

HOPE



November 30, 2025
First Sunday of Advent

WELCOME to Emanuel's Lutheran Church!

We eagerly await the coming of Christmas and are glad you are with us today.

PRELUDE

GATHERING

The Holy Spirit calls us together as the people of God

LIGHTING OF THE ADVENT CANDLES

Children's church: kindergarten to 5th grade gathers in the chapel.

GATHERING HYMN

"My Lord, What a Morning"

ELW 438

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

P: Blessed be the holy Trinity, ☩ one God, whose home is heaven and earth, whose salvation is sure.

C: Amen.

P: Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another. Long-expected God,

C: we confess that we look to ourselves for the peace and security only you can provide. We reach for swords and spears, reluctant to release our grip on the ways of war. We become impatient while waiting and weary of keeping awake. Free us from self-reliance, and teach us to live in harmony with our neighbors. Increase our trust in God's timing, and awaken us to your advent among us, that we may abound in the hope you have promised.

Amen.

P: God judges us not as we deserve, but according to God's own righteousness. ☩ You are freed and forgiven, saved by grace, and ready to welcome the Savior.

C: Amen.

GREETING

P: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

C: **And also with you.**

CANTICLE OF PRAISE



1 Glo-ry be to God in heav-en; peace, good-will to all the earth.

2 Glo-ry be to Christ for - ev - er, Lamb of God and Lord of love.

3 Ho - ly One we now ac-claim you; Lord a - lone, to you we call;



Might-y God of all cre - a - tion, Fa - ther of sur - pass - ing worth:

Son of God and gra-cious Sav - ior, you have come from heav'n a - bove;

Ho - ly One in faith we name you, God most high, yet near to all:



we ex - alt you, we a - dore you, we lift high our thanks and praise.

on the cross you died to save us; now you reign at God's right hand.

Je - sus Christ, with God the Spir - it, in the Fa - ther's splen - dor bright.



Saints and an - gels bow be - fore you; here on earth our songs we raise.

Hear our prayer; re - store, for - give us; in your prom - ise firm we stand.

For the peace that we in - her - it, glo - ry be to God on high!

PRAYER OF THE DAY

AM: Let us pray together.

C: **Stir up your power, Lord Christ, and come. By your merciful protection save us from the threatening dangers of our sins, and enlighten our walk in the way of your salvation, for you live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.**

Amen.

WORD

God speaks to us in scripture reading, preaching, and song.

OLD TESTAMENT READING: Isaiah 2:1-5

L: A reading from Isaiah.

¹The word that Isaiah son of Amoz saw concerning Judah and Jerusalem. ²In days to come the mountain of the LORD's house shall be established as the highest of the mountains and shall be raised above the hills; all the nations shall stream to it. ³Many peoples shall come and say, "Come, let us go up to the mountain of the LORD, to the house of the God of Jacob, that he may teach us his ways and that we may walk in his paths." For out of Zion shall go forth instruction and the word of the LORD from Jerusalem. ⁴He shall judge between the nations and shall arbitrate for many peoples; they shall beat their swords into plowshares and their spears into pruning hooks; nation shall not lift up sword against nation; neither shall they learn war any more. ⁵O house of Jacob, come, let us walk in the light of the LORD!

The word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

PSALM: Psalm 122

Congregation responds with bold text.

¹I was glad when they said to me,
"Let us go to the house of the LORD."

²**Now our feet are standing
within your gates, O Jerusalem.**

³Jerusalem is built as a city
that is at unity with itself;

⁴**to which the tribes go up, the tribes of the LORD,
the assembly of Israel, to praise the name of the LORD.**

⁵For there are the thrones of judgment,
the thrones of the house of David.

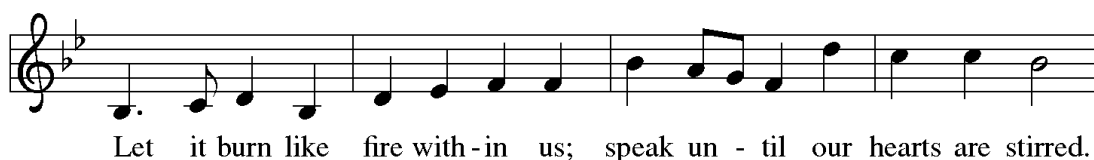
⁶**Pray for the peace of Jerusalem:
"May they prosper who love you.**

⁷Peace be within your walls
and quietness within your towers.

⁸**For the sake of my kindred and companions,
I pray for your prosperity.**

⁹Because of the house of the LORD our God,
I will seek to do you good."

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION





Al - le - lu - ia! Lord, we sing for the good news that you bring.

GOSPEL: Matthew 24:36-44

P: The holy gospel according to Matthew.

C: Glory to you, O Lord.

[Jesus said to the disciples,] ³⁶“About that day and hour no one knows, neither the angels of heaven, nor the Son, but only the Father. ³⁷For as the days of Noah were, so will be the coming of the Son of Man. ³⁸For as in the days before the flood they were eating and drinking, marrying and giving in marriage, until the day Noah entered the ark, ³⁹and they knew nothing until the flood came and swept them all away, so, too, will be the coming of the Son of Man. ⁴⁰Then two will be in the field; one will be taken, and one will be left. ⁴¹Two women will be grinding meal together; one will be taken, and one will be left. ⁴²Keep awake, therefore, for you do not know on what day your Lord is coming. ⁴³But understand this: if the owner of the house had known in what part of the night the thief was coming, he would have stayed awake and would not have let his house be broken into. ⁴⁴Therefore you also must be ready, for the Son of Man is coming at an hour you do not expect.”

The gospel of the Lord.

C: Praise to you, O Christ.

SERMON

Pastor Marcus

HYMN OF THE DAY

“Rejoice, Rejoice, Believers”

ELW 244

APOSTLES CREED

AM: Let us confess the faith of the church, using the words of the Apostles Creed.

C: I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, God’s 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 to the dead.* On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and 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 the life everlasting.

Amen.

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

AM: In our waiting and watching, we come to you in prayer, O God, trusting your promise to renew the church, the nations, and the whole creation. God of the people, we come

seeking wisdom and instruction. Uphold and strengthen lay leaders, teachers, deacons, pastors, and bishops. Teach us your ways and lead us in your paths.

Response to each petition: AM: God of grace,
C: hear our prayer.

AM: Draw near to us, O God, as we commend all for whom we pray, trusting in your mercy through Jesus Christ, Emmanuel.

C: Amen.

PEACE

P: The peace of Christ be with you always.

C: And also with you.

MEAL

God feeds us with the presence of Jesus Christ.

OFFERING HYMN

"Come Now, O Prince of Peace"

ELW 247

Giving information is located on the back of the bulletin.

OFFERING PRAYER

AM: Let us pray.

Nourishing God, you are water in the wilderness and streams in the desert. Through this meal, satisfy our parched places, that we may rejoice and be for the world signs of your kingdom come.

C: Amen.

GREAT THANKSGIVING

P: The Lord be with you.

C: And also with you.

P: Lift up your hearts.

C: We lift them to the Lord.

P: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

C: It is right to give our thanks and praise.

EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER

LORD'S PRAYER

P: Gathered into one by the Holy Spirit, let us pray as Jesus taught us.

C: 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.

INVITATION TO COMMUNION

P: Here is life. God is with us. Come, receive what God has promised.

COMMUNION

Communion will take place via continuous line (right side) and continuous kneeling (left side). We welcome all baptized persons to the Lord's Table who believe Christ is truly present in the bread and wine. Children are welcome to be brought forward to receive a blessing. Participants to the right will be offered a wafer and invited to eat with these words, "the body of Christ given for you." Gluten free wafers are available. Next, step to the right, to the silver tray that contains glasses of white grape juice at the center and outer empty glasses for wine. Lastly, participants will step to the last assistant who will pour the wine and share these words, "the blood of Christ shed for you." Place your glass in the small silver bowl at the end of the first pew as you return to your seat. If you wish to come forward and not receive either element, simply cross your arms for a blessing.

COMMUNION HYMNS

"Let Us Break Bread Together"
"We Come to the Hungry Feast"

ELW 471

ELW 479

TABLE BLESSING

P: May the body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen you and keep you in his grace.

C: Amen.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

AM: Let us pray.

God our host, at this table you have fed us with joy and gladness.

Send us forth, eager to share the feast, welcome the stranger, and bear good fruit in the name of Jesus.

C: Amen.

SENDING

God blesses us and sends us in mission to the world.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

BLESSING

P: May God who comes among us, Father, ☩ Son, and Holy Spirit, grant you patience in waiting, peace in the darkness, and good news to share today and always.

C: Amen.

SENDING HYMN

"Fling Wide the Door"

ELW 259

DISMISSAL

P: Go in peace. Keep awake.

C: Thanks be to God.

POSTLUDE

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Musician: Edward Workmon, organ

WORSHIP LEADERS for First Sunday of Advent, November 30, 2025: Preaching and Presiding:

Pastor Marcus; **Assisting Minister:** Marsha Shroeder; **Communion Assistants:** Elizabeth Jandt, Steve Anderson, Bill Elley, Jeanne Palmer, Beverly Seidenschwarz; **Reader:** Tom Engler; **Ushers:** Allan Bode, Bill Meier, Ron Schneider, Keith Vinyard; **Altar Guild:** Elizabeth Jandt, Marsha Schroeder; **AV/Tech:** TBD; **Council Greeter:** Paul Sims; **Hospitality:** Beverly Seidenschwarz, Walter Seidenschwarz; **Safety Attendants:** TBD, Charles Jobe

WORSHIP LEADERS for Second Sunday of Advent, December 7, 2025: Preaching and Presiding:

Pastor Marcu; **Assisting Minister:** Bill Salt; **Communion Assistants:** Carrie Moseley, Jeannie Hall, Earlene Jarzombek, Jeanne Palmer, Barbara McCall; **Reader:** Emily Prochnow; **Ushers:** Allan Bode, Mill Meier, Ron Schneider, Keith Vinyard; **Altar Guild:** Carrie Moseley, Jeanne Palmer; **A/V Tech:** TBD; **Council Greeter:** Sheila English; **Hospitality:** Nancy Meier, Bill Meier, Fran Vinyard, Keith Vinyard; **Safety Attendants:** TBD, TBD

EMANUEL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

SUNDAY WORSHIP is in-person, online, and aired on KWED AM 1580 radio at 10:30 a.m.

ANNOUNCEMENT TO SHARE? Submit a brief, yet detailed description of your event to info@elcsequin.org on Mondays for consideration in the Weekly News and bulletin.

SUNDAY STUDIES:

- **THE HERITAGE CLASS** (307): 9:15am. Seeking to unlock the wisdom of the Bible through fellowship and robust group discussion. Winter Study: "Light, Life, Salvation."
- **JOY CLASS:** Bible stories and songs for adults with intellectual disabilities. Class meets the first Sunday of each month in the WMR at 9:00am.
- **THE DISCIPLES CLASS** (Family Life Center): 9:00am December 7-21. Charles Dickens' "A Christmas Carol" Advent Study led by Paul Sims.
- **ADVENT HYMN STUDY** (Music Suite) 9:00am November 30. "Rejoice! Rejoice!" led by Thomas Engler.
- **CHILDREN'S CHURCH:** During worship Children's Ministry volunteers lead our PK to 5th grade learners to the Children's Church room, just down the hall from the sanctuary, and return as we share the peace.
- **THE COMPASS COOPERATIVE** gathers on Sundays with our four church partners- Emanuel's, St. Andrew's, Spirit of Joy, and Friedens Church - at Spirit of Joy campus. Middle School (6-8 grades) from 4-5pm, dinner for everyone at 5pm, and High School (9-12 grades) from 5:30-6:30pm. Contact Hannah@elcsequin.org for more info.
- **CONFIRMATION CLASS** meets **today, November 23** at 11:45 in the WMR.

WEEKLY AND MONTHLY STUDIES AND PROGRAMS:

Chair Yoga with Gina (Family Life Center): Wednesdays through December 17 at 9:00am

3C: Community-Connection-Conversation (Church Lawn): Tuesdays at 7:30am

The Wired Word (Family Life Center): Tuesdays at 8:45am

Sweet Hour of Prayer (Family Life Center): Thursdays at 10am

Pathways to Healing Grief Support (Family Life Center): Resumes in January, 2nd Sun. at 2pm

Caregiver Café (Family Life Center): 3rd Sunday at 2:00pm

Faith Circle (Women's Ministry Rm): 3rd Tuesdays at 2:00pm

Joy Circle (Women's Ministry Rm): 2nd Thursday at 9:30am

Ladies Aid (Women's Ministry Rm): 1st Wednesdays at 2:00pm resuming in January

COUNCIL LISTENING SESSIONS: In preparation for our **Sunday, December 14, 2025 Annual Meeting** two learning and discussion sessions are scheduled for **Sunday, November 30** and **December 7**, at 9:00am in the Fellowship Hall. Discussion topics include, but are not limited to, the proposed 2026 budget, nominations for church council, and ministry programs for 2026. There will be plenty of time for questions and discussion.

LUTHERAN LUNCH BUNCH gathers next on **Sunday, December 7**, following worship at Los Cucos restaurant. There is a place at the table for everyone. Join us for a hearty meal, laughter, and lively conversation on the first Sunday of the month.

THE SAFETY TEAM is a group of volunteers who share their gifts of engagement, observation, communication, and support on the church campus. If you are interested in serving with this dedicated team on Sunday mornings, then please reach out to Allan B. at 830-305-1325 for more information.

HOSPITALITY CART needs cookies! Emanuel's loves sweet treats as we gather after worship. Supplies are running low. Please help us stock up by bringing cookies to the hospitality cart on Sunday mornings.

3C (Community-Connection-Conversation) is a time of gathering on the church lawn at the street from 7:30-8:30am as a way to share in fellowship with each other, inviting new faces to sit share their stories, and welcome visitors who pass us on the street. Our format is open, very fluid, and provides a place to share, visit, and grow together as a community of faith.

SHARE THE GOOD MOOs!!! With your donations, **poinsettias** will grace the sanctuary of Emanuel's this Christmas and ELCA Good Gifts will make a difference throughout the world. You may honor or remember a loved one by supporting the ELCA Good Gifts Project (any dollar amount or as indicated on the specific ornament) and/or with a red poinsettia (\$15 each). Check out the decorated trees in the narthex and by the chapel. Forms and payments may be put in an envelope and placed in the offering basket, given to our advent tree attendants, or delivered to the church office. Online payments accepted. Deadline is Monday, December 15, 2025.

ADVENT WREATH MAKING AND COOKIE DECORATING is **Sunday, November 30** at 9am in the Women's Ministry Room. We've got all the supplies for families to make a wreath to take home for the Advent season. Come be crafty with us! Wreaths will be blessed during worship.

ADVENT HYMN STUDY: "Rejoice! Rejoice!" A discussion of selected Advent and Christmas hymns found in the ELW, aka the Cranberry Book! **Sunday, November 30** at 9am in the Engler Music Suites on Level 3 with Thomas Engler, Director of Music and Church Organist Emeritus.

"A CHRISTMAS CAROL" ADVENT STUDY will be on **Sundays, November 30 – December 21** at 9am in the Family Life Center led by Paul Sims. Charles Dickens' classic tale of Ebenezer Scrooge is a cherished symbol of Christmas and a wonderful story of redemption and hope - perfect Advent study.

HERITAGE CLASS NOT MEETING SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 30. Please attend one of the many other activities, all beginning at 9am. The Heritage Class Winter Study begins December 7: "Light, Life, Salvation."

ADVENT DEVOTIONALS: *Our Dear Christ Enters In* daily devotion for Advent by Jane Wilke are available in the Narthex and church office. Home means different things to different people. These devotions explore what gives home its place of importance, from what we see to what we experience. Walking through the pages is an exercise in walking through our own homes and realizing the blessing home can be to everyone who finds sanctuary within. What sets a home apart is placing Christ at the center. True blessing comes to every home where Christ has entered and is centered.

SANCTUARY FLOWERS and RADIO BROADCASTS are sponsored by Emanuel's members. If you would like to remember or honor a loved one in this way, please call the church office, or sign up on the calendar on the Level 2 hallway. Fees and submission forms are in the narthex, the church office, and online. Thank you to everyone who participates in this meaningful worship ministry.

SENIOR SOCIAL CHRISTMAS BUS TRIP: Join Senior Social Club for their **Tuesday, December 2** bus trip to New Braunfels and the Brauntex Theater. We will enjoy a meal out at the Golden Corral before heading to the theater for the award-winning musical, "The Grand Ol' Christmas Show." Contact Donna Simmons for details. Online payments: <https://onrealm.org/Emanuel'sLutheranChurch/-/form/give/now>

ADVENT MIDWEEK WORSHIP: *Holden Evening Prayer* on **Wednesdays, December 3, 10 and 17** at 6:00 p.m. in the Women's Ministry Room. We will begin with a shared meal followed by a time of prayers, song, and food as we prepare for the coming of Christ.

ADVENT MIDWEEK MEALS are organized by the Fellowship & Feast team in conjunction with the services on **Wednesdays December 3, 10 and 17** at 6pm. The church is providing sandwiches and sides. Members of the congregation are asked only to sign up for soup and dessert. Sign-up sheets are in the narthex. Thank you for your participation.

SAN ANTONIO ZOO LIGHTS! Our Ignite Youth and Family ministry invites everyone (youth, families, individuals, friends) for a beautiful evening under the lights at the San Antonio Zoo on **Saturday, December 6** at 6:30pm. Tickets are \$15 per person attending. Sign up by Nov. 30 in the Narthex. Emails to follow regarding dinner and/or carpool options. Questions? Contact Pastor Marcus. Online payments: <https://onrealm.org/Emanuel'sLutheranChurch/-/form/give/now>

TLU VESPERS SERVICE: *All is Miracle* is presented by the TLU School of Music on **December 5, 6 and 7** in Jackson Auditorium. This holiday tradition lifts hearts and spirits with peace, harmony, and hope. Tickets are free but required. <https://www.tlu.edu/news/christmas-vespers-2025>

BELL RINGERS NEEDED FOR KETTLE CAMPAIGN. Emanuel's will participate in this year's Salvation Army Kettle Campaign on **Monday, December 8**, from 9am-5pm at the Walmart Home and Pharmacy entrance. If you are willing and able to ring for one or two hours, please call Frances Vinyard at 830-379-5041 or sign up in the Narthex. Thank you!

CHRISTMAS CAROLING to area care facilities with Compass Cooperative will be **Sunday, December 14.** Everyone is invited to spread cheer as we share the love of Christ. Gather in the church parking lot at 2:45pm to carpool. Contact: Hannah at hannah@elcseguin.org

BLUE SANTA CAMPUS HOSTS NEEDED! We are excited to again host The Seguin Police Department 2025 Blue Santa giftwrapping in our Fellowship Hall every **Tuesday and Thursday** between **December 2-18**. Toys and gifts are collected throughout the city in November/December and will be wrapped by volunteers before being distributed to children in need by Christmas morning. Your assistance as a campus volunteer will help make the evenings run smoother and provide a cheery welcome to visitors. Sign-up sheets are in the Narthex for time slots 3-4pm, 4-6pm, and 6-8pm. Outreach and Service Team member Darlene Zies (830)560-6507 can answer any questions. Leave her a message and she will get back with you.



EMANUEL'S CONGREGATION COUNCIL And Ministry Team Liaisons

President, Rissa Springs, *Worship Team*
Vice President, Bryce Kennedy, *Outreach & Service Team*
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Janelle Leon-Weinman, *Gather & Grow Team*
Bill Salt, *Education Team*
Darlene Zies, *Outreach & Service Team*
Natalia Almquist, *Gather & Grow Team*

ALL TEAM MEETING NIGHT Wednesday, January 28, 2026 5:30pm in the Women's Ministry Room

All of Emanuel's Ministry Teams gather on a single evening to share a meal, collaborate, plan, and schedule upcoming events and ministry projects. Join us this last Wednesday of January.

EMANUEL'S STAFF

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EMANUEL'S MISSION STATEMENT: "To be the church God is calling us to be by declaring God's love, serving others, and embracing all."

GIVING AT EMANUEL'S: Donations and tithes to the church may be given by envelopes in the pews, mailed to the church, online, or scanned with QR Code below.



Emanuel's Lutheran Church

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My Lord, What a Morning

Refrain



My Lord, what a morn-ing; my Lord, what a morn - ing; oh,



my Lord, what a morn-ing, when the stars be - gin to fall.



- 1 You will hear the trum - pet sound,
- 2 You will hear the sin - ner cry, to wake the na-tions un - der - ground,
- 3 You will hear the Chris-tian shout,



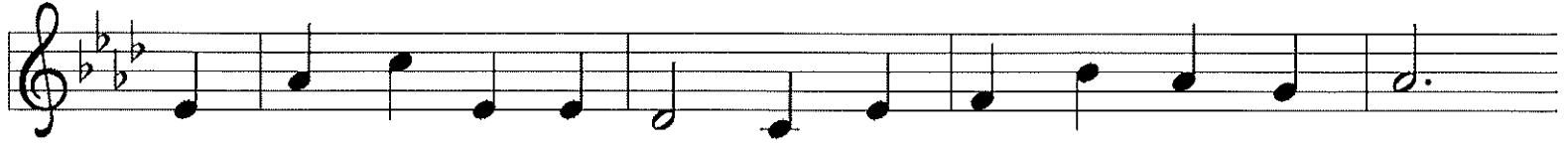
Refrain

look-ing to my God's right hand, when the stars be - gin to fall.

Text: African American spiritual

Music: BURLEIGH, African American spiritual

Rejoice, Rejoice, Believers



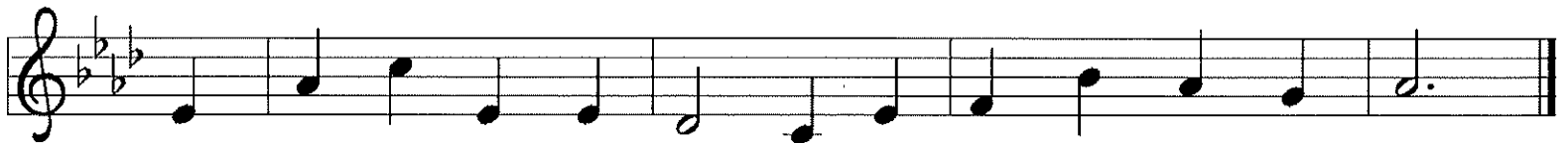
- 1 Re - joice, re - joice, be - liev - ers, and let your lights ap - pear;
- 2 The watch - ers on the moun - tain pro - claim the bride - groom near;
- 3 The saints, who here in pa - tience their cross and suf - f'ring bore,
- 4 Our hope and ex - pec - ta - tion, O Je - sus, now ap - pear;



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!

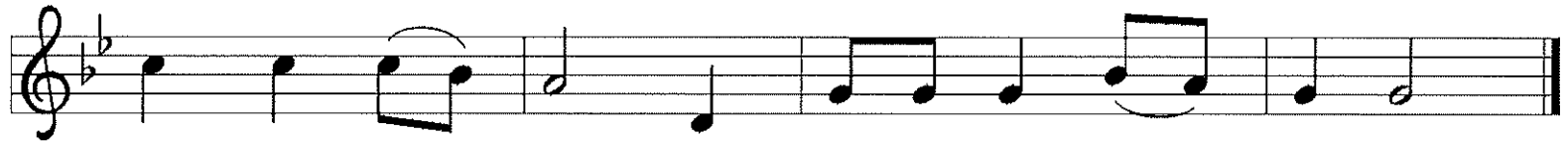
Come Now, O Prince of Peace

Ososŏ, Ososŏ



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|---|---------------|------------------|---------|-----|------------|
| 1 | Come now, O | Prince of peace, | make us | one | bod - y. |
| 2 | Come now, O | God of love, | make us | one | bod - y. |
| 3 | Come now and | set us free, | O God, | our | Sav - ior. |
| 4 | Come, Hope of | u - ni - ty, | make us | one | bod - y. |



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| Come, O | Lord | Je - sus, | rec - on - cile | your | peo - ple. |
| Come, O | Lord | Je - sus, | rec - on - cile | your | peo - ple. |
| Come, O | Lord | Je - sus, | rec - on - cile | all | na - tions. |
| Come, O | Lord | Je - sus, | rec - on - cile | all | na - tions. |

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Let Us Break Bread Together



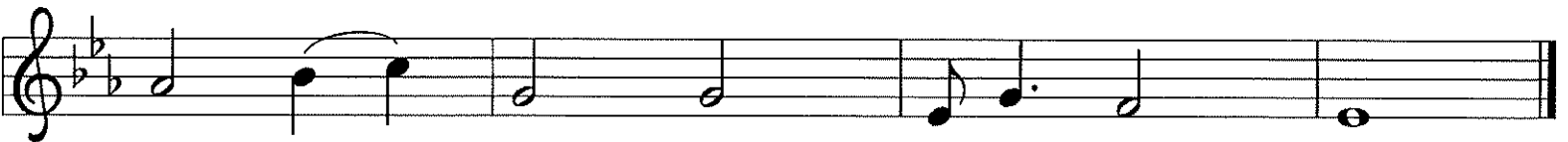
1 Let us break bread to - geth-er on our knees;
2 Let us drink wine to - geth-er on our knees;
3 Let us praise God to - geth-er on our knees;



let us break bread to - geth-er on our knees.
let us drink wine to - geth-er on our knees.
let us praise God to - geth-er on our knees.



When I fall on my knees, with my face to the ris - ing



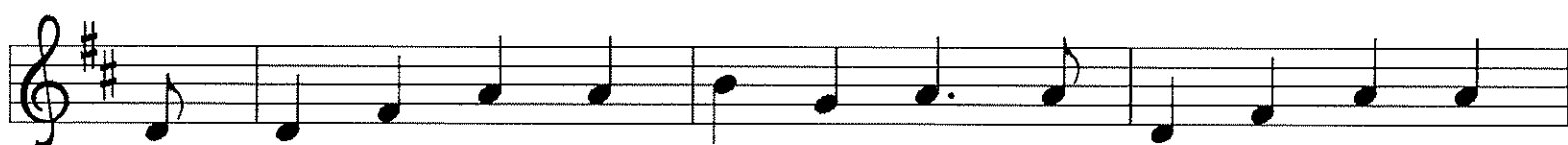
sun, O Lord, have mer-cy on me.

Text: African American spiritual
Music: BREAK BREAD TOGETHER, African American spiritual

We Come to the Hungry Feast



- 1 We come to the hun - gry feast hun - gry for a word of peace.
2 We come to the hun - gry feast hun - gry for a world re - leased
3 We come to the hun - gry feast hun - gry that the hun - ger cease,



To hun - gry hearts un - sat - is - fied the love of God is
from hun - gry folk of ev - 'ry kind, the poor in bod - y,
and know - ing, though we eat our fill, the hun - ger will stay



not de - nied. We come, we come to the hun - gry feast.
poor in mind. We come, we come to the hun - gry feast.
with us; still we come, we come to the hun - gry feast.

Text: Ray Makeever, b. 1943

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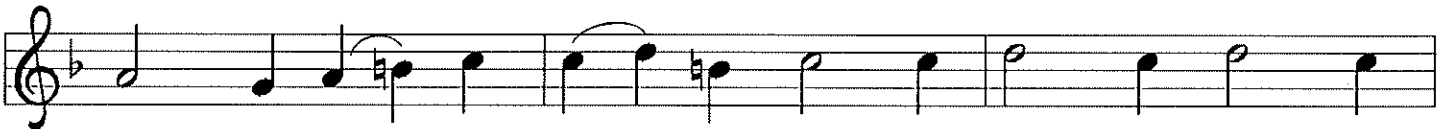
Fling Wide the Door



1 Fling wide the door, un - bar the gate; the King of glo - ry
 2 He is the rock of our be - lief, the heart of mer - cy's
 3 Oh, hap - py towns and bless - ed lands that live by their true
 4 Come, Lord, our Sav - ior, Je - sus Christ; our hearts are o - pen



comes in state; the Lord of lords and King of kings, the
 gen - tle self. His king - ly crown is ho - li - ness; his
 king's com-mands. And bless - ed be the hearts he rules, the
 wide in trust. Oh, show us now your love - ly grace, up -



Sav - ior of the world who brings his great sal - va - tion
 scep - ter is his love - li - ness; he brings our sor - rows
 hum - ble plac - es where he dwells. He is the right - ful
 on our sor - rows shine your face, and let your Ho - ly



to the earth. So raise a shout of ho - ly mirth and
 to an end. Now glad - ly praise our king and friend, and
 Son of bliss who fills our lives and makes us his, cre -
 Spir - it guide our jour - ney in your grace so wide. We



praise our God and Lord, Cre - a - tor, Spir - it, Word.
 wor - ship him with song for sav - ing us from wrong.
 a - tor of the world, our on - ly strength for good.
 praise your ho - ly name, from age to age the same!

Text: Georg Weissel, 1590–1635; tr. Gracia Grindal, b. 1943

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