

HE IS NOT HERE,  
FOR HE IS

*Risen*

EASTER SEASON

MAY 2025

WE ARE THE EASTER PEOPLE AND  
ALLELUIA IS OUR SONG.

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# OPENING HYMN:

May 4

## Christ the Lord is Risen Today

pg 4



1. Christ the Lord is ris'n to - day, Al - le -  
2. Lives a - gain our glo - rious King; Al - le -  
3. Love's re - deem - ing work is done, Al - le -  
4. Soar we now where Christ has led, Al - le -



lu - ia! All on earth with an - gels say,  
lu - ia! Where, O death, is now your sting?  
lu - ia! Fought the fight, the bat - tle won.  
lu - ia! Fol - l'wing our ex - alt - ed head;



Al - le - lu - ia! Raise your joys and  
Al - le - lu - ia! Once he died our  
Al - le - lu - ia! Death in vain for -  
Al - le - lu - ia! Made like him, like



tri - umphs high, Al - le - lu - ia!  
souls to save, Al - le - lu - ia!  
bids him rise; Al - le - lu - ia!  
him we rise, Al - le - lu - ia!



Sing, O heav'ns, and earth re - ply,  
Where your vic - to - ry, O grave?  
Christ has o - pened par - a - dise.  
Ours the cross, the grave, the skies.



Al - le - lu - ia!



1. Come to me, all you wea - ry, with your bur - dens and  
 2. Though we walk through the dark - ness, e - vil we do not  
 3. We de - pend on God's mer - cy, mer - cy which nev - er  
 4. Do not fear death's do - min - ion, look be - yond earth and  
 5. At the door there to greet us, mar - tyrs, an - gels, and



pain. Take my yoke on your shoul - ders and  
 fear. You are walk - ing be - side us with your  
 fades. We re - mem - ber our cov - e - nant and the  
 grave. See the bright - ness of Je - sus shin - ing  
 saints, And our fam - 'ly and loved ones, ev - 'ry -



learn from me: I am gen - tle and hum - ble,  
 rod and your staff. On - ly good - ness and kind - ness  
 prom - ise Je - sus made: If we die with Christ Je - sus,  
 out to light our way. Lov - ing Fa - ther and Spir - it,  
 one freed from their chains. We shall feel their ac - cep - tance,



and your soul will find rest, For my yoke is  
 fol - low us all our lives. We shall dwell in the  
 we shall live with him, And if we are  
 lov - ing Je - sus the Son, All God's peo - ple to -  
 and the joy of new life. We shall join in the



eas - y and my bur - den is light.  
 Lord's house for so man - y years to come!  
 faith - ful, we shall reign with him!  
 geth - er, we shall live on as one!  
 gath - er - ing, re - u - nit - ed in God's love!



We shall rise a - gain on the last day with the faith - ful, rich and



poor. Com - ing to the house of Lord Je - sus, we will find an o - pen



door there, we will find an o - pen door.

VERSES:



- 1. Sum - moned by the God who made us Rich in
- 2. Ra - diant ris - en from the wa - ter, Robed in
- 3. Trust the good - ness of cre - a - tion; Trust the
- 4. Bring the hopes of ev - 'ry na - tion; Bring the
- 5. Draw to - geth - er at one ta - ble All the



- 1. our di - ver - si - ty, Gath - ered in the name of
- 2. ho - li - ness and light, Male and fe - male in God's
- 3. Spir - it strong with - in. Dare to dream the vi - sion
- 4. art of ev - 'ry race. Weave a song of peace and
- 5. hu - man fam - i - ly; Shape a cir - cle ev - er

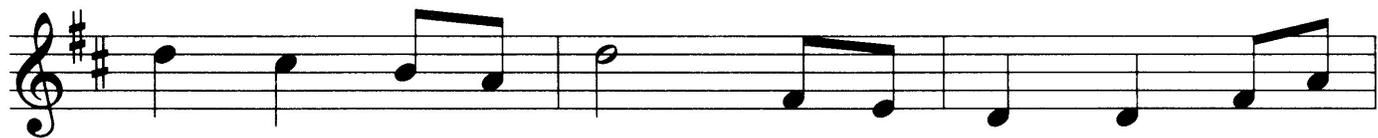


- 1. Je - sus, Rich - er still in u - ni - ty:
- 2. im - age, Male and fe - male, God's de - light:
- 3. prom - ised Sprung from seed of what has been.
- 4. jus - tice; Let it sound through time and space.
- 5. wid - er And a peo - ple ev - er free.

REFRAIN:



Let us \_\_\_ bring the gifts that dif - fer And, in \_\_\_



splen - did, var - ied ways, Sing a new church in - to



be - ing One in faith and love and praise.



1. Make me a chan-nel of your peace. Where  
 2. Make me a chan-nel of your peace. Where  
 4. Make me a chan-nel of your peace. It



there is ha-tred, let me bring your love. Where  
 there's de-spair in life, let me bring hope. Where  
 is in par-don-ing that we are par-doned, in



there is in-ju-ry, your par-don, Lord, And  
 there is dark-ness, on-ly light, And  
 giv-ing of our-selves that we re-ceive, and in



where there's doubt, true faith in you.  
 where there's sad-ness, ev-er joy.  
 dy-ing that we're born to e-ter-nal life.

Verse 3



3. Oh, Mas-ter, grant that I may nev-er seek So much to be con-



soled as to con-sole. To be un-der-stood as to un-der-



stand. To be loved as to love with all my soul.



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

*To Verses*



peace to peo - ple of good will.

1. We  
2., 3. ♪

**Verse 1**



praise you, we bless you, we a - dore



you, we glo - ri - fy you, we give you



thanks for your great glo - ry, Lord God,

**D.C.**



heav-en - ly King, O God, al-might - y Fa - ther.

**Verse 2**



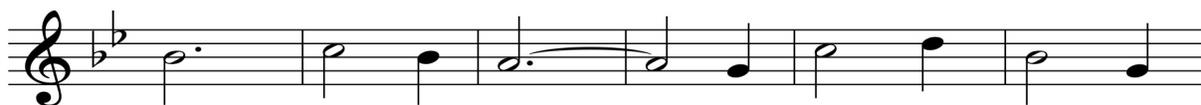
Lord Je - sus Christ, On - ly Be - got - ten Son,



Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Fa - ther,



you take a - way the sins of the world, have



mer - cy on us; you take a - way the



sins of the world, re - ceive our prayer;



you are seat - ed at the right hand of the

**D.C.**



Fa - ther, have mer - cy on us.

**Verse 3**



For you a - lone are the Ho-ly One, you a -



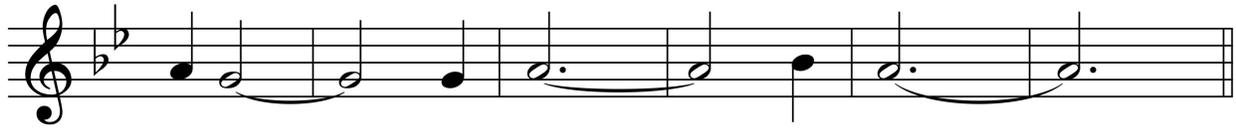
lone are the Lord, you a - lone are the



Most High, Je - sus Christ, with the



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



Fa-ther. A - men. A - men.

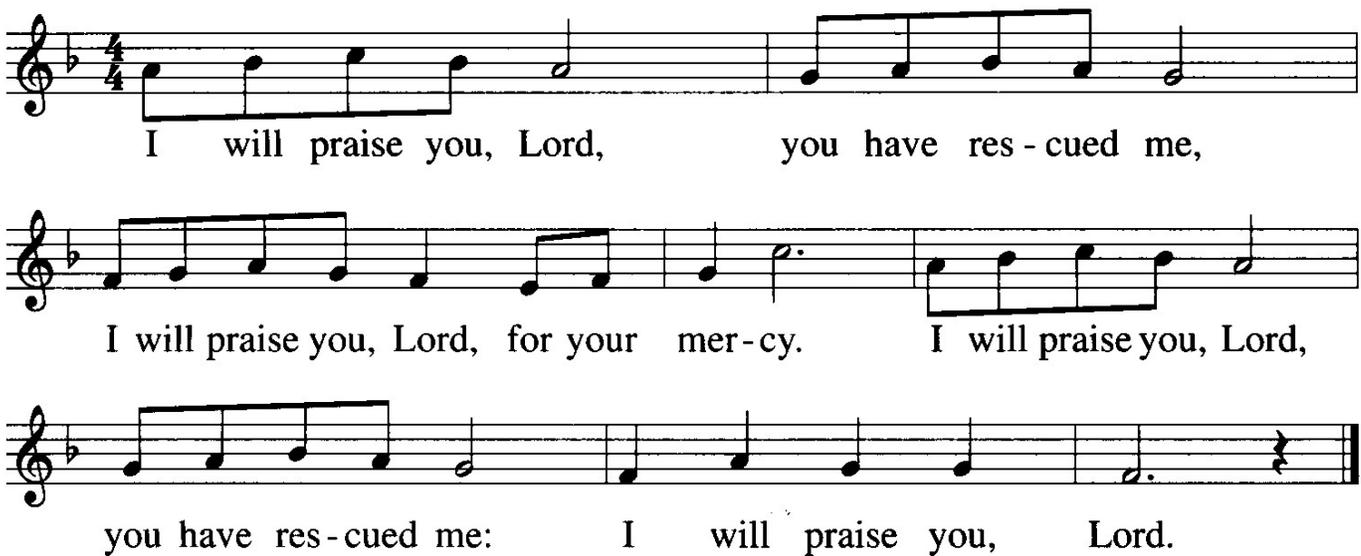
**FIRST READING:**

**The Word of the Lord: Thanks be to God**

May 4

Psalm 30:

**I Will Praise You Lord**



I will praise you, Lord, you have res-cued me,  
I will praise you, Lord, for your mer-cy. I will praise you, Lord,  
you have res-cued me: I will praise you, Lord.

May 11

Psalm 100:

**We are God's People**



We are God's peo - ple, the flock of the Lord.

Psalm 145:

I Will Praise You Lord

I will praise your name for ev - er, \_\_\_\_\_

my king and my God. \_\_\_\_\_

Psalm 25:

To You, O Lord

REFRAIN:  
To you, O Lord, I lift — up, I lift up my

soul, my God. \_\_\_\_\_

1-3 Final 2 Fine

to Verses

**GOSPEL ACCLAMATION: Alleluia**

pg 12



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

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

**GOSPEL**

The Lord be with you: **And with your spirit.**

A reading from ..... **Glory to you, O Lord.**

The Gospel of the Lord: **Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

**HOMILY**



I believe in God,  
the Father almighty,  
Creator of heaven and earth,  
and in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord,  
  
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,  
born of the Virgin Mary,  
suffered under Pontius Pilate,  
was crucified, died and was buried;  
he descended into hell;  
on the third day he rose again from the dead;  
  
he ascended into heaven,  
and is seated  
at the right hand of God the Father almighty;  
from there he will come to judge  
the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit,  
the holy catholic Church,  
the communion of saints,  
the forgiveness of sins,  
the resurrection of the body,  
and life everlasting. Amen.

**UNIVERSAL PRAYER (Petitions)**

**Response: Lord, hear our prayer.**

INVITATION TO PRAYER

May the Lord accept the sacrifice at your hands  
for the praise and glory of his name,  
for our good and the good of all his holy Church.

PREFACE DIALOGUE

The Lord be with you: **And with your spirit.**

Lift up your hearts: **We lift them up to the Lord.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God: **It is right and just.**

**HOLY, HOLY:** Mass of Creation

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Ho-ly, Ho-ly, Ho-ly Lord God of  
hosts. Heav-en and earth are full of your glo-ry.  
Ho - san - na in the high-est. Bless-ed is he who  
comes in the name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the  
high-est. Ho - san - na in the high - est.



# LAMB OF GOD

Pg 16

*Cantor:* *Assembly:*



Lamb of God, you take a-way the sins of the

*To repeat*



world, have mer - cy on us.

*Last time*



world, grant us peace.

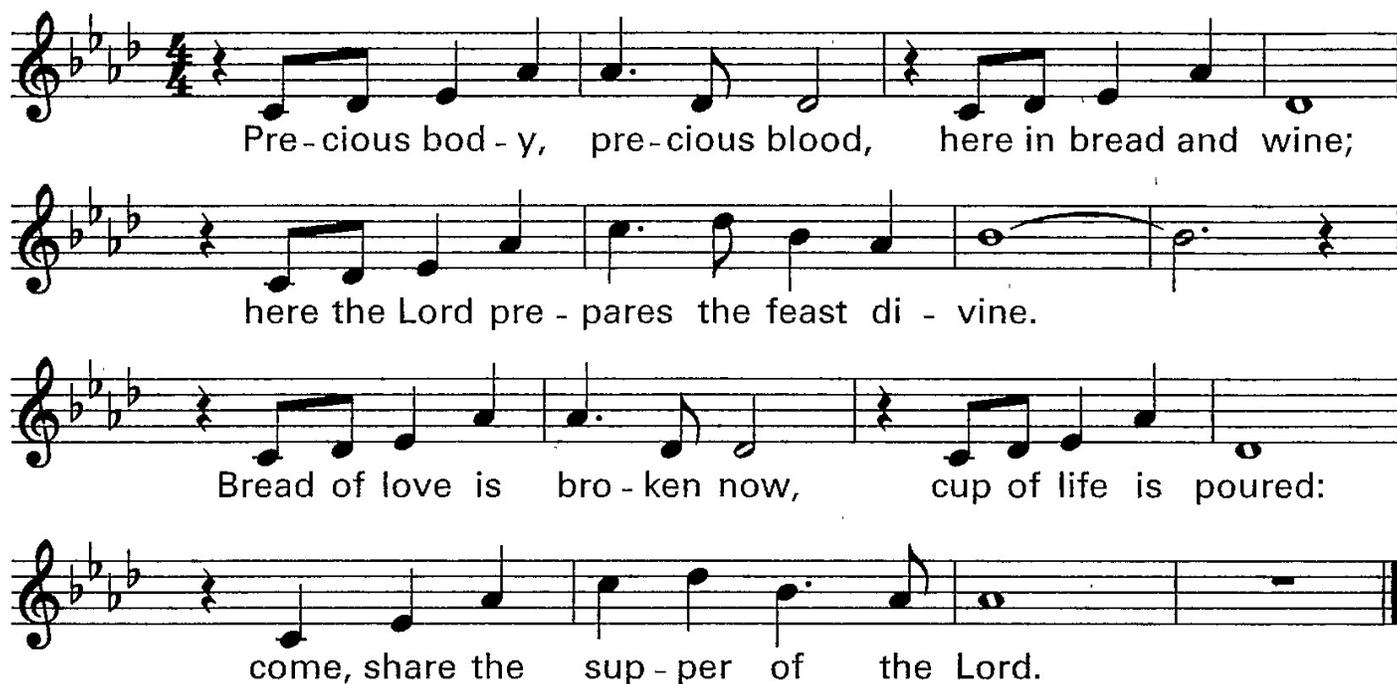
## INVITATION TO COMMUNION

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



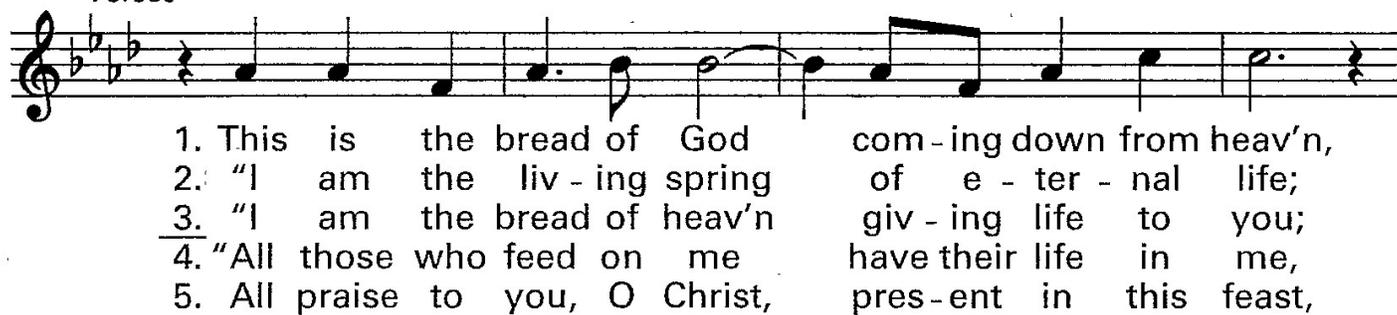
May 4

The Supper of the Lord

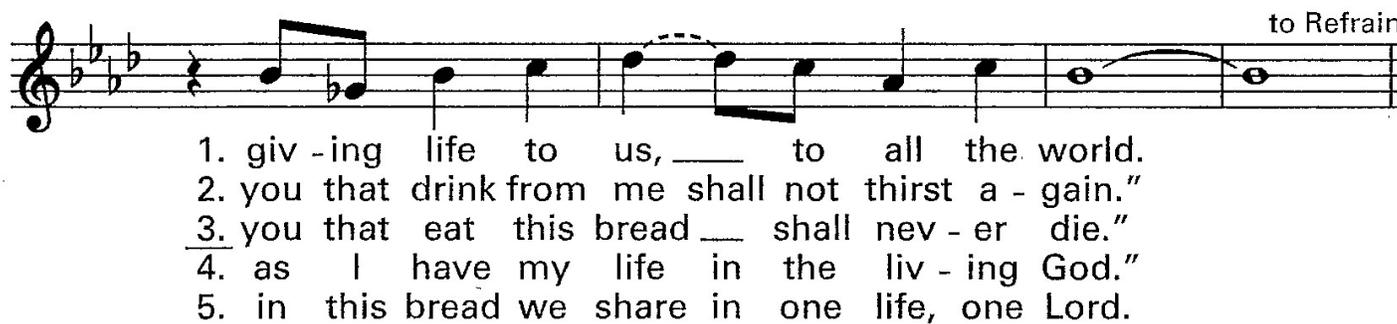


Pre-cious bod - y, pre-cious blood, here in bread and wine;  
 here the Lord pre - pares the feast di - vine.  
 Bread of love is bro - ken now, cup of life is poured:  
 come, share the sup - per of the Lord.

Verses



1. This is the bread of God com - ing down from heav'n,  
 2. "I am the liv - ing spring of e - ter - nal life;  
 3. "I am the bread of heav'n giv - ing life to you;  
 4. "All those who feed on me have their life in me,  
 5. All praise to you, O Christ, pres - ent in this feast,

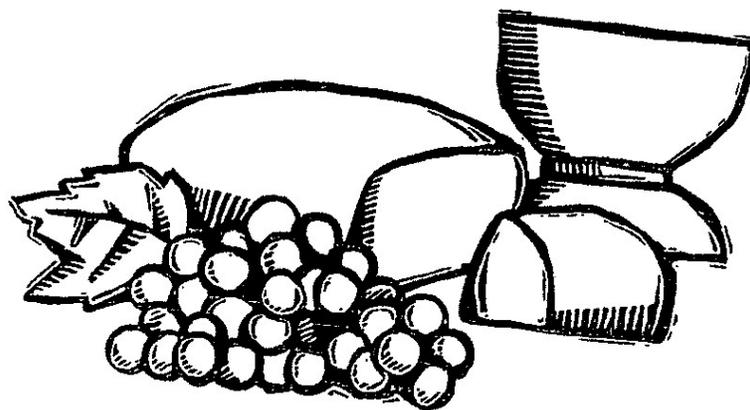


to Refrain

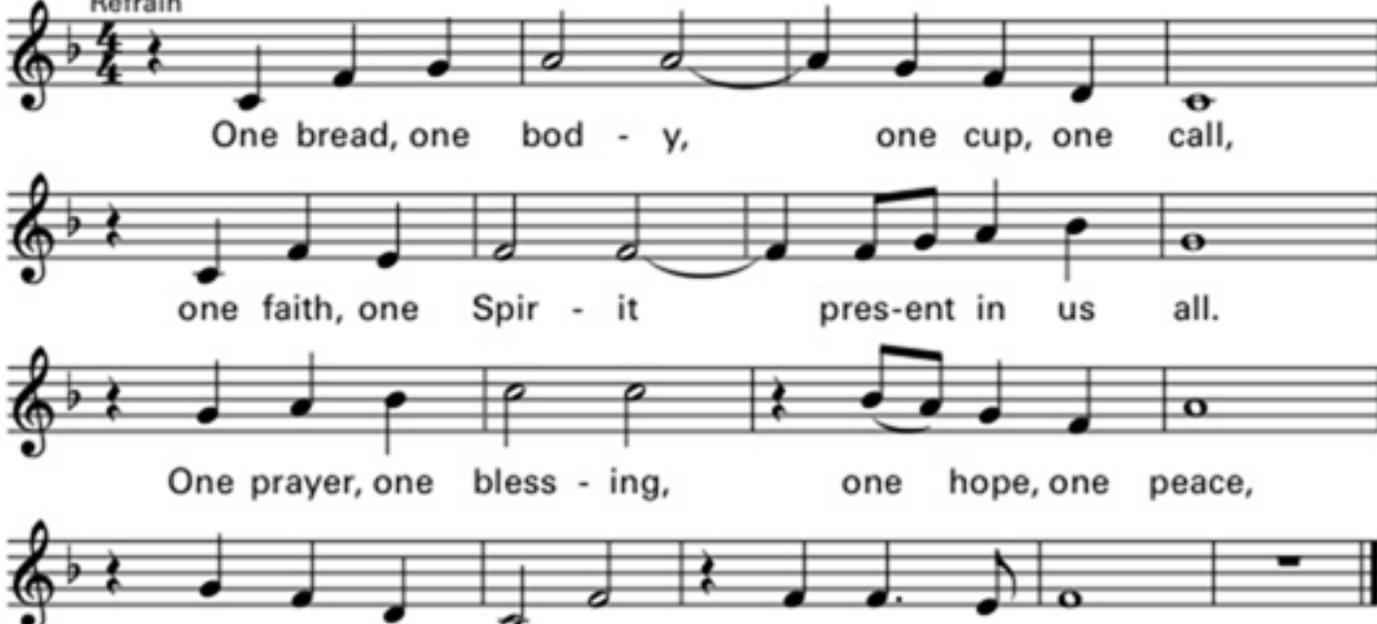
1. giv - ing life to us, \_\_\_ to all the world.  
 2. you that drink from me shall not thirst a - gain."  
 3. you that eat this bread \_\_\_ shall nev - er die."  
 4. as I have my life in the liv - ing God."  
 5. in this bread we share in one life, one Lord.

Blessed are we, blessed to be called, called to the  
sup-per of the Lamb! His sac - ri - fice re-newed, here  
Christ is our feast, Our prom-ise of the glo-ry to come.

The image shows a musical score for three staves. The first staff begins with a treble clef, a key signature of one flat (B-flat), and a 4/4 time signature. The melody consists of quarter and eighth notes. The lyrics are written below the notes. The second staff continues the melody and lyrics. The third staff concludes the phrase with a double bar line.

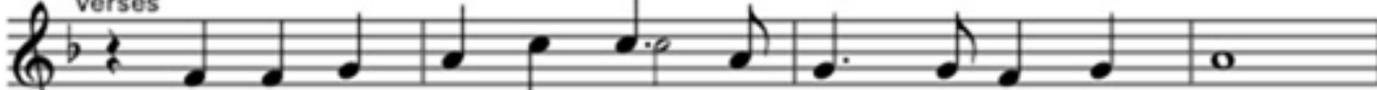


Refrain



One bread, one bod - y, one cup, one call,  
 one faith, one Spir - it pres-ent in us all.  
 One prayer, one bless - ing, one hope, one peace,  
 one church, one peo - ple, one love re-leased.

Verses



1. Is not this bread we share, the bod - y of our Lord?
2. I am the bread of life, eat and you shall live.
3. I am the liv - ing bread, as man - na from the sky.
4. No one will come to me, un - less our God has led.

to Refrain



1. Is not this wine we drink, the blood of Christ out-poured?
2. To those who share this meal, my strength I'll al - ways give.
3. This bread I give to you, that you may nev - er die.
4. And I shall raise them up, — raise them from the dead!



\*U - bi ca - ri - tas est ve - ra, est ve - ra: De - us i - bi

Verses: Cantor/Choir



est, De - us i - bi est.

1. The love of Christ joins us to-
2. In true com - mu - nion let us
3. May we who gath - er at this
4. For those in need make us your
5. May we one day be - hold your



1. geth - er. Let us re - joice in him, and in our love and

2. gath - er. May all di - vi - sions cease and in their place be
3. ta - ble to share the bread of life be - come a sac - ra -
4. mer - cy, for those op - pressed, your might. Make us, your Church, a
5. glo - ry and see you face to face, re - joic - ing with the

to Refrain



1. care for all now love God in re - turn.

2. Christ the Lord, our ris - en Prince of Peace.
3. ment of love, your heal - ing touch, O Christ.
4. ho - ly sign of jus - tice and new life.
5. saints of God to sing e - ter - nal praise.

**BLESSING**

**Response: Thanks be to God**

# CLOSING HYMN

May 4

## How Can I Keep From Singing

pg 21



1. My life flows on in end-less song A -  
2. Through all the tu - mult and the strife, I  
3. What, though my joys and com-fort die, The  
4. The peace of Christ makes fresh my heart, A



bove earth's lam - en - ta - tion. I hear the real though  
hear that mu - sic ring - ing; It sounds and ech - oes  
Lord, my sav - ior liv - eth. What though the dark - ness  
foun - tain ev - er spring-ing. All things are mine since



far - off hymn That hails a new cre - a - tion.  
in my soul; How can I keep from sing - ing?  
gath - er 'round? Songs in the night it giv - eth.  
I am his; How can I keep from sing - ing?



No storm can shake my in-most calm, While to that rock I'm



cling - ing. Since Christ is Lord of heav-en and earth,



How can I keep from sing - ing?


  
 This is the feast of vic-to-ry for our God. Al-le-


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


  
 1. Wor-thy is Christ, the Lamb who was slain, whose  
 2. Pow - er, rich - es, wis - dom, and strength, and  
 3. Sing with all the peo - ple of God, and  
 4. Bless - ing, hon - or, glo - ry, and might be to  
 5. For the Lamb who was slain has be -


  
 blood set us free to be peo - ple of God.  
 hon - or, bless - ing, and glo - ry are his.  
 join in the hymn of all cre - a - tion.  
 God and the Lamb for - ev - er. A - men.  
 gun his reign. Al - le - lu - ia.



Refrain

All the ends of the earth, all you crea-tures of the sea, lift up your  
 eyes to the won - ders of the Lord. For the Lord of the earth, the  
 mas-ter of the sea, has come with jus-tice for the world.

Verses 1, 2

1. Break in - to song at the deeds of the Lord,  
 2. Heav - en and earth shall re - joice in his might;

1. the won-ders God has \_ done in ev-'ry age.  
 2. ev-'ry heart, \_\_\_\_\_ ev-'ry na - tion call him Lord.

to Refrain

Verse 3

3. The Lord has made sal - va - tion known, faith-ful to the prom-  
 3. - is-es of old. Let the ends of the earth, let the

3. sea and all it holds make mu-sic be - fore our King!

to Refrain



1. Love di - vine, all loves ex - cel - ling,  
 2. Come, al - might - y to de - liv - er,  
 3. Fin - ish then your new cre - a - tion,



Joy of heav'n to earth come down!  
 Let us all your life re - ceive;  
 Pure and spot - less, gra - cious Lord,



Fix in us your hum - ble dwell - ing,  
 Sud - den - ly re - turn and nev - er,  
 Let us see your great sal - va - tion



All your faith - ful mer - cies crown.  
 Nev - er more your tem - ples leave.  
 Per - fect - ly in you re - stored.



Je - sus, source of all com - pas - sion,  
 Lord, we would be al - ways bless - ing,  
 Changed from glo - ry in - to glo - ry,



Love un - bound - ed, love all pure;  
 Serve you as your hosts a - bove,  
 Till in heav'n we take our place,



Vis - it us with your sal - va - tion,  
 Pray, and praise you with - out ceas - ing,  
 Till we sing be - fore the al - might - y



Let your love in us en - dure.  
 Glo - ry in your pre - cious love.  
 Lost in won - der, love and praise.