



Gathering Song: Gather Your People

Refrain: Gather your people, O Lord. Gather your people, O Lord.
One bread, one body, one spirit of love. Gather your people, O Lord.

1. No more harm on the mountain of God; swords into plowshares.
Free us, O Lord, from hardness of heart.
2. Wash us, Lord, in the waters of life; waters of mercy,
Waters of hope that flow from your side.

Text: 1 Corinthians 12; Isaiah 2:3-4, 11:9, Bob Hurd, b. 1950

Tune: Bob Hurd b. 1950

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Responsorial Psalm:

“The Lord hears the cry of the poor. Blessed be the Lord”

Preparation of the Gifts: I Have Loved You

Refrain: I have loved you with an everlasting love, I have called you
and you are mine; I have loved you with an everlasting love, I have
called you, and you are mine.

1. Seek the face of the Lord and long for him; he will bring you his light and
his peace.

Text: Jeremiah 31:3, Psalm 24:3, Michael Joncas, b. 1951

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Communion Song: Blest Are They

1. Blest are they, the poor in spirit; theirs is the kingdom of God.
Blest are they, full of sorrow; they shall be consoled.

Refrain: Rejoice and be glad! Blessed are you, holy are you!
Rejoice and be glad! Yours is the kingdom of God!

2. Blest are they, the lowly ones; they shall inherit the earth.
Blest are they who hunger and thirst: they shall have their fill.
3. Blest are they who show mercy; mercy shall be theirs.
Blest are they, the pure in heart; they shall see God.
4. Blest are they who seek peace; they are the children of God.
Blest are they who suffer in faith; the glory of God is theirs.
5. Blest are you who suffer hate all because of me.
Rejoice and be glad, yours is the kingdom; shine for all to see.

Text: Matthew 5:3-12, David Haas, b. 1957

Tune David Haas, b. 1957

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Closing Song: Sing of the Lord's Goodness

1. Sing of the Lord's goodness, Father of all wisdom,
Come to him and bless God's name.

Mercy he has shown us, his love is forever, faithful to the end of days.

Refrain: Come then, all you nations, sing of your Lord's goodness,
Melodies of praise and thanks to God.
Ring out your Lord's glory, praise him with your music,
Worship him and bless his name.

2. Power he has wielded, honor is his garment,
Risen from the snares of death.
His word he has spoken, one bread he has broken,
New life he now gives to all. (refrain)

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