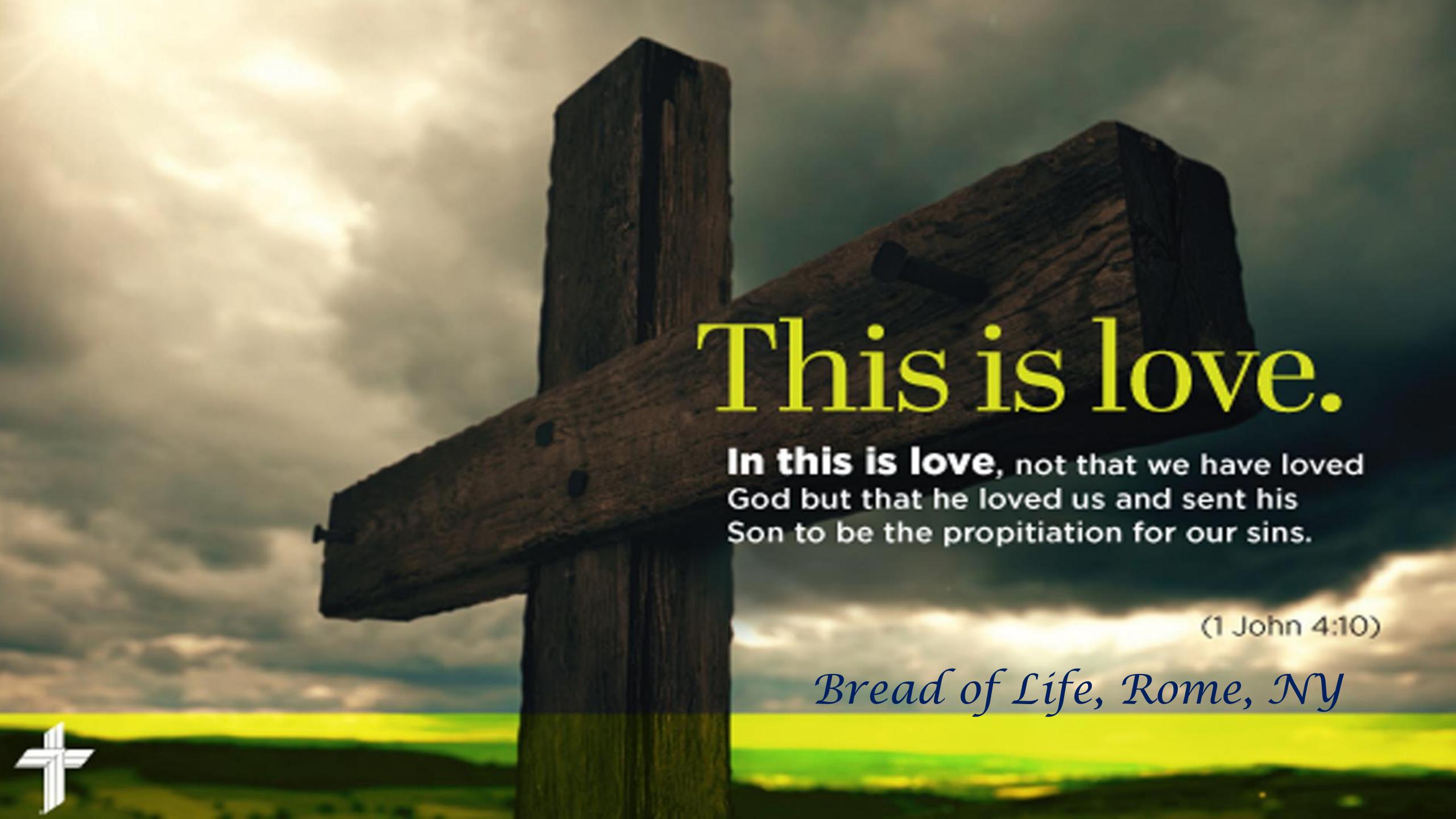
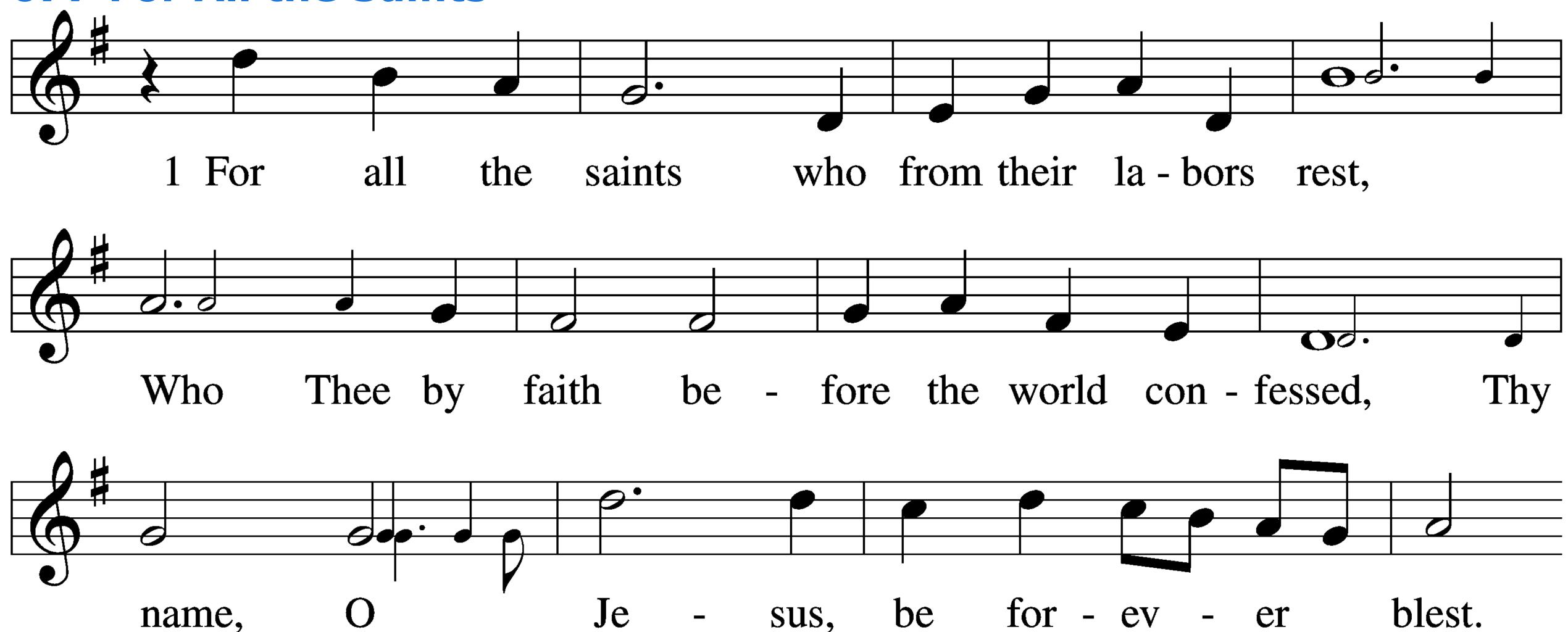
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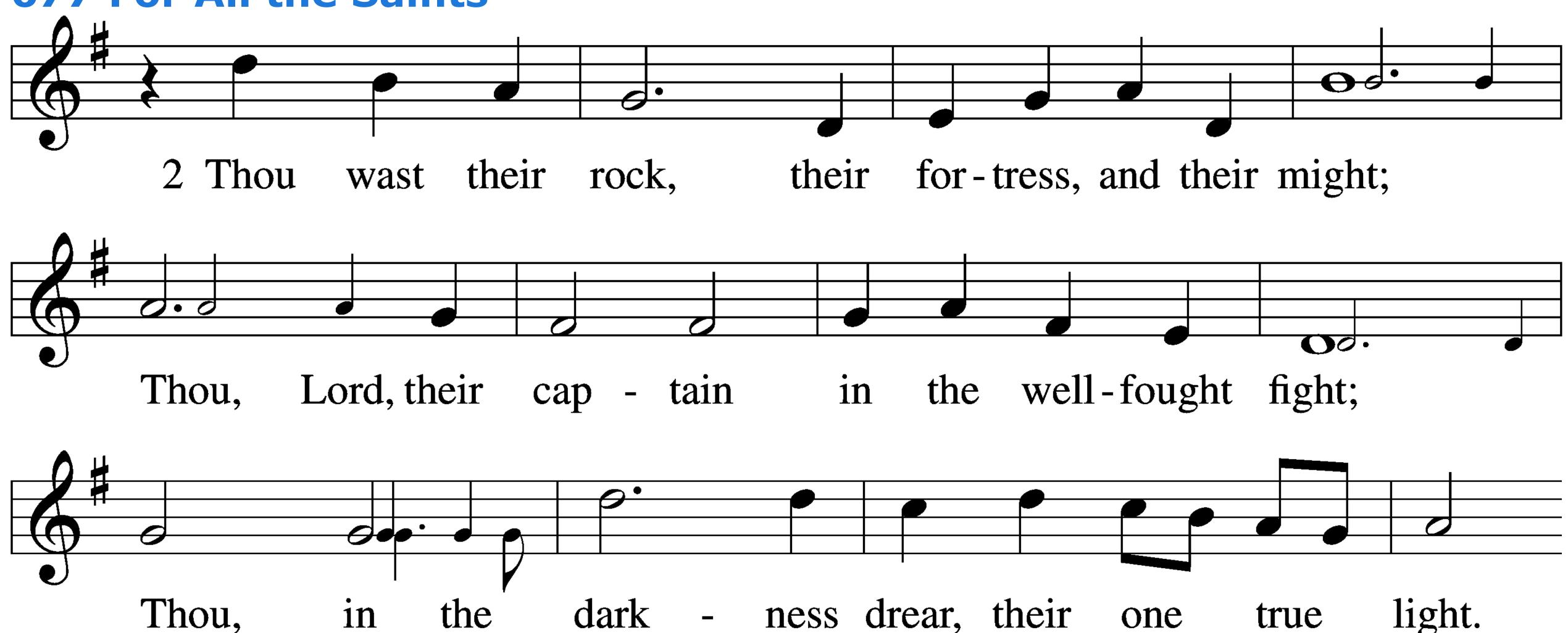
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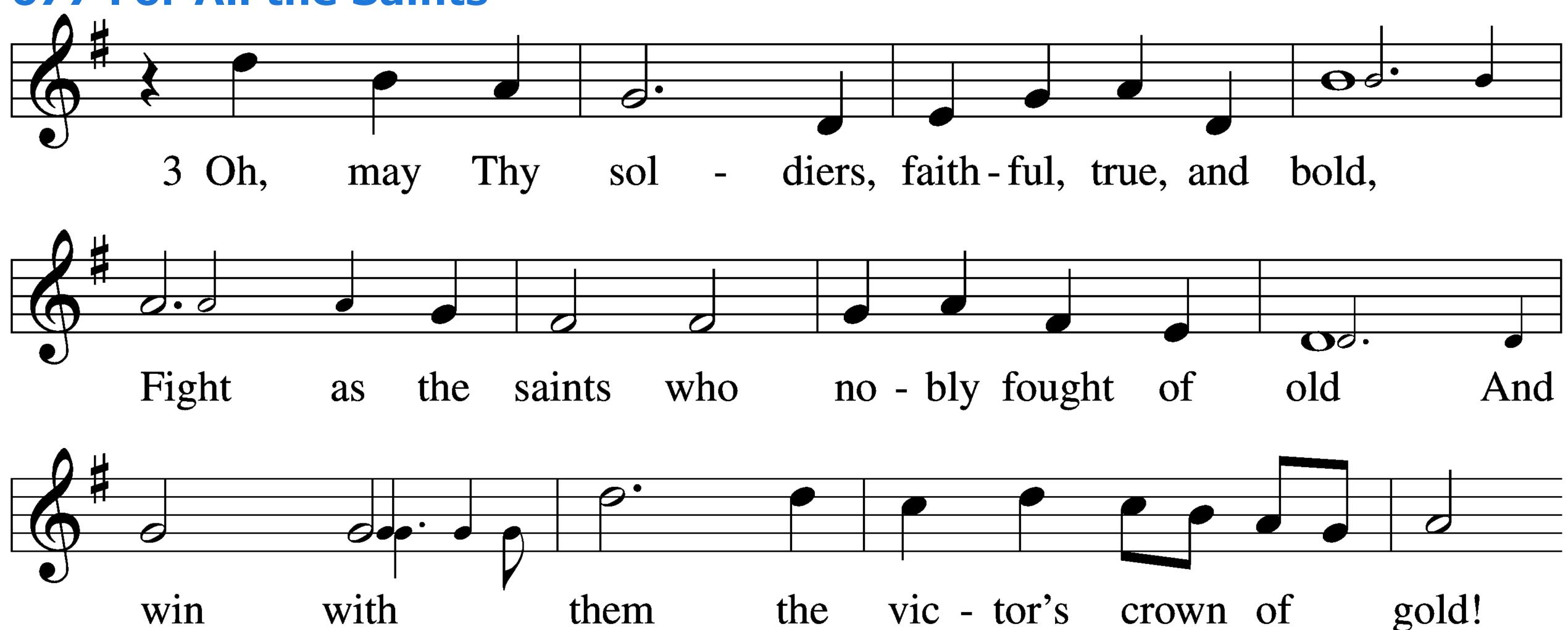


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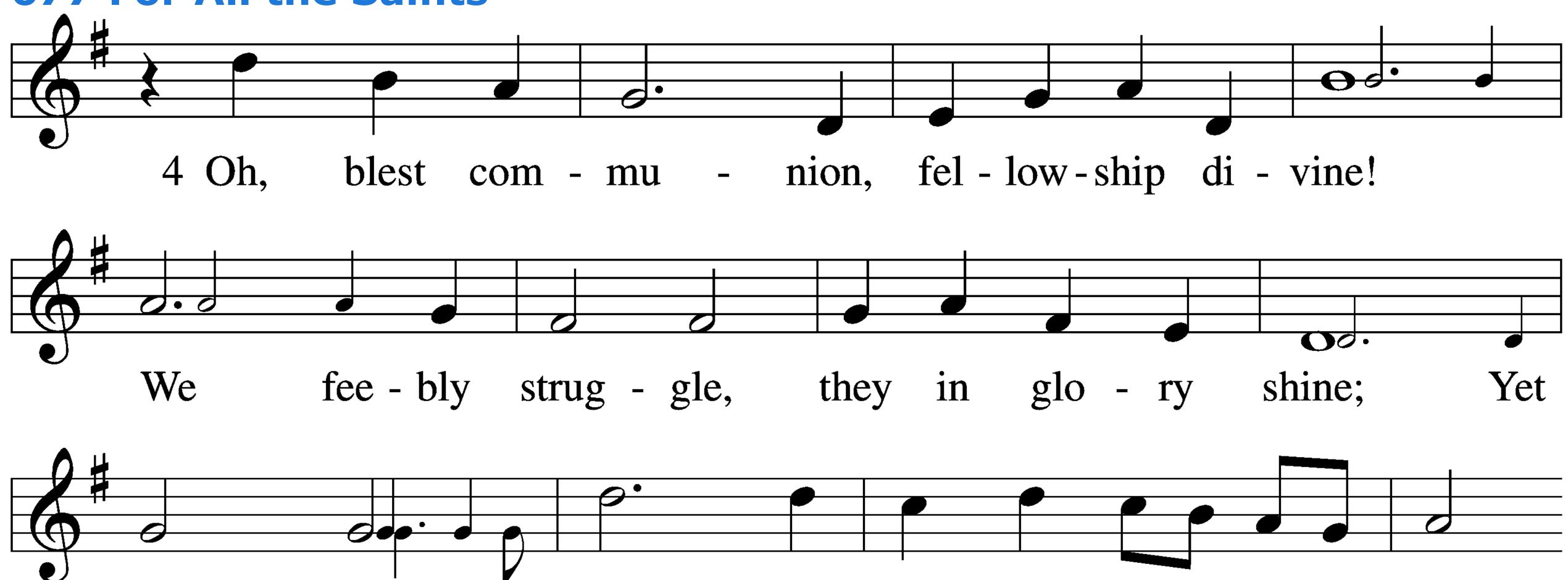






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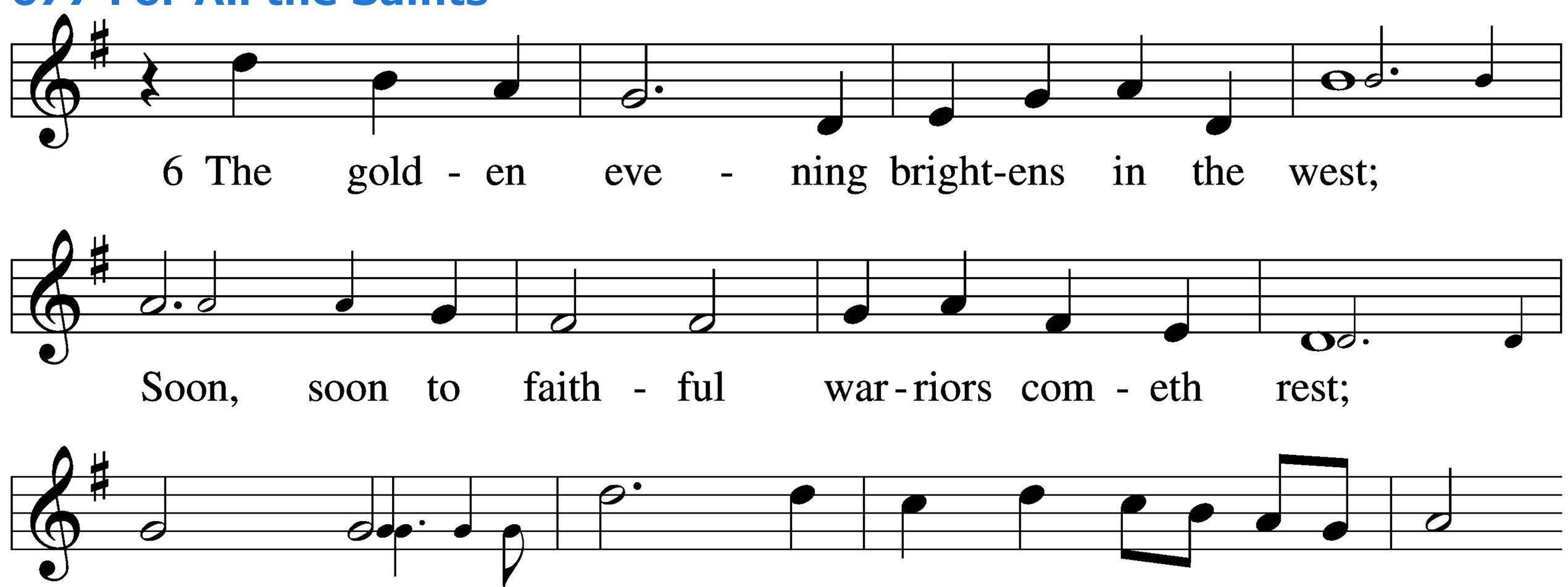






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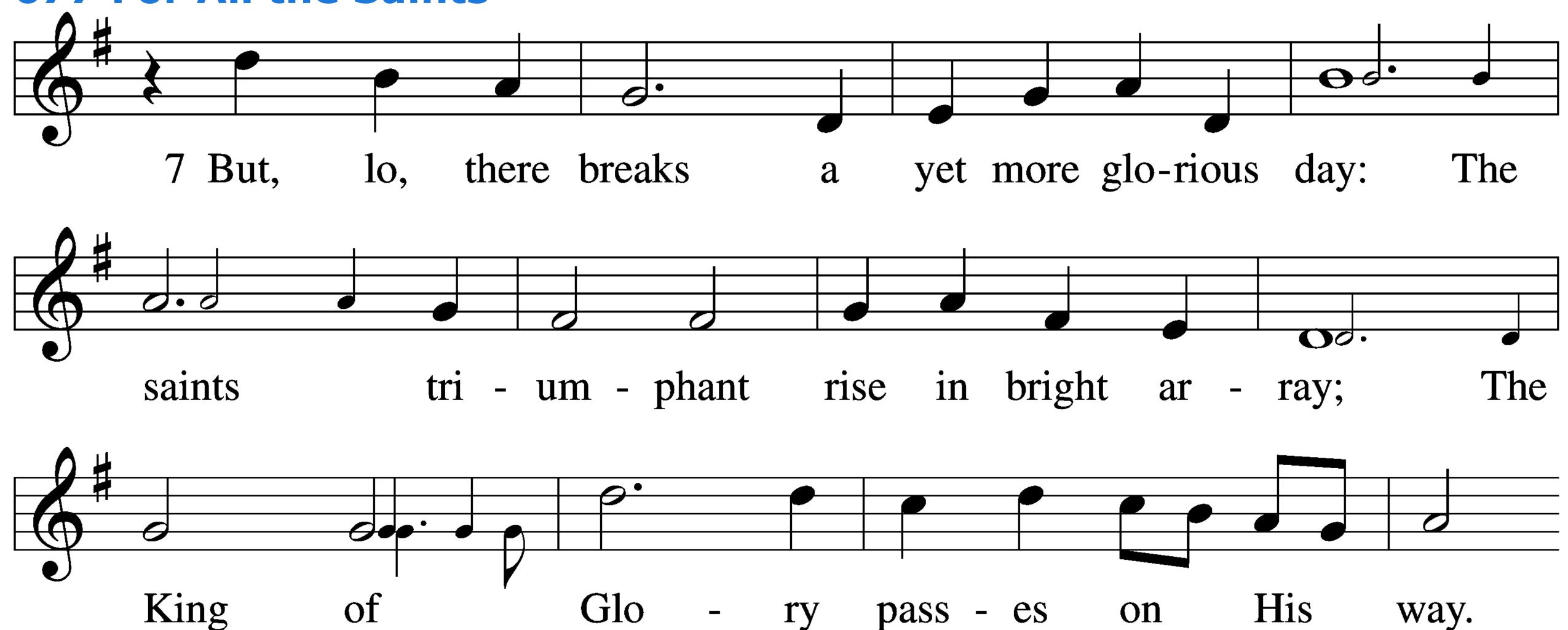
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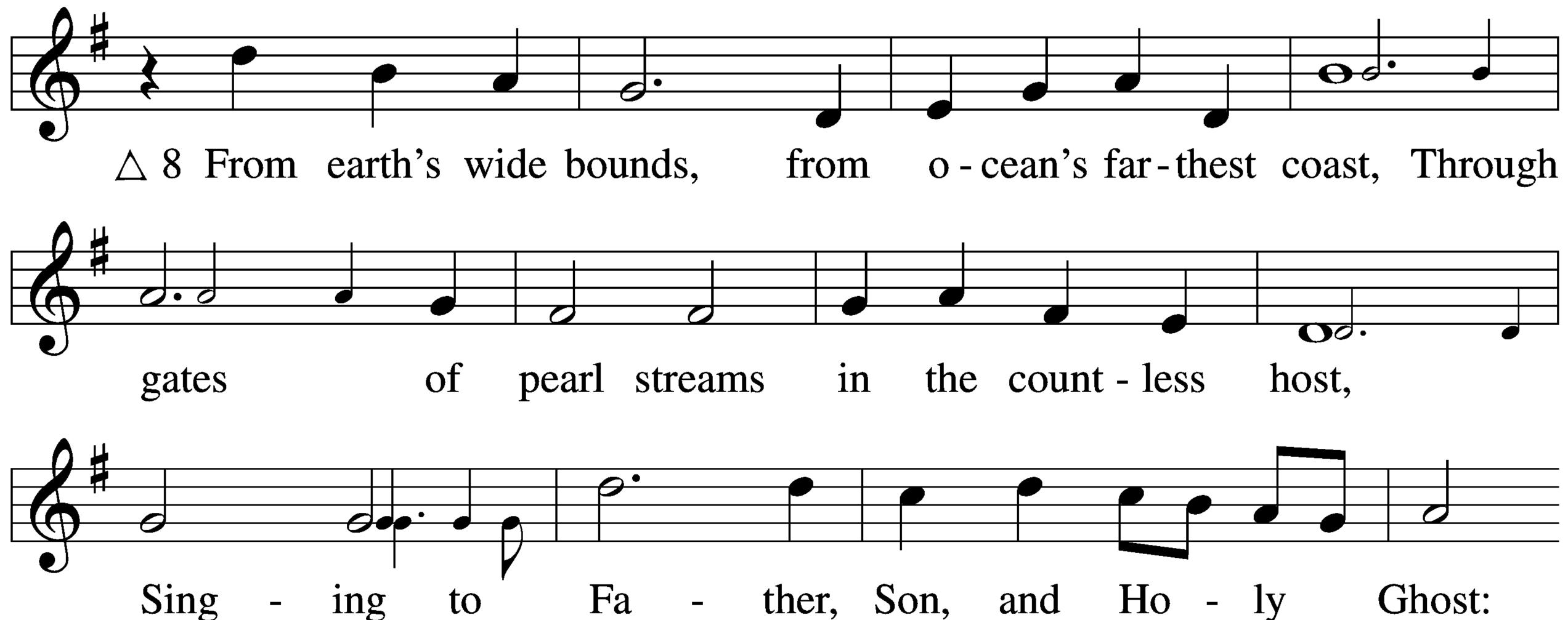






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Invocation

The sign of the cross may be made by all in remembrance of their Baptism.

- In the name of the Father and of the 🕂 Son and of the Holy Spirit.
- Amen.

Exhortation

- P Beloved in the Lord! Let us draw near with a true heart and confess our sins unto God our Father, beseeching Him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to grant us forgiveness.
- Our help is in the name of the Lord,
- who made heaven and earth.
- P I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the Lord,
- and You forgave the iniquity of my sin.

Confession of Sins

- P O almighty God, merciful Father,
 - I, a poor, miserable sinner, confess unto You all my sins and iniquities with which I have ever offended You and justly deserved Your temporal and eternal punishment. But I am heartily sorry for them and sincerely repent of them, and I pray You of Your boundless mercy and for the sake of the holy, innocent, bitter sufferings and death of Your beloved Son, Jesus Christ, to be gracious and merciful to me, a poor, sinful being.

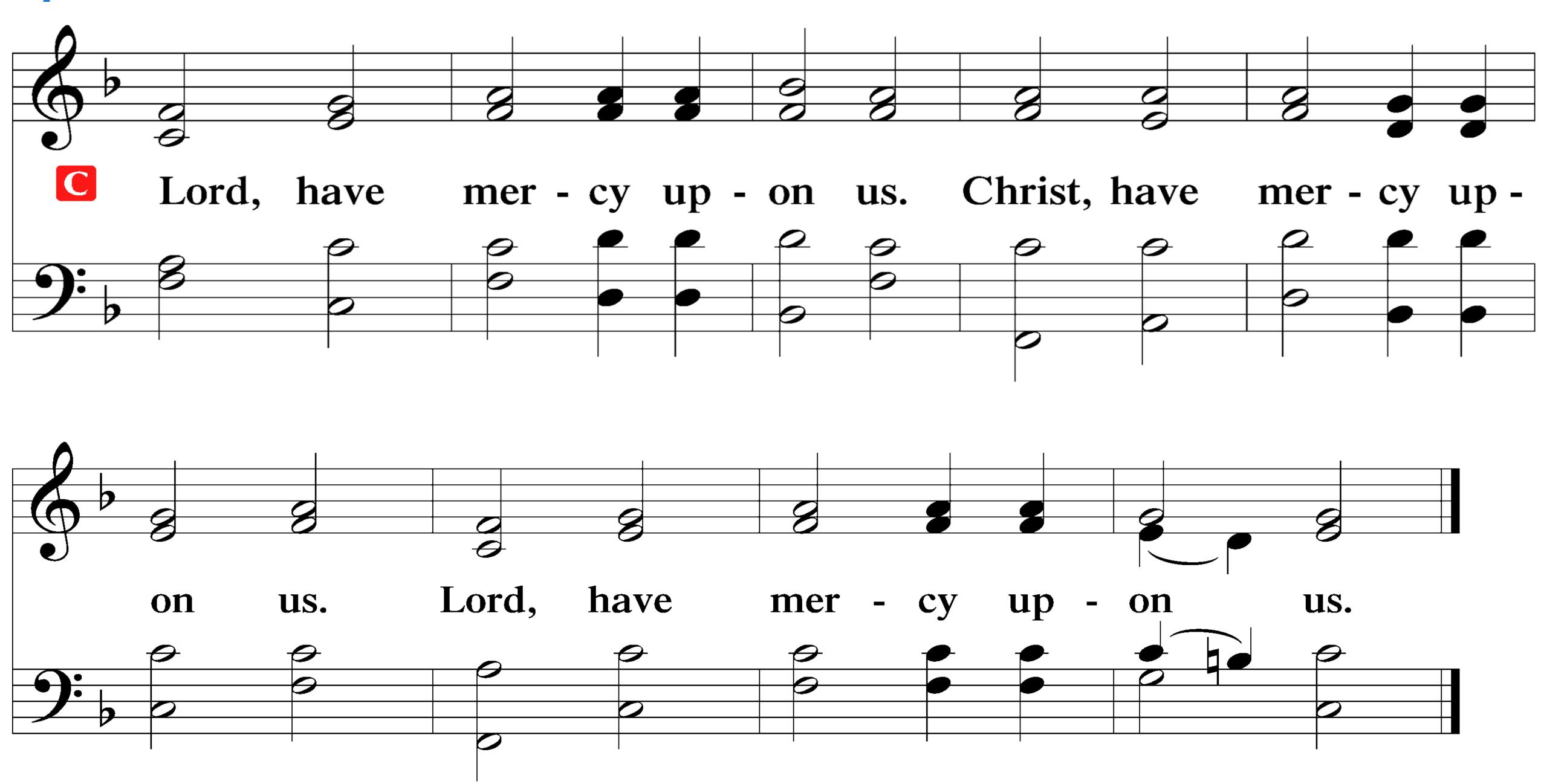
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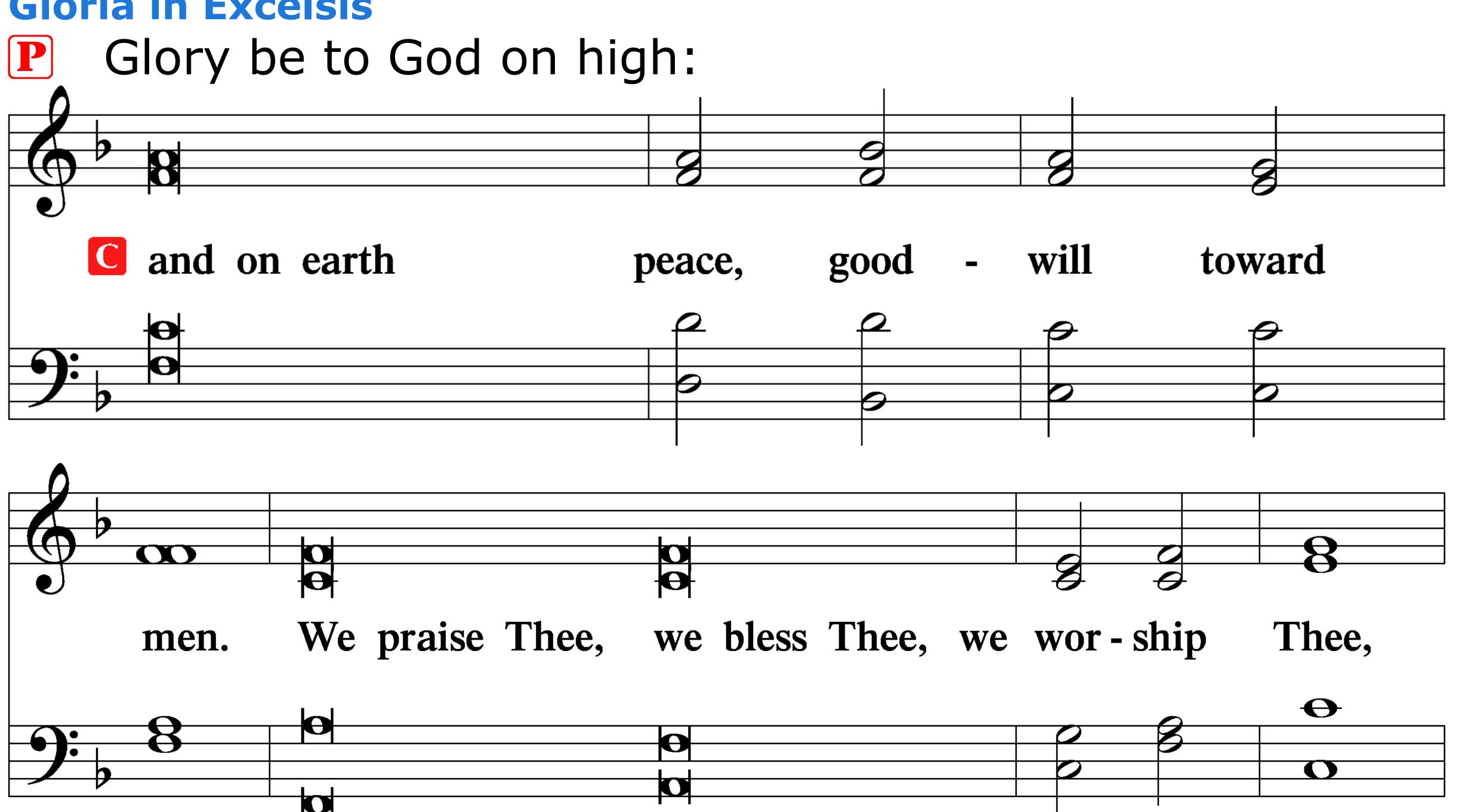
Almighty God, our heavenly Father, has had mercy upon us and has given His only Son to die for us and for His sake forgives us all our sins. To those who believe on His name He gives power to become the children of God and has promised them His Holy Spirit. He that believes and is baptized shall be saved.

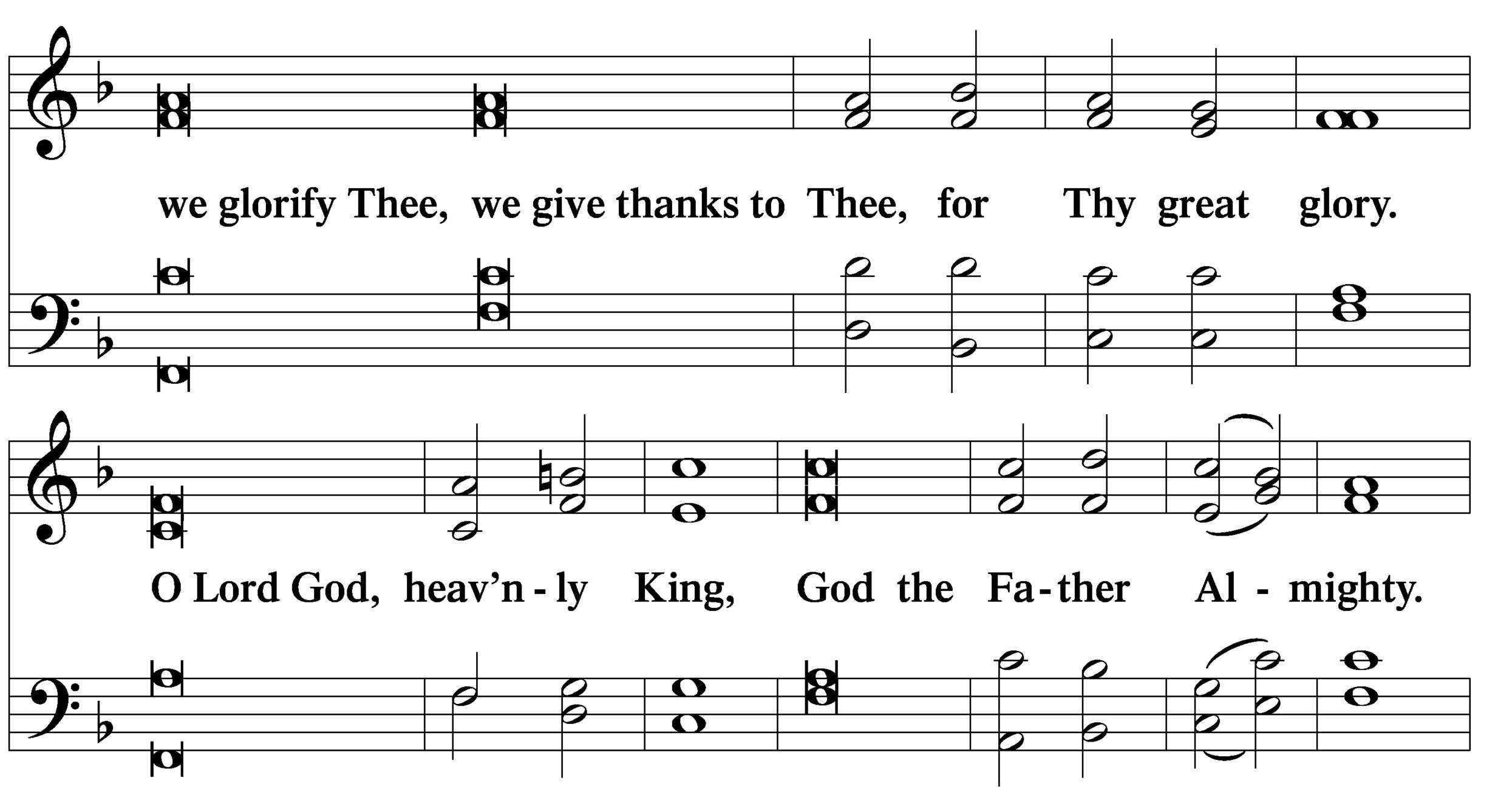
Grant this, Lord, unto us all.

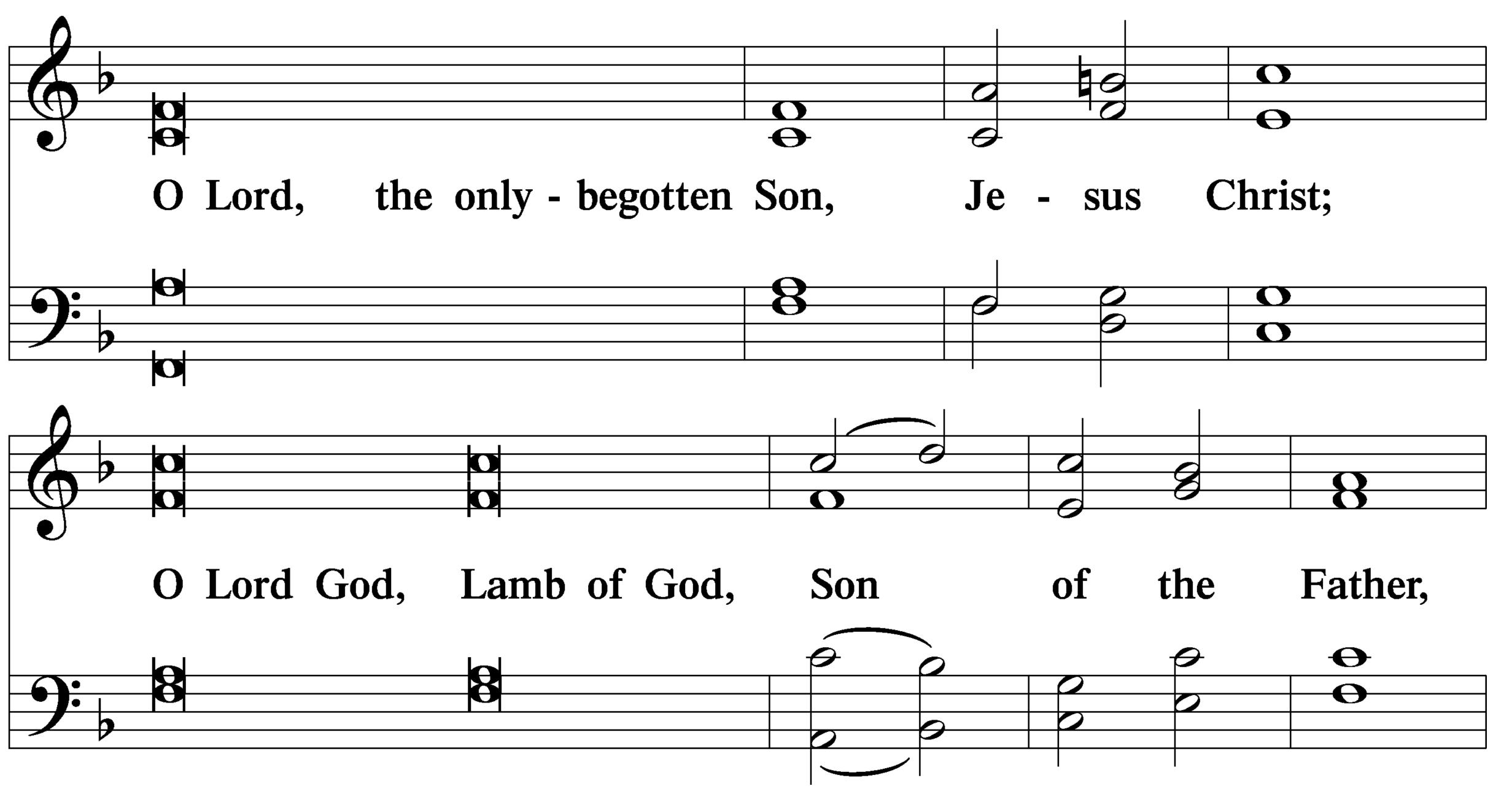
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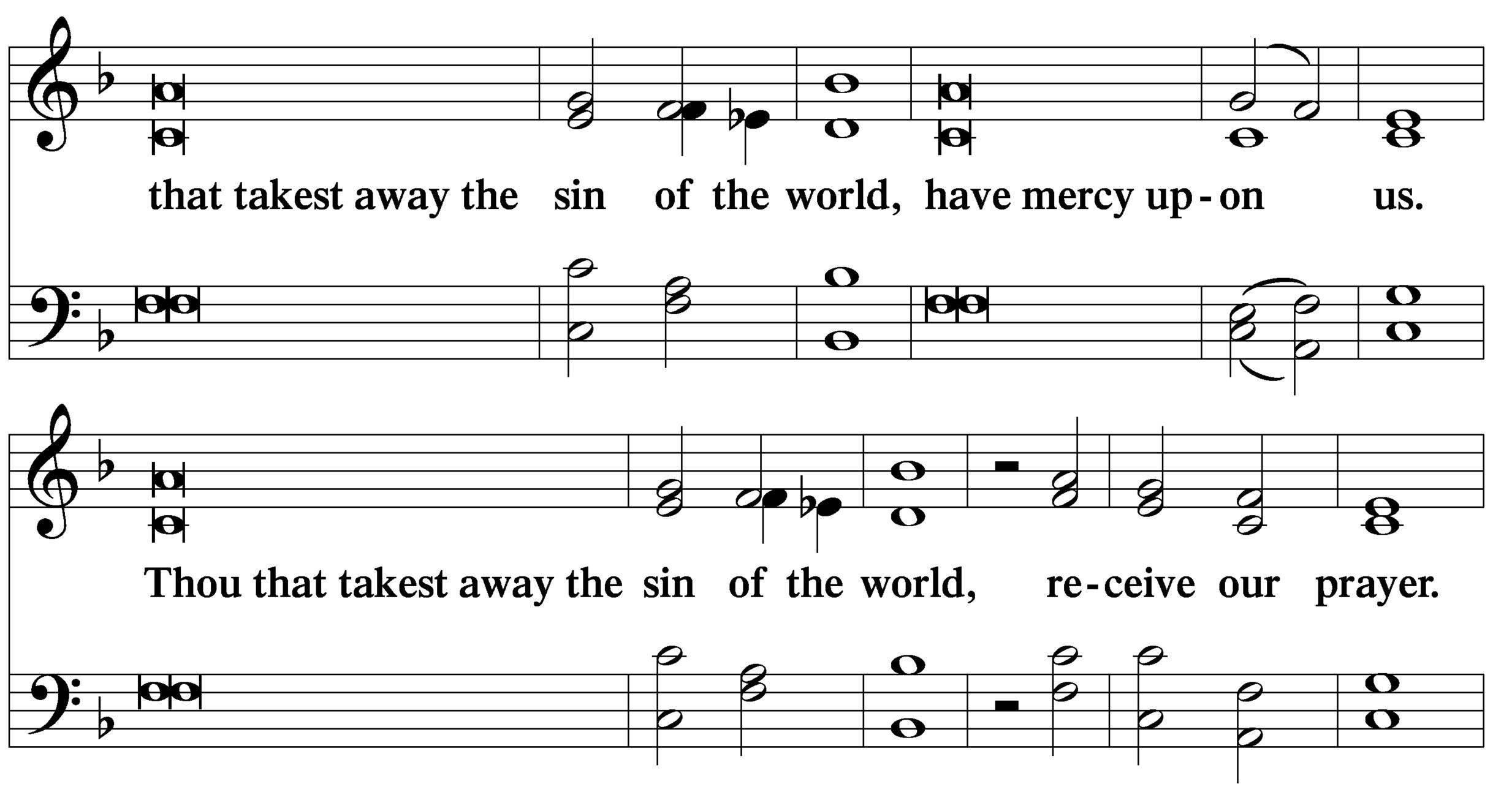
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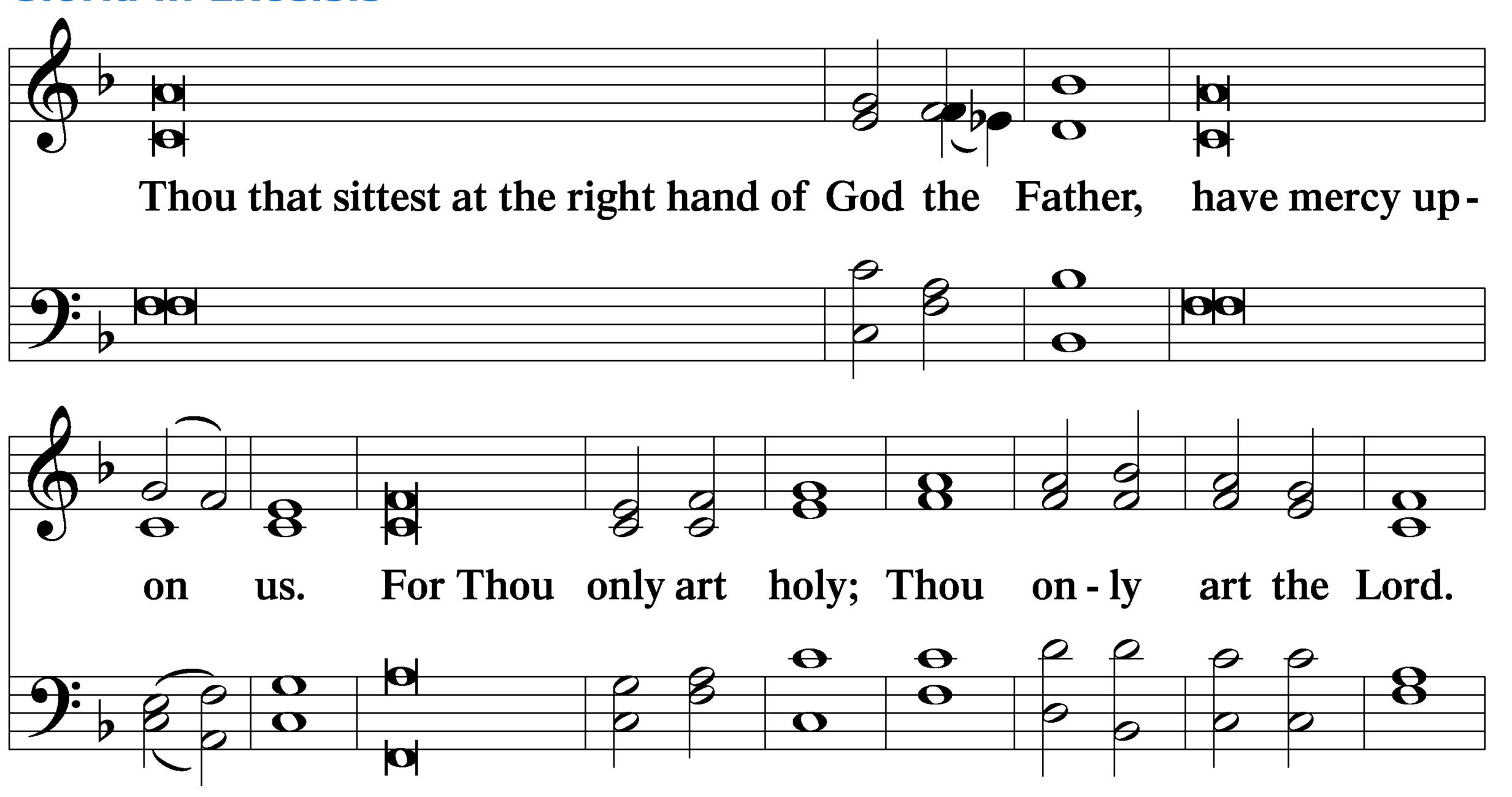


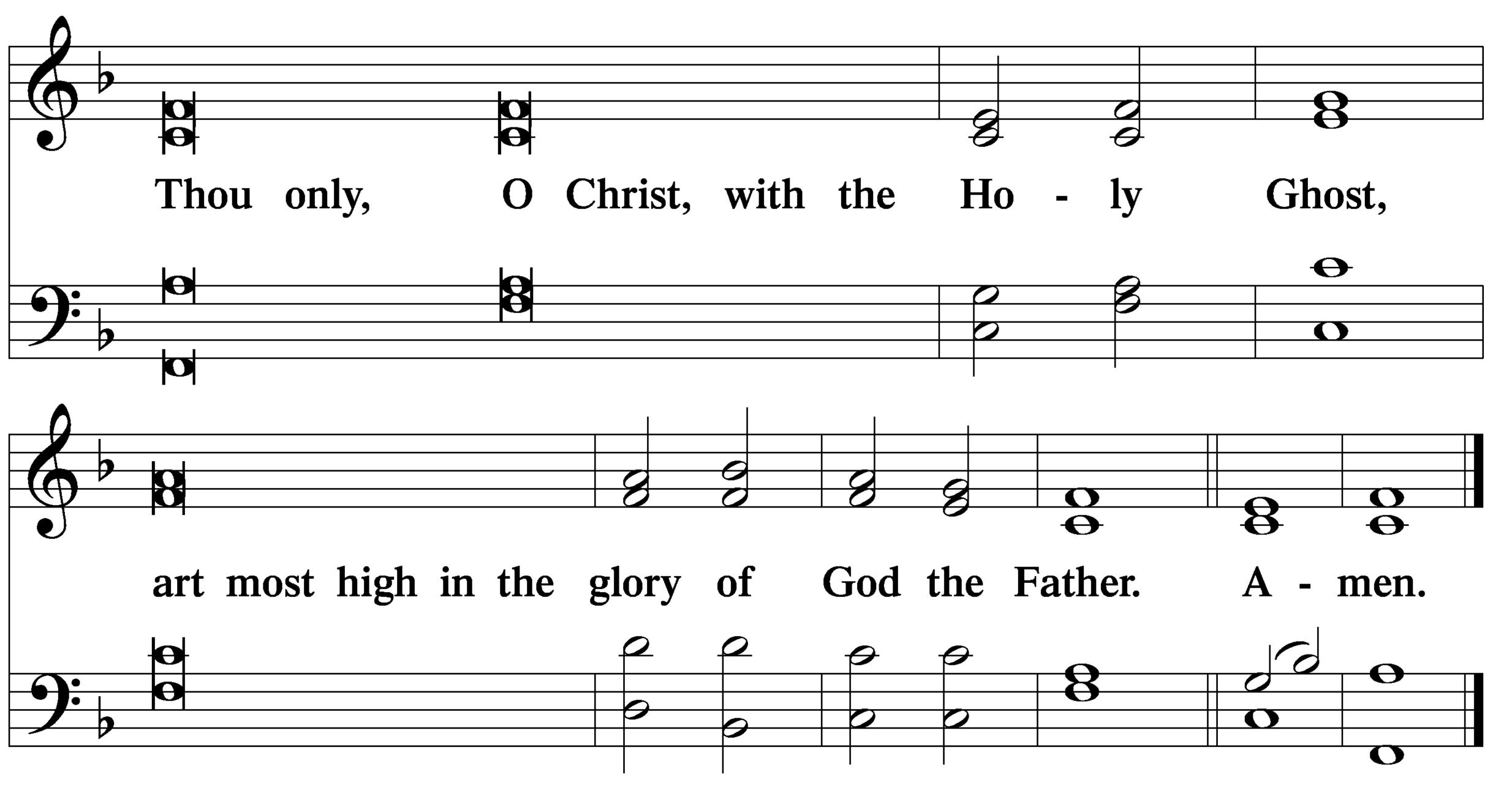






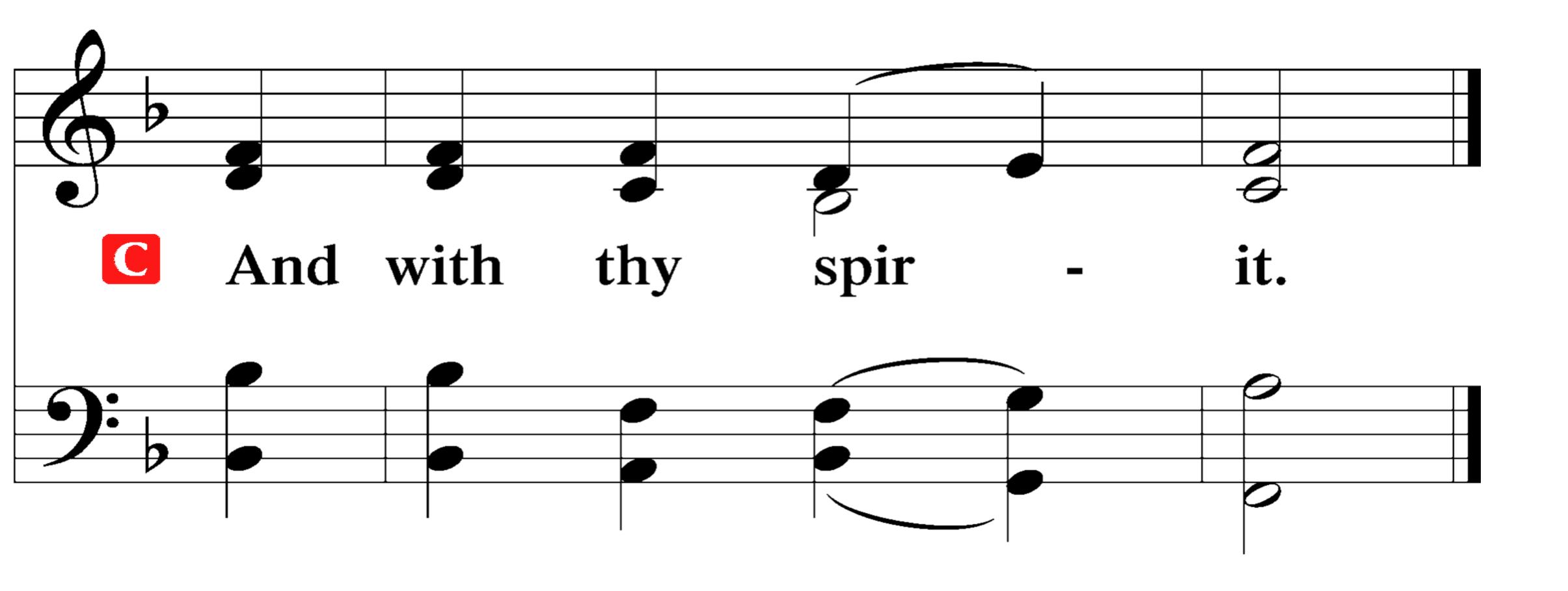






Salutation and Collect of the Day:

Pi The Lord be with you.

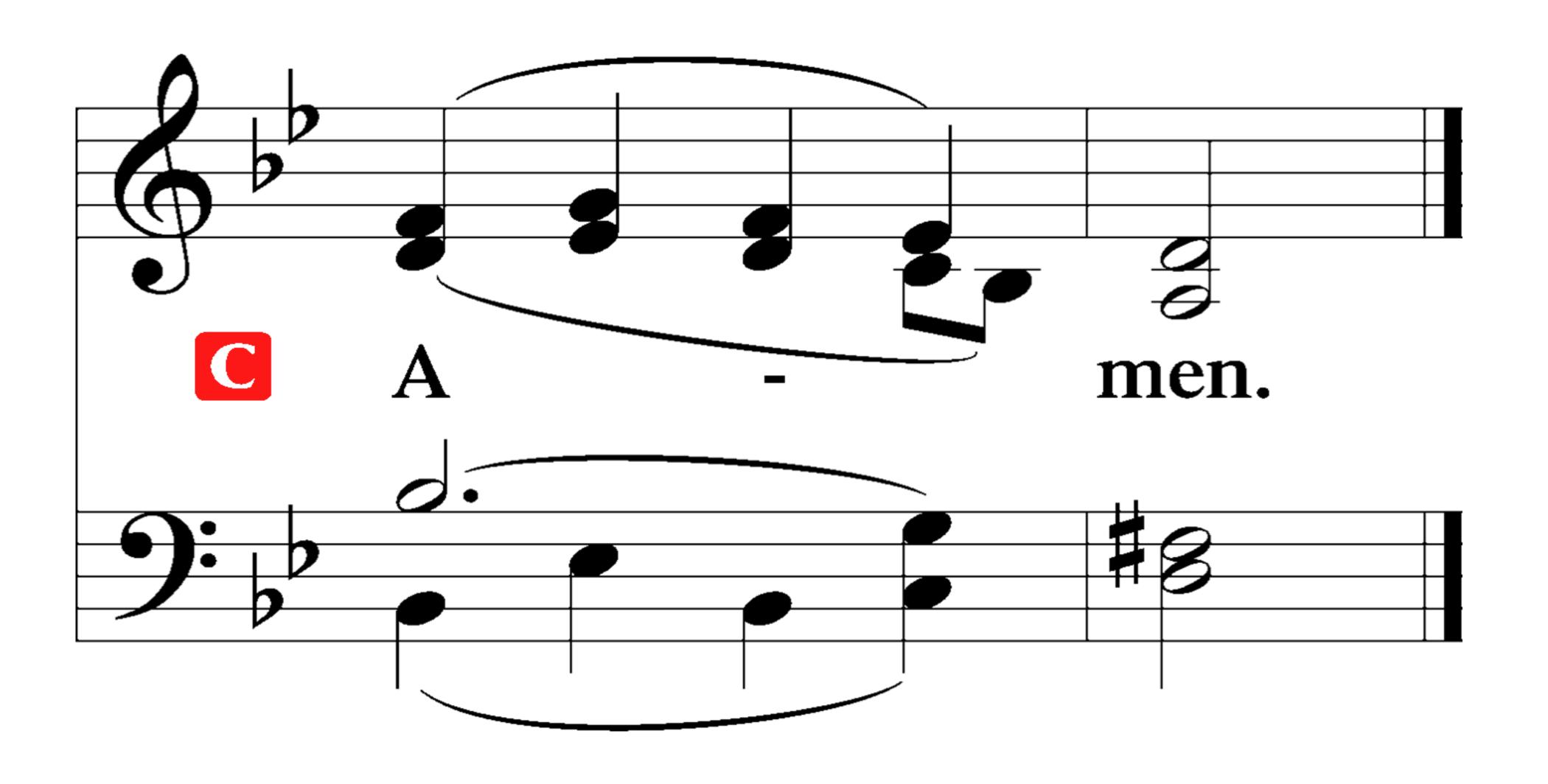


Salutation and Collect of the Day

P Let us pray.

Almighty and everlasting God, You knit together Your faithful people of all times and places into one holy communion, the mystical body of Your Son, Jesus Christ. Grant us so to follow Your blessed saints in all virtuous and godly living that, together with them, we may come to the unspeakable joys You have prepared for those who love You; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Salutation and Collect of the Day:



²Then I saw another angel ascending 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, ³saying, "Do not harm the earth or the sea or the trees, until we have sealed the servants of our God on their foreheads." ⁴And I heard the number of the sealed, 144,000, sealed from every tribe of the sons of Israel:

⁵12,000 from the tribe of Judah were sealed, 12,000 from the tribe of Reuben, 12,000 from the tribe of Gad, 612,000 from the tribe of Asher, 12,000 from the tribe of Naphtali, 12,000 from the tribe of Manasseh, 712,000 from the tribe of Simeon, 12,000 from the tribe of Levi, 12,000 from the tribe of Issachar, 812,000 from the tribe of Zebulun, 12,000 from the tribe of Joseph, 12,000 from the tribe of Benjamin were sealed.

⁹After this I looked, and behold, a great multitude that no one could number, from every nation, from all tribes and peoples and languages, standing before the throne and before the Lamb, clothed in white robes, with palm branches in their hands, ¹⁰and crying out with a loud voice, "Salvation belongs to our God who sits on the throne, and to the Lamb!" ¹¹And all the angels were standing around the throne and around the elders and the four living creatures, and they fell on their faces before the throne and worshiped God, ¹²saying, "Amen! Blessing and glory and wisdom and thanksgiving and honor and power and might be to our God forever and ever! Amen."

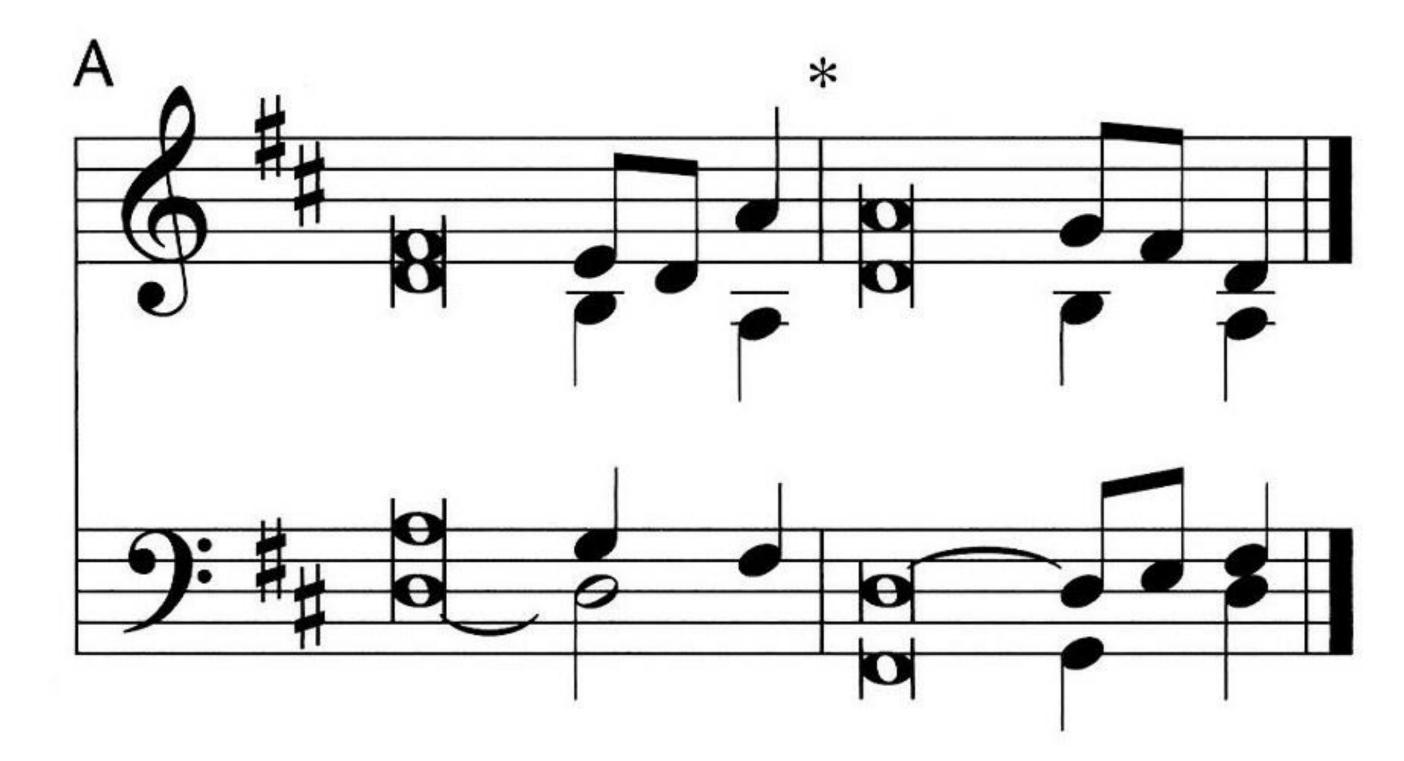
13Then one of the elders addressed me, saying, "Who are these, clothed in white robes, and from where have they come?" ¹⁴I said to him, "Sir, you know." And he said to me, "These are the ones coming out of the great tribulation. They have washed their robes and made them white in the blood of the Lamb.

¹⁵"Therefore they are before the throne of God, and serve him day and night in his temple; and he who sits on the throne will shelter them with his presence.

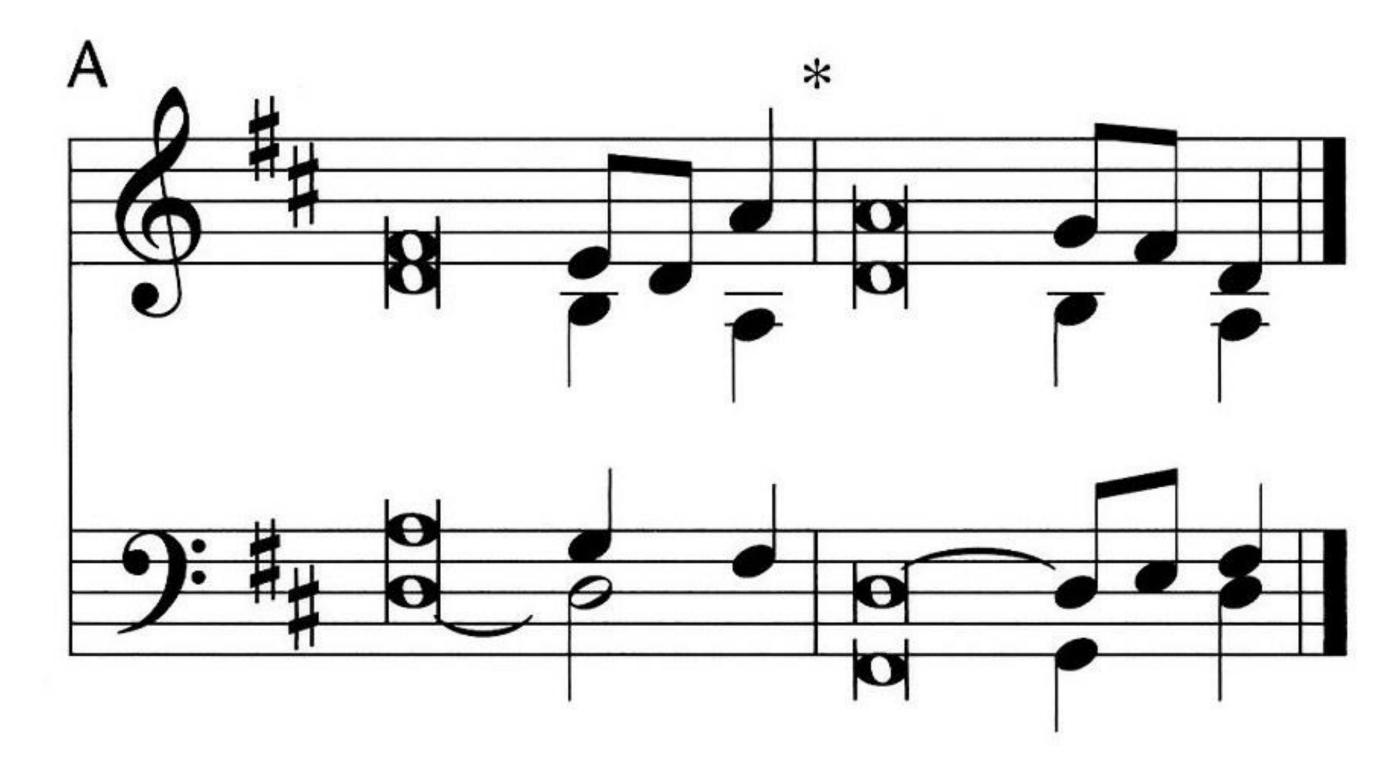
Old Testament Reading: Revelation 7:2-17

- 16They shall hunger no more, neither thirst anymore; the sun shall not strike them, nor any scorching heat.

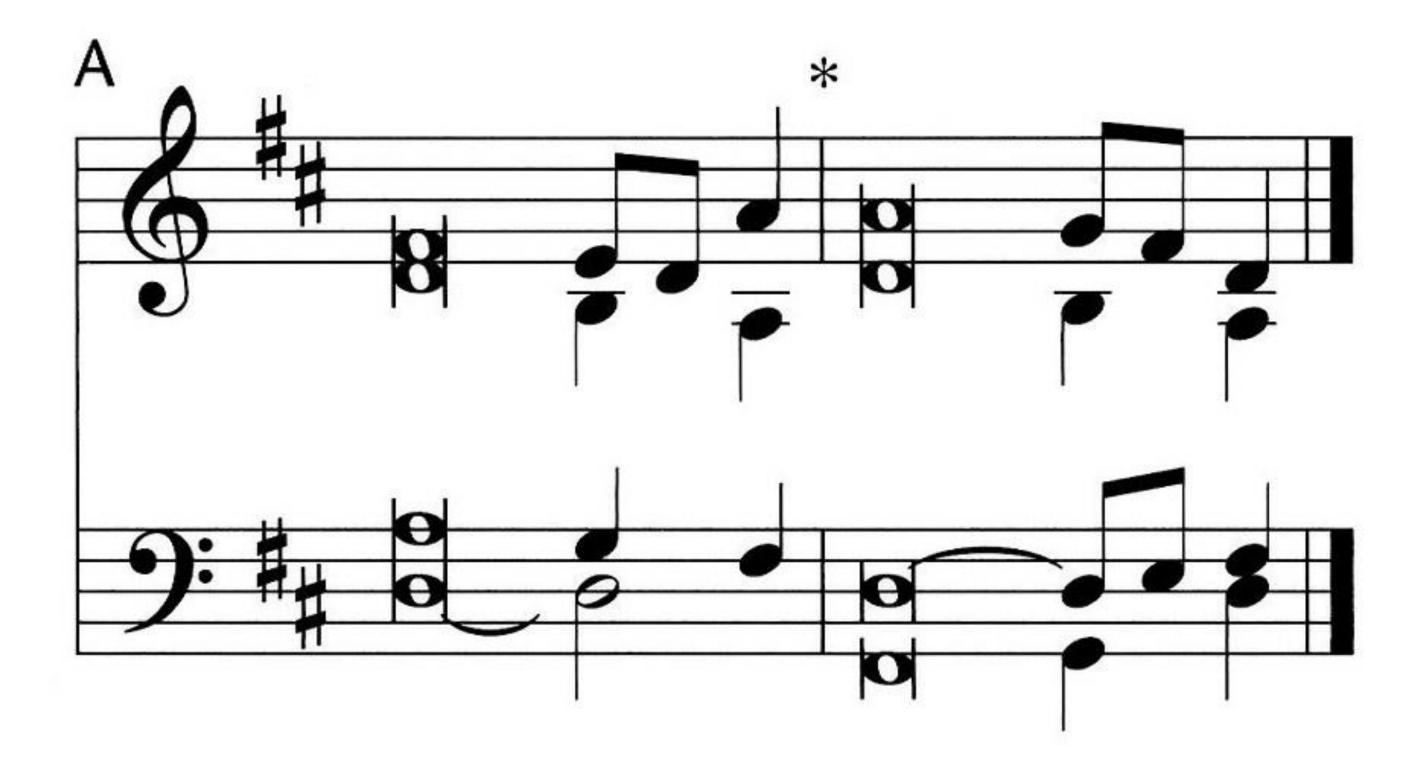
 17For the Lamb in the midst of the throne will be their shepherd, and he will guide them to springs of living water, and God will wipe away every tear from their eyes."
- This is the Word of the Lord.
- Thanks be to God.



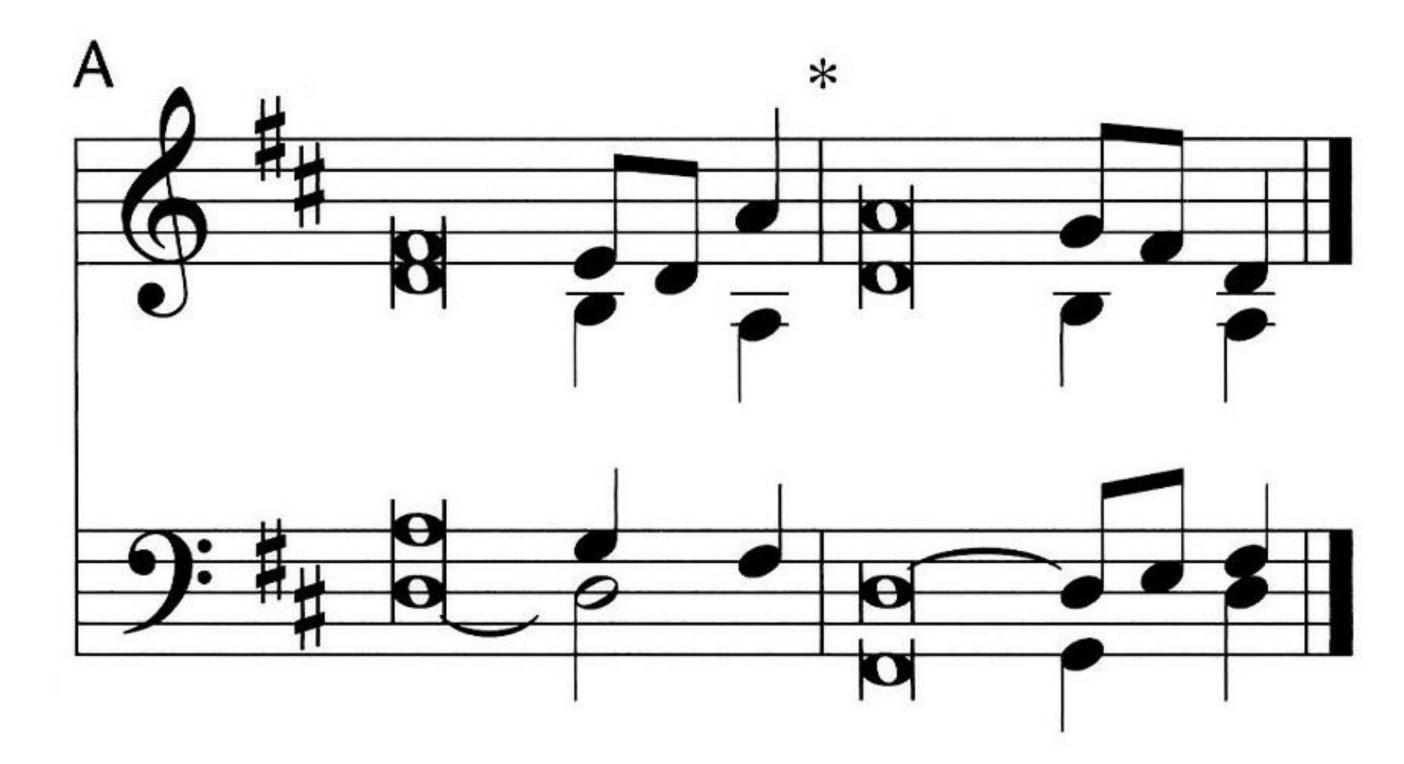
¹Praise the LORD! Sing to the LORD a | new song,* his praise in the assembly of the | godly! ²Let Israel be glad in his | Maker;* let the children of Zion rejoice | in their King!



³Let them praise his name with | dancing,* making melody to him with tambou- | rine and lyre! ⁴For the LORD takes pleasure in his | people;* he adorns the humble with sal- | vation.



- ⁵Let the godly exult in | glory;*
 let them sing for joy | on their beds.
 ⁶Let the high praises of God be | in their throats*
 - and two-edged swords | in their hands,



7to execute vengeance on the | nations* and punishments on the | peoples,
 8to bind their | kings with chains* and their nobles with fet- | ters of iron,!



⁹to execute on them the judgment | written!*
This is honor for all his godly ones. | Praise the LORD!

Epistle: 1 John 3:1-3

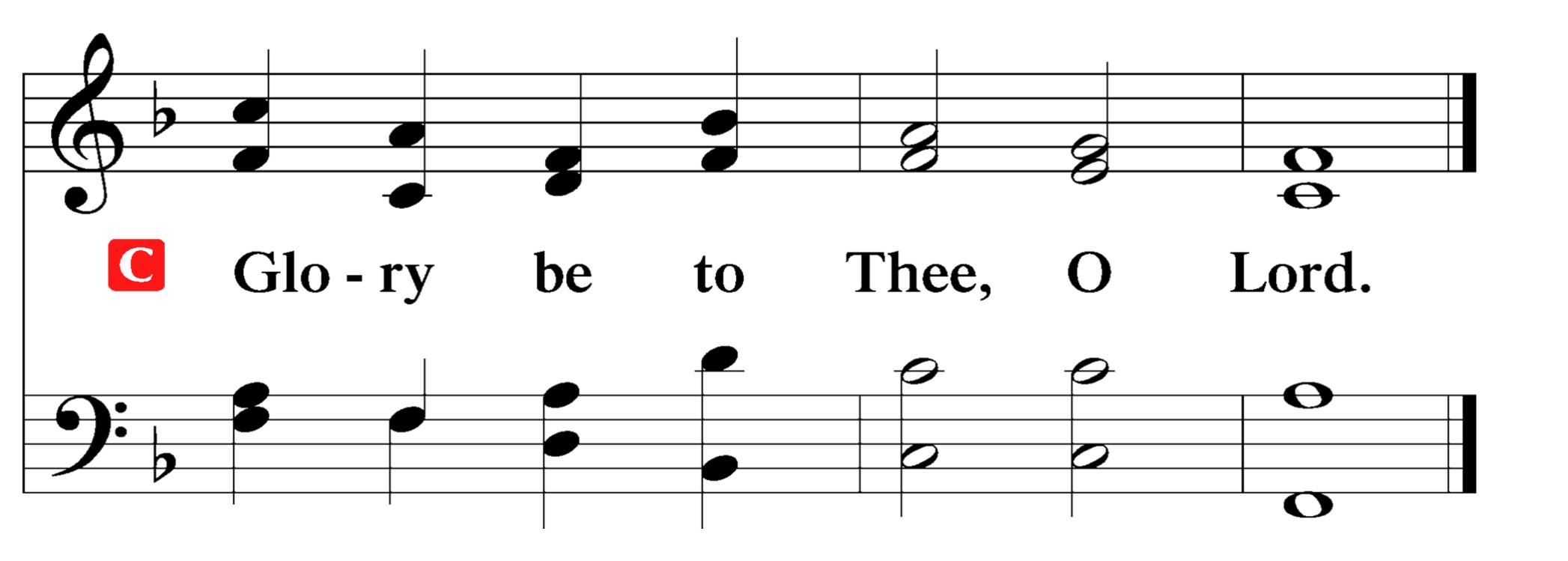
¹See what kind of love the Father has given to us, that we should be called children of God; and so we are. The reason why the world does not know us is that it did not know him. ²Beloved, we are God's children now, and what we will be has not yet appeared; but we know that when he appears we shall be like him, because we shall see him as he is. ³And everyone who thus hopes in him purifies himself as he is pure.

- This is the Word of the Lord.
- Thanks be to God.

Alleluia

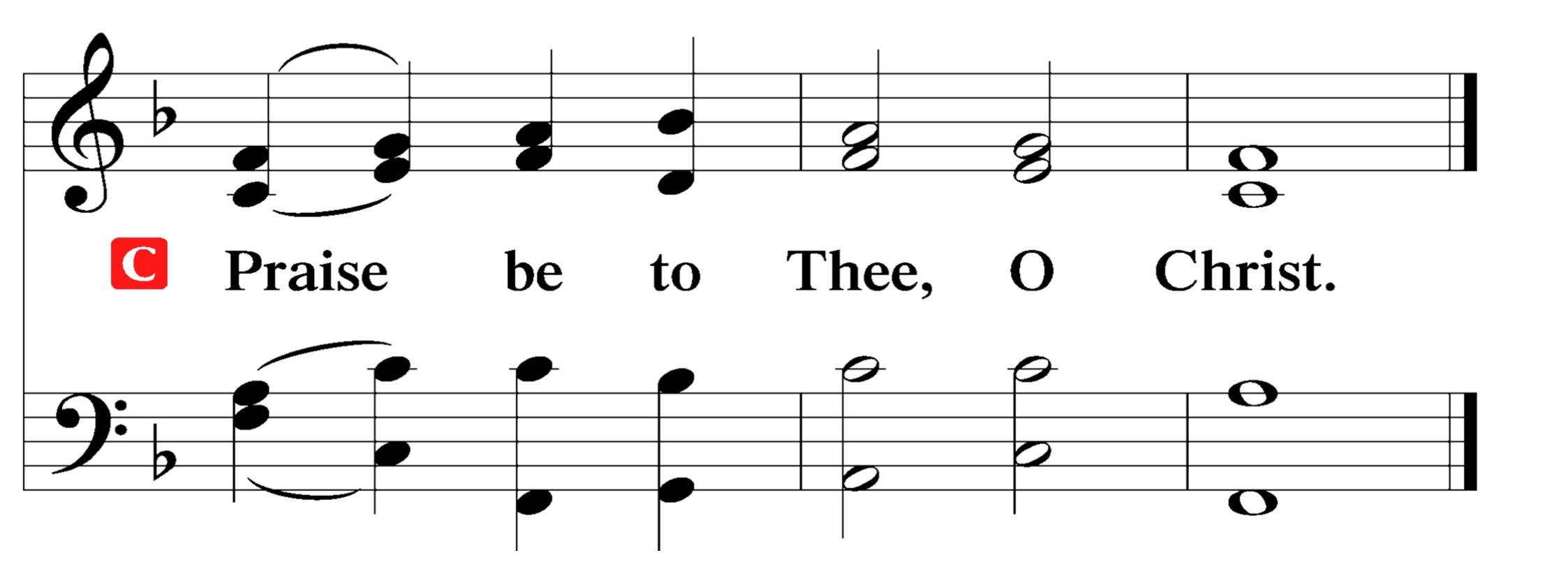


The Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew, the fifth chapter.



- ¹Seeing the crowds, [Jesus] went up on the mountain, and when he sat down, his disciples came to him.
 - ²And he opened his mouth and taught them, saying:
 - ³"Blessed are the poor in spirit,
- for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.
 - 4"Blessed are those who mourn,
- for they shall be comforted.
 - ⁵"Blessed are the meek, for they shall inherit the earth.
- 6"Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for
- righteousness, for they shall be satisfied.
 - ⁷"Blessed are the merciful, for they shall receive mercy.
 - 8"Blessed are the pure in heart, for they shall see God.

- ⁹"Blessed are the peacemakers, for they shall be called sons of God.
- ¹⁰"Blessed are those who are persecuted for righteousness' sake, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.
- ¹¹"Blessed are you when others revile you and persecute you and utter all kinds of evil against you falsely on my account. ¹²Rejoice and be glad, for your reward is great in heaven, for so they persecuted the prophets who were before you."
- This is the Gospel of the Lord.



Apostles' Creed

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker 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.

Apostles' Creed



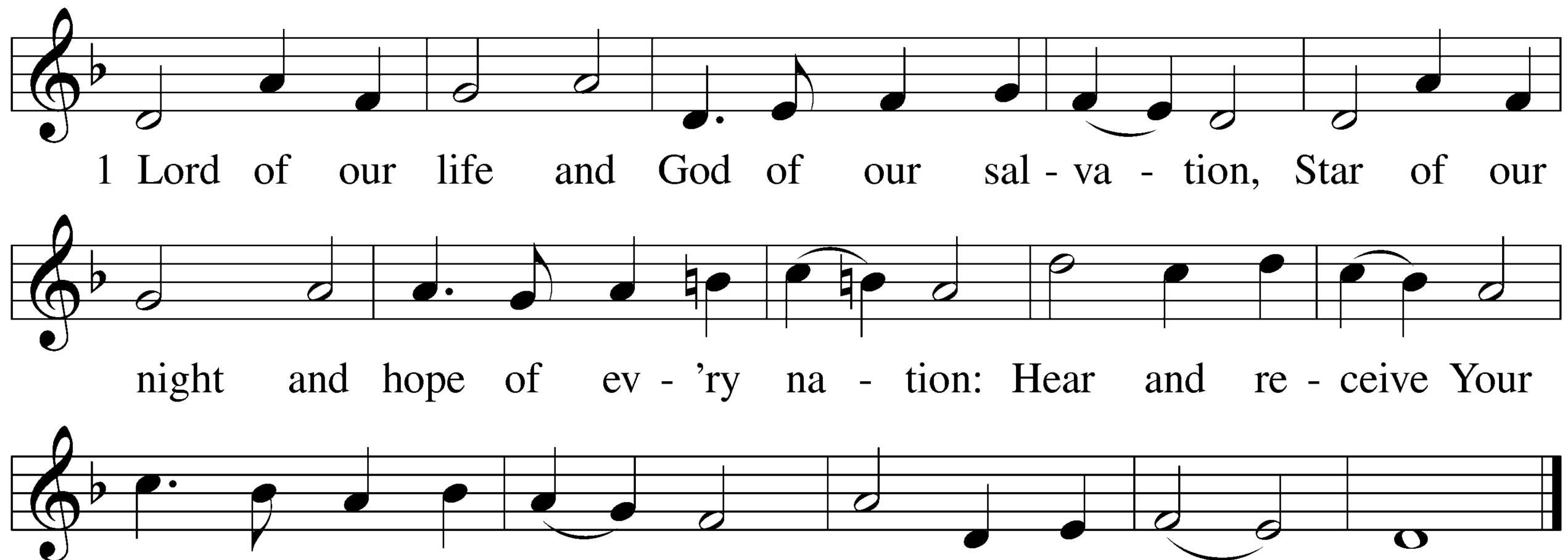
The third day He rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty.

From thence He will come to judge the living and the dead.

Apostles' Creed

I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy Christian Church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life

everlasting. Amen.



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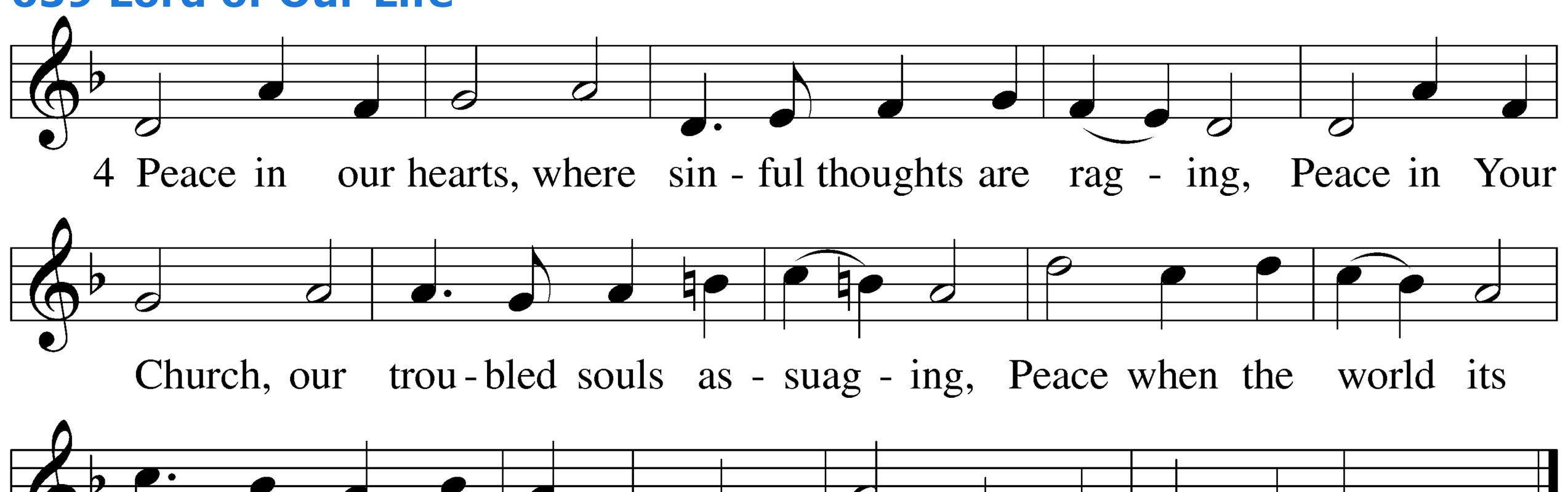
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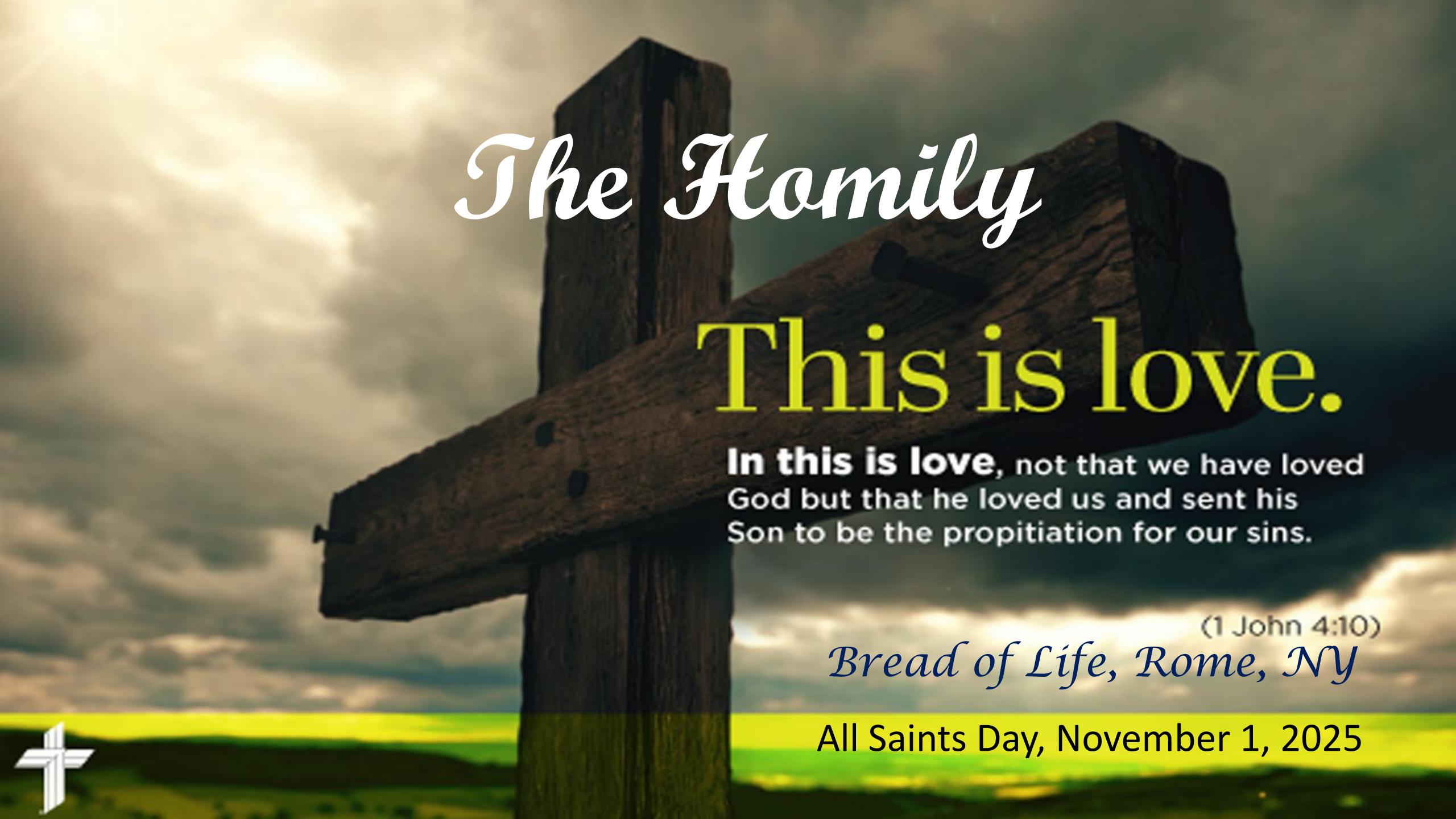
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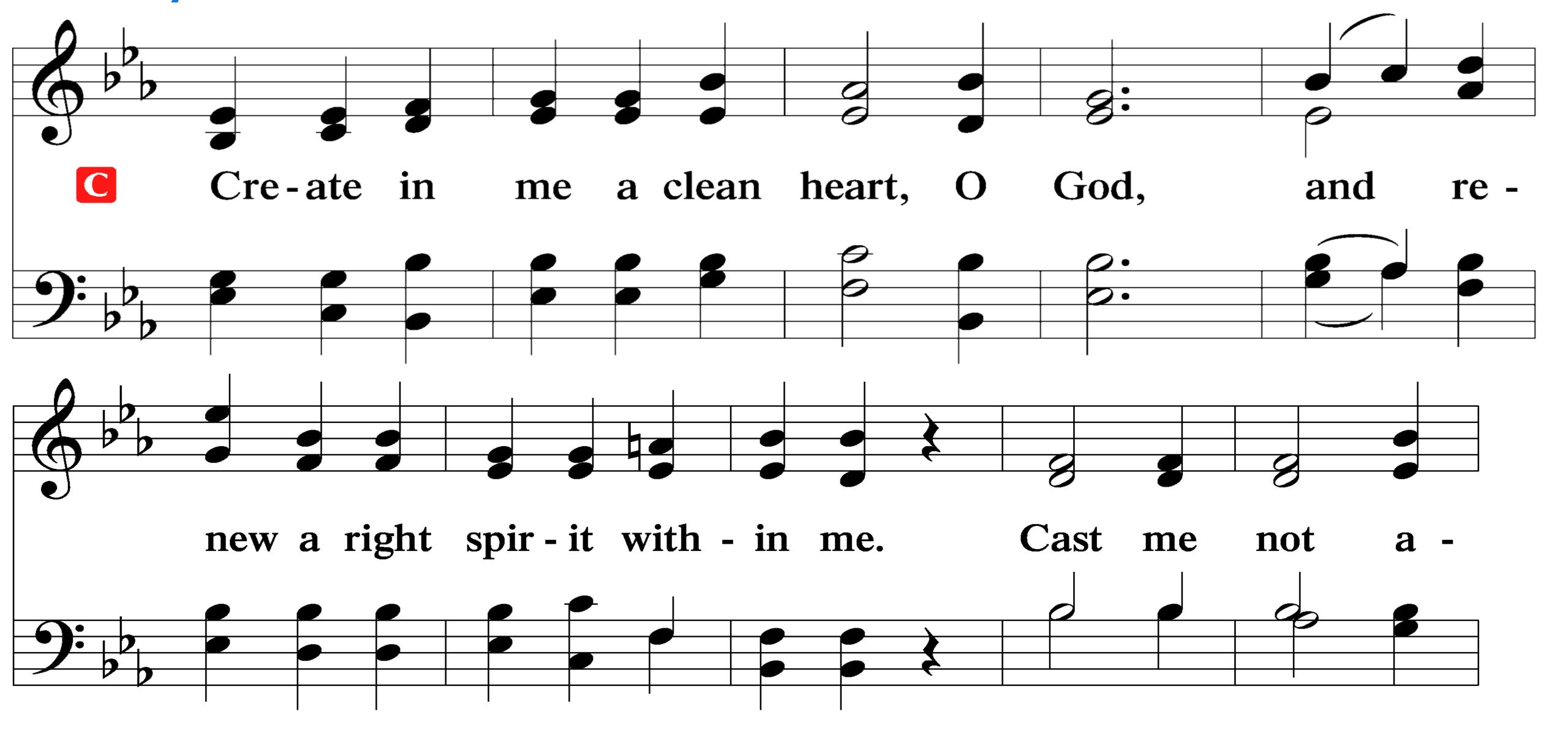
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- Let us pray for the whole Church of God in Christ Jesus and for all people according to their needs.
- P Blessed are You, O God, and blessed are those whom You have redeemed through the blood of the Lamb, washed in the saving water of Baptism, and brought to faith by the Spirit. Keep us in this faith and in holy fear, lest we depart from Your way and are lost to the eternal future You have prepared for us. Lord, in Your mercy,
- hear our prayer.

- Heavenly Father, salvation belongs to You and to the Lamb! Preserve our Synod president, our district president, our circuit visitor, and all pastors as they bring to us the message of salvation. Lord, in Your mercy,
- hear our prayer.
- Merciful Lord, watch over our households. Bless husbands and wives, parents and children, and those who live alone. Preserve us from worry, and assure us that You know all that we need. Lord, in Your mercy,
- hear our prayer.

- Lord of all, all power and might are Yours forever and ever. Give wisdom to our president, our governor, and all who make, administer and judge our laws. Allow them to serve with honor, and let their decisions be well pleasing unto You. Lord, in Your mercy,
- hear our prayer.

- P Gracious Father, remember the sick, the homebound, those who mourn and all the afflicted especially Katherine, David, Juan, Don, Janette, Vera _____. Strengthen them to endure in their suffering, and in Your compassion keep them in the true faith until the day of final deliverance, health and peace. Lord, in Your mercy,
- hear our prayer.

- P Almighty God, bless all who hunger and thirst for righteousness, that in faithfulness they would approach the altar, trust the words of Christ, and receive His body and blood for the sustenance of their bodies and souls. Lord, in Your mercy,
- hear our prayer.
- P O Lord, we give You thanks for all the saints who rest from their labors. Grant us to remember them with thanksgiving and joy, even as we look forward to seeing them again at the throne of the Lamb.

 Lord, in Your mercy,
- hear our prayer.

- O God, You have knit Your chosen people together into one communion in the mystical body of Your Son, Jesus Christ, our Lord. Give to Your whole Church in heaven and on earth Your light and Your peace. Lord, in Your mercy,
- hear our prayer.
- Standing with those of every tribe and nation before the throne and before the Lamb, we rejoice and cry out: Salvation belongs to our God, who sits on the throne, and to the Lamb. To Him be the glory, with the Father and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.
- C Amen.

Collect

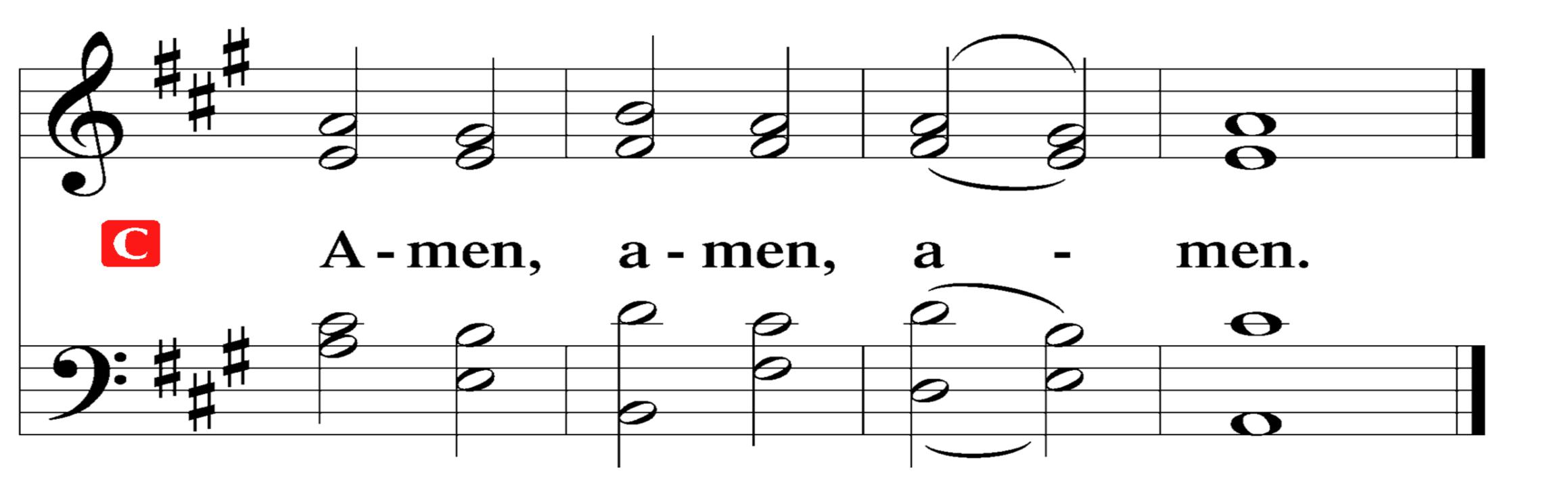
Heavenly Father, God of all grace, govern our hearts that we may never forget Your blessings but steadfastly thank and praise You for all Your goodness in this life until, with all Your saints, we praise You eternally in Your heavenly kingdom; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who taught us to pray...

Lord's Prayer

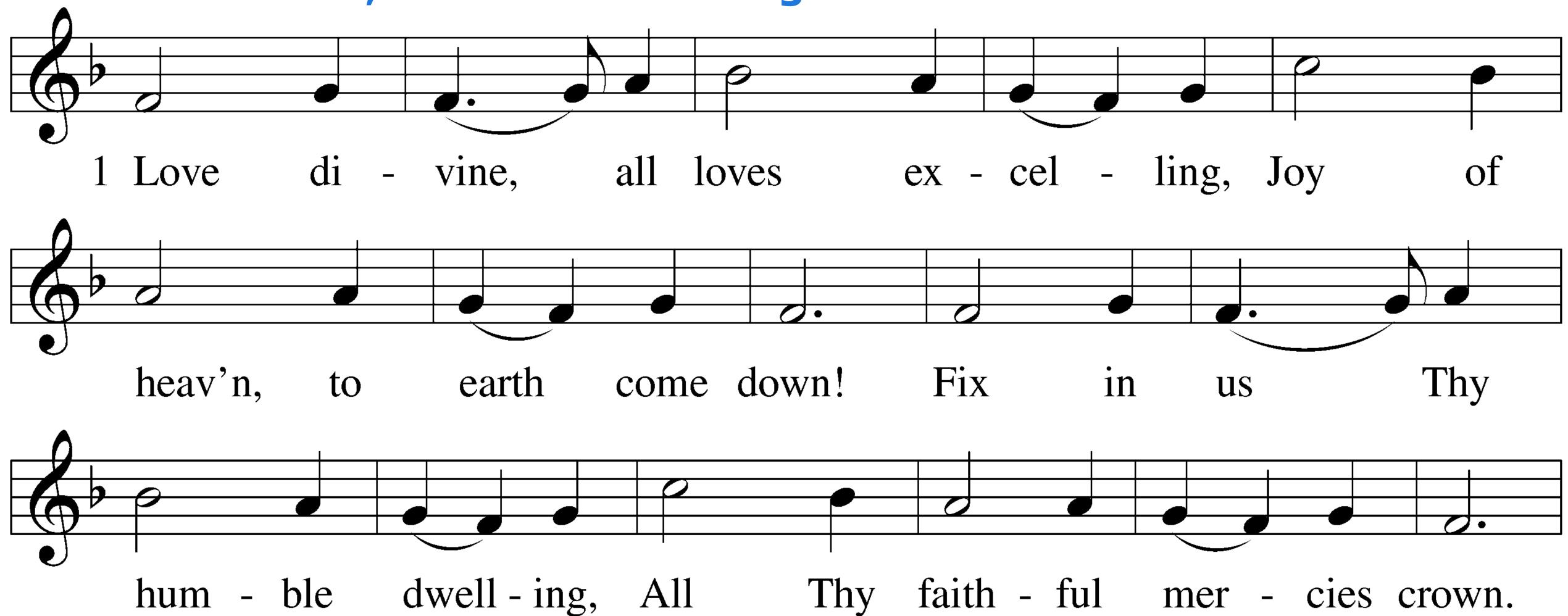
- Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name, Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven; give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.
- For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever and ever. Amen.

Benediction

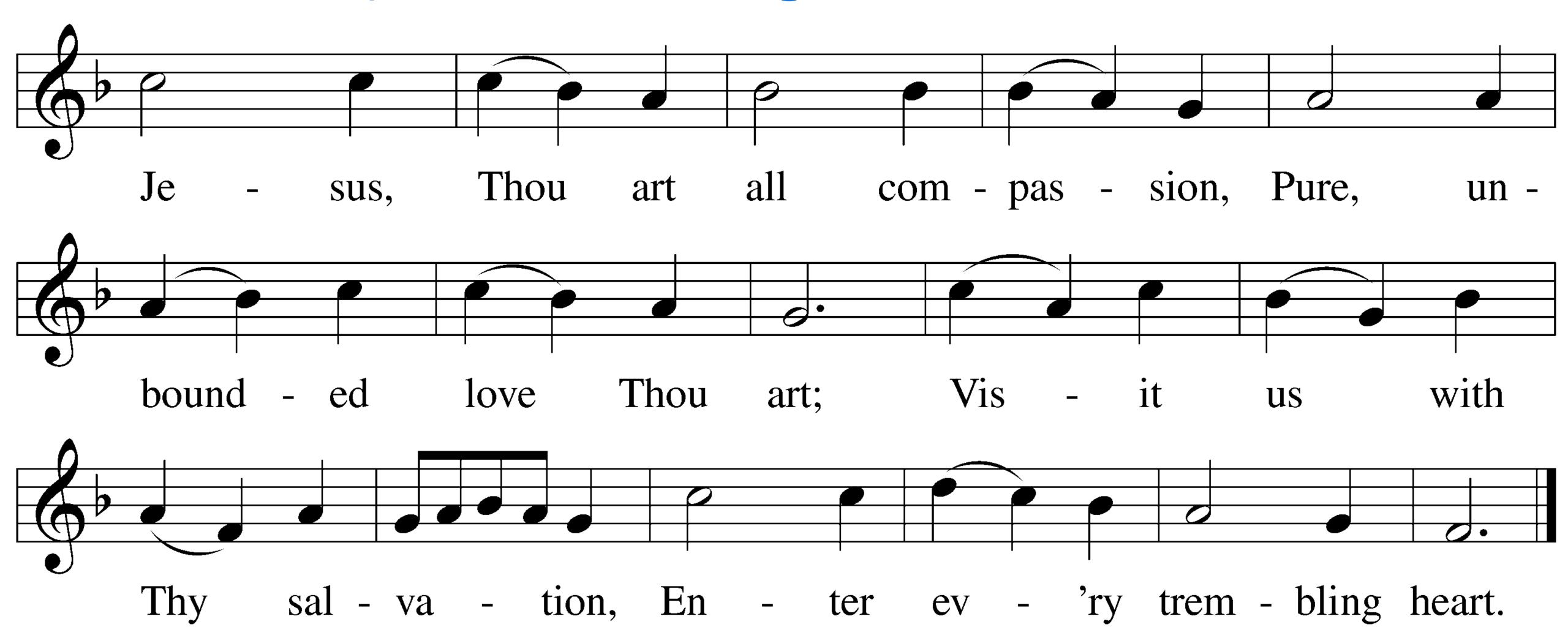
The Lord bless you and keep you.
The Lord make His face shine upon you and be gracious unto you.
The Lord lift up His countenance upon you and 🕂 give you peace.



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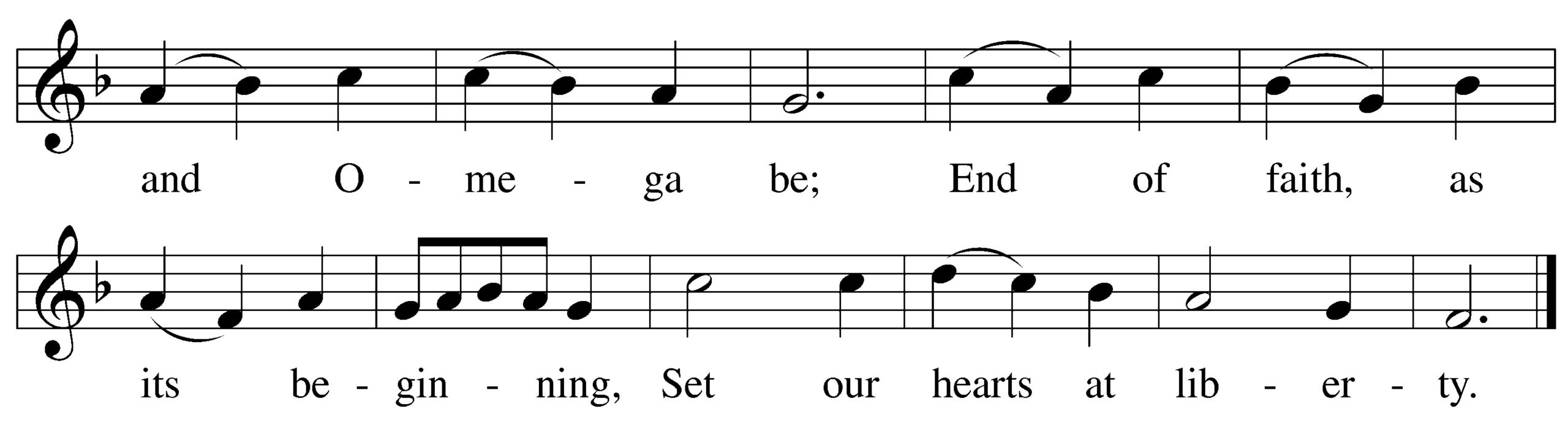


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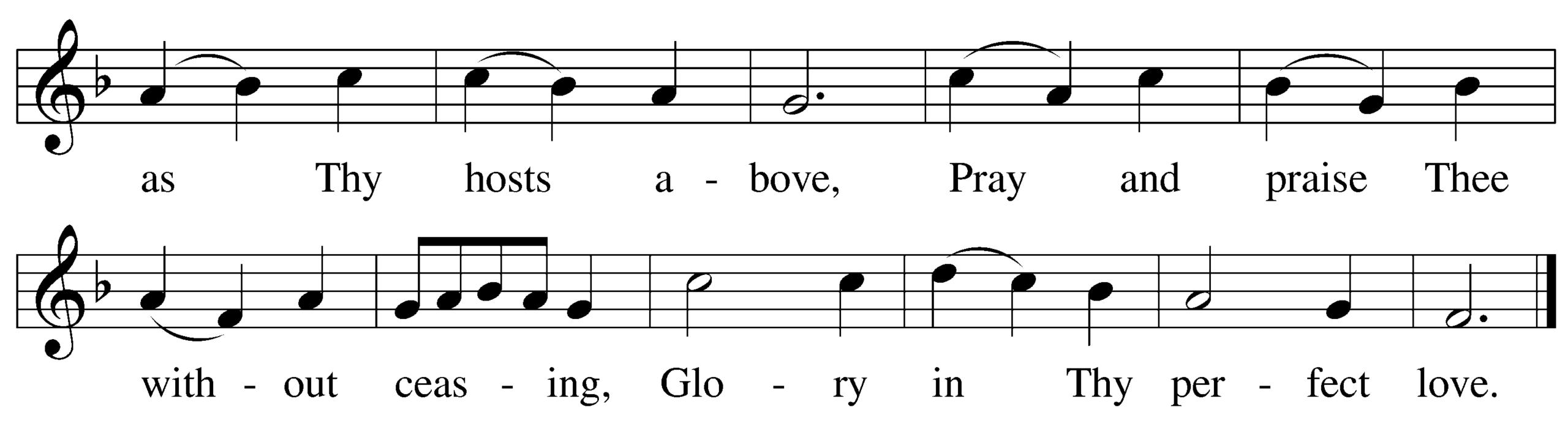
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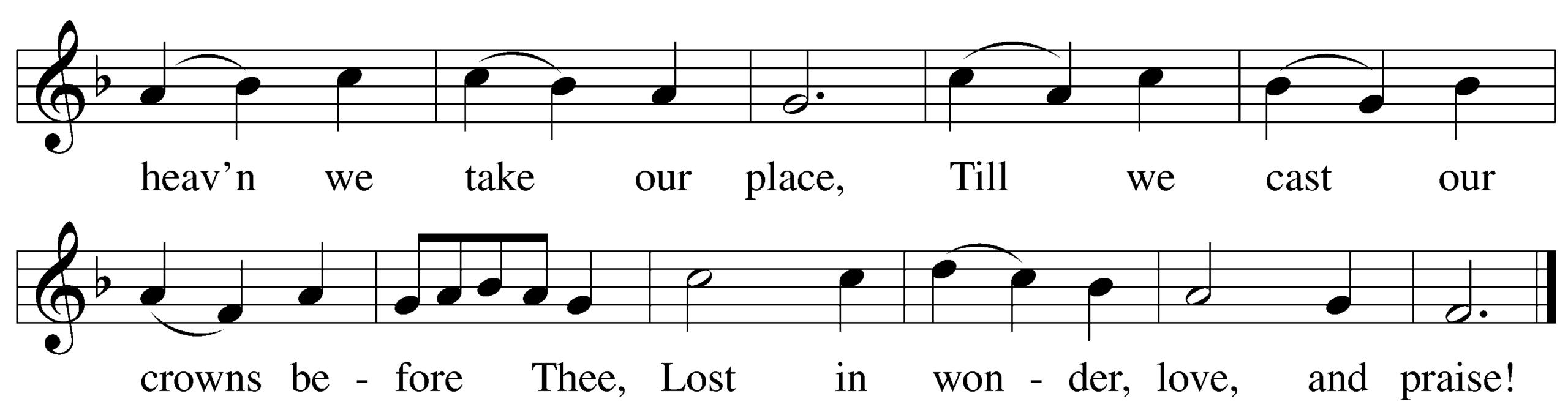
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