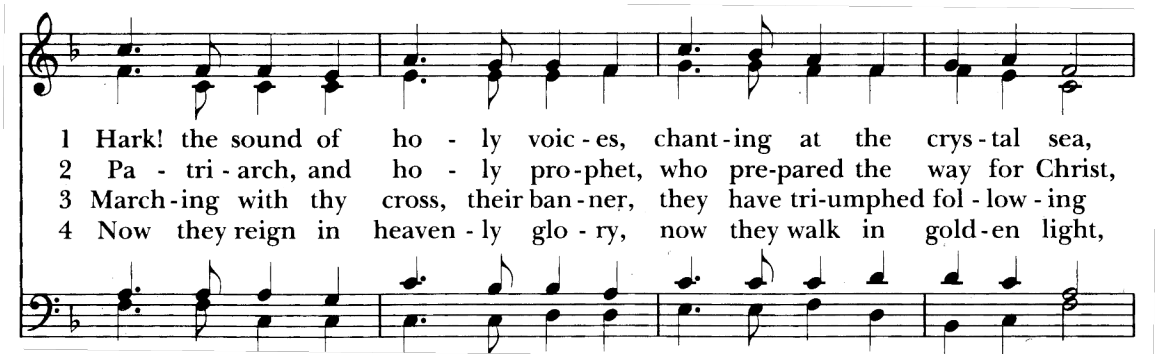
*Celebrant* The righteous shall be had in everlasting remembrance.
*People* The memory of the just is blessed.
*Celebrant* Let us pray.

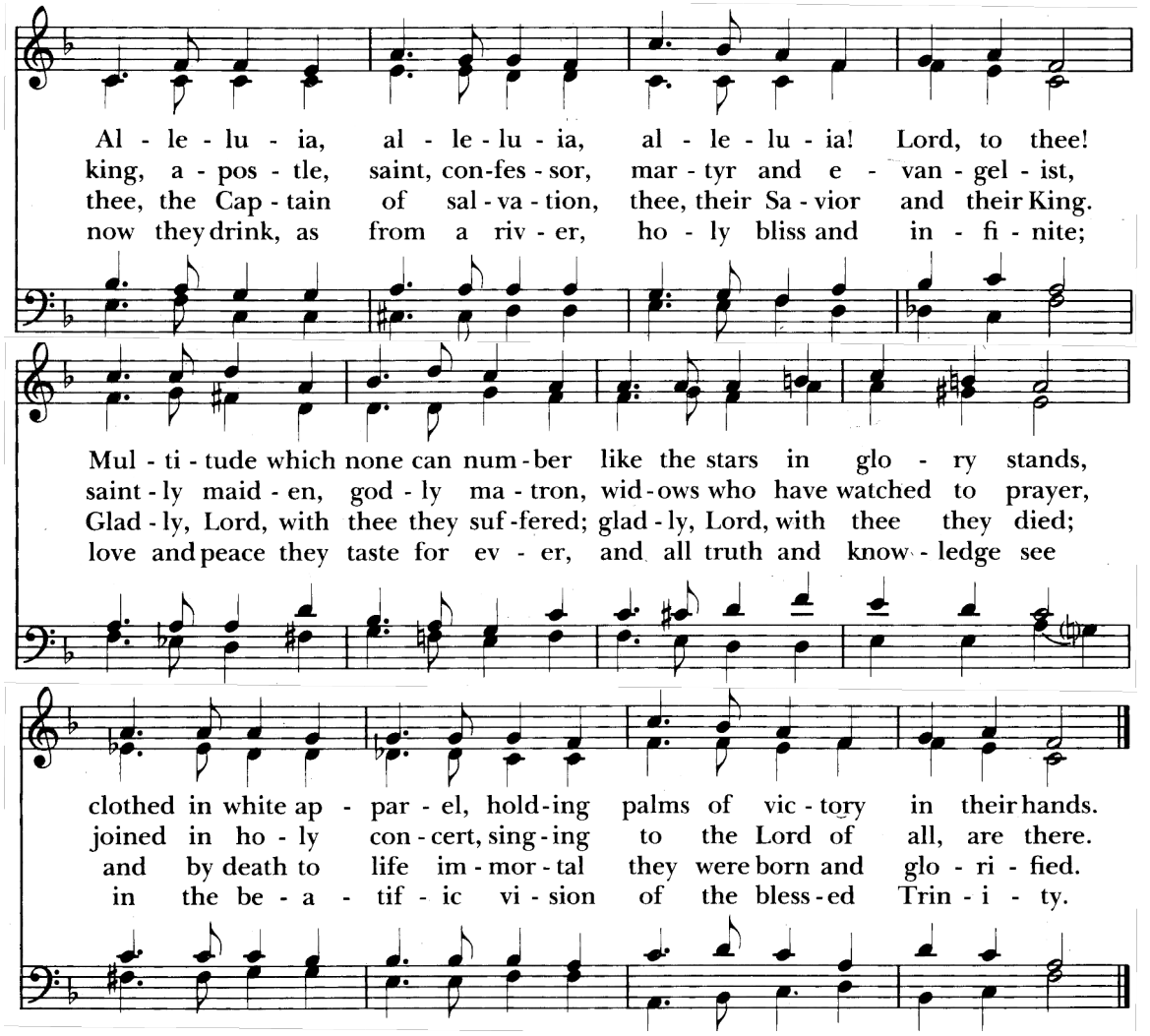
O God, whose glory the redeemed in heaven eternally adore: Grant that we who rejoice in the festival of all your saints may be brought to praise you in life everlasting; through Christ our Lord.

*People* Amen.

## Hymn #275

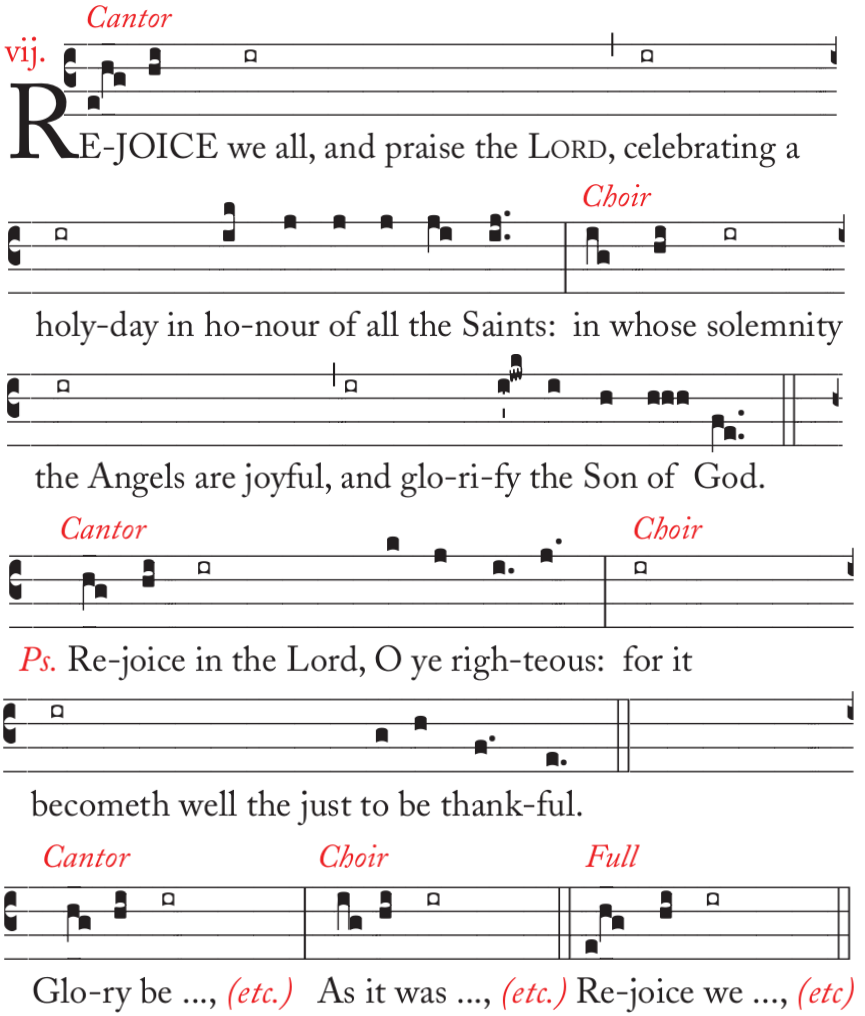
Words: Christopher Wordsworth (1807-1885)
Music: *Moultrie*, Gerard Francis Cobb (1838-1904)




Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia! Lord, to thee!
king, a - pos - tle, saint, con-fes - sor, mar - tyr and e - van - gel - ist,
thee, the Cap - tain of sal - va - tion, thee, their Sa - vior and their King.
now they drink, as from a riv - er, ho - ly bliss and in - fi - nite;
Mul - ti - tude which none can num - ber like the stars in glo - ry stands,
saint - ly maid - en, god - ly ma - tron, wid - ows who have watched to prayer,
Glad - ly, Lord, with thee they suf - fered; glad - ly, Lord, with thee they died;
love and peace they taste for ev - er, and all truth and know - ledge see
clothed in white ap - par - el, hold - ing palms of vic - tory in their hands.
joined in ho - ly con - cert, sing - ing to the Lord of all, are there.
and by death to life im - mor - tal they were born and glo - ri - fied.
in the be - a - tif - ic vi - sion of the bless - ed Trin - i - ty.

**Introit** *Gaudeamus* *Ps. 33:1*

*The People are invited to sing the parts appointed for the Choir in this and all the Proper Chants of the Mass.*

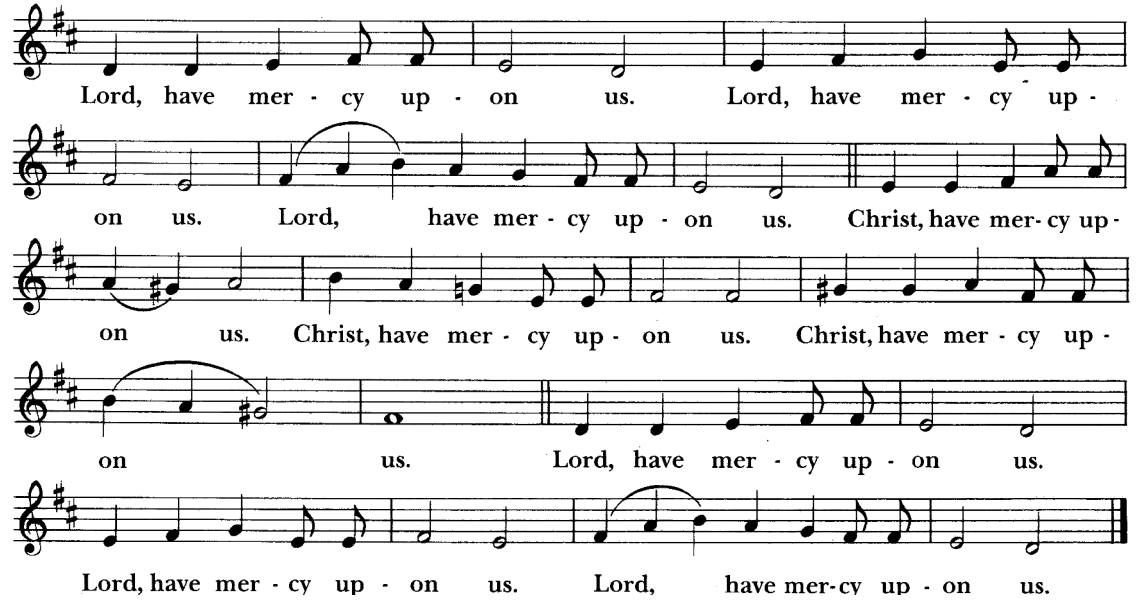



# The Word of God

*Celebrant* Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.
*People* And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.

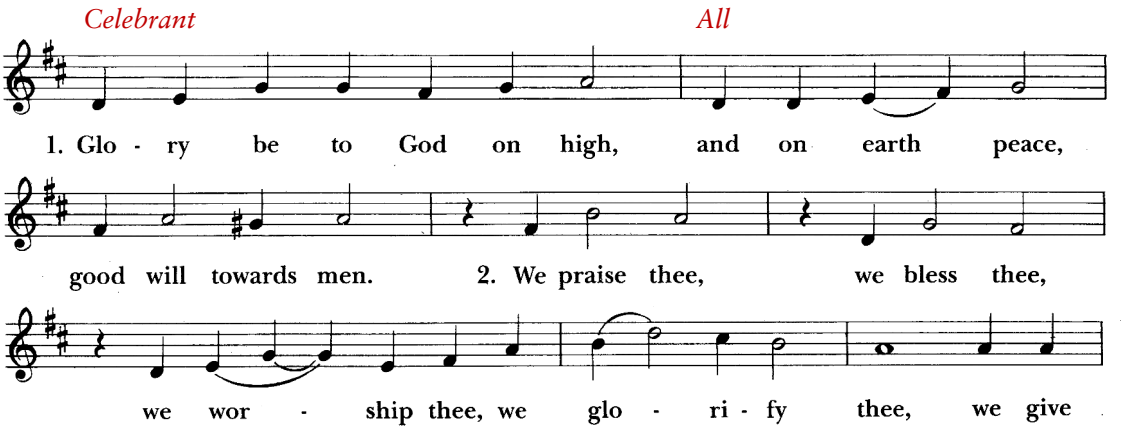
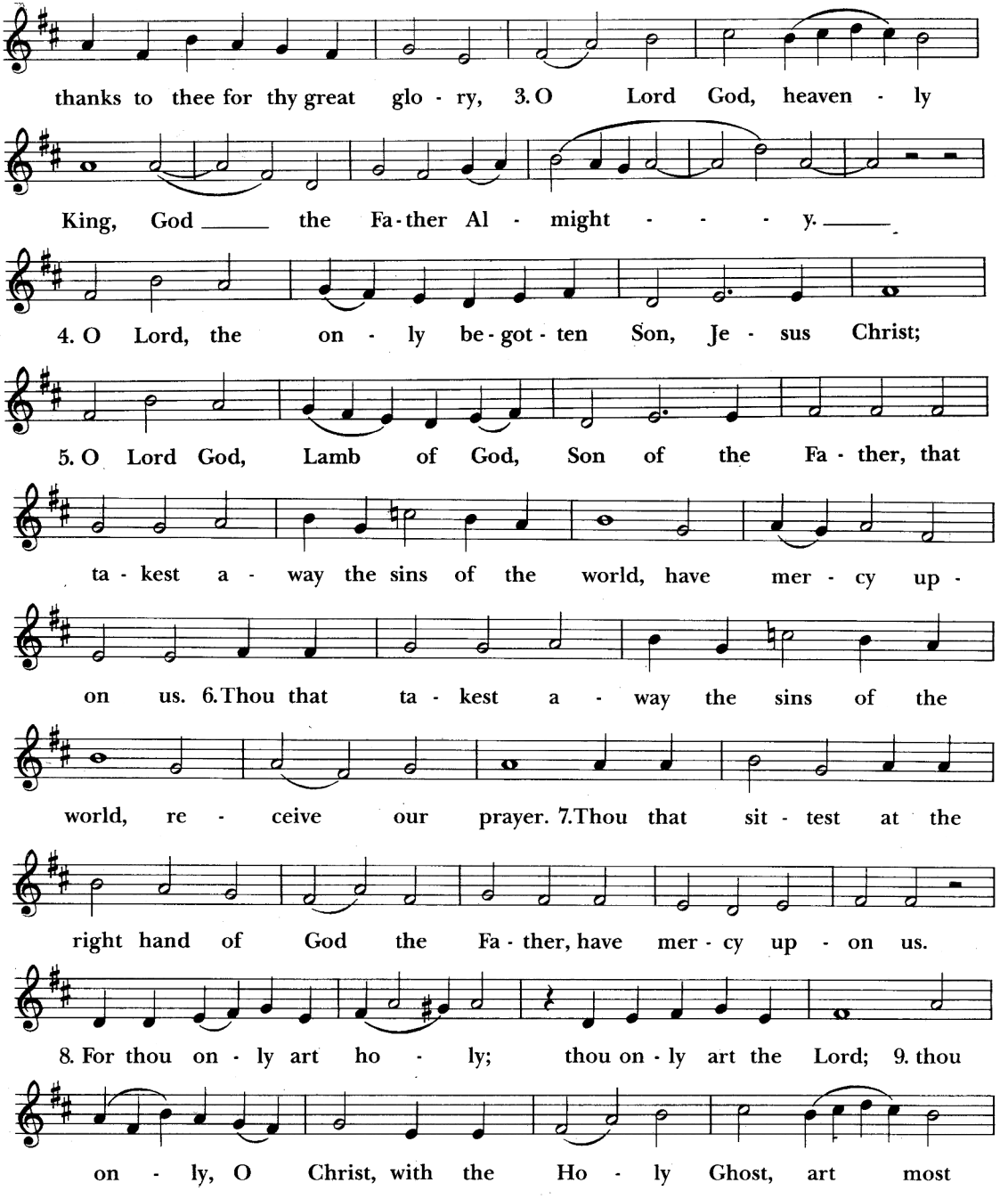
## Kyrie Eleison

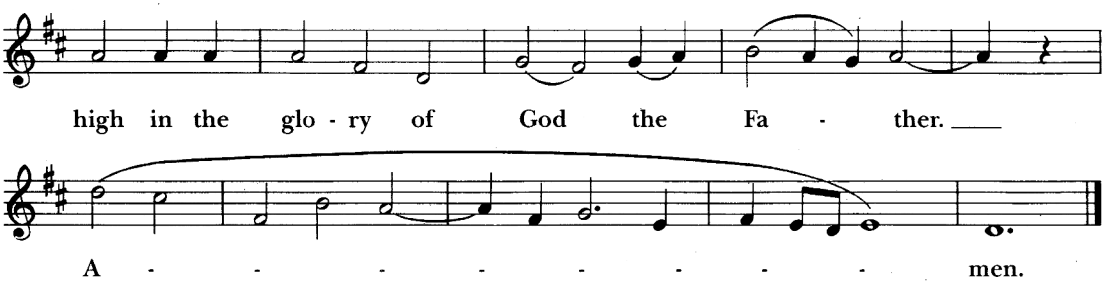
*S-91 Healey Willan (1880-1968)*




## Gloria in Excelsis

*S-202 Willan*



thanks to thee for thy great glo - ry, 3. O Lord God, heaven - ly
King, God the Fa - ther Al - might - - - y.
4. O Lord, the on - ly be - got - ten Son, Je - sus Christ;
5. O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Fa - ther, that
ta - kest a - way the sins of the world, have mer - cy up -
on us. 6. Thou that ta - kest a - way the sins of the
world, re - ceive our prayer. 7. Thou that sit - test at the
right hand of God the Fa - ther, have mer - cy up - on us.
8. For thou on - ly art ho - ly; thou on - ly art the Lord; 9. thou
on - ly, O Christ, with the Ho - ly Ghost, art most

## The Collect of the Day

*Celebrant* The Lord be with you.
*People* And also with you.
*Celebrant* Let us pray.

Almighty God, you have knit together your elect in one communion and fellowship in the mystical body of your Son Christ our Lord: Give us grace so to follow your blessed saints in all virtuous and godly living, that we may come to those ineffable joys that you have prepared for those who truly love you; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who with you and the Holy Spirit lives and reigns, one God, in glory everlasting. *Amen*.

## Lesson

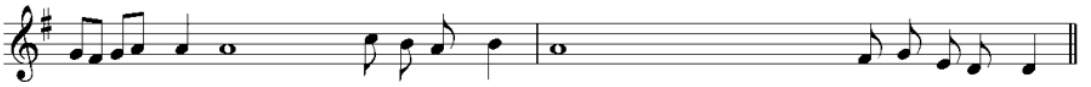
*Ecclesiasticus 44:1-10,13-14*

*Reader* A reading from the Book of Ecclesiasticus

Let us now praise famous men, and our fathers in their generations. The Lord apportioned to them great glory, his majesty from the beginning. There were those who ruled in their kingdoms, and were men renowned for their power, giving counsel by their understanding, and proclaiming prophecies; leaders of the people in their deliberations and in understanding of learning for the people, wise in their words of instruction; those who composed musical tunes, and set forth verses in writing; rich men furnished with resources, living peaceably in their habitations–all these were honored in their generations, and were the glory of their times. There are some of them who have left a name, so that men declare their praise. And there are some who have no memorial, who have perished as though they had not lived; they have become as though they had not been born, and so have their children after them. But these were men of mercy, whose righteous deeds have not been forgotten; their posterity will continue for ever, and their glory will not be blotted out. Their bodies were buried in peace, and their name lives to all generations.

The Word of the Lord.

*People* Thanks be to God.

## Gradual *Psalm 149*

*Antiphon:* Al - le - luia! Sing to the Lord a new song; * sing his praise in the congre-ga-tion of the Saints.

Let Israel rejoice in his Maker; *
let the children of Zion be joyful in their King.
Let them praise his Name in the dance; *
let them sing praise to him with timbrel and harp.

*Antiphon:* Alleluia! Sing to the Lord a new song; * sing his praise in the congregation of the Saints.

For the Lord takes pleasure in his people *
and adorns the poor with victory.
Let the faithful rejoice in triumph; *
let them be joyful on their beds.

*Antiphon:* Alleluia! Sing to the Lord a new song; * sing his praise in the congregation of the Saints.

Let the praises of God be in their throat *
and a two-edged sword in their hand;
To wreak vengeance on the nations *
and punishment on the peoples;

*Antiphon:* Alleluia! Sing to the Lord a new song; * sing his praise in the congregation of the Saints.

To bind their kings in chains *
and their nobles with links of iron;
To inflict on them the judgment decreed; *
this is glory for all his saints.

*Antiphon:* Alleluia! Sing to the Lord a new song; * sing his praise in the congregation of the Saints.

## Epistle

*Revelation 7:2-4, 9-17*

*Reader* A reading from the Revelation to John

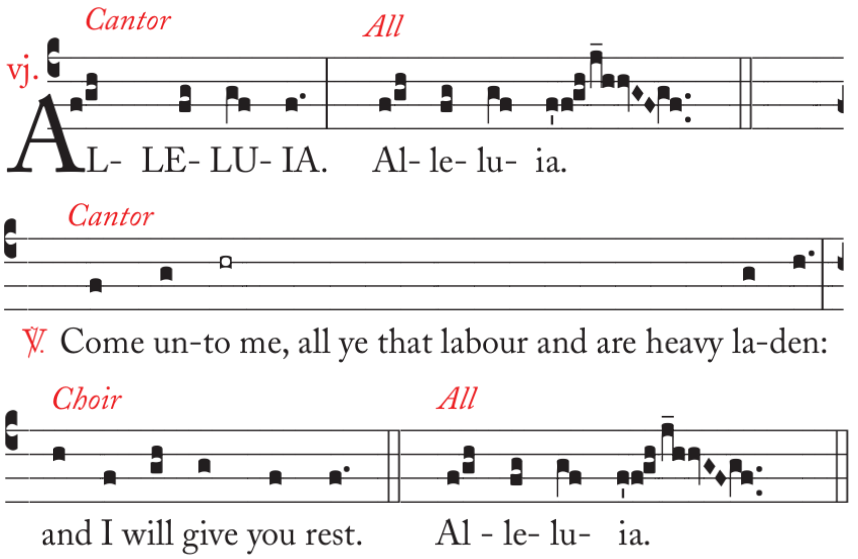
I saw another angel ascend from the rising of the sun, with the seal of the living God, and he called with a loud voice to the four angels who had been given power to harm earth and sea, saying, "Do not harm the earth or the sea or the trees, till we have sealed the servants of our God upon their foreheads." And I heard the number of the sealed, a hundred and forty-four thousand sealed, out of every tribe of the sons of Israel. After this I looked, and

behold, a great multitude which no man could number, from every nation, from all tribes and peoples and tongues, standing before the throne and before the Lamb, clothed in white robes, with palm branches in their hands, and crying out with a loud voice, "Salvation belongs to our God who sits upon the throne, and to the Lamb!" And all the angels stood round the throne and round the elders and the four living creatures, and they fell on their faces before the throne and worshiped God, saying, "Amen! Blessing and glory and wisdom and thanksgiving and honor and power and might be to our God for ever and ever! Amen." Then one of the elders addressed me, saying, "Who are these, clothed in white robes, and whence have they come?" I said to him, "Sir, you know." And he said to me, "These are they who have come out of the great tribulation; they have washed their robes and made them white in the blood of the Lamb. Therefore are they before the throne of God, and serve him day and night within his temple; and he who sits upon the throne will shelter them with his presence. They shall hunger no more, neither thirst any more; the sun shall not strike them, nor any scorching heat. For the Lamb in the midst of the throne will be their shepherd, and he will guide them to springs of living water; and God will wipe away every tear from their eyes."

The Word of the Lord.

*People* Thanks be to God.

**Alleluia** *Venite ad me* *Matt. 11:28*



## The Holy Gospel

*Saint Matthew 5:1-12*

*Deacon* The Lord be with you.
*People* And also with you.
*Deacon* The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew.
*People* Glory to you, Lord Christ

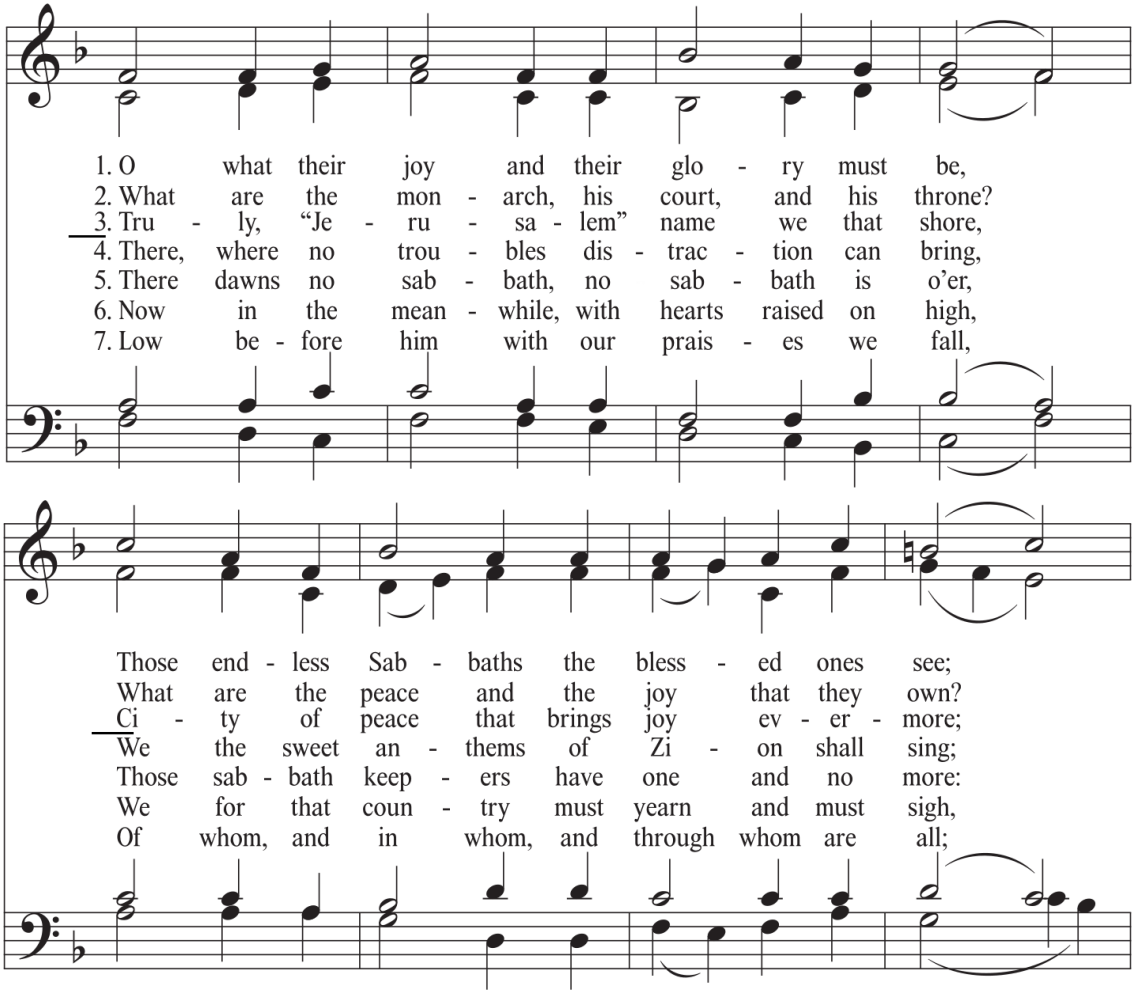
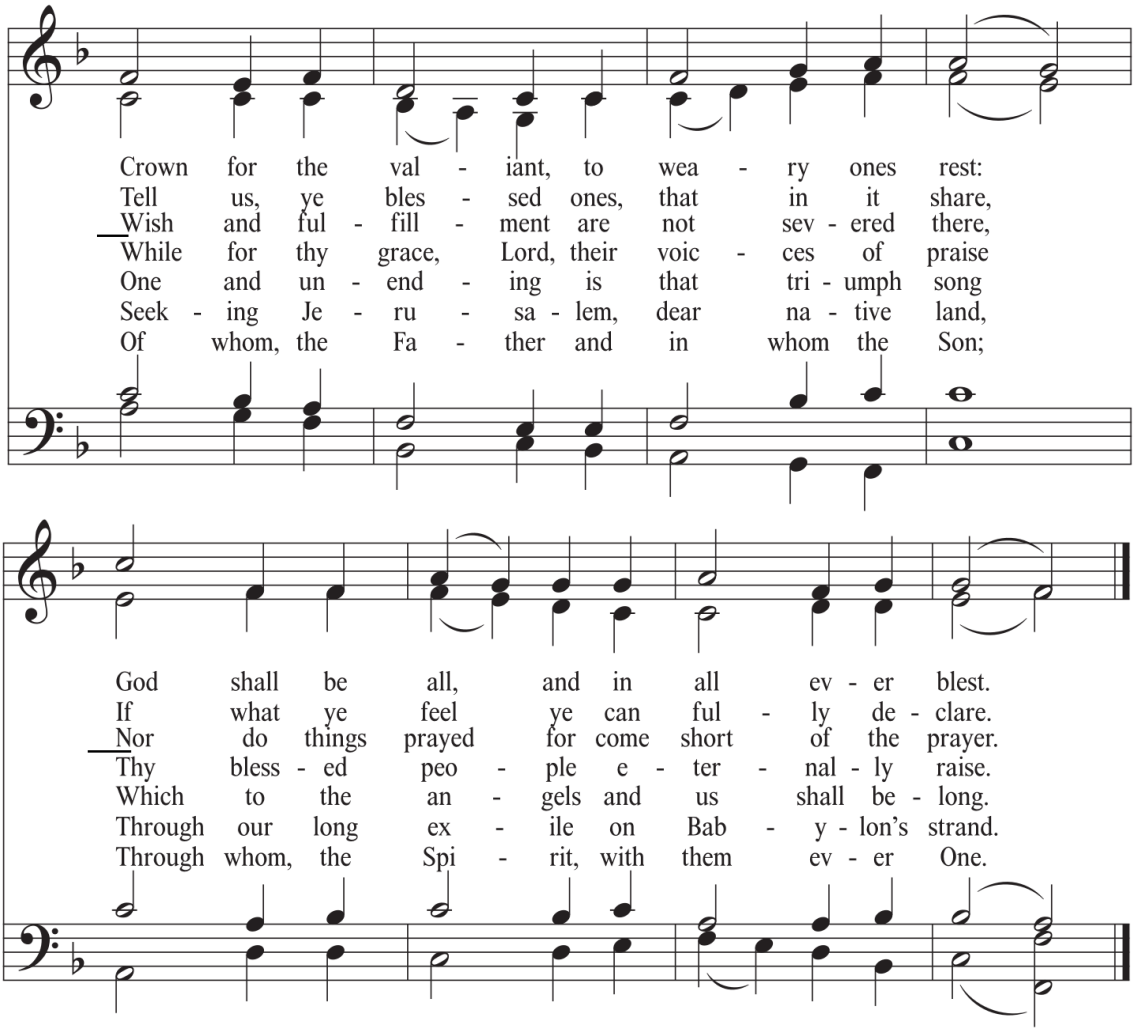
*Deacon*

Seeing the crowds, Jesus went up on the mountain, and when he sat down his disciples came to him. And he opened his mouth and taught them, saying: "Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven. Blessed are those who mourn, for they shall be comforted. Blessed are the meek, for they shall inherit the earth. Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they shall be satisfied. Blessed are the merciful, for they shall obtain mercy. Blessed are the pure in heart, for they shall see God. Blessed are the peacemakers, for they shall be called sons of God. Blessed are those who are persecuted for righteousness' sake, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven. Blessed are you when men revile you and persecute you and utter all kinds of evil against you falsely on my account. Rejoice and be glad, for your reward is great in heaven, for so men persecuted the prophets who were before you."

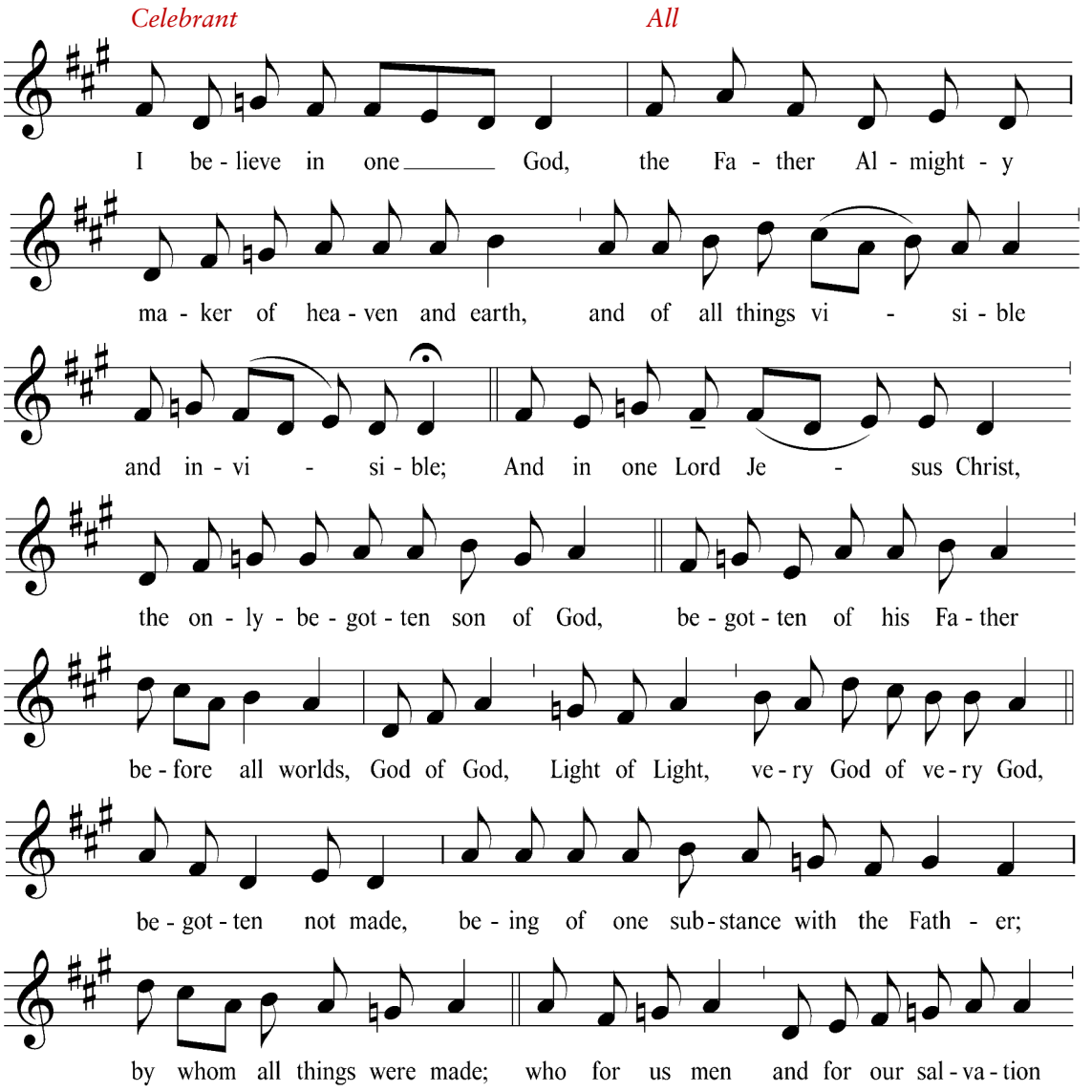
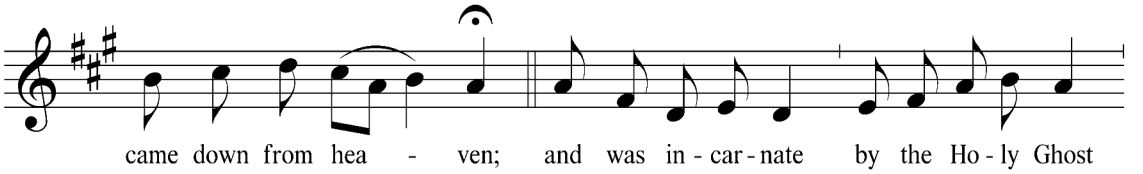
The Gospel of the Lord.

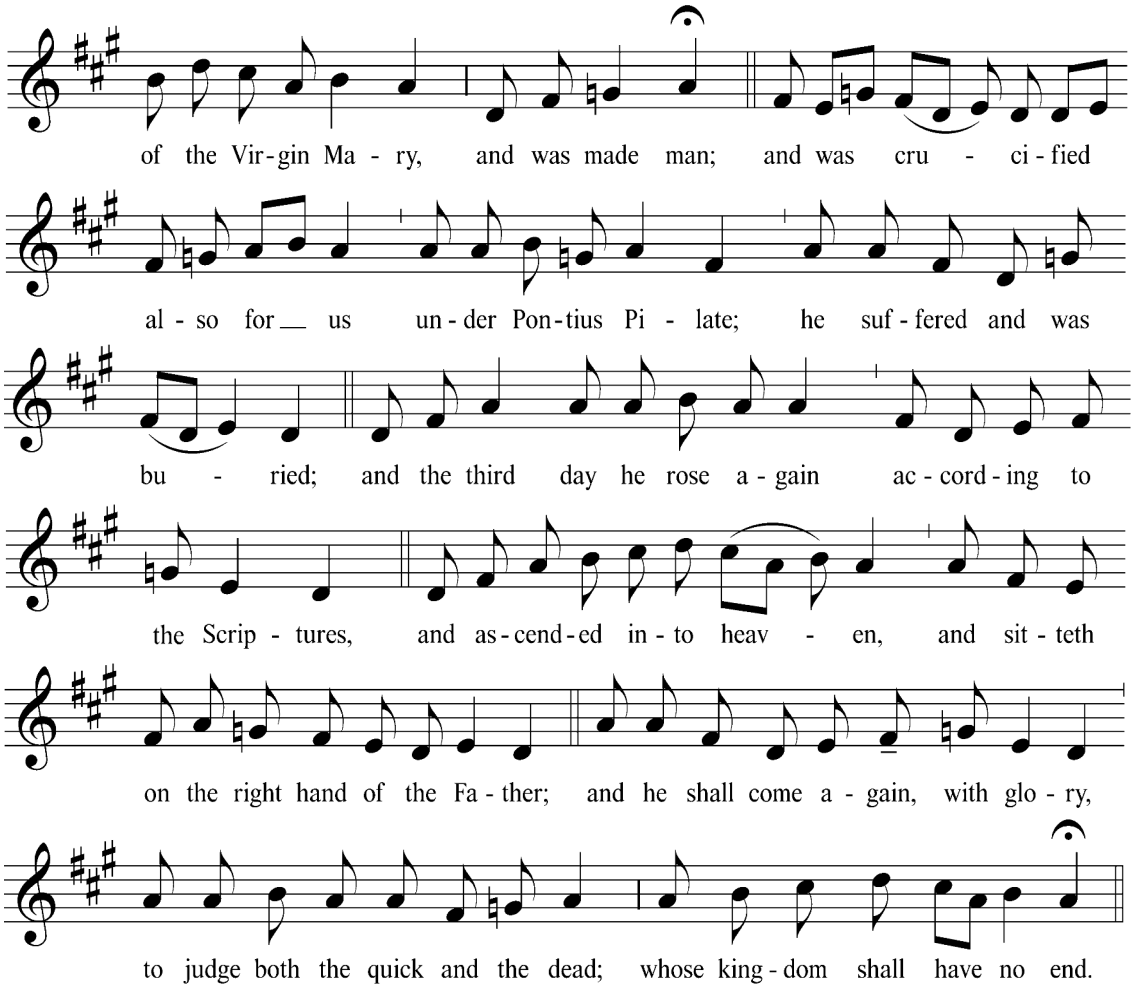
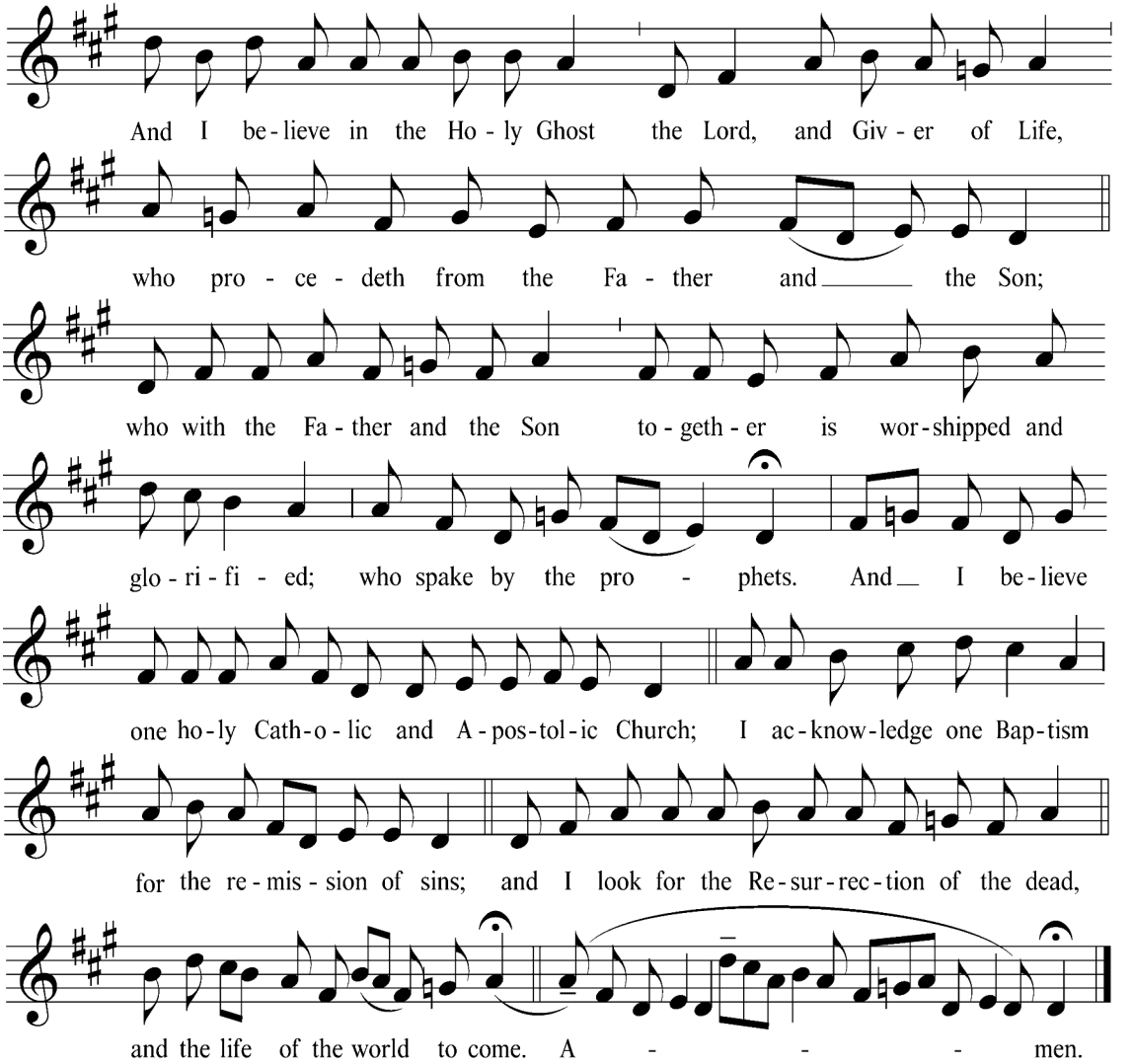
*People* Praise to you, Lord Christ.

## Hymn

Words: Peter Abelard (1079-1142); tr. John Mason Neale (1818-1866), alt.
Music: *O quanta qualia,* melody from *Antiphoner,* 1681; harm. John Bachus Dykes (1823-1876)

**Sermon** *The Reverend Canon Greg Foraker*

*There follows, all standing*

## The Nicene Creed

*KNEEL*

came down from hea - ven; and was in - car - nate by the Ho - ly Ghost

*STAND*

of the Vir - gin Ma - ry, and was made man; and was cru - ci - fied
al - so for us un - der Pon - tius Pi - late; he suf - fered and was
bu - ried; and the third day he rose a - gain ac - cord - ing to
the Scrip - tures, and as - cend - ed in - to heav - en, and sit - teth
on the right hand of the Fa - ther; and he shall come a - gain, with glo - ry,
to judge both the quick and the dead; whose king - dom shall have no end.

## The Prayers of the People

*The Deacon or Celebrant and People pray responsively*

Father, we pray for your holy Catholic Church;
*That we all may be one.*

Grant that every member of the Church may truly and humbly serve you;

*That your Name may be glorified by all people.*

We pray for all bishops, priests, and deacons;
*That they may be faithful ministers of your Word and Sacraments.*

We pray for all who govern and hold authority in the nations of the world;
*That there may be justice and peace on the earth.*

Give us grace to do your will in all that we undertake;
*That our works may find favor in your sight.*

Have compassion on those who suffer from any grief or trouble;
*That they may be delivered from their distress.*

Give to the departed eternal rest;
*Let light perpetual shine upon them.*

We praise you for your saints who have entered into joy;
*May we also come to share in your heavenly kingdom.*

Let us pray for our own needs and those of others.

*The Deacon or Celebrant announces the parish's particular intercessions. The Celebrant adds a concluding Collect.*

## Confession of Sin

*Deacon or Celebrant* Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

*Kneeling, all say together*
Most merciful God,
we confess that we have sinned against you
in thought, word, and deed,
by what we have done,
and by what we have left undone.
We have not loved you with our whole heart;
we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves.
We are truly sorry and we humbly repent.
For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ,
have mercy on us and forgive us;
that we may delight in your will,
and walk in your ways,
to the glory of your Name. Amen.

*Celebrant*
Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life.

*People* Amen.

### The Peace

*Celebrant* The Peace of the Lord be always with you.
*People* And also with you.

## The Liturgy of the Eucharist

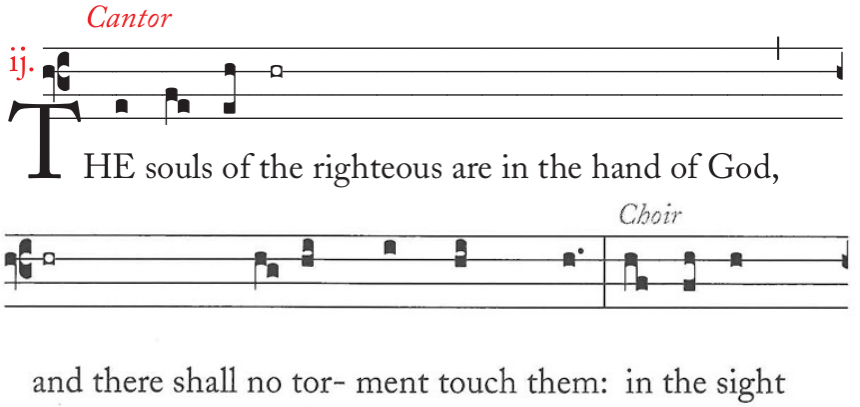
*The Celebrant announces the Intention of the Mass.*

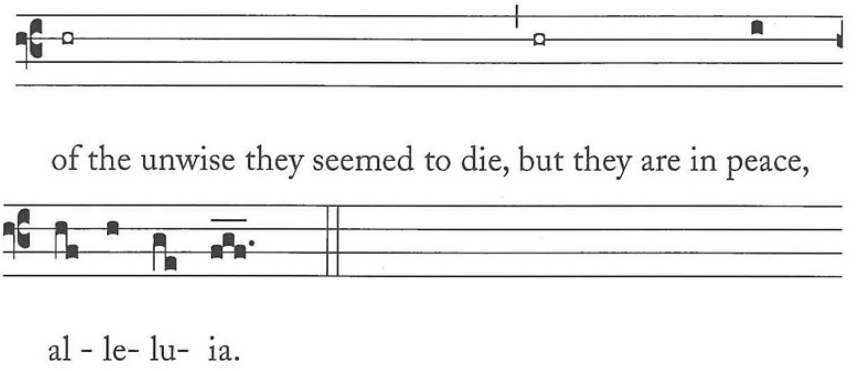
*Celebrant*
Pray, brethren, that this, my Sacrifice and yours, may be acceptable to God the Father Almighty.

*People*
May the Lord receive this sacrifice at your hands to the praise and glory of his Name, both to our benefit and that of all His Holy Church.

*Celebrant* Amen.

**Offertory** *Iustorum animæ* *Wisdom 3:1-3*






## Anthem

Words: Text of the Magnificat Antiphon for Second Vespers of All Saints Day
Music: Tomás Luis de Victoria (1548-1611)

O quam gloriosum est regnum,
in quo cum Christo gaudent
omnes Sancti.
Amicti stolis albis, sequuntur
Agnum quocumque ierit.

*O, how glorious is the*
*kingdom, in which all the*
*saints rejoice with Christ!*
*Arrayed in white robes, they*
*follow the Lamb, wherever he*
*goes.*

## The Great Thanksgiving

*Celebrant* The Lord be with you.
*People* And also with you.
*Celebrant* Lift up your hearts.
*People* We lift them to the Lord.
*Celebrant* Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
*People* It is right to give him thanks and praise.

*Celebrant*

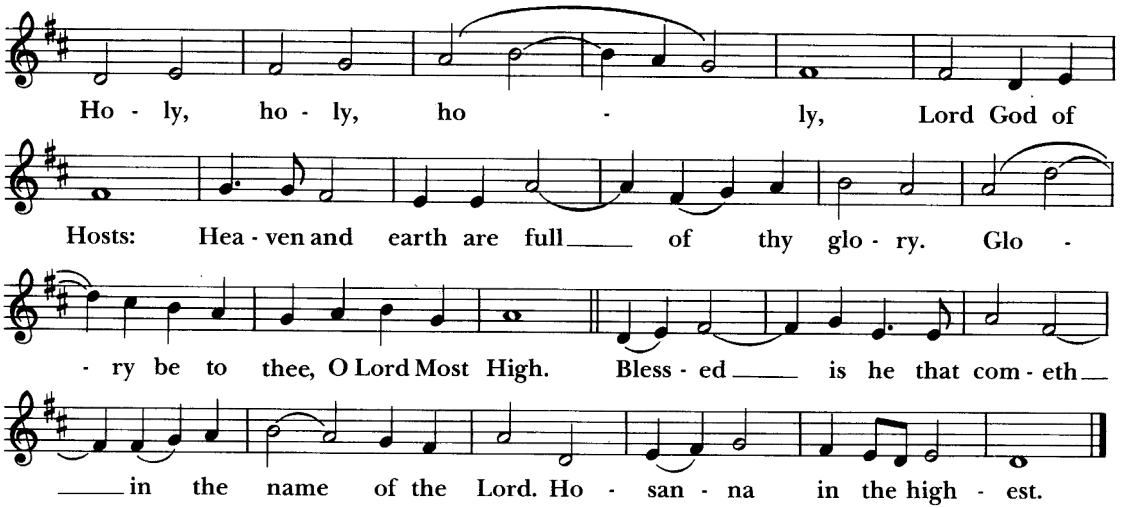
It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth. Through Christ our Lord.

For in the multitude of your saints you have surrounded us with a great cloud of witnesses, that we might rejoice in their fellowship, and run with endurance the race that is set before us; and, together with them, receive the crown of glory that never fades away.

Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

## Sanctus & Benedictus

*S-114 Willan*




*The people kneel.*

*Celebrant*

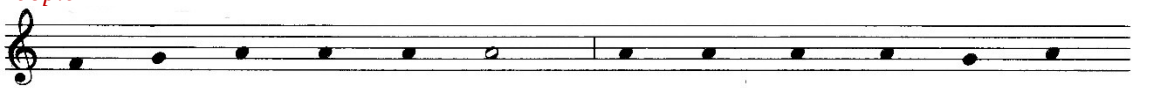
We give thanks to you, O God, for the goodness and love which you have made known to us in creation; in the calling of Israel to be your people; in your Word spoken through the prophets; and above all in the Word made flesh, Jesus, your Son. For in these last days you sent him to be incarnate from the Virgin Mary, to be the Savior and Redeemer of the world. In him, you have delivered us from evil, and made us worthy to stand before you. In him, you have brought us out of error into truth, out of sin into righteousness, out of death into life.

On the night before he died for us, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

*Celebrant*

*People*



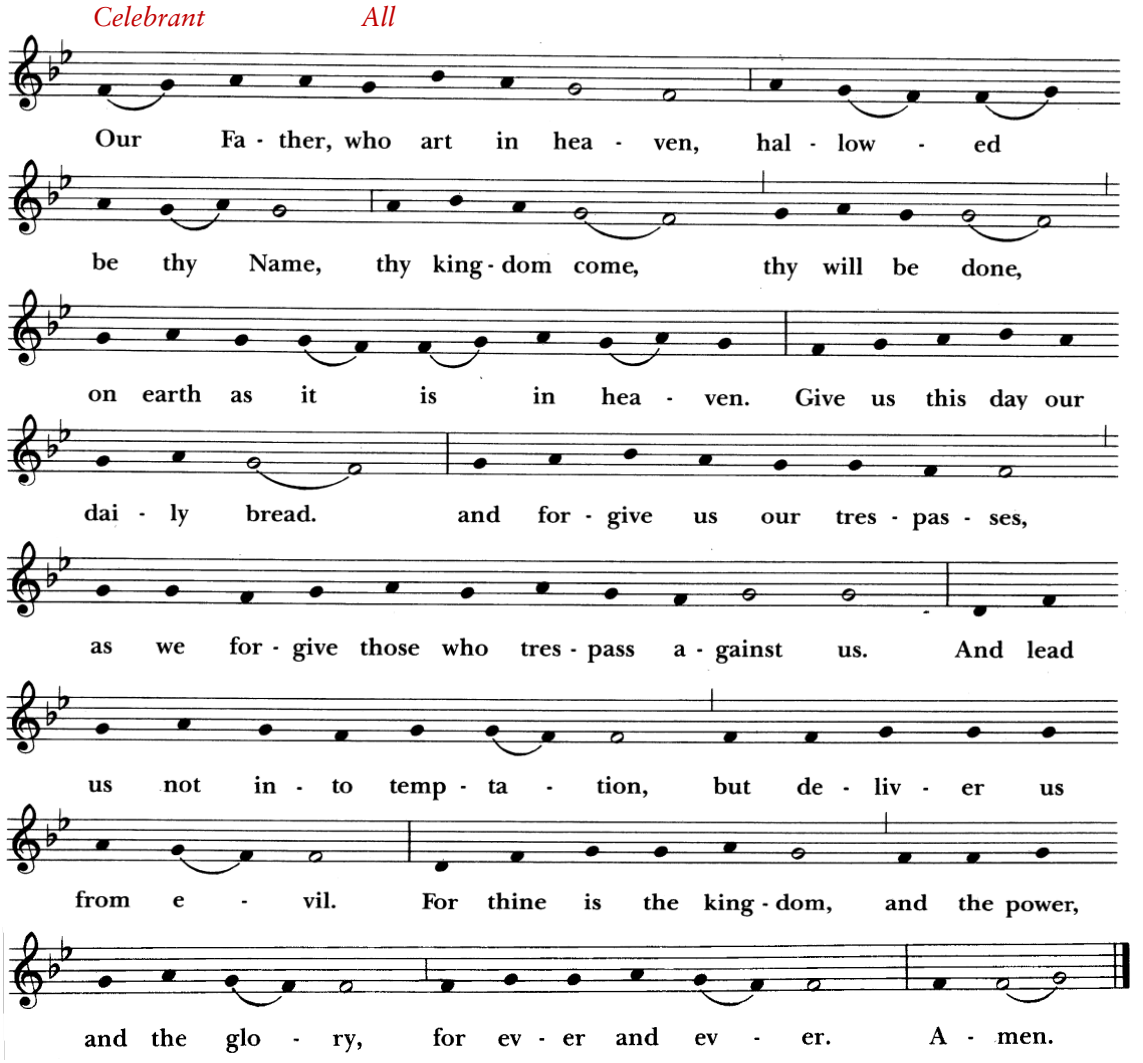
*The Celebrant continues*

And we offer our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving to you, O Lord of all; presenting to you, from your creation, this bread and this wine.

We pray you, gracious God, to send your Holy Spirit upon these gifts that they may be the Sacrament of the Body of Christ and his Blood of the new Covenant. Unite us to your Son in his sacrifice, that we may be acceptable through him, being sanctified by the Holy Spirit. In the fullness of time, put all things in subjection under your Christ, and bring us to that heavenly country where, with Blessed Mary, Ever Virgin, Blessed Michael and All Angels, patrons of this parish, and all your saints, we may enter the everlasting heritage of your sons and daughters; through Jesus Christ our Lord, the firstborn of all creation, the head of the Church, and the author of our salvation.

By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever. *AMEN.*

And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say,


Celebrant
All
Our Fa - ther, who art in hea - ven, hal - low - ed
be thy Name, thy king - dom come, thy will be done,
on earth as it is in hea - ven. Give us this day our
dai - ly bread. and for - give us our tres - pas - ses,
as we for - give those who tres - pass a - gainst us. And lead
us not in - to temp - ta - tion, but de - liv - er us
from e - vil. For thine is the king - dom, and the power,
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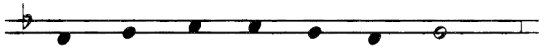
## The Breaking of the Host

*Celebrant*

*People*




## Agnus Dei

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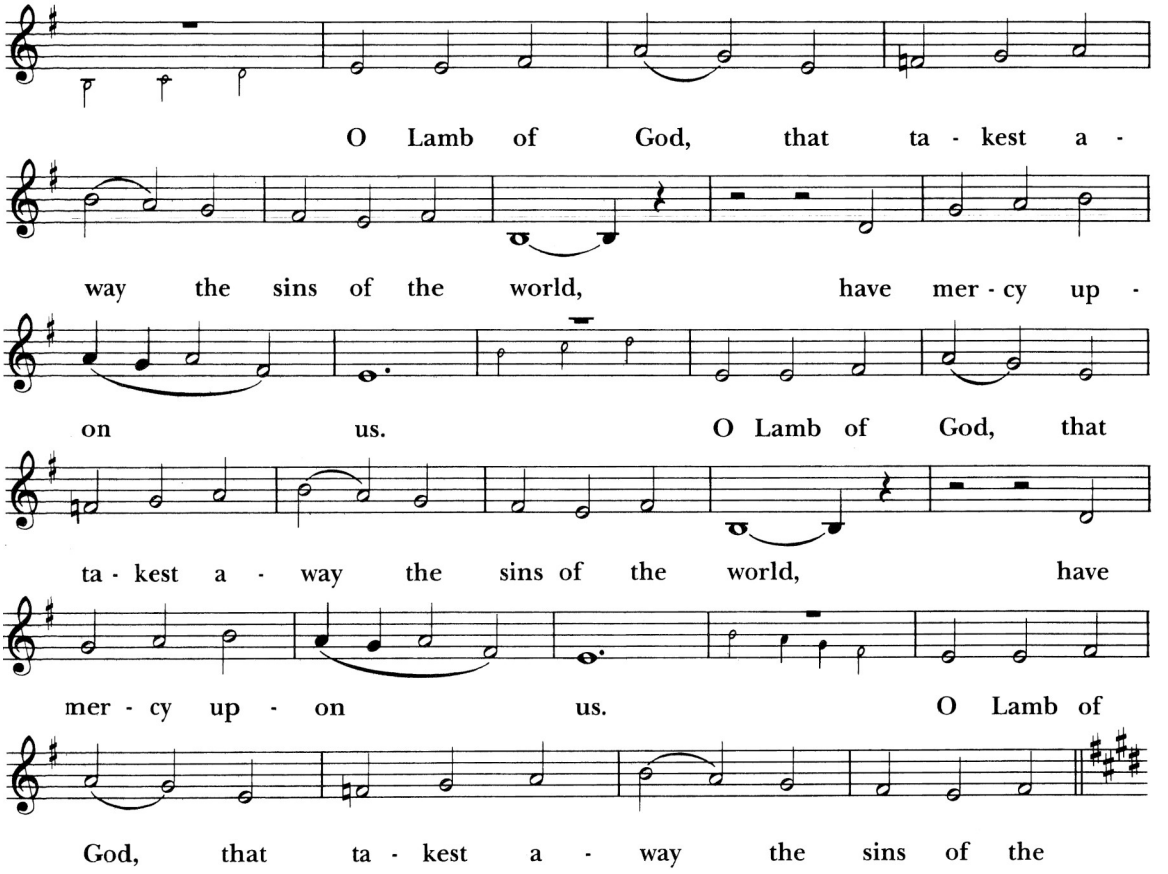
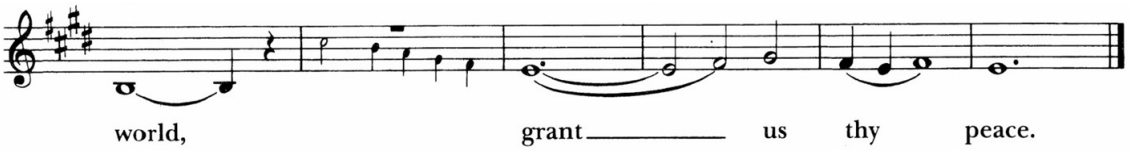





*The Celebrant says the following Invitation*

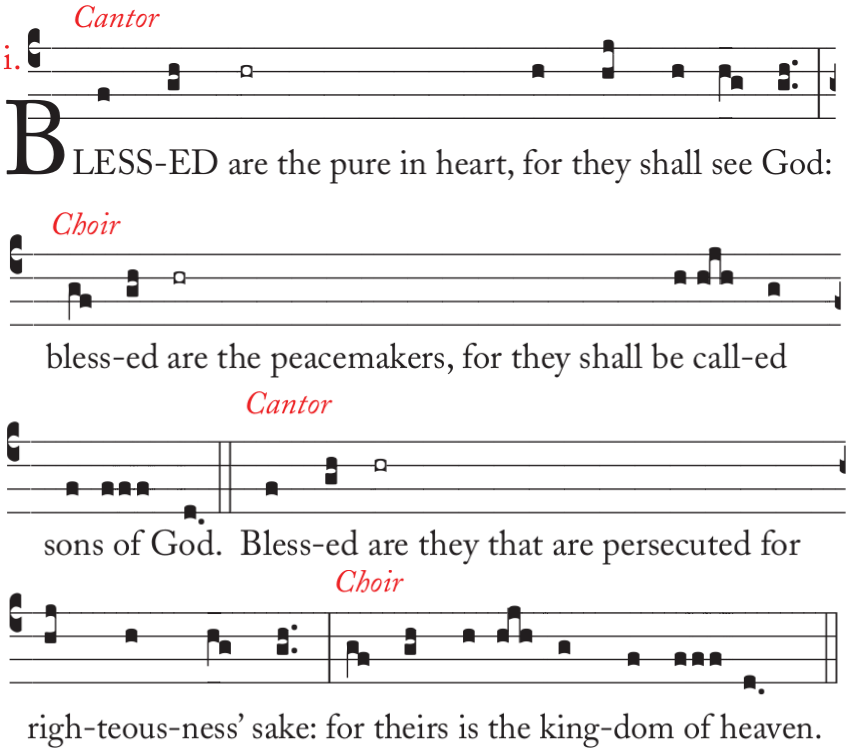
The Gifts of God for the People of God. Behold the Lamb of God, behold him who takes away the sins of the world. Blessed are those called to the supper of the Lamb.

*People*

Lord, I am not worthy that you should come under my roof, but speak the word only and my soul shall be healed.

*The ministers receive the Sacrament in both kinds, and then immediately deliver it to the people.*

**Communion** *Beáti mundo corde* *Matthew 5:8-10*



## Hymn

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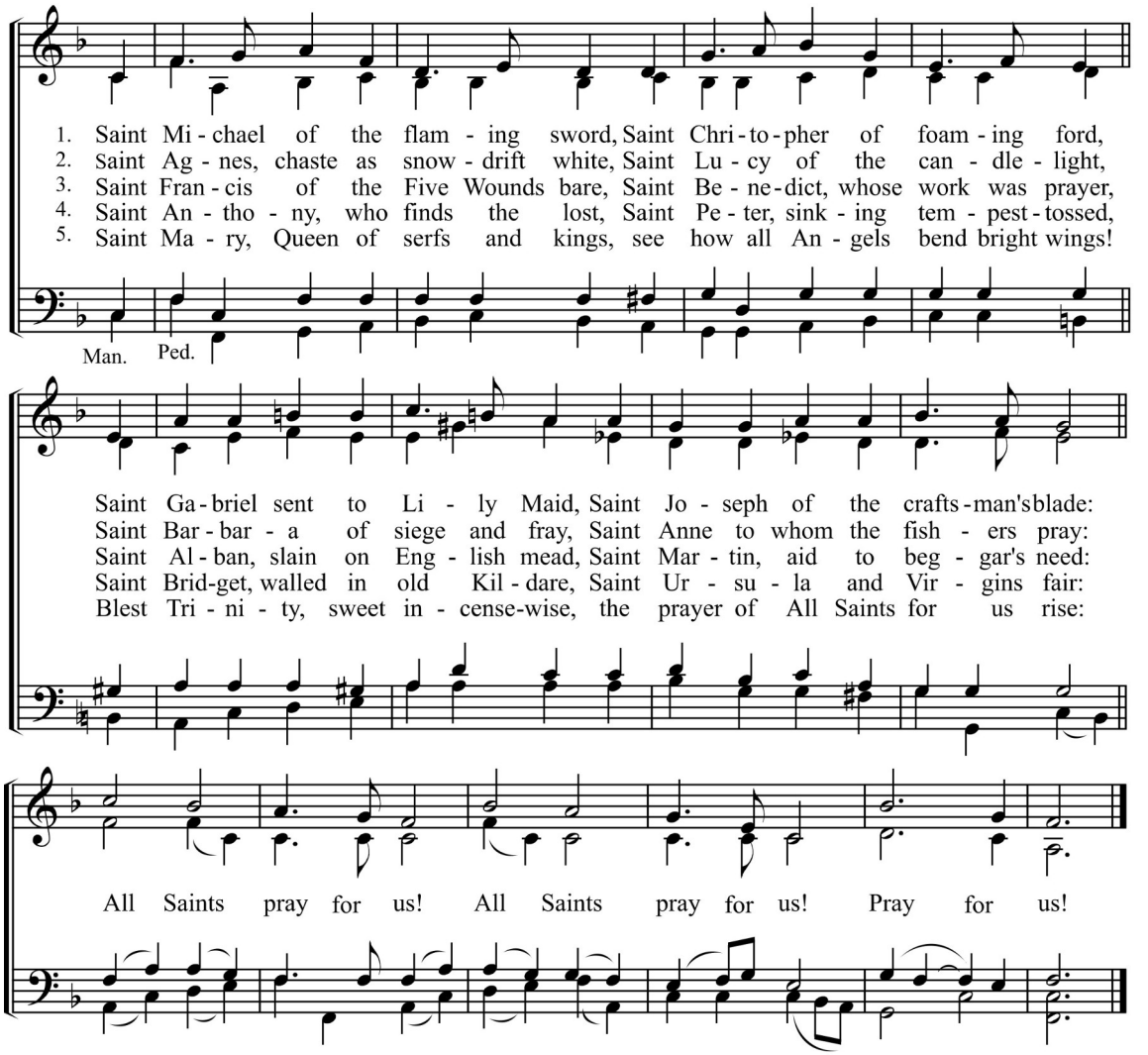
Music: *Pyrenees*, David Enlow (b. 1981)

*After Communion, the Celebrant says*

Let us pray.

*Celebrant and People*
Almighty and everliving God,
we thank you for feeding us with the spiritual food
of the most precious Body and Blood
of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ;
and for assuring us in these holy mysteries
that we are living members of the Body of your Son,
and heirs of your eternal kingdom.
And now, Father, send us out
to do the work you have given us to do,
to love and serve you
as faithful witnesses of Christ our Lord.
To him, to you, and to the Holy Spirit,
be honor and glory, now and for ever. Amen.

## Solemn Blessing

*Celebrant*
May God the Father, who has bound us together in the company of the elect within the mystical body of his Son, both in this age and in the age to come, attend to the prayers of all of his faithful servants on your behalf, as he hears your praise for them.

*People*
Amen.

*Celebrant*
May God the Son, who kindled the fire of his love in the hearts of the saints, pour upon you the riches of his grace to know the hope to which he has called you.

*People*
Amen.

*Celebrant*
May God the Holy Spirit, who has given us, in the lives of all the saints, patterns of holy living and victorious dying, strengthen your faith and devotion to walk in the way of holiness, and bring you to share in their glorious inheritance.

*People*
Amen.

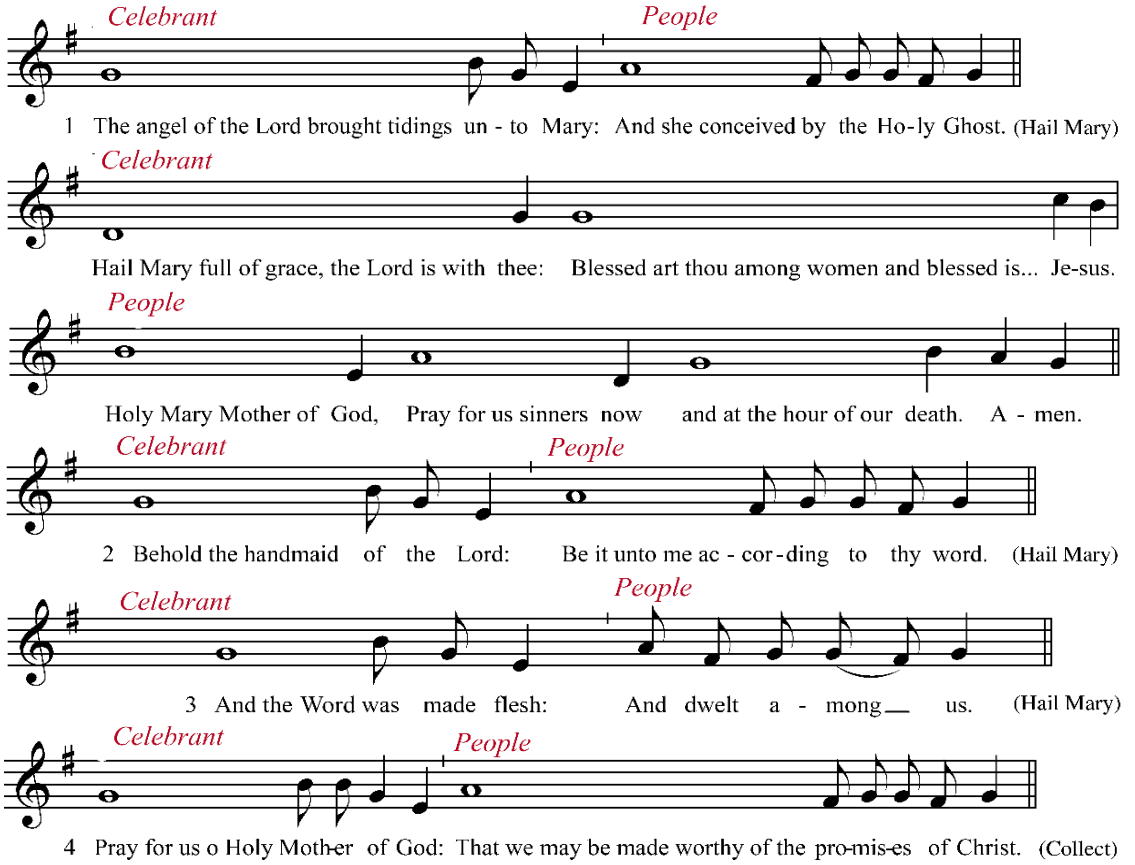
*Celebrant*
And the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be upon you this day and remain with you always.

*People*
Amen.

## Dismissal

*Deacon* Let us go forth in the name of Christ.
*People* Thanks be to God.

## Angelus



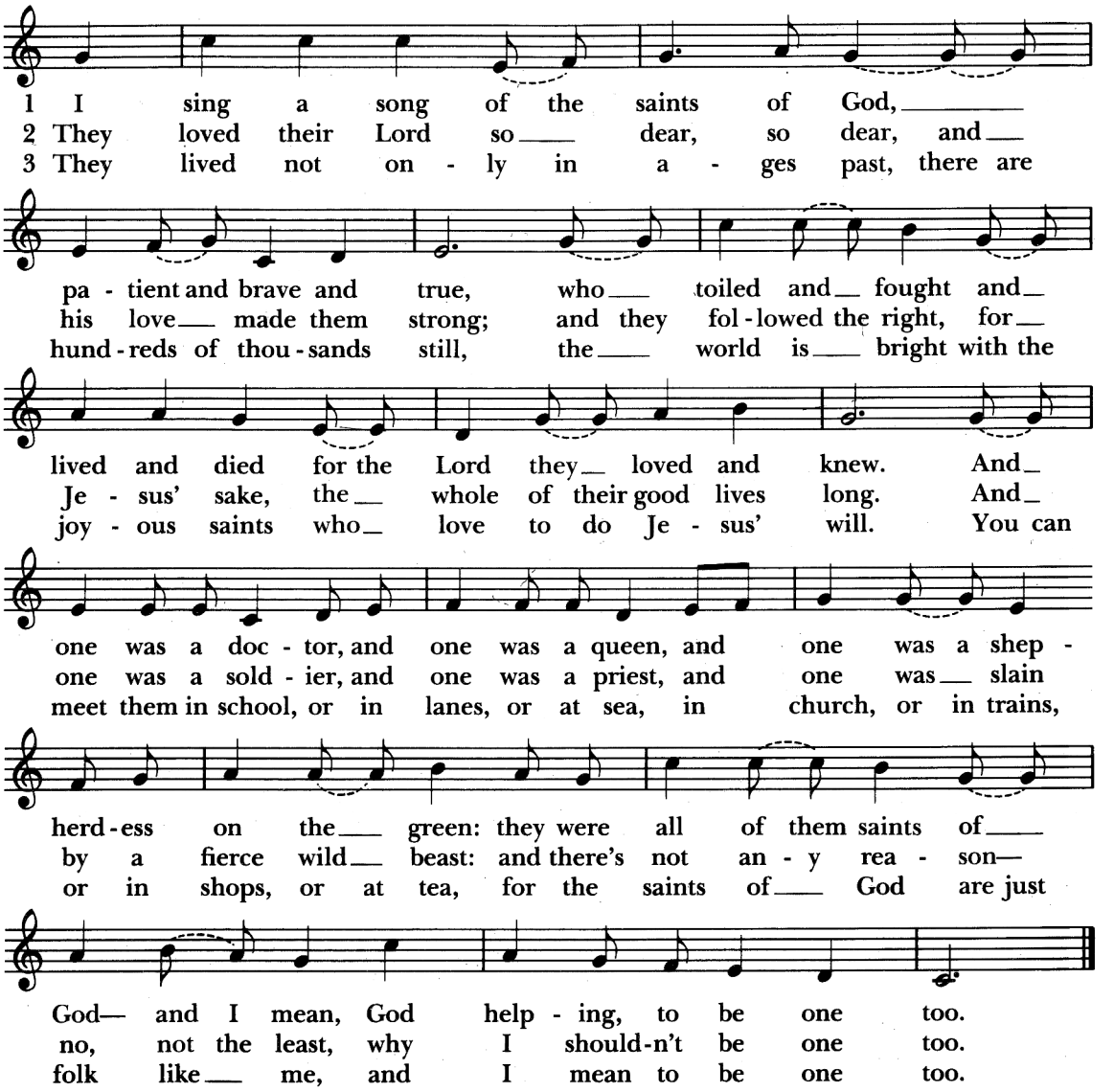
*Celebrant*
Pour forth thy grace into our hearts, we beseech thee, O Lord, that like as we have known the Incarnation of thy son, Jesus Christ by the message of an angel, so by his Cross and Passion we may be brought into the glory of his Resurrection through the same Christ, our Lord.

*People* *Amen.*

**Departure of the Sanctuary Party**

## Hymn #293

Words: Lesbia Scott (1898-1986), alt.

Music: *Grand Isle,* John Henry Hopkins (1861-1945)

**Postlude** *Grand Chœur*, Charles-Alexandre Fessy (1804-1856