



St. John Nepomucene
Catholic Church

HYMNS

EPIPHANY OF THE LORD

363 Go Tell It on the Mountain

Refrain

Go tell it on the moun - tain, O-ver the hills and

F Gm Am Gm F Gm C

ev - 'ry - where; Go tell it on the

F Gm C7 F Gm

moun - tain That Je - sus Christ is born!

Am Dm Gm F/C C7 FSUS4 F

CHRISTMAS

Verses

F

1. While shep - herds kept their watch - ing O'er
 2. The shep - herds feared and trem - bled When
 3. Down in a low - ly man - ger The

C F

si - lent flocks by night, Be - hold through - out the
 lo! a - bove the earth Rang out the an - gel
 hum - ble Christ was born, And God sent us sal -

G G7 C C7 D.C.

heav - ens There shone a ho - ly light.
 cho - rus That hailed our Sav - ior's birth.
 va - tion That bless - ed Christ - mas morn.

Text: African-American spiritual; adapt. by John W. Work, Jr., 1871-1925, © Mrs. John W. Work, III
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THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD

January 2

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 72:1-2, 7-8, 10-11, 12-13 (20)

Response: (Organ/SATB)

Optional Descant

Lord, all the earth will a - dore you.

Lord, ev - 'ry na - tion on earth will a - dore you.

Verses: (Cantor or SATB)

1. O God, with your judgment en - dow the king,
He shall govern your people with justice

2. Justice shall flower in his days,
May he rule from sea to sea,

3. The kings of Tarshish and the Isles shall offer gifts;
All kings shall pay him homage,

4. For he shall rescue the poor when he cries out,
He shall have pity for the lowly and the poor;

1. And with your justice, the king's son;
And your afflicted ones with judgment.

2. And profound peace, till the moon be no more.
And from the River to the ends of the earth.

3. The kings of Arabia and Seba shall bring tribute.
All nations shall serve him.

4. And the afflicted when he has no one to help him.
The lives of the poor he shall save.

Gospel Acclamation: Matthew 2:2

Acclamation: (Organ/SATB) No. VII

Optional Descant

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

D G/B Asus4 A G Dadd9 D G/B A7/C# D

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

Verse: (Cantor)

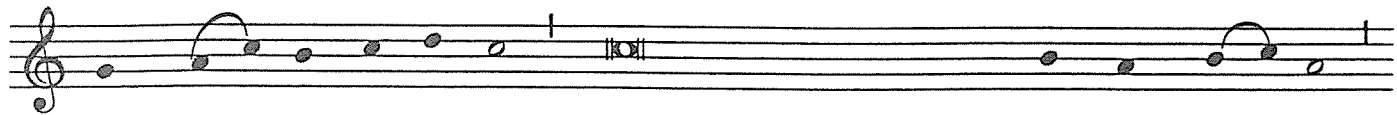
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We saw his star at its rising and have

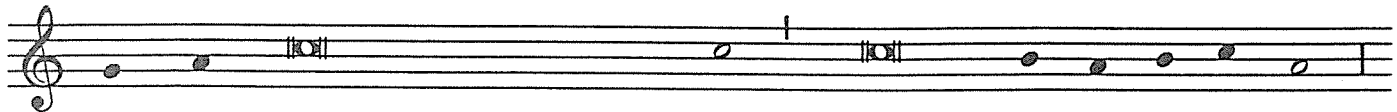
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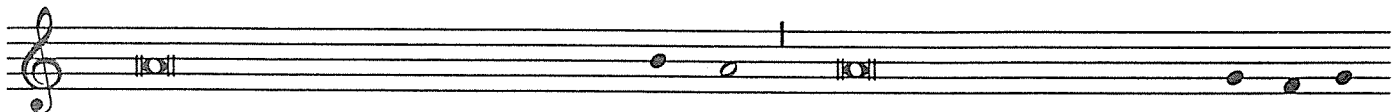
come to do him homage.



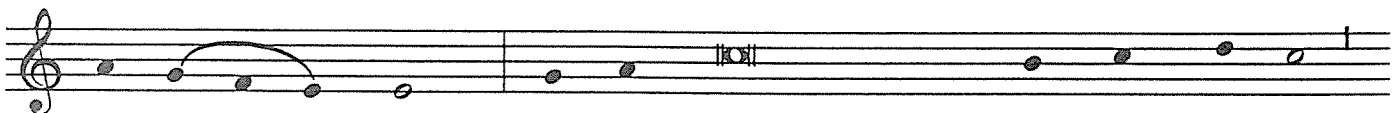
Dear broth - ers and sis - ters, the glory of the Lord has shone up - on — us,



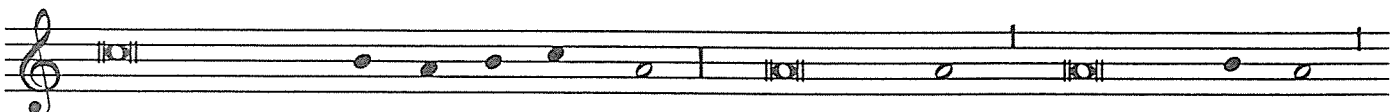
and shall ever be manifest among us, until the day of his re - turn.



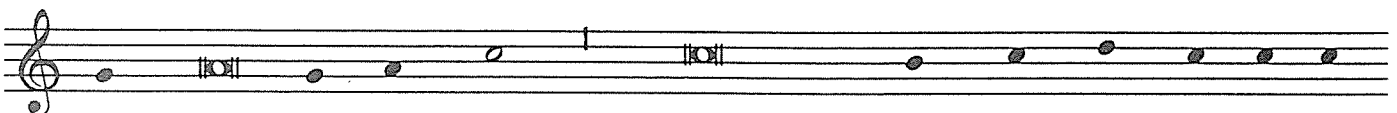
Through the rhythms of times and sea - sons let us celebrate the mys - ter - ies of



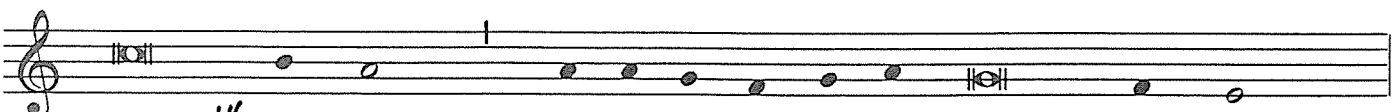
sal - va - tion. Let us recall the year's cul - mi - na - tion,



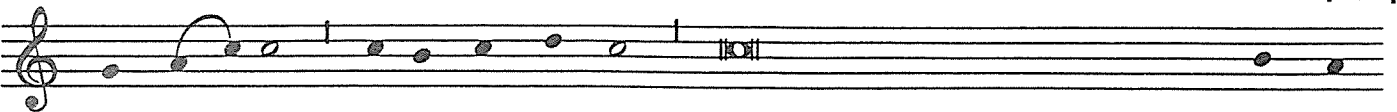
the Easter Tri - du - um of the Lord: his last supper, his cruci - fix - ion,



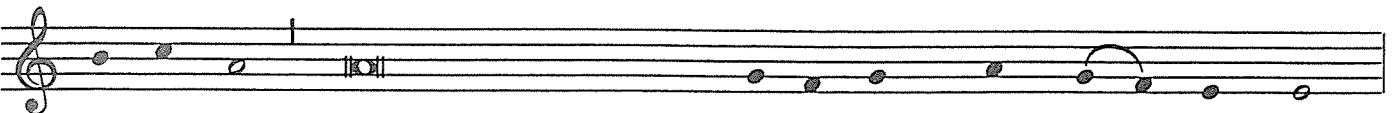
his burial, and his rising, celebrated be - tween the eve - ning of the



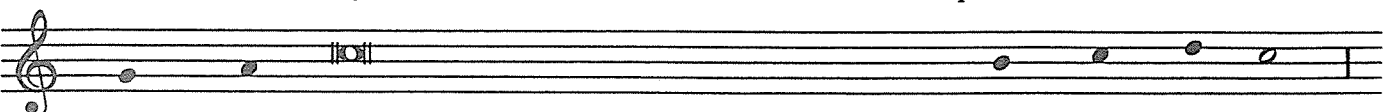
(date) 14th of (month) April and the eve - ning of the (date) 17th of (month). April



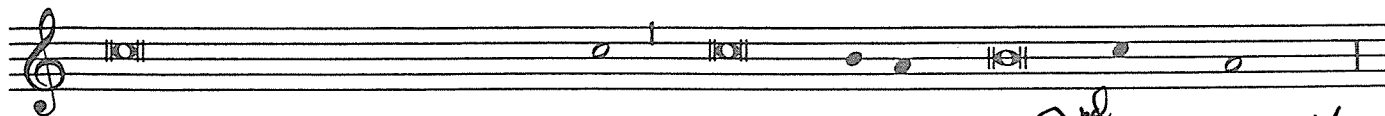
Each Eas - ter — as on each Sun - day — the Holy Church makes present the great and



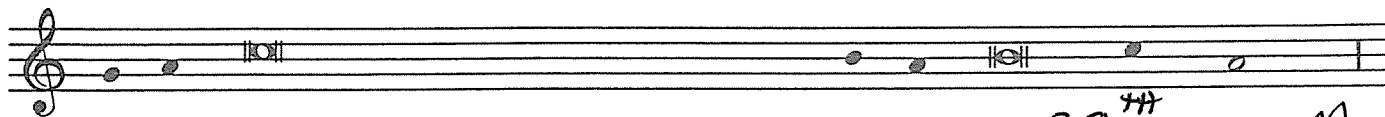
sav - ing deed by which Christ has for ev - er con - quered sin — and death.



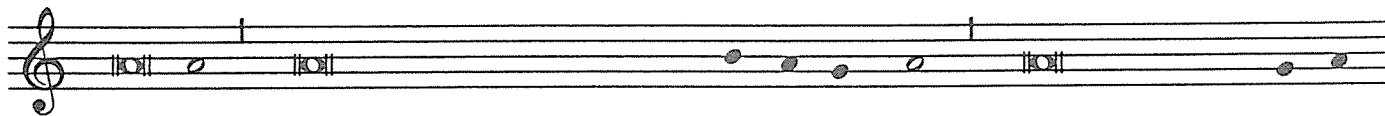
From Eas - ter are reckoned all the days we keep ho - ly.



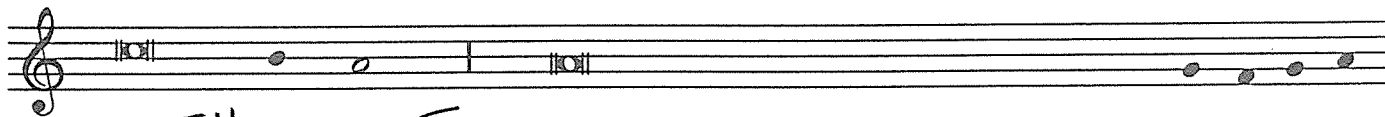
Ash Wednesday, the beginning of Lent, will occur on the (date) 2nd of (month). MARCH



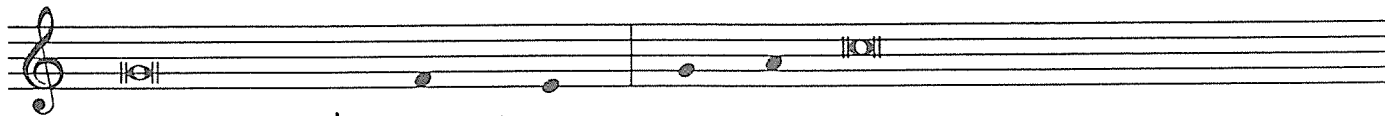
The As-cension of the Lord will be commemorated on the (date) 29th of (month). MAY



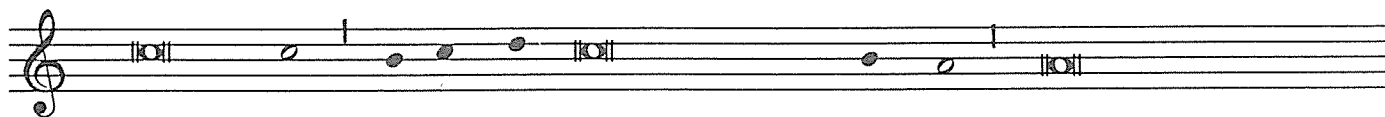
Pente-cost, the joyful conclusion of the sea-son of Easter, will be celebrated on the



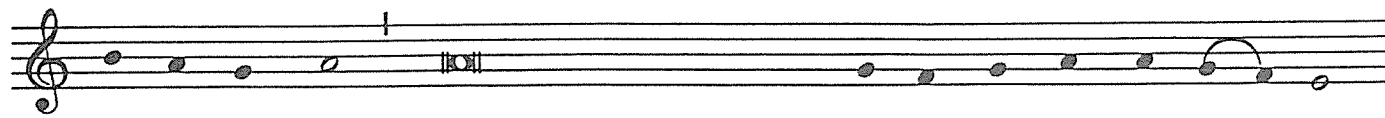
(date) 5th of (month). JUNE And this year the First Sunday of Advent will be on the



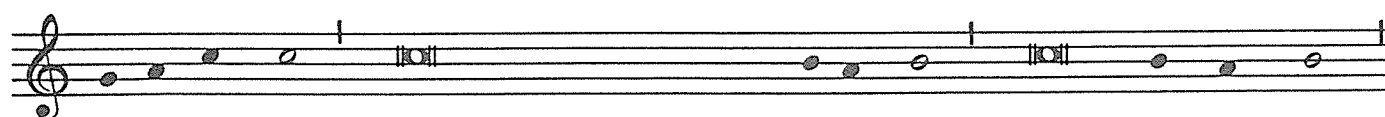
(date) 27th of NOVEMBER (month.) Like-wise the pilgrim Church proclaims the
 (No-venber) ~~(De-ember)~~



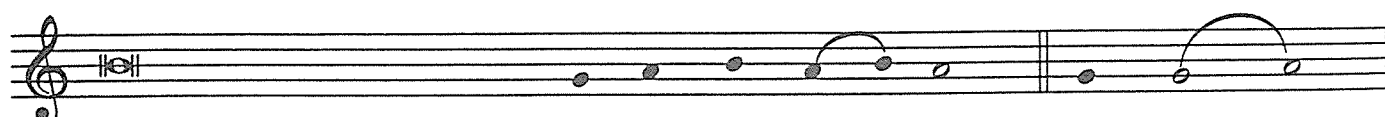
passover of Christ in the feasts of the holy Mother of God, in the feasts of the A -



pos-tles and Saints, and in the commemoration of the faith-ful de-part - ed.

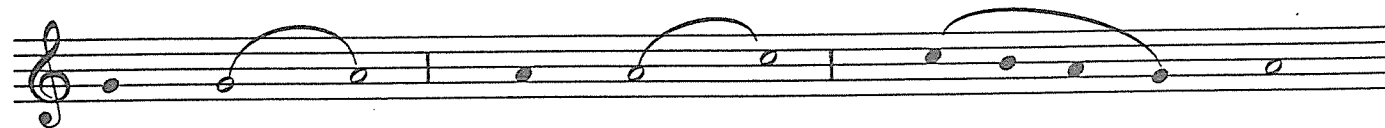


To Je-sus Christ, who was, who is, and who is to come, Lord of time and history,



be endless praise, for ev - er and ev - er. A - men._____

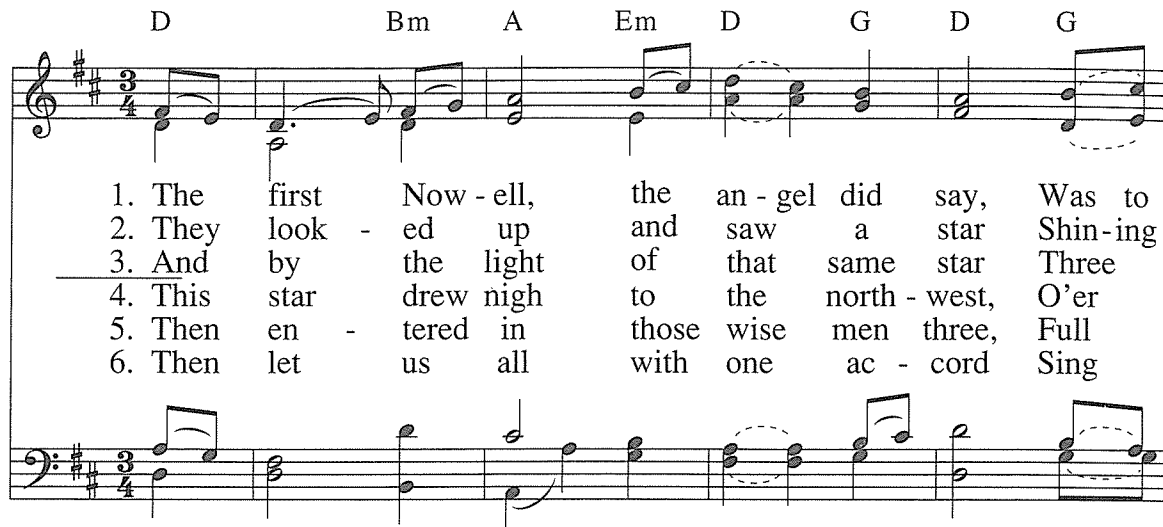
Alternate Amen



A - men._____ A - men._____ A - men.

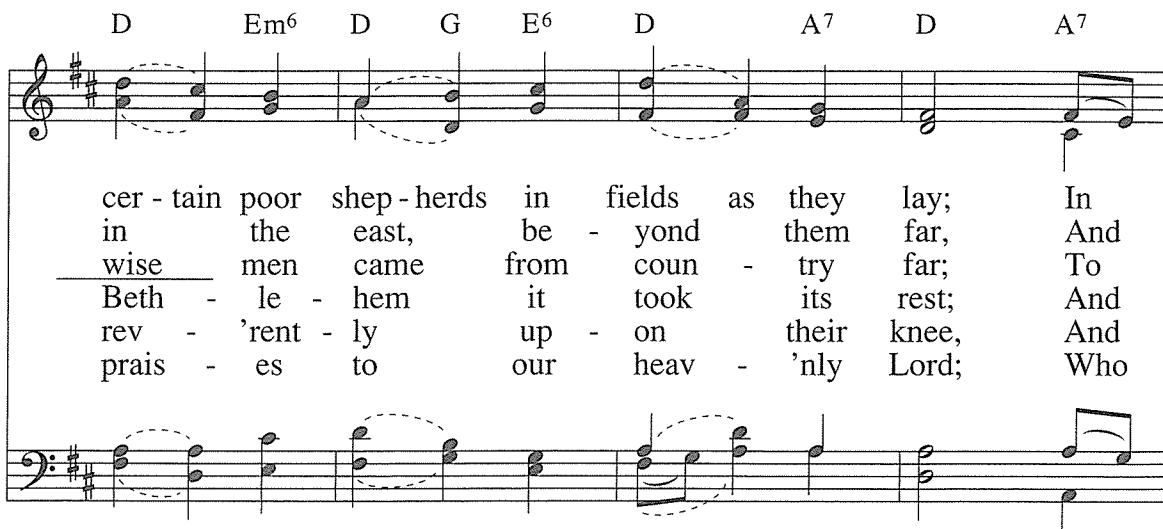
388 The First Nowell

D Bm A Em D G D G



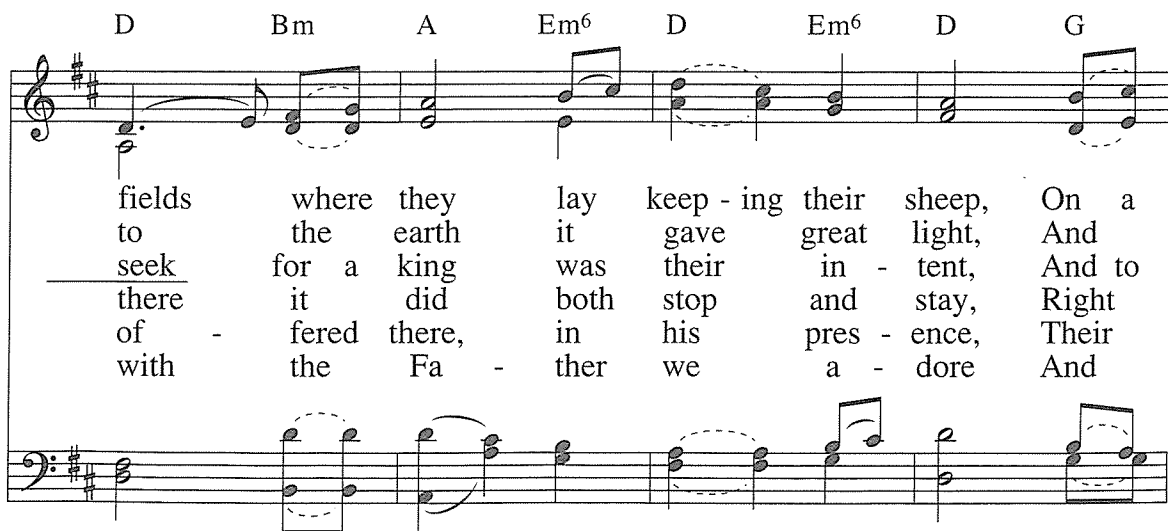
1. The first Now - ell, the an - gel did say, Was to
 2. They look - ed up and saw a star Shin - ing
 3. And by the light of that same star Three
 4. This star drew nigh to the north - west, O'er
 5. Then en - tered in those wise men three, Full
 6. Then let us all with one ac - cord Sing

D Em⁶ D G E⁶ D A⁷ D A⁷



cer - tain poor shep - herds in fields as they lay; In
 in the east, be - yond them far, And
 wise men came from coun - try far; To
 Beth - le - hem it took its rest; And
 rev - 'rent - ly up - on their knee, And
 prais - es to our heav - 'nly Lord; Who

D Bm A Em⁶ D Em⁶ D G



fields where they lay keep - ing their sheep, On a
 to the earth it gave great light, And
 seek for a king was their in - tent, And to
 there it did both stop and stay, Right
 of - fered there, in his pres - ence, Their
 with the Fa - ther we a - dore And

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D Em⁶ D G Em⁶ D A⁷ D

cold win - ter's night that was so deep.
 so it con - tin - ued both day and night.
 fol - low the star where - ev - er it went.
 o - ver the place where Je - sus lay.
 gold and myrrh and frank - in - cense.
 Spir - it blest for ev - er - more.

A⁷ D Bm F[#]m D G D A

Now - ell, Now - ell, Now - ell, Now - ell,

Bm Dmaj⁷ G D Em⁶ D A⁷ D

Born is the King of Is - ra - el.

Text: English Carol, 17th C.

Tune: THE FIRST NOWELL, Irregular; English Melody; harm. from *Christmas Carols New and Old*, 1871

387 What Child Is This

Em G D

1. What child is this, who, laid to rest, On
 2. Why lies he in such mean es - tate Where
 3. So bring him in - cense, gold and myrrh, Come

Em Am Bm Em G

Mar - y's lap is sleep - ing? Whom an - gels greet with
 ox and ass are feed - ing? Good Chris - tian, fear; for
 peas - ant, king to own him; The King of kings sal -

D Em Am B ESUS4 Em

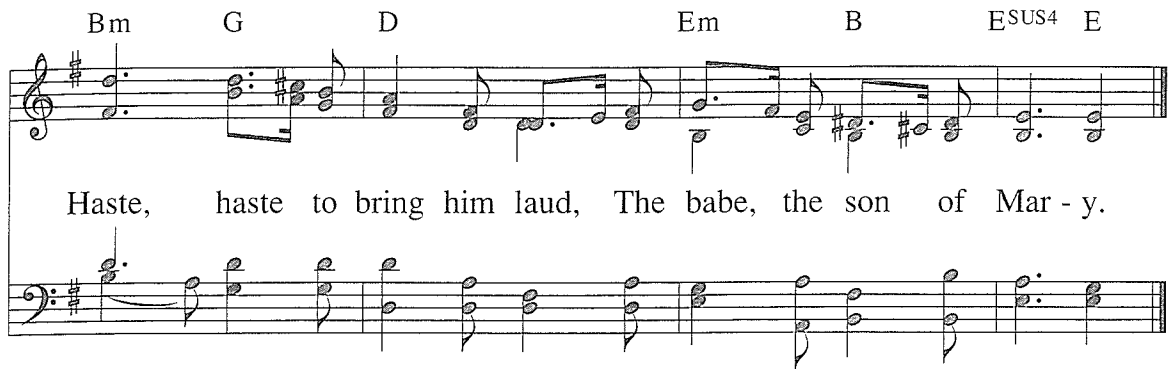
an - thems sweet, While shep - herds watch are keep - ing?
 sin - ners here The si - lent Word is plead - ing.
 va - tion brings, Let lov - ing hearts en - throne him.

Bm G D Em Am Bm

This, this is Christ the King, Whom shep - herds guard and an - gels sing;

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Bm G D Em B ESUS4 E



Haste, haste to bring him laud, The babe, the son of Mar - y.

Text: William C. Dix, 1827-1898

Tune: GREENSLEEVES, 8 7 8 7 with refrain; English Melody, 16th C.; harm. by John Stainer, 1840-1901

380 Once in Royal David's City

Capo 3: (D) (A7) (D) (E7) (A7) (D)
 F C7 F G7 C7 F

1. Once in roy - al Da - vid's cit - y Stood a
 2. He came down to earth from heav - en Who is
 3. And through all his won - drous child - hood He would
 4. For he is our child - hood's pat - tern, Day by
 5. And our eyes at last shall see him, Through his

(A) (D) (G) (A) (D) (A7) (D) (E7)
 C F Bb C F C7 F G7

low - ly cat - tle shed, Where a moth - er laid her
 God and Lord of all, And his shel - ter was a
 hon - or and o - bey, Love and watch the low - ly
 day like us he grew; He was lit - tle, weak, and
 own re - deem - ing love; For that child so dear and

(A7) (D) (A) (D) (G) (A) (D) (G)
 C7 F C F Bb C F Bb

ba - by In a man - ger for his bed. Mar - y
 sta - ble, And his cra - dle was a stall. With the
 maid - en In whose gen - tle arms he lay. Chris - tian
 help - less, Tears and smiles like us he knew: And he
 gen - tle Is our Lord in heav'n a - bove: And he

HOLY FAMILY

(D) F (Em) Gm (A7) C7 (D) F (G) B \flat

was that moth - er mild, Je - sus
 poor and mean and low - ly Lived on
 chil - dren all should be Kind, o -
 feels for all our sad - ness, And he
 leads his chil - dren on To the

(D) F (G) B \flat (A) C (D) F

Christ her lit - tle Child.
 earth our Sav - ior ho - ly.
 be - dient, good as he.
 shares in all our glad - ness.
 place where he has gone.

Text: Cecil Frances Alexander, 1818-1895
 Tune: IRBY, 8 7 8 7 77; Henry J. Gauntlett, 1805-1876; harm. by Arthur H. Mann, 1850-1929. © 1957, Novello and Co. Ltd.

382 We Three Kings of Orient Are

Em B7 Em

1. We three kings of O - ri - ent are, Bear - ing
 2. Born a babe on Beth - le - hem's plain, Gold we
 3. Frank - in - cense to of - fer have I; In - cense
 4. Myrrh is mine: its bit - ter per - fume Breathes a
 5. Glo - rious now be - hold him rise, King and

B7 Em D7

gifts we trav - erse a - far Field and foun - tain,
bring to crown him a - gain; King for - ev - er,
owns a De - i - ty nigh, Prayer and prais - ing
life of gath - 'ring gloom; Sor - rowing, sigh - ing,
God and sac - ri - fice: Heav'n sings, "Hal - le -

G Am Em B7 Em

Moor and moun - tain, Fol - low - ing yon - der star.
Ceas - ing nev - er, O - ver us all to reign.
Glad - ly rais - ing, Wor - ship - ing God on high.
Bleed - ing, dy - ing, Sealed in the stone cold tomb.
lu - jah!" "Hal - le - lu - jah!" earth re - plies.

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D7 G C G

O star of won - der, star of night, Star with

C G Em D G

roy - al beau - ty bright, West - ward lead - ing,

C G D G C G C G

still pro - ceed - ing, Guide us to the per - fect Light.

Text: Matthew 2:1-11; John H. Hopkins, Jr., 1820-1891
Tune: KINGS OF ORIENT, 88 44 6 with refrain; John H. Hopkins, Jr., 1820-1891