

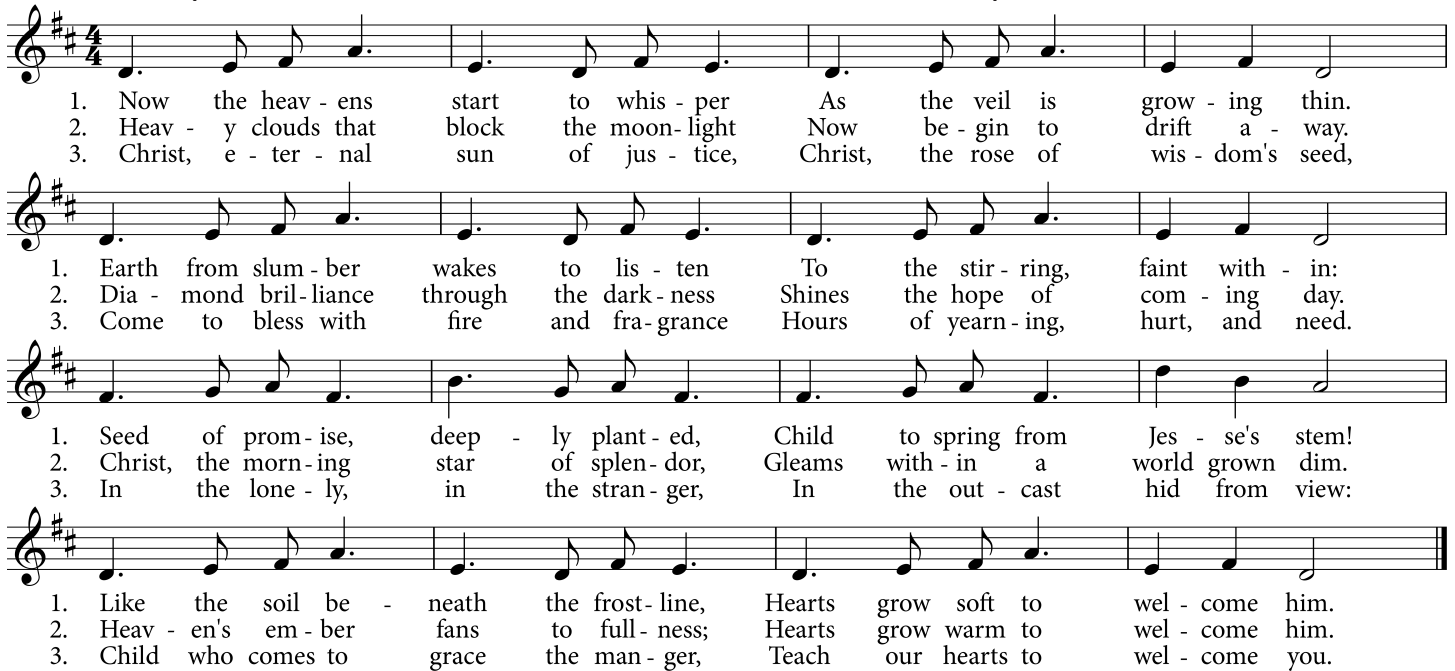
# Second Sunday of Advent

7 December 2025

## Entrance Hymn

Now the Heavens Start to Whisper

RS #505



1. Now the heav - ens start to whis - per As the veil is grow - ing thin.  
2. Heav - y clouds that block the moon - light Now be - gin to drift a - way.  
3. Christ, e - ter - nal sun of jus - tice, Christ, the rose of wis - dom's seed,

1. Earth from slum - ber wakes to lis - ten To the stir - ring, faint with - in:  
2. Dia - mond bril - liance through the dark - ness Shines the hope of com - ing day.  
3. Come to bless with fire and fra - grance Hours of yearn - ing, hurt, and need.

1. Seed of prom - ise, deep - ly plant - ed, Child to spring from Jes - se's stem!  
2. Christ, the morn - ing star of splen - dor, Gleams with - in a world grown dim.  
3. In the lone - ly, in the stran - ger, In the out - cast hid from view:

1. Like the soil be - neath the frost - line, Hearts grow soft to wel - come him.  
2. Heav - en's em - ber fans to full - ness; Hearts grow warm to wel - come him.  
3. Child who comes to grace the man - ger, Teach our hearts to wel - come you.

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## Penitential Act

Cantus Missae lubilate Deo

see Mass Ordinaries sheet

## Psalms 72

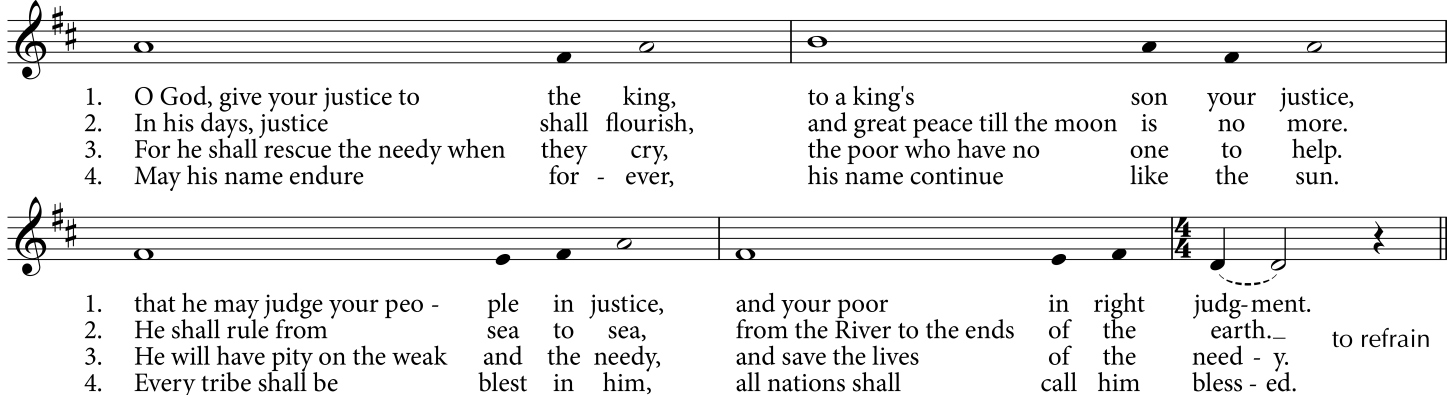
Justice Shall Flourish

Simple Psalter



Jus-tice shall flour-ish in his time, and full-ness of peace for ev - er.  
Jus-tice shall flour - ish, flour-ish in his time, and full-ness of peace for ev - er.

Verses 1-4



1. O God, give your justice to the king, to a king's son your justice,  
2. In his days, justice shall flourish, and great peace till the moon is no more.  
3. For he shall rescue the needy when they cry, the poor who have no one to help.  
4. May his name endure for - ever, his name continue like the sun.

1. that he may judge your peo - ple in justice, and your poor in right judg-ment.  
2. He shall rule from sea to sea, from the River to the ends of the earth... to refrain  
3. He will have pity on the weak and the needy, and save the lives of the need - y.  
4. Every tribe shall be blest in him, all nations shall call him bless - ed.

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## Acclamation

## Alleluia

## Missa de Lumine

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

Prepare the way of the Lord, make straight his paths: all flesh shall see the salvation of God.

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## Offertory Hymn

## O Come, Divine Messiah

## CP #218, RS #500

1. O come, Di-vine Mes-si-ah! The world in si-lence waits the day When hope shall sing its  
 2. O come, De-sired of na-tions, Whom priest and proph-et long fore-told. Come break the cap-tive  
 3. O come in peace and meek-ness, For low-ly will your cra-dle be: Though clothed in hu-man

1. tri-umph, And sad-ness flee a-way.  
 2. fet-ters, Re-deem the long-lost fold.  
 3. weak-ness We shall your God-head see.

Dear Sav-ior, haste! Come, come to earth. Dis-pel the  
 night and show your face, And bid us hail the dawn of grace. O come, Di-vine Mes-si-ah! The  
 world in si-lence waits the day When hope shall sing its tri-umph, And sad-ness flee a-way.

Text: 7 8 7 6 with refrain; Abbe Simon-Joseph Pellegrin, 1663-1745; tr. by Mary of St. Philip, SND, 1825-1904, alt.  
 Music: VENEZ, DIVIN MESSIE; French carol, 16th century.

## Holy, Holy

## Missa Emmanuel

Ho - ly, Ho - ly, Ho - ly Lord, Ho - ly Lord, God of hosts. Heav - en and  
 earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho-san - na in the high - est,  
 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.

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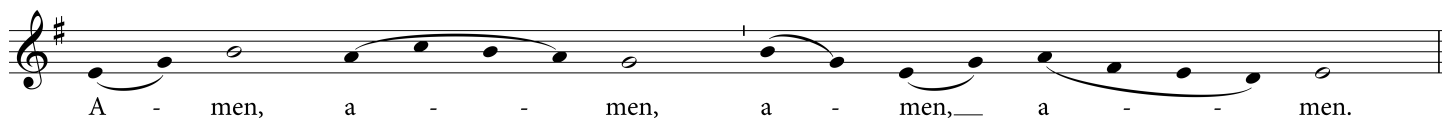
## Mystery of Faith

## Missa Emmanuel



## Amen

## Missa Emmanuel



## Lamb of God

## Missa Emmanuel



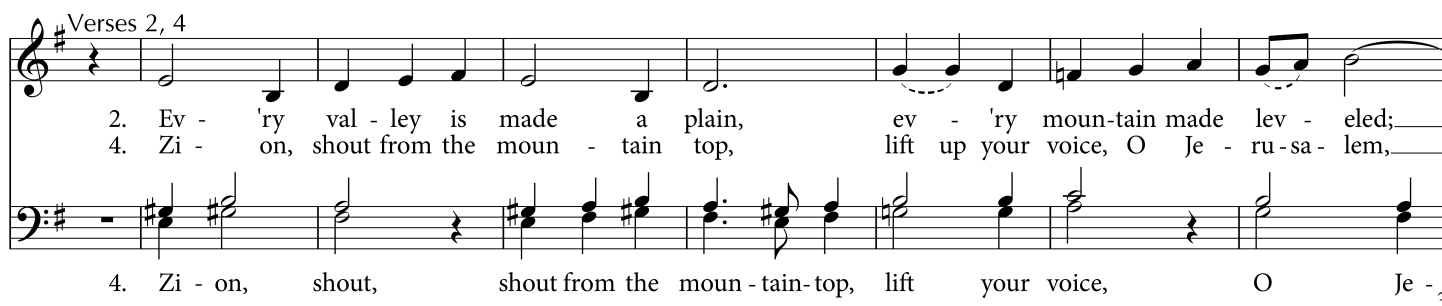
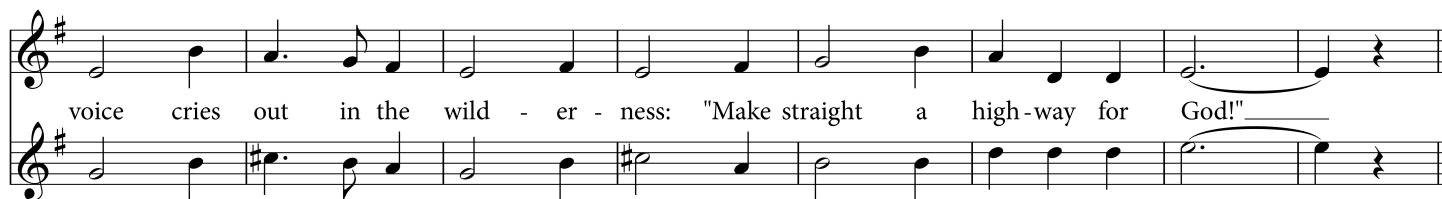
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Music: VENI EMMANUEL, adapt. by Nathan Hetrick.

## Communion Hymn

## A Voice Cries Out

CP #211



to refrain

the glo - ry of God shall then be re - vealed, and the na - tions will sing in praise.  
and say to the peo - ple of God's own land, "Be - hold, be - hold your God!"

ru - sa - lem, say to the peo - ple of God's own land, "Be - hold, be - hold your God!"

Verse 3

A voice shouts "Cry!" O what shall I cry? All flesh is like grass and its flow - ers: the  
grass may with - er, the flow - ers may fade, but the Word of the Lord is for - ev - er.

to refrain

Verse 5

The Lord will ap - pear as a shep herd, hold - ing his lambs in his arms,  
keep - ing his flock so close to his heart, lead - ing them all, old and young.

to refrain

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## Dismissal Hymn

## On Jordan's Bank

CP #209, RS #503

1. On Jor - dan's bank, the Bap - tist's cry An - noun - ces that the Lord is nigh;  
2. Then cleansed be ev - 'ry life from sin; Make straight the way for God with - in;  
3. For you are our sal - va - tion, Lord, Our ref - uge and our great re - ward;  
4. To heal the sick, stretch out your hand, And bid the fall - en sin - ner stand;  
5. All praise to you, e - ter - nal Son, Whose ad - vent has our free - doms won,

1. A - wake and heark - en, for he brings Glad tid - ings of the King of kings.  
2. And let each heart pre - pare a home Where such a migh - ty guest may come.  
3. With - out your grace we waste a - way Like flowers that with - er and de - cay.  
4. Shine forth and let your light re - store Earth's own true love - li - ness once more.  
5. Whom with the Fa - ther, we a - dore, And Ho - ly Spir - it, ev - er - more.

Text: LM; Charles Coffin, 1676-1749; tr. by John Chandler, 1806-1876, alt.

Music: WINCHESTER NEW; Georg Wittwe's *Musikalisches Hand-Buch*, Hamburg, 1690; adapt. by William H. Havergal, 1793-1870.