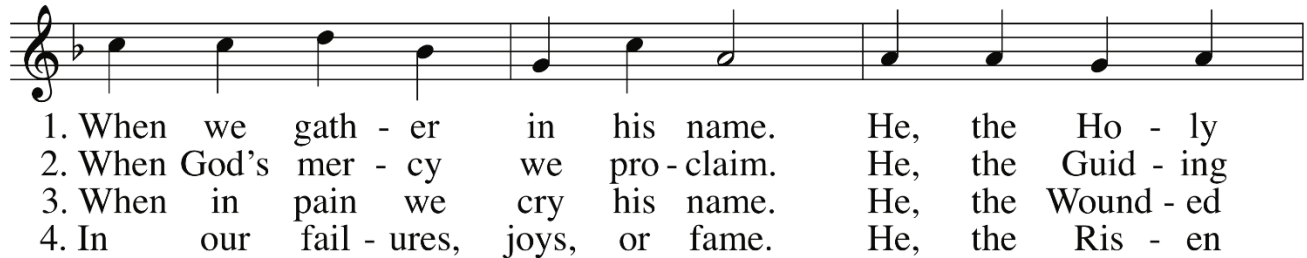


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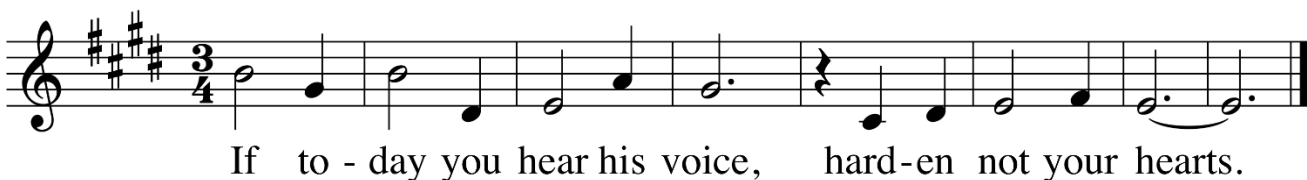
Christ Has Promised to Be Present



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Tune: STUTTGART, 8 7 8 7; *Psalmodia Sacra*, 1715; adapt. and harm. by William Henry Havergal, 1793–1870, alt.

Psalm:



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Preparation:

Make Me a Channel of Your Peace

Verses 1, 2, 4

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

1. where there's doubt, true faith in you.
2., 4. 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. D.C.

Text: *Prayer of St. Francis*; adapt. by Sebastian Temple, 1928–1997
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Communion:

Ubi Caritas

Refrain



U - bi ca - ri - tas est ve - ra, est ve - ra:

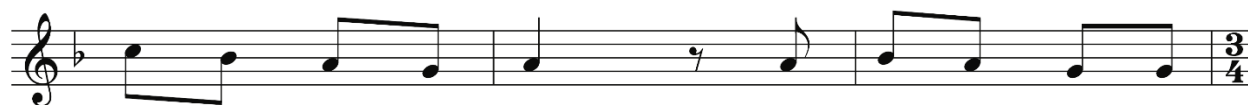


De - us i - bi est, De - us i - bi est.

Verses



1. The	love	of	Christ	joins	us	to -	geth -	er.	Let
2. In	true	com -	mu -	nion	let	us	gath -	er.	May
3. May	we	who	gath -	er	at	this	ta -	ble	to
4. For	those	in	need	make	us	your	mer -	cy,	for
5. May	we	one	day	be -	hold	your	glo -	ry	and



us	re -	joice	in	him,	and	in	our	love	and
all	di -	vi -	sions	cease	and	in	their	place	be
share	the	bread	of	life	be -	come	a	sac -	ra -
those	op -	pressed,	your	might.	Make	us,	your	Church,	a
see	you	face	to	face,	re -	joic -	ing	with	the



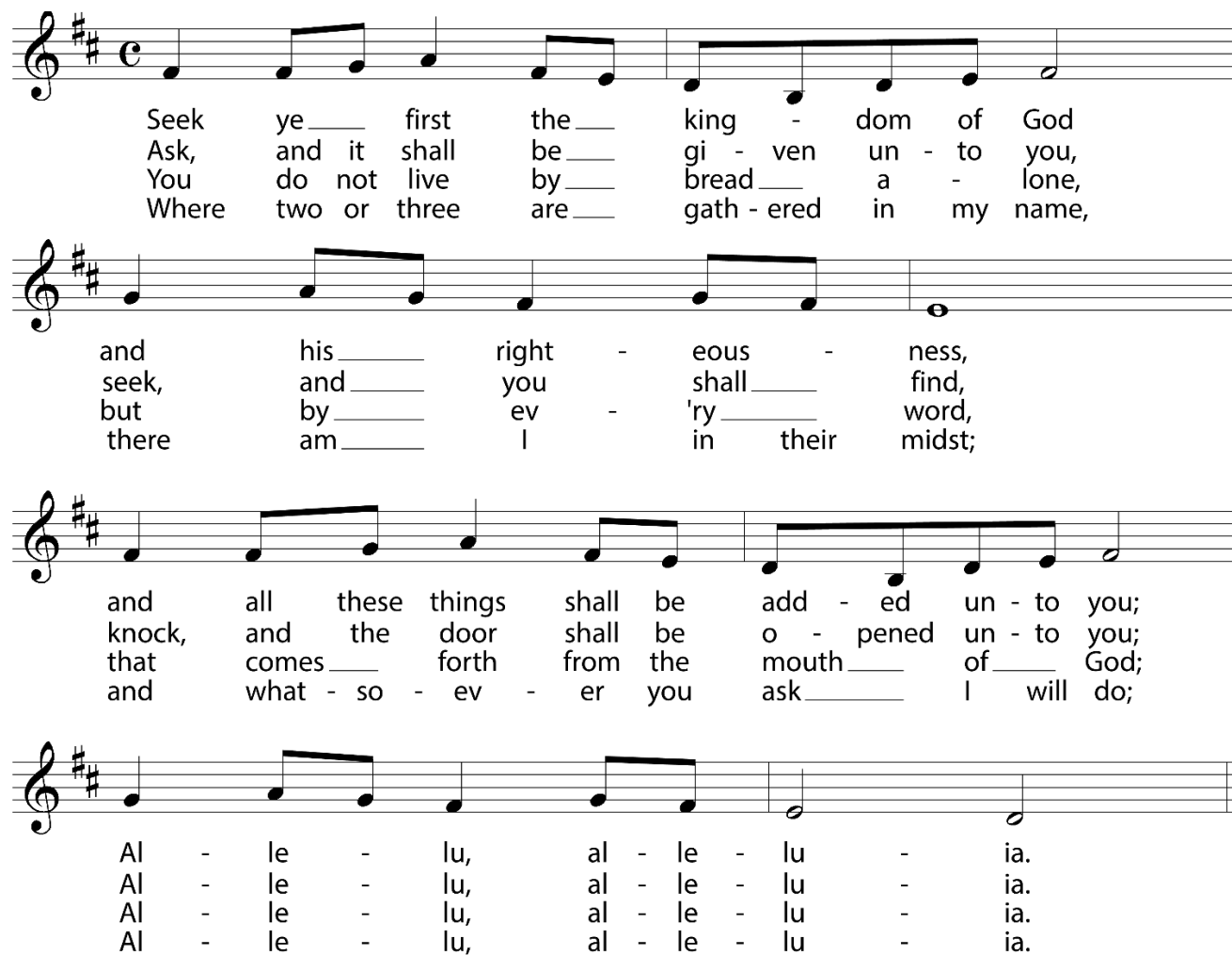
care	for	all	now	love	God	in	re -	turn.
Christ	the	Lord,	our	ris -	en	Prince	of	Peace.
ment	of	love,	your	heal -	ing	touch,	O	Christ.
ho -	ly	sign	of	jus -	tice	and	new	life.
saints	of	God	to	sing	e -	ter -	nal	praise.

D.C.

Text: Refrain and vss. 1, 2 and 5 based on *Ubi Caritas*, 9th c.; vss. 3, 4, Bob Hurd, b.1950; Spanish by Pedro Rubalcava, b.1958
Tune: Bob Hurd b.1950; acc. by Craig K. Kingsbury, b.1952
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Closing:

Seek Ye First



Seek ye first the king - dom of God
Ask, and it shall be gi - ven un - to you,
You do not live by bread a - lone,
Where two or three are gath - ered in my name,

and seek, his right - eous - ness,
but, and you shall find,
there by ev - 'ry word,
am I in their midst;

and knock, all these things shall be add - ed un - to you;
that and the door shall be o - pened un - to you;
and what - so - ev - er you ask, I will do;

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

Text: Matthew 6:33, 7:7; adapt. By Karen Lafferty, b. 1948

Tune: SEEK YE FIRST, Irregular; Karen Lafferty, b. 1948

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