

LUTHERAN SUMMER MUSIC
Oh, Praise the Gracious Power!

In your presence there is fullness of joy...

Psalm 16:11



HYMN SING

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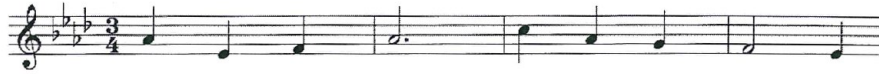
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Opening Prayer

Stand

Hymn: *Earth and all Stars*

Earth and All Stars



1. Earth and all stars, Loud rush - ing plan - ets
2. En - gines and steel, Loud pound - ing ham - mers
3. Class - rooms and labs, Loud boil - ing test tubes
4. Knowl - edge and truth, Loud sound - ing wis - dom



Sing to the Lord a new song!
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Sing to the Lord a new song!



Hail, wind, and rain, Loud blow - ing snow - storm
Lime - stone and beams, Loud build - ing work - ers
Ath - lete and band, Loud cheer - ing peo - ple
Daugh - ter and son, Loud pray - ing mem - bers



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God has done mar - vel - ous things.



I too sing prais - es with a new song!

Hymn: *Mothering God, You Gave Me Birth*

Mothering God, You Gave Me Birth



1 Moth - er - ing God, you gave me birth in the bright
2 Moth - er - ing Christ, you took my form, of - fer - ing
3 Moth - er - ing Spir - it, nur - t'ring one, in arms of



morn - ing of this world. Cre - a - tor, source of ev - 'ry
me your food of light, grain . . . of life, and grape of
pa - tience hold me close, so that in faith I root and



breath, you are my rain, my wind, my sun.
love, your ver - y bod - y for my peace.
grow un - til I flow'r, un - til I know.

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Ostinato: *Veni Sancte Spiritus*

Cantor will sing the verses. Continue singing the ostinato under the verses.

Ostinato Refrain

Melody:
Ve - ni San - cte Spi - ri - tus.

Harmony:
Ve - ni San - cte Spi - ri - tus.

Hymn: *Soli Deo Gloria*

SOLI DEO GLORIA



All 1. O God of bless-ings. all praise to
 All 2. All praise for wis-dom. great gift sub -
 Men 3. All praise for proph-ets. through grace in -
 All or Choir 4. All praise for mu - sic. deep gift pro -
 Women 5. All praise for Je - sus. best gift di -
 All 6. A bil - lion voic - es in one great



you! Your love sur-rounds us our whole life
 time. Through words and teach-ers of ev-'ry
 spired To preach and wit-ness with hearts on
 found. Through hands and voic-es in ho-ly
 vine Through word and wit-ness. in bread and
 song. Now soft and gen-tle. now deep and



through. You are the free-dom of those op -
 time: For sto-ries an-cient and know-ledge
 fire. Your Spir-it choos-es the weak and
 sound: The psalms of Da-vid. and Mar-y's
 wine: In-car-nate Love Song of bound-less
 strong. In ev-'ry cul-ture and style and



pressed: You are the com-fort of all dis -
 new. For coach-es, men-tors. and coun-s'lers
 small To sing the new reign where might-y
 praise. In word-less splen-dor and lyr-ic
 grace. Priest, teach-er, proph-et in time and
 key. From hill and val-ley. with sky and



ressed. Come now. O ho-ly and wel-come guest:
 true Whose life of serv-ice brought us to you:
 fall: With them may we live your Gos-pel call:
 phrase. With all cre-a-tion one song we raise:
 space. Your stead-fast kind-ness with hu-man face:
 sea. With Christ we praise you e-ter-nal-ly:



So-li De-o glo-ri-a! So-li De-o glo-ri-a!

Hymn: *How Great Thou Art*

How Great Thou Art



1 O Lord my God, when I in awe-some won-der con-sid-er
2 When through the woods and for-est glades I wan-der, I hear the
3 But when I think that God, his Son not spar-ing, sent him to
4 When Christ shall come, with shout of ac-cla-ma-tion, and take me



all the works thy hand hath made, I see the stars, I hear the might-y
birds sing sweet-ly in the trees; when I look down from loft-y moun-tain
die, I scarce can take it in, that on the cross my bur-den glad-ly
home, what joy shall fill my heart! Then I shall bow in hum-ble ad-o-



thun-der, thy pow'r through-out the u-ni-verse dis-played;
gran-deur and hear the brook and feel the gen-tle breeze;
bear-ing he bled and died to take a-way my sin;
ra-tion and there pro-claim, "My God, how great thou art!"

Refrain



Then sings my soul, my Sav-ior God, to thee, how great thou



art! How great thou art! Then sings my soul, my Sav-ior God, to



thee, how great thou art! How great thou art!

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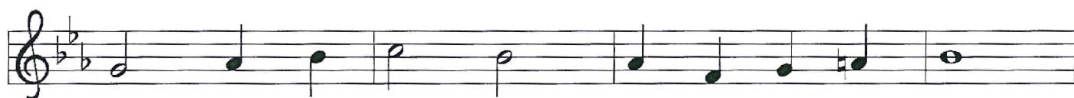
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Hymn: *Abide With Me*

Abide with Me



1 A - bide with me, fast falls the e - ven - tide.
2 Swift to its close ebbs out life's lit - tle day;
3 I need thy pres - ence ev - 'ry pass - ing hour;
4 I fear no foe, with thee at hand to bless;
5 Hold thou thy cross be - fore my clos - ing eyes,



The dark - ness deep - ens; Lord, with me a - bide.
earth's joys grow dim, its glo - ries pass a - way;
what but thy grace can foil the tempt - er's pow'r?
ills have no weight, and tears no bit - ter - ness.
shine through the gloom, and point me to the skies;



When oth - er help - ers fail and com - forts flee,
change and de - cay in all a - round I see;
Who like thy - self my guide and stay can be?
Where is death's sting? Where, grave, thy vic - to - ry?
heav'n's morn - ing breaks, and earth's vain shad - ows flee;



help of the help - less, oh, a - bide with me.
O thou who chang - est not, a - bide with me.
Through cloud and sun - shine, oh, a - bide with me.
I tri - umph still, if thou a - bide with me!
in life, in death, O Lord, a - bide with me.

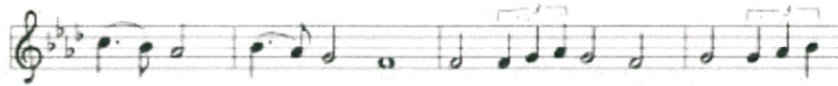
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Hymn: *Thy Strong Word*



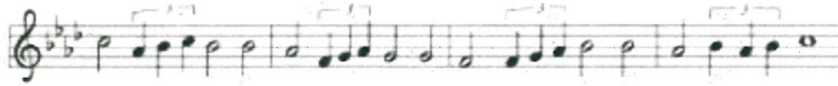
1 Thy strong word did cleave the dark-ness: at thy
2 Lo. on those who dwelt in dark-ness, dark as
3 Thy strong Word be-speaks us righ-teous: bright with
4 From the cross thy wis-dom shin-ing break-eth



speak-ing it was done. For cre-at-ed light we
night and deep as death, broke the light of thy sal-
thine own ho-li-ness, glo-rious now, we press toward
forth in con-quer-ing might, from the cross for-ev-er



thank thee, while thine or-dered sea-sons run,
va-tion, breathed thine own life-breath-ing breath,
glo-ry, and our lives our hopes con-fess,
beam-eth all thy bright re-deem-ing light.



Al-le-lu-ia! Al-le-lu-ia! Praise to thee who light dost send!



Al-le-lu-ia! Al-le-lu-ia! Al-le-lu-ia with-out end!

Psalm: *The Lord is Kind and Merciful (Psalm 103)*

Cantor will introduce the refrain below. Everyone sings refrain. Cantor will sing the verses.



The Lord is kind and mer-ci-ful; the Lord is kind and



mer-ci-ful. Slow to an-ger, rich in



kind-ness, the Lord is kind and mer-ci-ful.

Rejoice, Rejoice, Believers



1 Re - joice, re - joice, be - liev - ers, and let your lights ap - pear;
2 The watch - ers on the moun - tain pro - claim the bride - groom near;
3 The saints, who here in pa - tience their cross and suf - f'ring bore,
4 Our hope and ex - pec - ta - tion, O Je - sus, now ap - pear;



the eve - ning is ad - vanc - ing, and dark - er night is near.
go forth as he ap - proach - es with al - le - lu - ias clear.
shall live and reign for - ev - er when sor - row is no more.
a - rise, O Sun so longed for, o'er this be - night - ed sphere.



The bride - groom is a - ris - ing and soon is draw - ing nigh.
The mar - riage feast is wait - ing; the gates wide o - pen stand.
A - round the throne of glo - ry the Lamb they shall be - hold;
With hearts and hands up - lift - ed, we plead, O Lord, to see



Up, pray and watch and wres - tle; at mid - night comes the cry.
A - rise, O heirs of glo - ry; the bride - groom is at hand.
in tri - umph cast be - fore him their di - a - dems of gold.
the day of earth's re - demp - tion that sets your peo - ple free!

Hymn: *Healer of our Every Ill*

Refrain

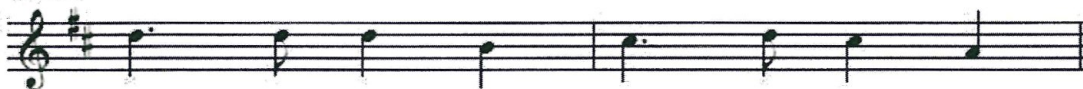


Heal - er of our ev - 'ry ill, light of each to - mor - row,

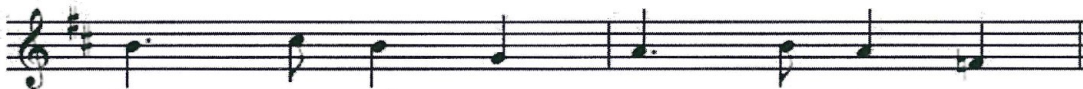


give us peace be - yond our fear, and hope be - yond our sor - row.

Verses



1. You who know our fears and sad - ness,
2. In the pain and joy be - hold - ing,
3. Give us strength to love each oth - er,
4. You who know each thought and feel - ing.



Grace us with your peace and glad - ness,
How your grace is still un - fold - ing,
Ev - 'ry sis - ter, ev - 'ry broth - er,
Teach us all your way of heal - ing.



Spir - it of all com - fort: fill our hearts.
Give us all your vi - sion: God of love.
Spir - it of all kind - ness: be our guide.
Spir - it of com - pas - sion: fill each heart.

Hymn: *Joyous Light of Heavenly Glory*

All: *a tempo*



1. Joy - ous light of heav - nly glo - ry. lov - ing
2. In the stars that grace the dark - ness. in the
3. You who made the heav - en's splen - dor. ev - ry



glow of God's own face, you who sing cre - a - tion's
blaz - ing sun of dawn. in the light of peace and
danc - ing star of night. make us shine with gen - tle



sto - ry. shine on ev - ry land and race. Now as
wis - dom. we can hear your qui - et song. Love that
jus - tice. let us each re - flect your light. Might - y



eve - ning falls a - round us. we shall raise our songs to
fills the night with won - der. love that warms the wea - ry
God of all cre - a - tion. gen - tle Christ who lights our



you. God of day - break. God of shad - ows. come and
soul. Love that bursts all chains a - sun - der. set us
way. Lov - ing Spir - it of sal - va - tion. lead us



light our hearts a - new. _____
free and make us whole. _____
on to end - less day. _____

Hymn: *We Are Called*



1 Come! Live in the light! Shine with the joy and the love of the
2 Come! O - pen your heart! Show your . . mer - cy to all those in
3 Sing! Sing a new song! Sing of that great day when all will be



Lord! We are called to be light for the king - dom, to
fear! We are called to be hope for the hope - less so
one! God will reign, and we'll walk with each oth - er as



live in the free - dom of the cit - y of God.
ha - tred and blind - ness . . . will be . . . no more.
sis - ters and broth - ers . . . u - nit - ed in love.



We are called to act with jus - tice, we are called to



love ten - der - ly; we are called to serve one an -



oth - er, to walk hum - bly with God.

Text: David Haas, b. 1957

Music: WE ARE CALLED, David Haas

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Hymn: *O Day Full of Grace*

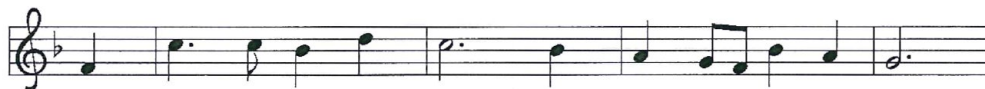
1 O day full of grace that now we see ap - pear - ing on
 2 O day full of grace, O bless - ed time, our Lord on the
 3 For Christ bore our sins, and not his own, when he on the
 4 God came to us then at Pen - te - cost, the Spir - it new
 5 When we on that fi - nal jour - ney go that Christ is for

earth's ho - ri - zon, bring light from our God that we may
 earth ar - riv - ing; then came to the world that light sub -
 cross was hang - ing; and then he a - rose and moved the
 life re - veal - ing, that we might no more in death be
 us pre - par - ing, we'll gath - er in song, our hearts a -

be a - bun - dant in joy this sea - son. God, shine for us
 lime, great joy for us all re - triev - ing; for Je - sus all
 stone, that we, un - to him be - long - ing, might join with an -
 lost, its pow'r o - ver us dis - pel - ling. This flame will the
 glow, all joy of the heav - ens shar - ing, and there we will

now in this dark place; your name on our hearts em - bla - zon.
 mor - tals did em - brace, all shame and des - pair re - mov - ing.
 gel - ic hosts to raise our voic - es in end - less sing - ing.
 mark of sin ef - face and bring to us all true heal - ing.
 join God's end - less praise, with an - gels and saints a - dor - ing.

Hymn: *Oh, Praise the Gracious Power*



1 Oh, praise the gra - cious pow'r that tum - bles walls of fear
2 Oh, praise per - sis - tent truth that o - pens fist - ed minds
3 Oh, praise in - clu - sive love, en - cir - cling ev - 'ry race,
4 Oh, praise the word of faith that claims us as God's own,
5 Oh, praise the tide of grace that laps at ev - 'ry shore



and gath - ers in one house of faith all strang - ers far and near:
and eas - es from their anx - ious clutch the prej - u - dice that blinds:
ob - liv - i - ous to gen - der, wealth, to so - cial rank or place:
a liv - ing tem - ple built on Christ, our rock and cor - ner - stone:
with vi - sions of a world at peace, no lon - ger bled by war:



We praise you, Christ! Your cross has made us one!

Hymn: *Take, Oh Take Me as I Am*



Take, oh, take me as I am; sum - mon out what I shall be;



set your seal up - on my heart and live in me.



Hymn: O Zion, Haste



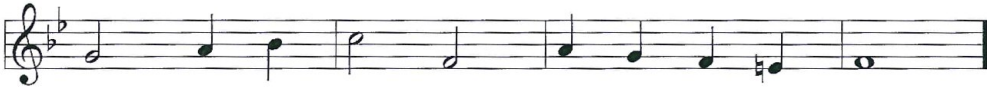
1 O Zi - on, haste, your mis - sion high ful - fill - ing,
2 Pub - lish to ev - 'ry peo - ple, tongue, and na - tion
3 Give of your own to bear the mes - sage glo - rious,
4 He comes a - gain! O Zi - on, ere you meet him,



to tell to all the world that God is light;
that God, in whom they live and move, is love;
give of your wealth to speed them on their way,
make known to ev - 'ry heart his sav - ing grace;



that he who made all na - tions is not will - ing
tell how he stooped to save his lost cre - a - tion
pour out your soul for them in prayer vic - to - rious,
let none whom he has ran - somed fail to greet him,



one soul should per - ish, lost in shades of night.
and died on earth that we might live a - bove.
and haste the com - ing of the glo - rious day.
through your ne - glect, un - fit to see his face.

Refrain



Pub - lish glad tid - ings, tid - ings of peace,




tid - ings of Je - sus, re - demp - tion, and re - lease.

Hymn: *As the Grains of Wheat*

Refrain



As the grains of wheat once scat-tered on the hill were



gath-ered in - to one to be - come our bread; so may all your peo-ple from



all the ends of earth be gath-ered in - to one in you.



1 As this cup of bless-ing is shared with-in our midst,
2 Let this be a fore-taste of all that is to come when



Refrain

may we share the pres - ence of your love.
all cre - a - tion shares this feast with you.

Hymn: *Celtic Alleluia*



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



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

Verses may be sung by a leader. Then the alleluia is repeated.

Hymn: *Now the Feast and Celebration*

Refrain

Congregation:

Now the feast and cel - e - bra - tion,
all of cre - a - tion sings for joy
to the God of life and love and
free-dom: praise and glo - ry for ev -
er - more!

Verse 1

Congregation or Congregation 1:

1. Now is the feast of the Lamb once
slain, whose blood has freed and u -
nit - ed us to be one great peo - ple of
God.

to Refrain

Verse 2

Congregation or Congregation 2:

2. Pow - er and rich - es, wis - dom and
might, all hon - or and glo - ry to Christ
for ev - er. *to Refrain*

Verse 3

Congregation:

3. For God has come to dwell with us, to
make us peo - ple of God; to make
all things new. *to Refrain*

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Hymn: *Lo, He Comes with Clouds Descending*



1 Lo! he comes with clouds de - scend - ing,
 2 Now re - demp - tion, long - ex - pect - ed,
 3 Yea, a - men, let all a - dore thee,



once for our sal - va - tion slain;
 comes in sol - emn splen - dor near;
 high on thine e - ter - nal throne;



thou - sand thou - sand saints at - tend - ing
 all the saints this world re - ject - ed
 Sav - ior, take the pow'r and glo - ry,



join to sing the glad re - frain:
 thrill the trum - pet sound to hear:
 claim the king - dom as thine own.



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



lu - ia! Christ the Lord re - turns to reign.
 lu - ia! See the day of God ap - pear!
 lu - ia! Thou shalt reign, and thou a - lone!

Closing Prayer

Hymn: *O God Beyond All Praising*

Stand



All 1. O God, be-yond all prais-ing, we wor-ship you to -
Choir 2. The flow'r of earth-ly splen-dor in time must sure - ly
All 3. Then hear, O gra-cious Sav - ior, ac - cept the love we



day and sing the love a - maz - ing that songs can - not re -
die, its frag - ile bloom sur - ren - der to you, the Lord most
bring, that we who know your fa - vor may serve you as our



pay: for we can on - ly won - der at ev - 'ry gift you
high: but hid - den from all na - ture the e - ter - nal seed is
King: and wheth - er our to - mor - rows be filled with good or



send, at bless - ings with - out num - ber and
sown— though small in mor - tal stat - ure, to
ill, we'll tri - umph through our sor - rows and



mer - cies with - out end: we lift our hearts be -
heav - en's gar - den grown: for Christ the man from
rise to praise you still: to mar - vel at your



fore you and wait up - on your word, we
heav - en from death has set us free, and
beau - ty and glo - ry in your ways, and



hon - or and a - dore you, our great and might - y Lord,
we through him are giv - en the fi - nal vic - to - ry,
make a joy - ful du - ty our sac - ri - fice of praise.



Leaders

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