

THE BAPTISM OF
THE LORD
YEAR A

TRADITIONAL
AND
CONTEMPORARY

January 11, 2026

at 7:00am, 9:00am, and 6:00pm

Commissioned by Westminster Choir College for "Readings and Carols," 2013.

FESTIVAL FIRST NOWELL

English carol, 17th c.

THE FIRST NOWELL
Arr. Dan Forrest

Slowly unfolding, expressively ♩ = 60–69

mp sempre molto legato e espressivo

mf

no bass coupler

ped

ff

to the fore

moving forward

bass coupler here

poco a poco rit.

A full score with brass quintet and percussion is available, G-8720INST.

Moving forward*S, A, Audience*

22 *f*

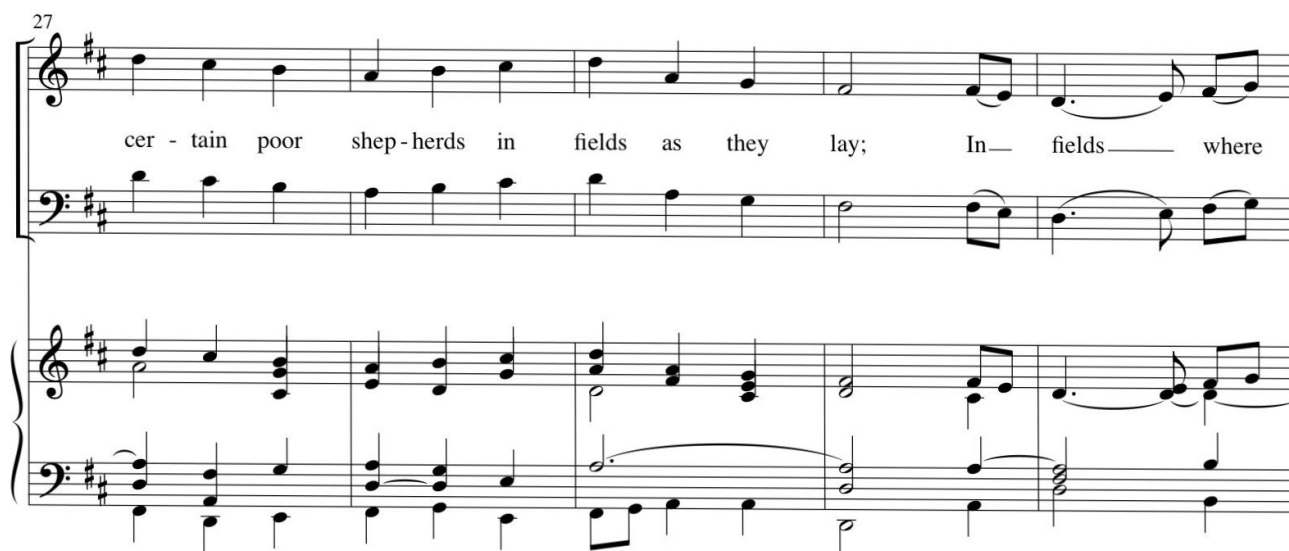
The— first— No - well the— an - gels did say Was to

T, B f



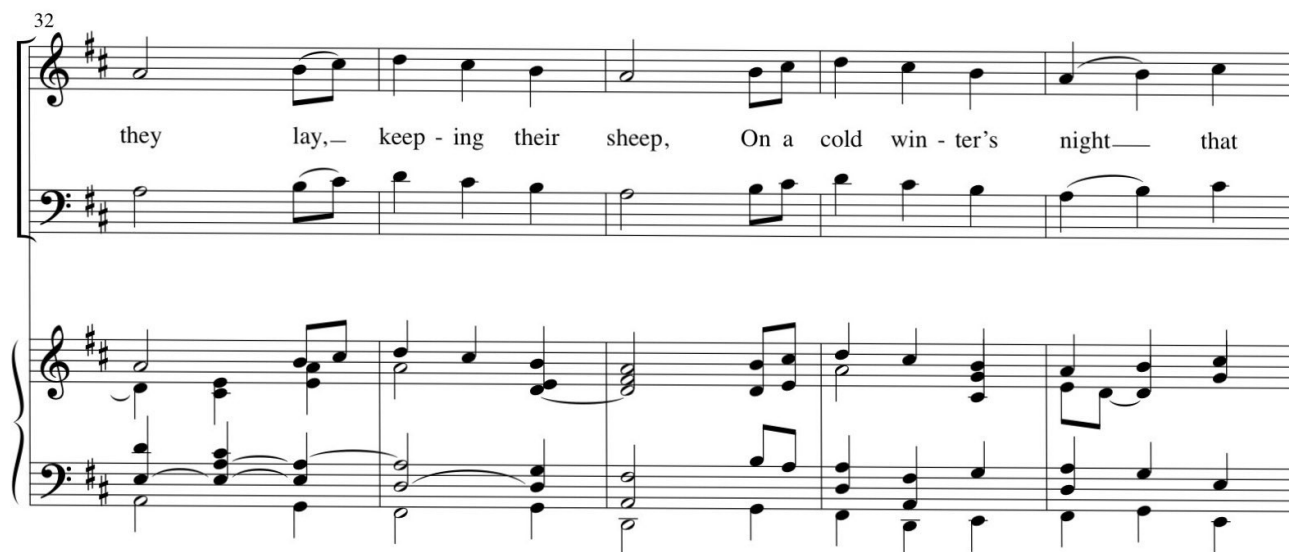
27

cer - tain poor shep - herds in fields as they lay; In— fields— where



32

they lay,— keep - ing their sheep, On a cold win - ter's night— that



37

was — so deep: No - well, — No - well, No - well, No -

42

well, Born is the King — of Is - ra - el. —

47

octave lower



8

f moving forward

Tempo I ♩ = 60–69

poco rit.

ff

Molto maestoso

83 *S descant* ***ff***

No - well, ————— No - well, No - well, No - well,

A, Audience ***ff***

Then let ——— us ——— all with — one — ac - cord Sing

T, B ***ff***

83

ff

88

No - well, to ——— our heav'n - ly Lord, No - well, ———

prais - es to ——— our heav'n - ly Lord That - hath ——— made

88

93

No - well, No - well, No - well, With— His blood man -

heav'n and— earth— of nought, and— with— His blood— man

93

98

poco a poco rit.

S

kind hath bought; No - well, No - well, No - well, No -

*A**

kind— hath bought: No - well, No - well, No - well, No -

T

kind— hath bought: No - well, No - well, No - well, No -

B

kind— hath bought: No - well, No - well, No - well, No -

poco a poco rit.

98

poco a poco rit.

*Audience sings melody to the end.

103

well, _____ Born is the King of Is - ra - el. _____

well, _____ Born is the King of Is - ra - el. _____

well, _____ Born is the King of Is - ra - el. _____

well, _____ Born is the King of Is - ra - el. _____

103

The musical score consists of four vocal staves and a piano accompaniment. The vocal staves are arranged in two systems of two staves each. The first system of vocal staves is numbered 103. The lyrics 'well, _____ Born is the King of Is - ra - el. _____' are written below each of the four vocal staves. The piano accompaniment is located below the vocal staves and consists of two staves. The key signature is one sharp (F#) and the time signature is 4/4. The piano accompaniment features a variety of chords and melodic lines, including a prominent bass line in the left hand and a more active line in the right hand. The score concludes with a double bar line.

KYRIE

168

Melody

Keyboard

Dm Gm Dm Gm Dm F Bb

Ký - ri - e e - lé - i - son. Ký - ri - e e - lé - i - son. Chri - ste e -

Gm7 F Bb Gm7 F Dm

lé - i - son. Chri - ste e - lé - i - son. Ký - ri -

Gm Dm Gm Dm Gm Dm

e e - lé - i - son. Ký - ri - e e - lé - i - son.

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Glory to God (Through-composed) (Mass of Saint Ann) 55

Upbeat Gloria

#8

$\text{♩} = \text{c. } 58$

S.A. *f* Glo-ry! Glo-ry to God in the high-est. —

T. *f*

mf *f*

F5 Bb/F F Bb/D Bb F/C C

Glo-ry! Glo-ry to God in the high-est, and on earth peace to

Bb/F F Bb/D F/C C Bb

mf *unison*

peo-ple of good will. We praise you, we bless you, we a-

Csus C Csus F5 Bbmaj7 *mf*

optional harmony

S.A. dore you, we glo-ri-fy— you, we give you thanks for your great glo -

B $\flat$ /D C/E F B $\flat$ maj7 C

S.A. ry, Lord God, heav-en - ly King, — O God, al - might-y

T.

F Dm B $\flat$ 2 C/B $\flat$ B $\flat$ 2

mf

Fa - ther. Lord Je - sus Christ, On - ly Be - got - ten Son, Lord God,

C F/A B $\flat$ C/B $\flat$

mf

Lamb of God, Son of the Fa - ther, — you take a - way the sins of the world,

mf *f*

B $\flat$ C/B $\flat$ F/B $\flat$ B $\flat$ F/B $\flat$ B $\flat$ 2 N.C. Dm7 C/E

f

— have mer-cy on us; you take a - way the sins of the world,

F B $\flat$ 2 Dm7 C/E

— re - ceive our prayer; you are seat - ed at the right hand of the Fa-ther,

mf *mf*

F B $\flat$ 2 B $\flat$ (add2) Dm C/E

have mer-cy on us. *f* For you a-lone are the Ho-ly One,

Bb(add2) Csus C N.C. Bb(add2) Bb2 C

f

you a-lone are the Lord, — you a-lone are the Most High, Je - sus

ff

F/A F Bb(add2) Bb2 Dm C/E Bb/F Dm7

ff

Christ, with the Ho - ly Spir-it, in the glo-ry of God the

Eb(add2) Bb/C

*Play only if no drums, otherwise play drum fill.

Fa - ther. — Glo-ry! Glo-ry to God in the high-est. —

Bb/F F C7/E F C

sub

Glo-ry! Glo-ry to God in the high-est, and on earth peace to

Bb/F F Bb/D Bb F/C C Bb

peo-ple of good will. A - men.

Csus C Csus F5 Bb/F C/F F5 F

THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD

Year A

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 29:1–2, 3–4, 3, 9–10 (21)

Owen Alstott

Response: (*Organ/SATB*)

Optional Descant

The Lord will bless his people with peace.

E A/C# B E C#m E B7 E

The Lord _____ will bless _____ his people with peace.

Verses: (*Cantor or SATB*)

B E

1. Give to the LORD, you sons of God,
Give to the LORD the glory due his name;

2. The voice of the LORD is over the waters,
The voice of the LORD is mighty;

3. The God of glory thunders,
The LORD is enthroned above the flood;

A B7

1. Give to the LORD glo - ry and praise,
Adore the LORD in ho - ly at - tire.

2. The LORD, o - ver vast waters.
The voice of the LORD is ma - jestic.

3. And in his temple all say, "Glory!"
The LORD is enthroned as king for - ever.

Gospel Acclamation: cf. Mark 9:7**Acclamation:** (*Organ/SATB*) No. V

Optional Descant

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

C F G Am Am/G Fmaj7 C Em Dm G C

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

Verse: (*Cantor*)

Am F G

The heavens were o - pened and the voice of the Father thundered:

Organ

Am F G C

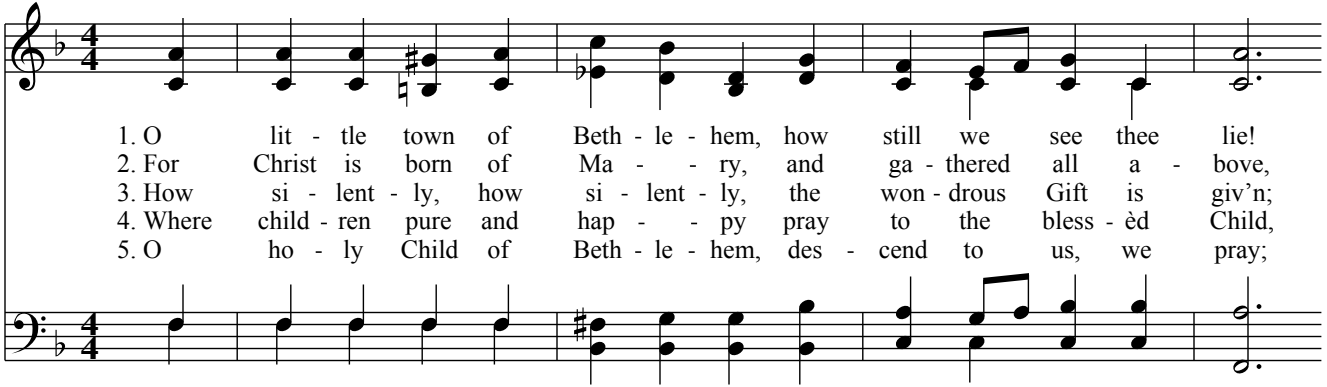
This is my belov - ed Son, listen to him.

O Little Town of Bethlehem

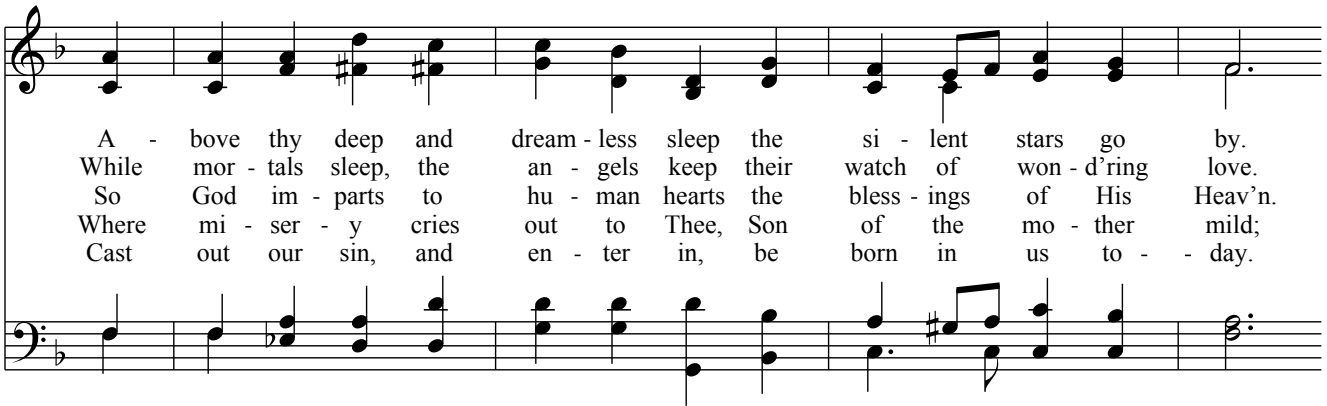
CHRISTMAS

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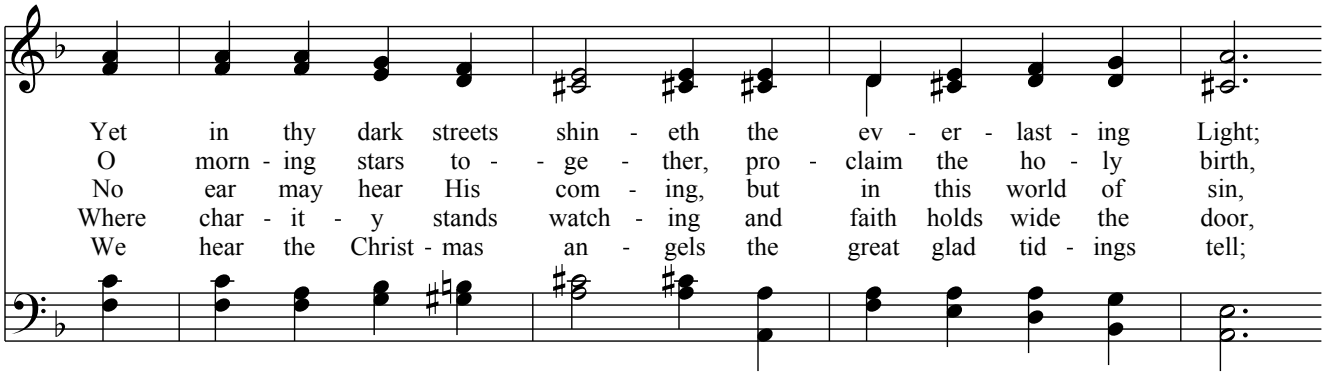
♩ = 100



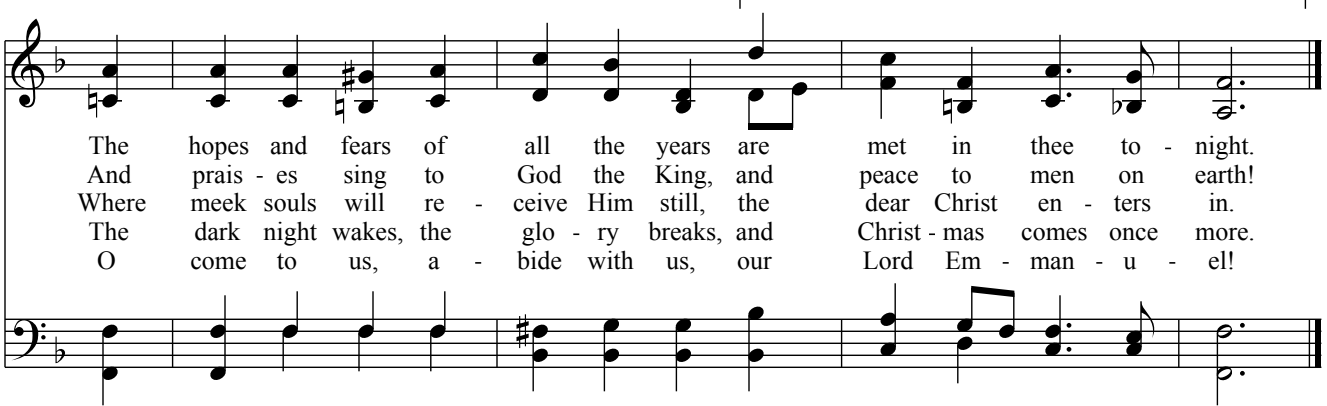
1. O lit - tle town of Beth - le - hem, how still we see thee lie!
 2. For Christ is born of Ma - - ry, and ga - thered all a - bove,
 3. How si - lent - ly, how si - lent - ly, the won - drous Gift is giv'n;
 4. Where child - ren pure and hap - - py pray to the bless - èd Child,
 5. O ho - ly Child of Beth - le - hem, des - cend to us, we pray;



A - bove thy deep and dream - less sleep the si - lent stars go by.
 While mor - tals sleep, the an - gels keep their watch of won - d'ring love.
 So God im - parts to hu - man hearts the bless - ings of His Heav'n.
 Where mi - ser - y cries out to Thee, Son of the mo - ther mild;
 Cast out our sin, and en - ter in, be born in us to - - day.



Yet in thy dark streets shin - eth the ev - er - last - ing Light;
 O morn - ing stars to - - ge - ther, pro - claim the ho - ly birth,
 No ear may hear His com - ing, but in this world of sin,
 Where char - it - y stands watch - ing and faith holds wide the door,
 We hear the Christ - mas an - gels the great glad tid - ings tell;



The hopes and fears of all the years are met in thee to - night.
 And prais - es sing to God the King, and peace to men on earth!
 Where meek souls will re - ceive Him still, the dear Christ en - ters in.
 The dark night wakes, the glo - ry breaks, and Christ - mas comes once more.
 O come to us, a - bide with us, our Lord Em - man - u - el!

Holy Spirit, Living Breath of God

For S.A.T.B. Voices and Piano Accompaniment
with opt. Cello

Arranged by
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STUART TOWNEND

Tenderly (♩ = c. 72)

Piano

S.A. Unison *p*

Ho - ly Spir - it, liv - ing Breath of God, breathe new

life in - to my will - ing soul. Bring the pres - ence of the

Chords: D, D/G, G2, D, D/G, G, D, Em, D/F#, G, A, D/F#, G2, D/B, A/C#, D, G2, D, Em

Performance Notes: (+ Vlc.), (- Vlc.), (+ Vlc.)

The musical score is written for S.A.T.B. voices and piano accompaniment. It features a key signature of one sharp (F#) and a 4/4 time signature. The tempo is marked 'Tenderly' with a quarter note equal to approximately 72 beats per minute. The score is divided into three systems. The first system shows the piano introduction with chords D, D/G, G2, and D. The second system begins with a vocal unison entry marked 'S.A. Unison p' and includes the lyrics 'Ho - ly Spir - it, liv - ing Breath of God, breathe new'. The piano accompaniment continues with chords D/G, G, D, Em, D/F#, G, A, and D/F#. The third system continues the vocal melody with the lyrics 'life in - to my will - ing soul. Bring the pres - ence of the' and includes chords G2, D/B, A/C#, D, G2, D, and Em. Performance notes indicate the addition and subtraction of a cello part (+ Vlc.) and (- Vlc.).

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ris - en Lord to re - new my heart and make me whole.

D/F# G A D/F# G D/B A/C# D

13

mp Come a - live, give faith for what I

Cause your Word to come a - live in me; — give me faith for what I

G D G A D/B A/C# D D/F#

mp

16

(mel.) p can - not see. — Give me pas-sion for your pur - i - ty; Ho - ly

can - not see. —

G 6 B m Asus A E m D/F# G Maj7 A D/F#

p

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19

4

Spir - it, breathe new life in me.

G2 G2/B A/C# D

cresc. poco a poco

21

G G2 D D/G G2

mf

24

mp

Ho - ly Spir - it, come a - bide with - in; may your

mp

D G/D D A/D

mp (- Vlc.)

26

joy be seen in all I do. Love e - nough to cov - er

Chords: G2, G/B, A/C#, D, G2/D

(+ Vlc.)

Detailed description: This system contains measures 26, 27, and 28. The vocal melody is in treble clef with a key signature of two sharps (F# and C#). The lyrics are "joy be seen in all I do. Love e - nough to cov - er". The piano accompaniment is in bass clef. Chords G2, G/B, A/C#, D, and G2/D are indicated above the piano staff. A violin entry is marked with "(+ Vlc.)" in measure 27.

29

ev - 'ry sin in each thought and deed and at - ti -

Chords: D, A/D, G, G/B, A/C#

Detailed description: This system contains measures 29 and 30. The vocal melody continues with the lyrics "ev - 'ry sin in each thought and deed and at - ti -". The piano accompaniment features chords D, A/D, G, G/B, and A/C# indicated above the staff.

31

tude. Kind - ness to the great - est

Chords: D, G, D

mf

Detailed description: This system contains measures 31 and 32. The vocal melody begins with "tude." in measure 31 and "Kind - ness to the great - est" in measure 32. The piano accompaniment features chords D, G, and D. The dynamic marking *mf* (mezzo-forte) is present in measures 31 and 32.

6

33

and the least; _____ gen - tle - ness that sows the

G A G Maj7/B A/C# D D/F#

This system contains measures 33 and 34. The vocal line (treble clef) has a melody with a long note on 'least' and a half note on 'gen'. The piano accompaniment (grand staff) features a steady eighth-note pattern in the left hand and a more active melody in the right hand. Chords are indicated below the piano part.

35

path of _____ peace. _____

G A sus A D

mp

This system contains measures 35 and 36. The vocal line continues with 'path' and 'peace'. The piano accompaniment has a similar texture to the previous system. A piano dynamic marking of *mp* appears in measure 36.

37

Turn my striv - ing in - to works of grace. Breath of

mp

D G2/D D A/D

This system contains measures 37 and 38. The vocal line begins with 'Turn my striv - ing in - to works of grace. Breath of'. The piano accompaniment continues with the same eighth-note pattern. Chords are indicated below the piano part. A piano dynamic marking of *mp* appears in measure 37.

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39

cresc. poco a poco

God, show Christ in all I do.

cresc. poco a poco

G G/B A/C# D Em7

cresc. poco a poco

41

rit.

D/F# G A B m Em7 G A B^b *rit.* B^b/C C

Play violin
part here

44

Broadly (♩ = c. 69)

mf

Ho - ly Spir - it, from cre - a - tion's birth, giv - ing

mf

Broadly (♩ = c. 69)

F G m7 F/A B^b C D m

mf

(- Vlc.)

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46

life to all that God has made.

G m7 B $\flat$ B $\flat$ /C F B $\flat$ /F

(+ Vlc.)

48

Show your pow - er once a - gain on earth, cause your

F 2 G m7 F/A B $\flat$ C D m

cause your

50

church to hun - ger for your ways.

church to hun - ger for your ways, your ways.

G m7 F/A B $\flat$ C sus F C/F F

3

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52 *f*

Let the fra-grance of our prayers a - rise;

f

B $\flat$ F B $\flat$ C

(- Vlc.) *f* 3 (+ Vlc.)

54 rit.

lead us on the road of sac - ri - fice, —

B $\flat$ /D C/E F B $\flat$ C sus C G $\text{m}7$ A $\text{m}7$ B $\flat$ C

rit. 3

57 a tempo (mel.) *mf*

will be

mf

that in u - ni - ty the face of Christ

a tempo G $\text{m}7$ F/A F/B $\flat$ C F/A

mf

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10

59

clear for all the world to see.

mp

B $\flat$ C sus C F/D C/E F

mp

62

Ho-ly

p

B $\flat$ 2 F F/B $\flat$ B $\flat$ 2 *molto rit.*

p

65

Spir - it, breathe new life in me.

G m7 A m7 B $\flat$ C sus C7 F

p

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Holy, Holy, Holy

With movement ♩ = 132–138

Conclusion of Preface

claim: _____

Capo 3: (Em) Gm (D) F (C) Eb (Bm⁷) Dm⁷

mf

S, A, Assembly

5 *f*

Ho - ly, Ho - ly, Ho - ly _____ Lord

T, B f

(Em) Gm (D) F (Cmaj⁷) Ebmaj⁷ (Em) Gm (Am) Cm

f

10

God of hosts. Heav-en and earth are

(Em) Gm (B SUS4) D SUS4 (B) D (Em) Gm (D) F

15

full of your glo - ry. Ho - san - na

(Cmaj7) Ebmaj7 (D) F (Em) Gm (Am) Cm (G/B) Bb/D

div. *ff*

19

unis. mf

in the high - est. Bless - ed is he who

unis. mf

(D) (G) (Em) (D) (Em) (D)
F B $\flat$ Gm F Gm F

mf

24

f *div. ff*

comes in the name of the Lord. Ho - san - na

f *div. ff*

(Cmaj 7) (D) (A) (Am) (G/B)
Ebmaj 7 F C Cm B $\flat$ /D

f *ff*

29

in the high - est. Ho - san - na

(D) F (G) B $\flat$ (Em) Gm (Am) Cm (G/B) B $\flat$ /D

33

in the high - est.

*A div. molto rit. div.

(D) F (G) B $\flat$ (D) F (Bm 7) Dm 7 (E) G

*Assembly sings with top alto part.

When We Eat This Bread

Presider

The mys - ter - y of faith.

*Capo 3: (E open)
G open*

(Em)
Gm

(Am)
Cm

mf

2

S, A, Assembly ***f***

When we eat this Bread and drink this Cup, we pro-

T, B ***f***

(Bm⁷)
Dm⁷

(Em)
Gm

(Am)
Cm

(Bm⁷)
Dm⁷

cresc.

5

claim your Death, O Lord, un - til you come a - gain.

(Cmaj⁷)
Ebmaj⁷

(Bm⁷)
Dm⁷

(A/E)
C/G

(Am⁷)
Cm⁷

(Bm⁷)
Dm⁷

(E)
G

The musical score is written for a piano and voice. It begins with a Presider's line in 4/4 time, featuring a single note on a treble clef staff. The piano accompaniment starts with a whole note chord in the right hand and a half note in the left hand. The key signature has two flats (Bb and Eb). The score is divided into three systems. The first system includes a Capo instruction and a mezzo-forte (mf) dynamic. The second system features a forte (f) dynamic and includes parts for Soprano, Alto, and Assembly (S, A, Assembly) and Tenor and Bass (T, B). The piano accompaniment in this system includes a crescendo (cresc.) and a forte (f) dynamic. The third system continues the piano accompaniment with various chords and ends with a final chord. The lyrics are: 'The mys - ter - y of faith.', 'When we eat this Bread and drink this Cup, we pro-', and 'claim your Death, O Lord, un - til you come a - gain.'

Doxology / Amen

Presider

Through him, and with him, and in him, O God, almighty - y Fa-ther, in the

Capo 3: (Em) Gm (D/E) F/G

unity of the Holy Spirit, all glory and honor is yours, for

(C/E) Eb/G (Am/E) Cm/G

ev - er and ev - er.

Introduction if Doxology is not sung

(Am⁷) Cm⁷ (Bm⁷) Dm⁷ (Em) Gm (C) Eb (Bm⁷) Dm⁷

mf

The musical score is written for a vocal part (Presider) and a piano accompaniment. The key signature is B-flat major (two flats). The time signature is 2/4. The score is divided into three systems. The first system contains the first line of the Doxology. The second system contains the second line. The third system contains the third line and an introduction. The piano part includes guitar chords and a dynamic marking of *mf* (mezzo-forte). The vocal part includes lyrics. The introduction is marked with a box and the text 'Introduction if Doxology is not sung'.

Assembly

7 *f*

A - men, a - men, a - men.

S, A f

A - men, a - men, a - men.

T, B f

(Em) (D) (G) (Am) (Em) (B) (C) (D) (A)
Gm F B $\flat$ Cm Gm D E $\flat$ F C

f

11 *rit. molto rit.*

A - men, a - men, a - men.

ff S div. rit. molto rit. fff

A - men, a - men, a - men.

ff A div. molto rit. fff

div.

(Em) (D) (G) (Am) (Em) (B) (C) (Bm 7) (E)
Gm F B $\flat$ Cm Gm D E $\flat$ Dm 7 G

ff rit. molto rit. fff

Lamb of God

Gently, with some rubato ♩ = 63-69

Capo 3: (G) B $\flat$ (C) E $\flat$ (D $\sharp$ SUS4) F $\sharp$ SUS4 (D) F (G/B) B $\flat$ /D (C) E $\flat$ (F) A $\flat$ (C/E) E $\flat$ /G

mp

5

S, A *a tempo* *poco rit.*

Lamb — of — God, — you

T, B *a tempo* *poco rit.*

(Am 7) Cm 7 (D) F (G) B $\flat$ (C) E $\flat$ (D $\sharp$ SUS4) F $\sharp$ SUS4 (D) F

poco rit. *mp a tempo* *poco rit.* *mf*

The musical score is written for piano and voice. The piano part begins with a 3/4 time signature and a key signature of two flats (B-flat and E-flat). The tempo is marked 'Gently, with some rubato' with a quarter note equal to 63-69 beats per minute. The piano part consists of a melody in the right hand and a bass line in the left hand. The vocal parts enter at measure 5, marked with a double bar line and a 3/4 time signature. The vocal parts are for Soprano (S), Alto (A), Tenor (T), and Bass (B). The lyrics are 'Lamb of God, you'. The piano part continues with the vocal parts, marked with 'poco rit.' and 'mf'.

+ Assembly
a tempo

8

To Repeat

take a-way the sins of the world, have mer - cy on—

a tempo

(G/B) (C) (F) (C/E) (Am⁷) (D) (G/B) (Am⁷)
B $\flat$ /D E $\flat$ A $\flat$ E $\flat$ /G Cm⁷ F B $\flat$ /D Cm⁷

a tempo mp

12

poco rit.

Last time

us. world,

poco rit.

(D) (G/B) (Am⁷) (F) (D) (Am⁷) (D)
F B $\flat$ /D Cm⁷ A $\flat$ F Cm⁷ F

mf poco rit.

16

grant us peace.

(G/B) (Am⁷) (D) (G/B) (Am⁷) (F) (D) (C/G) (G)
B $\flat$ /D Cm⁷ F B $\flat$ /D Cm⁷ A $\flat$ F E $\flat$ /B $\flat$ B $\flat$

rit.

All Creatures of Our God and King

Hymns of Grace Edition

Please only use these lyrics for Mass and can only be sung with melody.

VERSE 1

All creatures of our God and
King
Lift up your voice and with us
sing
O praise Him! Alleluia!
Thou, burning sun with golden
beam
Thou, silver moon with softer
gleam
O praise Him! O praise Him!
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

VERSE 2

Let all things their Creator
bless
And worship Him in
humbleness
O praise Him! Alleluia!
Praise, praise the Father,
praise the Son
And praise the Spirit,
Three-in-One
O praise Him! O praise Him!
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

VERSE 3

All the redeemed washed by
His blood
Come and rejoice in His great
love
O praise Him! Alleluia!
Christ has defeated every sin
Cast all your burdens now on
Him
O praise Him! O praise Him!
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

VERSE 4

He shall return in pow'r to
reign
Heaven and earth will join to
say
O praise Him! Alleluia!
Then who shall fall on bended
knee?
All creatures of our God and
King
O praise Him! O praise Him!
Alleluia! Alleluia!
O praise Him! O praise Him!
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

518 Joy to the World *For choir use only*

D G D/A A D G

1. Joy to the world, the Lord is come! Let earth re -
 2. Joy to the earth, the Sav - ior reigns! Let us our
 3. No more let sin and sor - row grow, Nor thorns in -
 4. He rules the world with truth and grace, And makes the

A D [D]

ceive her king; Let ev - 'ry heart pre -
 songs em - ploy; While fields and floods, rocks,
 fest the ground; He comes to make his
 na - tions prove The glo - ries of his

pare him room And heav'n and na - ture
 hills and plains Re - peat the sound - ing
 bless - ings flow Far as the curse is
 right - eous - ness, And won - ders of his

And
 Re -
 Far
 And

The image displays a musical score for the song "The Sound of Music" in G major (one sharp). It consists of two systems of music, each with a vocal line (treble clef) and a piano accompaniment line (bass clef).

First System:

- Chords:** A, A7
- Vocal Line:**
 - Lyrics: sing, joy, found, love, And heav'n and na - ture sing, joy, found, love, And Re - Far And
- Piano Line:**
 - Lyrics: heav'n and na - ture sing, joy, found, love, And heav'n and na - ture Re - peat the sound - ing Far as the curse is And won - ders of his

Second System:

- Chords:** D, G, D, G, D/A, A, D
- Vocal Line:**
 - Lyrics: heav'n, and heav'n and na - ture sing. joy. found. love. (with ellipses indicating repetition)
- Piano Line:**
 - Lyrics: sing, joy, found, love, and heav'n and na - ture sing. joy. found. love, and re - peat the sound - ing far as the curse is and won - ders of his

A red arrow points to the end of the second system with the text: "Repeat this part twice at the end".

Text: Psalm 98; Isaac Watts, 1674–1748

Tune: ANTIOCH, CM; arr. from George F. Handel, 1685–1759, in T. Hawkes' *Collection of Tunes*, 1833

JOY TO THE WORLD

For Mixed Choir (SATB) and Keyboard*

Isaac Watts (1674–1748)

“Antioch,” by Lowell Mason
Mack Wilberg, *arr.*

With spirit and energy

Primo**

Keyboard

f *mf* *molto cresc.*

5

10

The musical score is for the hymn 'Joy to the World'. It is written for Mixed Choir (SATB) and Keyboard. The key signature is D major (two sharps) and the time signature is 2/4. The score is divided into three systems. The first system starts with a tempo/mood marking 'With spirit and energy'. It includes a 'Primo**' part and a 'Keyboard' part. The Keyboard part has dynamics of *f* (forte), *mf* (mezzo-forte), and *molto cresc.* (molto crescendo). The score is marked with measure numbers 5 and 10. The Primo part is optional and may be played by a second player up one octave on the same keyboard or in doubled octaves on a second keyboard.

*A full score and set of parts for an orchestral arrangement (picc.2.2.2.2-4.4.3.1-2perc.timp-str-org) or for brass ensemble (4.4.3.1-2perc.timp-org) are available on rental from the Publisher.

**The *primo* part is optional and may be played by a second player up one octave on the same keyboard or in doubled octaves on a second keyboard.

15

Musical score for measures 15-18. The score is written for piano (p) and features a treble and bass staff. The key signature is one sharp (F#). The melody in the treble staff consists of eighth and sixteenth notes, often beamed together. The bass staff provides harmonic support with chords and single notes. Measure 15 shows a continuous eighth-note melody in the treble and a steady bass line. Measure 16 introduces some rests in the treble. Measure 17 features a more complex rhythmic pattern with sixteenth notes. Measure 18 concludes the system with a final chord in the bass and a melodic phrase in the treble.

19

Musical score for measures 19-22. The score continues from the previous system. Measure 19 has a prominent chord in the bass and a melodic line in the treble. Measure 20 shows a continuation of the melodic and harmonic themes. Measure 21 features a more active bass line with eighth notes. Measure 22 ends with a final chord in the bass and a melodic phrase in the treble.

23

Musical score for measures 23-26. The score continues from the previous system. Measure 23 features a continuous eighth-note melody in the treble and a steady bass line. Measure 24 introduces some rests in the treble. Measure 25 features a more complex rhythmic pattern with sixteenth notes. Measure 26 concludes the system with a final chord in the bass and a melodic phrase in the treble.

27

S. A. *f*

Joy to the world! the Lord is — come: let

T. B. *f*

This block contains the musical notation for measures 27 through 30. The vocal parts (Soprano Alto and Tenor Bass) are written in treble and bass clefs with a key signature of two sharps (F# and C#). They begin with a forte (*f*) dynamic. The lyrics are: "Joy to the world! the Lord is — come: let". The piano accompaniment consists of four staves (treble and bass for both hands) with various chords and melodic lines, including some grace notes.

31

earth re - ceive her King! — Let

This block contains the musical notation for measures 31 through 34. The vocal parts continue with the lyrics: "earth re - ceive her King! — Let". The piano accompaniment continues with similar harmonic and melodic patterns, maintaining the musical texture established in the previous measures.

35

ev - 'ry heart pre - pare him room, and

mf

39

heav'n and na - ture sing, and heav'n and na - ture sing, and

cresc. *f*

mf *cresc.*

43

heav'n, and heav'n and na - ture sing.

f

This system contains measures 43 through 46. It features a vocal line with lyrics and a piano accompaniment. The piano part includes a forte (*f*) dynamic marking in measure 44. The key signature has two sharps (F# and C#).

47 S., A. unis.

Joy to the earth! the Sav - ior reigns: let

mf

mf

This system contains measures 47 through 50. It features a vocal line with lyrics and a piano accompaniment. The piano part includes a mezzo-forte (*mf*) dynamic marking in measure 48. The key signature has two sharps (F# and C#).

51

all their songs em - ploy, While

This system contains measures 51 through 54. It features a vocal line with lyrics and a piano accompaniment. The key signature has two sharps (F# and C#).

55

fields... and... floods, rocks, hills and plains re -

59

re - peat the sound - ing joy, re - peat the sound - ing
peat the sound - ing joy, re - peat the sound - ing joy, re -

63

Tenors
joy, re - peat the sound - ing joy.

Basses
peat, re - peat the sound - ing joy.



87

A musical score for measures 87-90. The score is written for a treble and bass staff. The treble staff contains a melodic line with eighth and sixteenth notes, and the bass staff contains a bass line with a few notes. A red arrow points to the first measure of the treble staff.

91

A musical score for measures 91-94. The score is written for a treble and bass staff. The treble staff contains a melodic line with eighth and sixteenth notes, and the bass staff contains a bass line with a few notes.

95

Piano accompaniment for measures 95-98. The music is in D major (two sharps) and 4/4 time. The right hand features a continuous eighth-note pattern in the upper register, while the left hand provides harmonic support with chords and moving lines in the lower register. Measures 95 and 97 contain a double bar line.

99

Piano accompaniment for measures 99-102. The right hand continues with eighth-note patterns, and the left hand features more active bass lines, including some sixteenth-note passages. Measures 101 and 102 contain a double bar line.

103

Vocal staves for measures 103-106. The vocal parts (Soprano, Alto, Tenor, Bass) enter with a forte (*f*) dynamic. The lyrics are: "He rules the world with truth and grace, and". The vocal lines are in D major and 4/4 time, with each part having a unique melodic contour. Measures 105 and 106 contain a double bar line.

S. *f* He rules the world with truth and grace, and

A. *f* He rules the world with truth and grace, and

T. *f* He rules the world with truth and grace, and

B. *f* He rules the world with truth and grace, and

Piano accompaniment for measures 103-106. The right hand features a continuous eighth-note pattern, and the left hand provides harmonic support with chords and moving lines. Measures 105 and 106 contain a double bar line.

Musical score for measures 107-110. The score is written for four vocal parts (Soprano, Alto, Tenor, Bass) and a piano accompaniment. The key signature is one sharp (F#) and the time signature is 4/4. The lyrics are: "makes the na - tions prove _____ The". The piano accompaniment features a steady eighth-note pattern in the right hand and a simple bass line in the left hand.

makes the na - tions prove _____ The

8va

Musical score for measures 111-114. The score is written for four vocal parts (Soprano, Alto, Tenor, Bass) and a piano accompaniment. The key signature is one sharp (F#) and the time signature is 4/4. The lyrics are: "glo - ries of his right - eous - ness, _____ and". The piano accompaniment continues with the same eighth-note pattern in the right hand and a simple bass line in the left hand.

glo - ries of his right - eous - ness, _____ and

glo - ries _____ of _____ his right - eous - ness, _____ and

glo - ries of his right - eous - ness, _____ and

glo - ries _____ of _____ his right - eous - ness, _____ and

(8va)

115

Four vocal staves (Soprano, Alto, Tenor, Bass) and a piano accompaniment. The vocal parts sing the lyrics: "won-ders of his love, and won-ders of his love, and". The piano accompaniment features a rhythmic pattern of eighth and sixteenth notes in the right hand, and chords in the left hand. A first ending bracket labeled "(8va)" spans the final two measures of this system.

won-ders of his love, and won-ders of his love, and

won-ders of his love, and won-ders of his love, and

won-ders of his love, and won-ders of his love, and

won-ders of his love, and won-ders of his love, and

(8va)

119

Four vocal staves (Soprano, Alto, Tenor, Bass) and a piano accompaniment. The vocal parts sing the lyrics: "won - ders, won - ders of his". The piano accompaniment continues with a similar rhythmic pattern. A first ending bracket labeled "(8va)" spans the final two measures of this system.

won - ders, won - ders of his

won - ders, won - ders of his

won - ders, won - ders of his

won - ders, won - ders of his

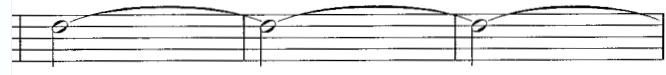
(8va)



love.



love.



love.



love.

loco

136

A musical score for measures 136-140. The score is written for a piano and voice. The piano part is in the lower staves, and the voice part is in the upper staves. The key signature is one sharp (F#). The piano part features a complex rhythmic pattern with eighth and sixteenth notes, and a melodic line in the right hand. The voice part consists of a single line with a whole note chord and a fermata. The score is marked with dynamics such as *loco* and *8va*.