# Transfiguration of Our Lord

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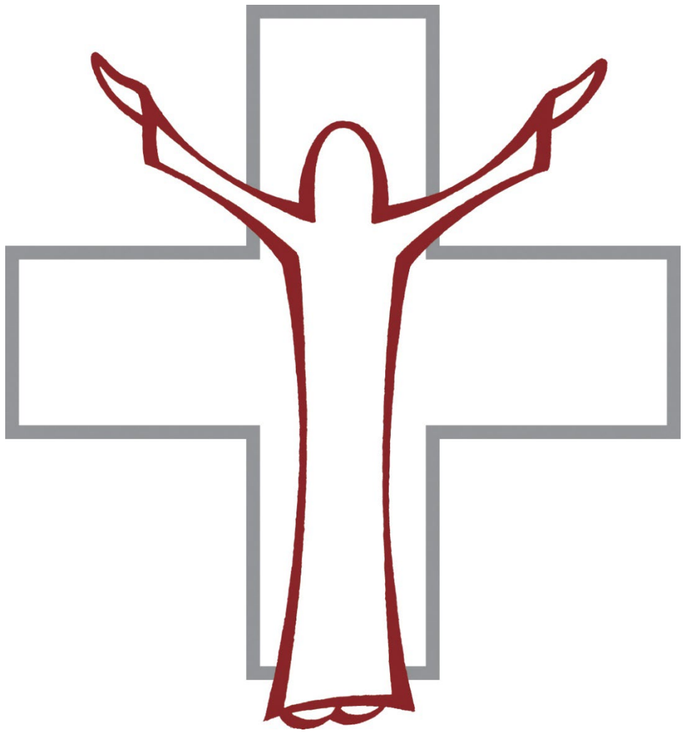

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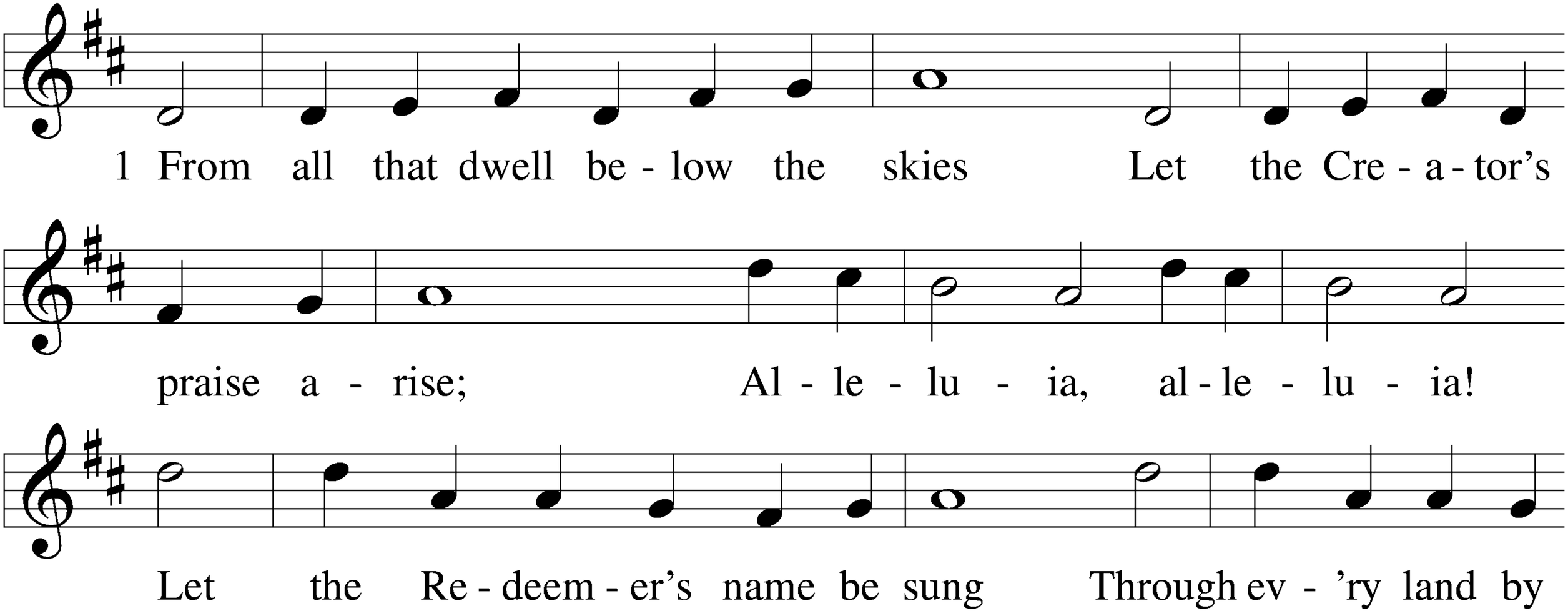

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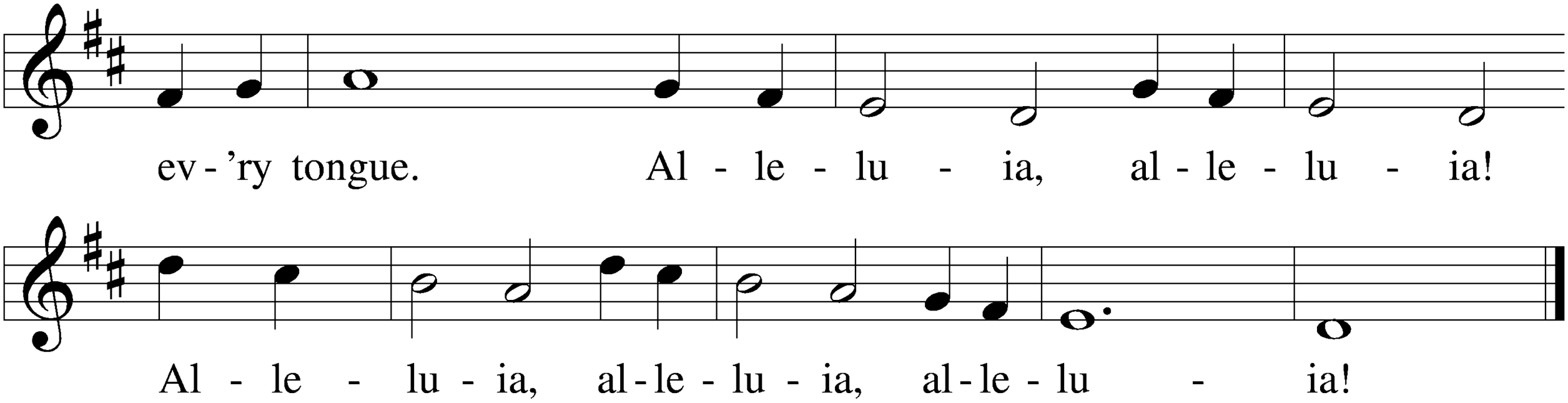

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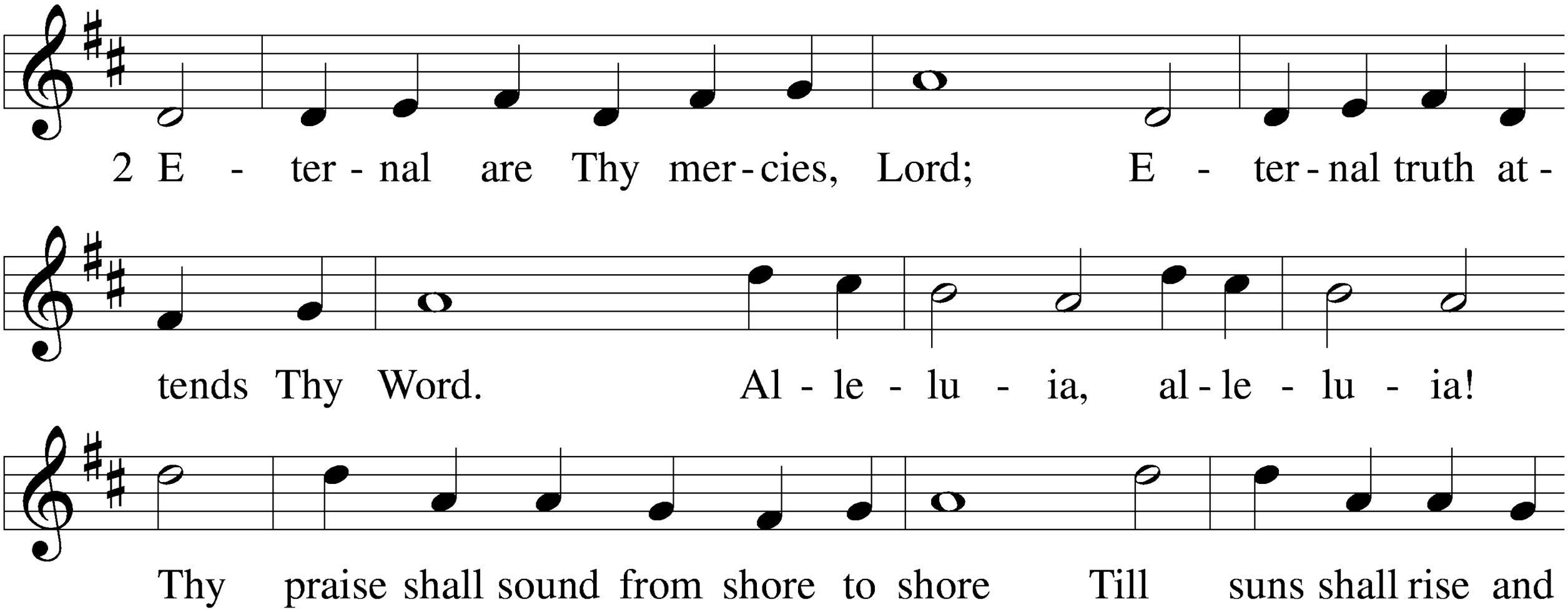

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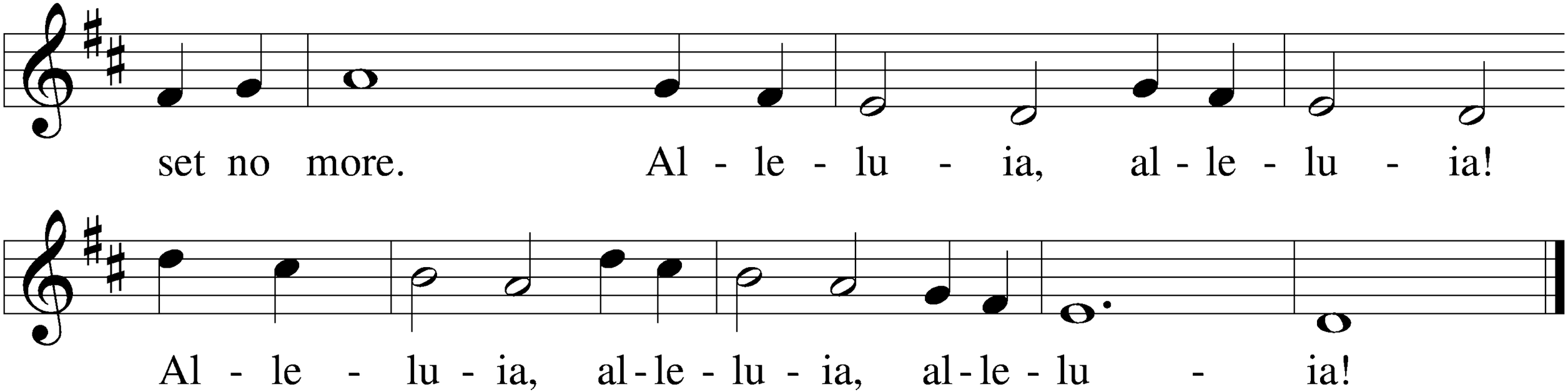

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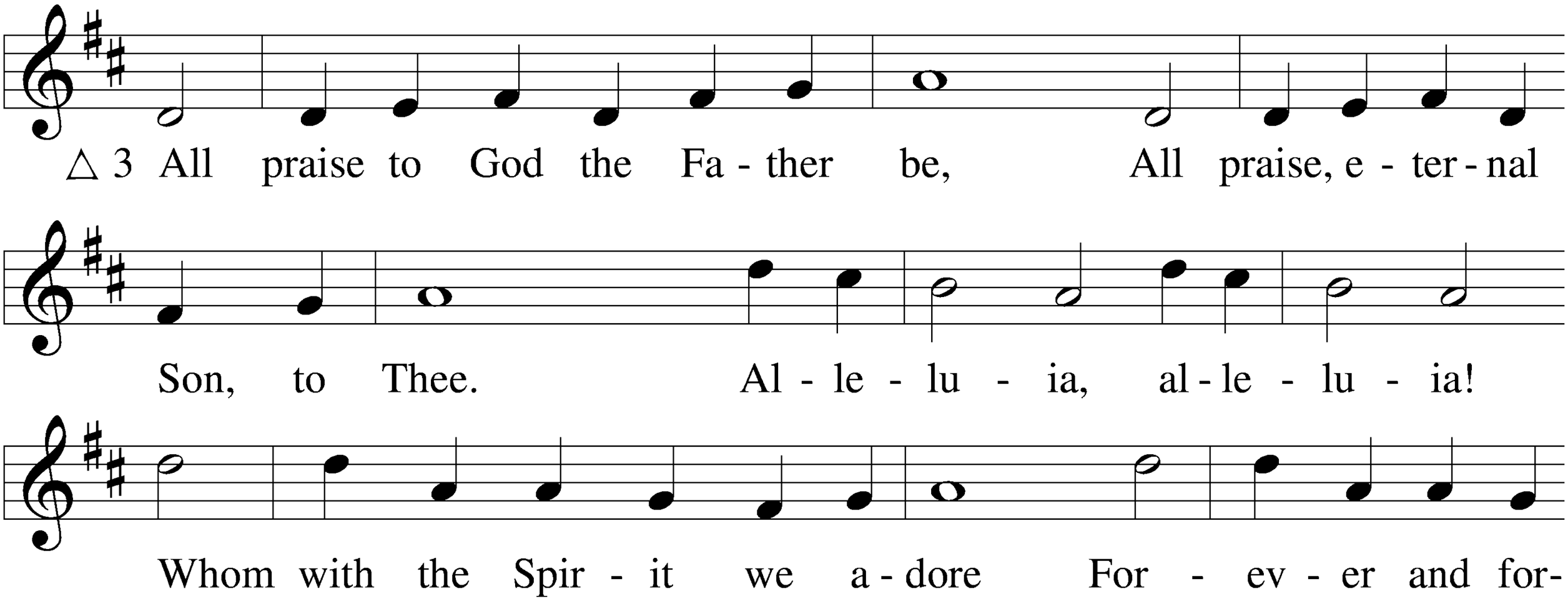

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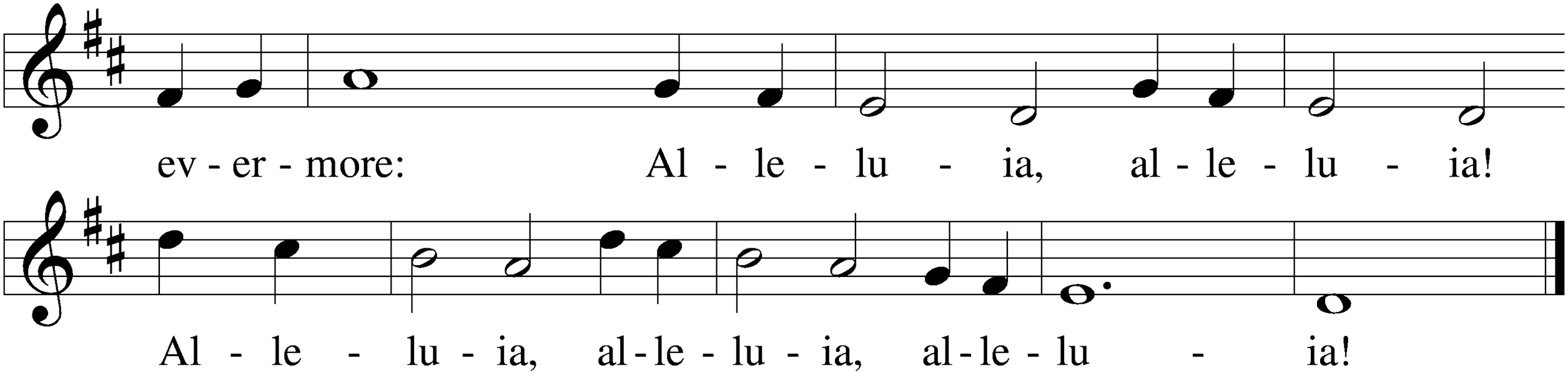


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**Invocation**

℗ In the name of the Father and of the ✢ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

**℃ Amen.**

**Exhortation**

℗ Our help is in the name of the Lord,

℃ **who made heaven and earth.**

℗ If You, O Lord, kept a record of sins, O Lord, who could stand?

℃ **But with You there is forgiveness; therefore You are feared.**

**Exhortation**

℗ Since we are gathered to hear God’s Word and call upon Him in prayer and praise, let us first consider our unworthiness and confess before God and one another that we have sinned in thought, word, and deed, and that we cannot free ourselves from our sinful condition.

**Confession of Sins**

℗ Together as His people let us take refuge in the infinite mercy of God, our heavenly Father, seeking His grace for the sake of Christ, and saying: God, be merciful to me, a sinner.

***Silence for reflection on God's Word and for self-examination.***

## *I. You shall have no other gods.*

***Silence for reflection on God's Word and for self-examination.***

## *II. You shall not misuse the name of the Lord your God.*

***Silence for reflection on God's Word and for self-examination.***

## *III. Remember the Sabbath day by keeping it holy.*

***Silence for reflection on God's Word and for self-examination.***

## *IV. Honor your father and your mother.*

***Silence for reflection on God's Word and for self-examination.***

## *V. You shall not murder.*

***Silence for reflection on God's Word and for self-examination.***

# *VI. You shall not commit adultery.*

***Silence for reflection on God's Word and for self-examination.***

## *VII. You shall not steal.*

***Silence for reflection on God's Word and for self-examination.***

## *VIII. You shall not give false testimony against your neighbor.*

***Silence for reflection on God's Word and for self-examination.***

## *IX. You shall not covet your neighbor's house.*

***Silence for reflection on God's Word and for self-examination.***

***X. You shall not covet your neighbor's wife, or his manservant or maidservant, his ox or donkey, or anything that belongs to your neighbor.***

**Confession of Sins**

P O Almighty God,

C **have mercy upon us, forgive us our sins, and lead us to everlasting life. Amen.**

**Absolution**

**P** Almighty God in His mercy has given His Son to die for you and for His sake forgives you all your sins. As a called and ordained servant of Christ, and by His authority, I therefore forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the ✢ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

**C** **Amen.**

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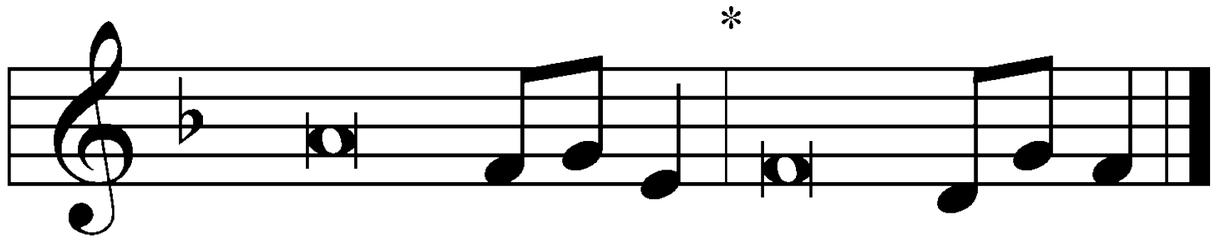

Exalt the LORD our God, and worship at his holy | mountain;*
for the LORD our God is | holy!
**The LORD reigns; let the peoples | tremble!***
**He sits enthroned upon the cherubim; let the | earth quake!**

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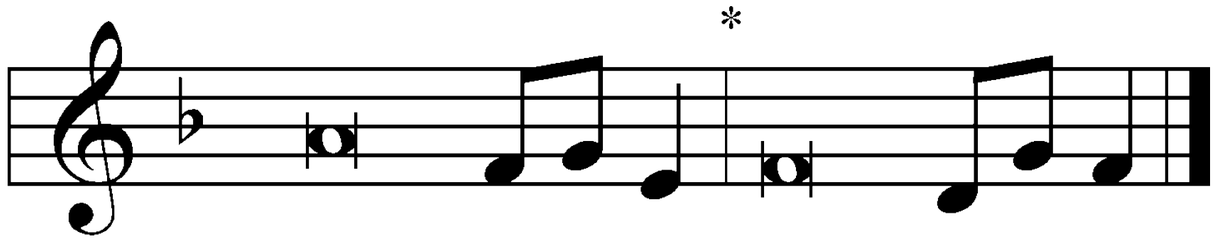

The LORD is great in | Zion;*
he is exalted over all the | peoples.
**Let them praise your great and | awesome name!***
**Ho- | ly is he!**

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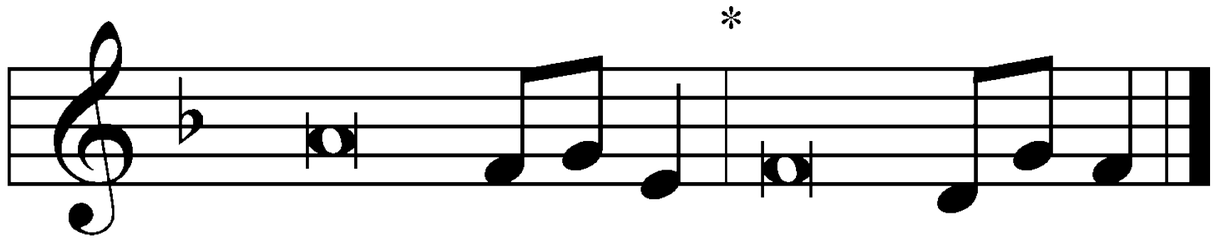

The King in his might loves | justice.*
You have established equity; you have executed justice and righteousness in | Jacob.
**Exalt the LORD our God; worship at his | footstool!***
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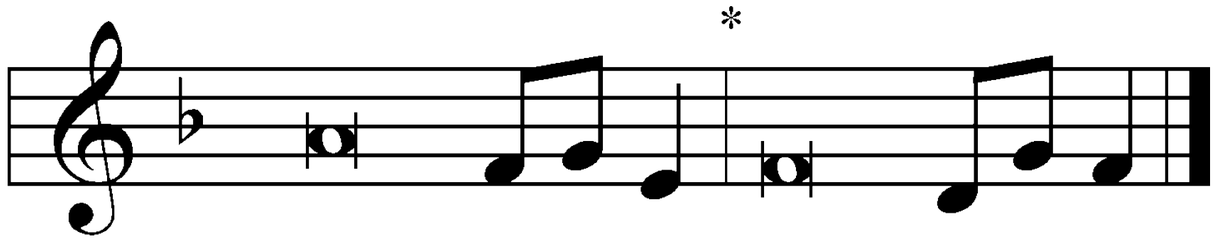


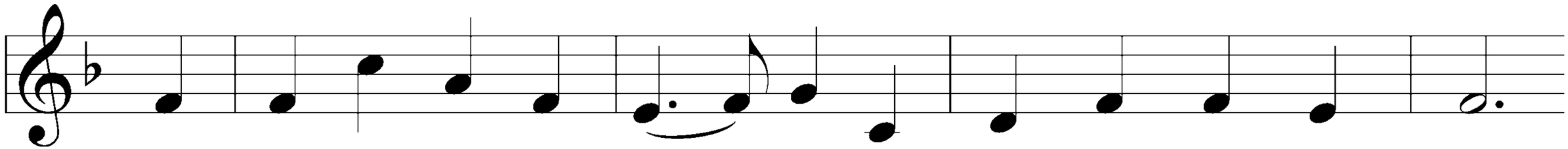
**Glory be to the Father and | to the Son***
**and to the Holy | Spirit;**
**as it was in the be- | ginning,***
**is now, and will be forever. | Amen.**

Exalt the LORD our God, and worship at his holy | mountain;*
for the LORD our God is | holy!

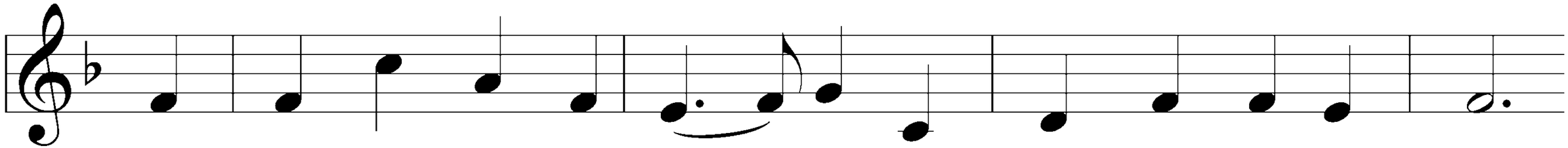
# Kyrie

C Lord, have mer - cy; Christ, have mer - cy; Lord, have mer - cy.

# Gloria in Excelsis



C 1 To God on high be glo - ry And peace to all the earth;



Good - will from God in heav - en Pro - claimed at Je-sus' birth!

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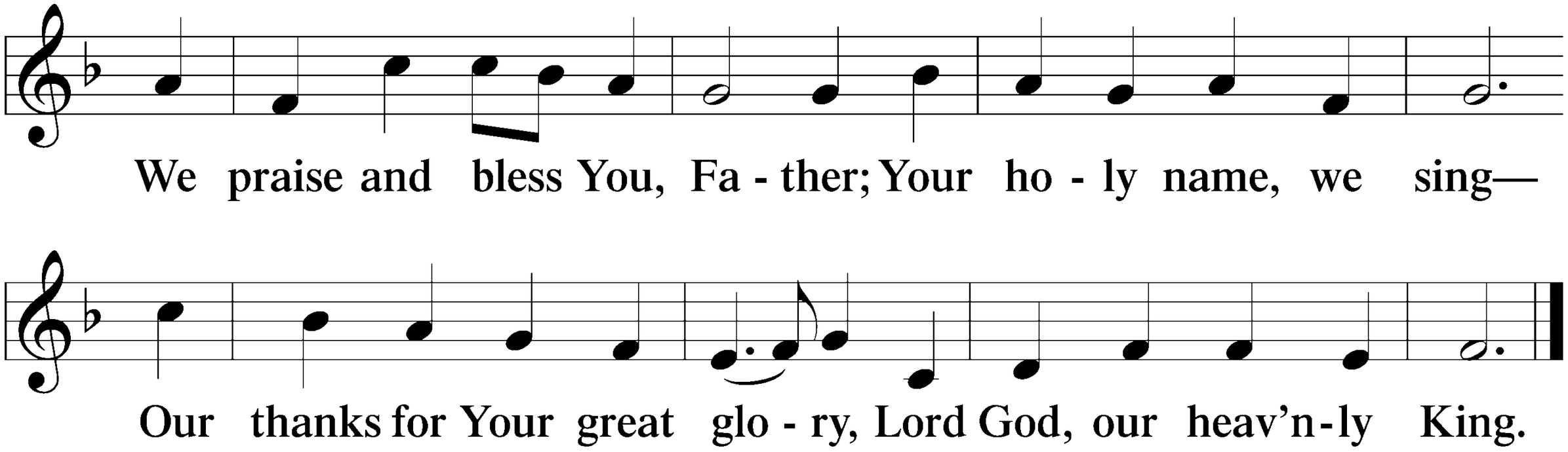

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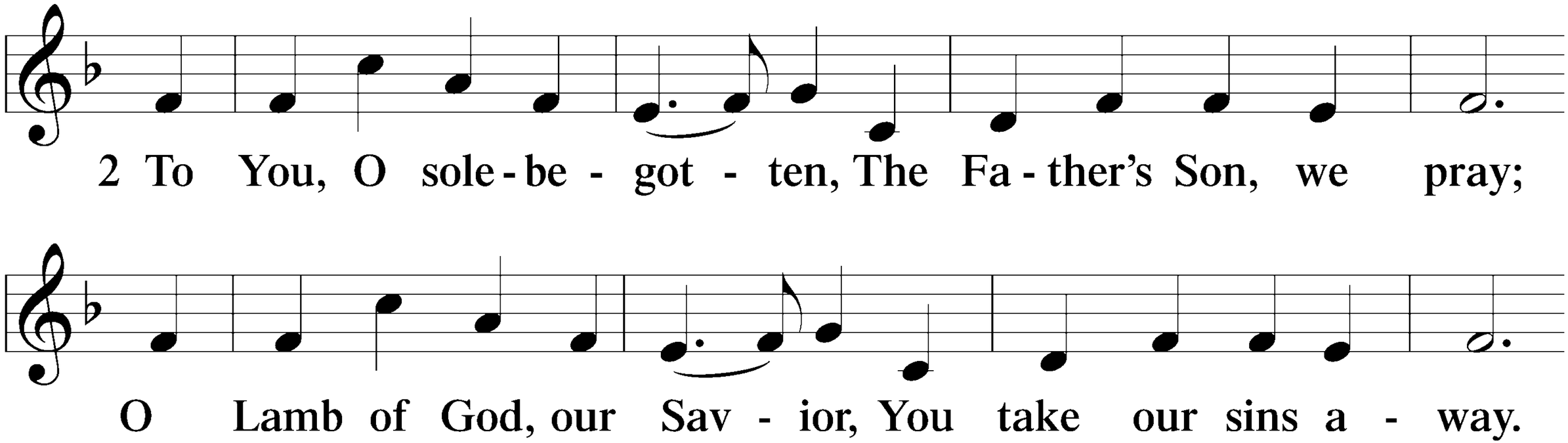

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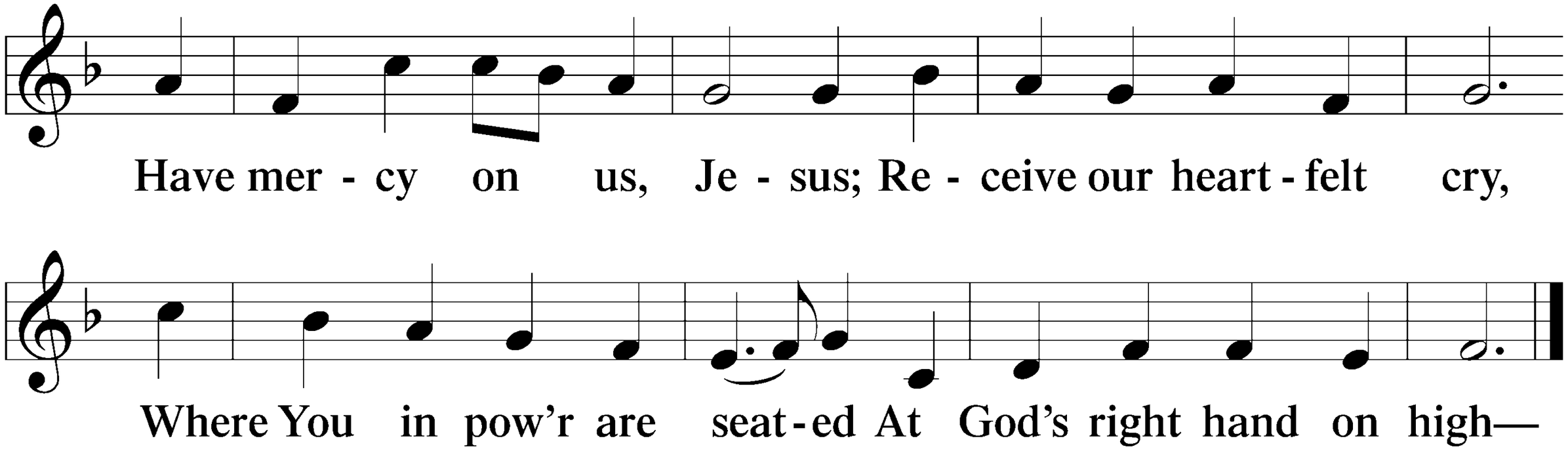

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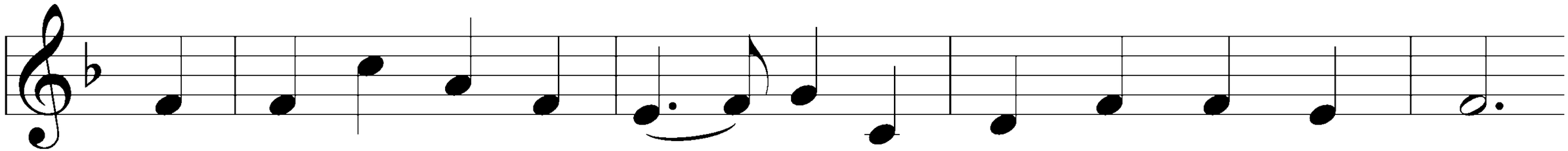

3 For You a - lone are ho - ly; You on - ly are the Lord.

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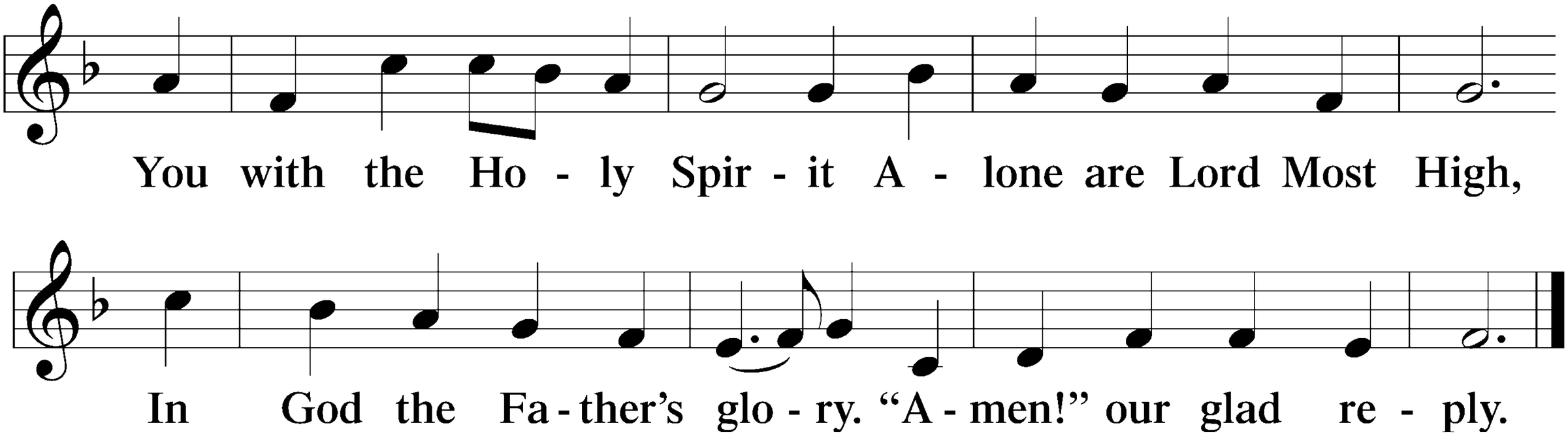


Text: Stephen P. Starke

**Salutation and Collect of the Day**

℗ The Lord be with you.

℃ **And also with you.**

℗ Let us pray.
O God, in the glorious transfiguration of Your beloved Son You confirmed the mysteries of the faith by the testimony of Moses and Elijah.

**Salutation and Collect of the Day**

**P** In the voice that came from the bright cloud You wonderfully foreshowed our adoption by grace. Mercifully make us co-heirs with the King in His glory and bring us to the fullness of our inheritance in heaven; through the same Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**C** **Amen.**

**Old Testament Reading: Exodus 24:8–18**

And Moses took the blood and threw it on the people and said, “Behold the blood of the covenant that the LORD has made with you in accordance with all these words.”

Then Moses and Aaron, Nadab, and Abihu, and seventy of the elders of Israel went up, and they saw the God of Israel. There was under his feet as it were a pavement of sapphire stone, like the very heaven for clearness.

**Old Testament Reading: Exodus 24:8–18**

And he did not lay his hand on the chief men of the people of Israel; they beheld God, and ate and drank.

The LORD said to Moses, “Come up to me on the mountain and wait there, that I may give you the tablets of stone, with the law and the commandment, which I have written for their instruction.”

**Old Testament Reading: Exodus 24:8–18**

So Moses rose with his assistant Joshua, and Moses went up into the mountain of God. And he said to the elders, “Wait here for us until we return to you. And behold, Aaron and Hur are with you. Whoever has a dispute, let him go to them.”

Then Moses went up on the mountain, and the cloud covered the mountain.

**Old Testament Reading: Exodus 24:8–18**

The glory of the LORD dwelt on Mount Sinai, and the cloud covered it six days. And on the seventh day he called to Moses out of the midst of the cloud. Now the appearance of the glory of the LORD was like a devouring fire on the top of the mountain in the sight of the people of Israel. Moses entered the cloud and went up on the mountain. And Moses was on the mountain forty days and forty nights.

**Old Testament Reading: Exodus 24:8–18**

A This is the Word of the Lord.

**C Thanks be to God.**

**Epistle Reading: 2 Peter 1:16–21**

For we did not follow cleverly devised myths when we made known to you the power and coming of our Lord Jesus Christ, but we were eyewitnesses of his majesty. For when he received honor and glory from God the Father, and the voice was borne to him by the Majestic Glory, “This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased,” we ourselves heard this very voice borne from heaven,

**Epistle Reading: 2 Peter 1:16–21**

for we were with him on the holy mountain. And we have something more sure, the prophetic word, to which you will do well to pay attention as to a lamp shining in a dark place, until the day dawns and the morning star rises in your hearts, knowing this first of all, that no prophecy of Scripture comes from someone’s own interpretation.

**Epistle Reading: 2 Peter 1:16–21**

For no prophecy was ever produced by the will of man, but men spoke from God as they were carried along by the Holy Spirit.

A This is the Word of the Lord.

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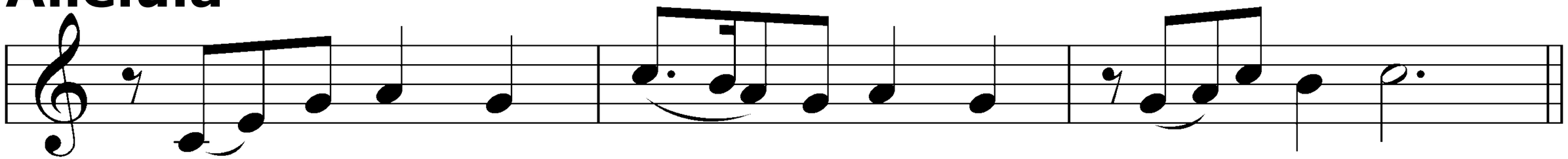
# Alleluia



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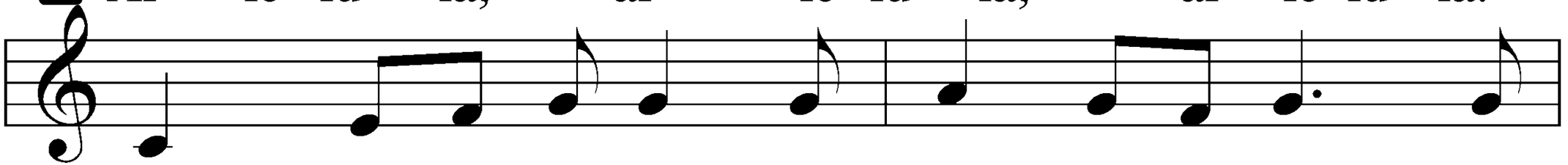

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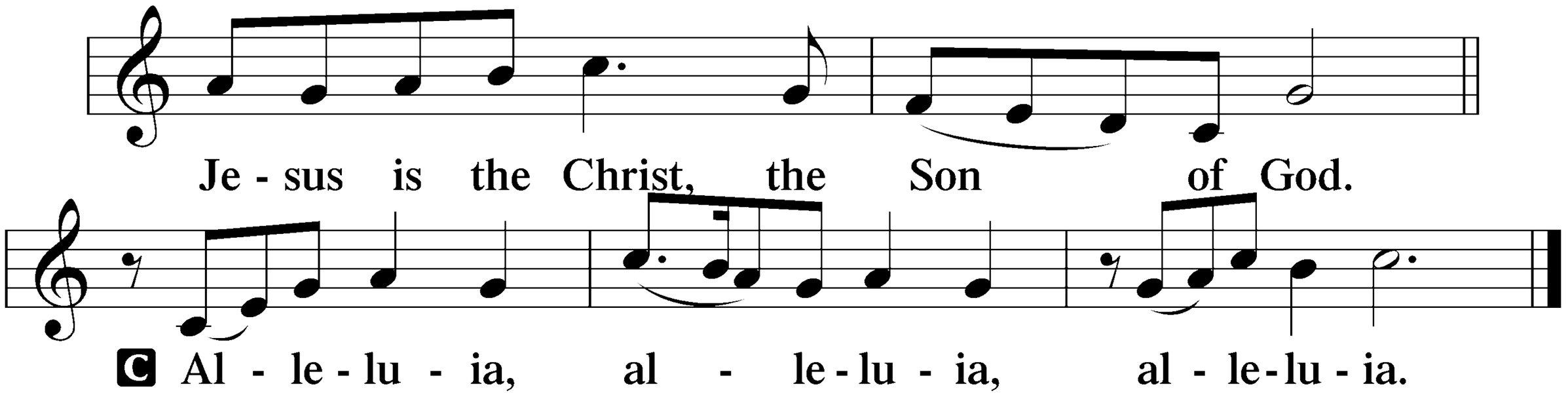
Je - sus is the Christ, the Son of God.
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**Holy Gospel: Matthew 17:1–9**

℗ The Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew, the seventeenth chapter.

℄ **Glory to You, O Lord.**

After six days Jesus took with him Peter and James, and John his brother, and led them up a high mountain by themselves. And he was transfigured before them, and his face shone like the sun, and his clothes became white as light.

**Holy Gospel: Matthew 17:1–9**

And behold, there appeared to them Moses and Elijah, talking with him. And Peter said to Jesus, “Lord, it is good that we are here. If you wish, I will make three tents here, one for you and one for Moses and one for Elijah.” He was still speaking when, behold, a bright cloud overshadowed them, and a voice from the cloud said, “This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased; listen to him.”

**Holy Gospel: Matthew 17:1–9**

When the disciples heard this, they fell on their faces and were terrified. But Jesus came and touched them, saying, “Rise, and have no fear.” And when they lifted up their eyes, they saw no one but Jesus only.

And as they were coming down the mountain, Jesus commanded them, “Tell no one the vision, until the Son of Man is raised from the dead.”

**Holy Gospel: Matthew 17:1–9**

℗ This is the Gospel of the Lord.

℄ **Praise to You, O Christ.**

# Children’s Message

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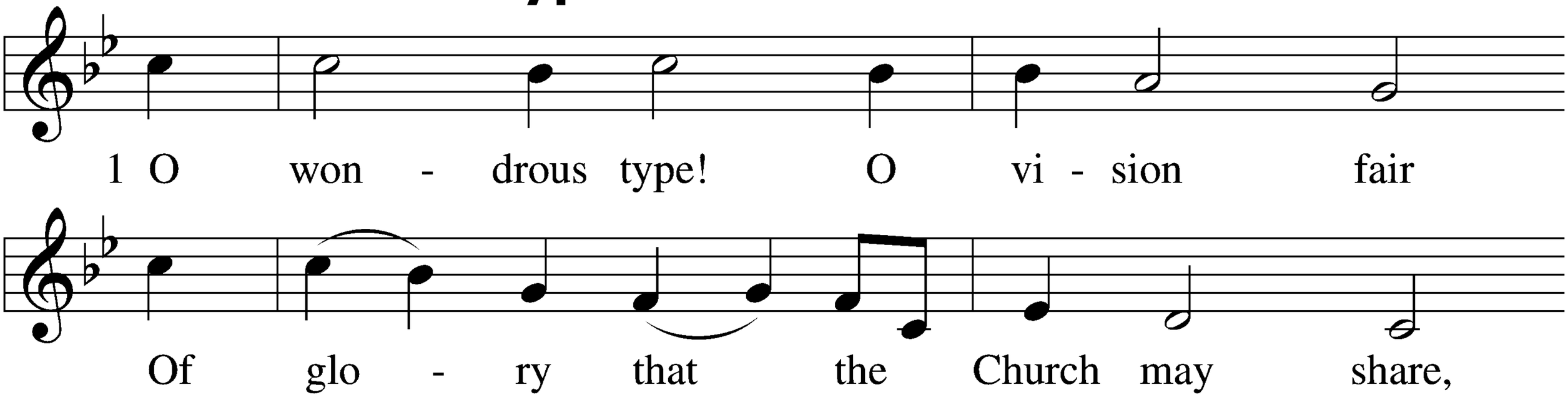

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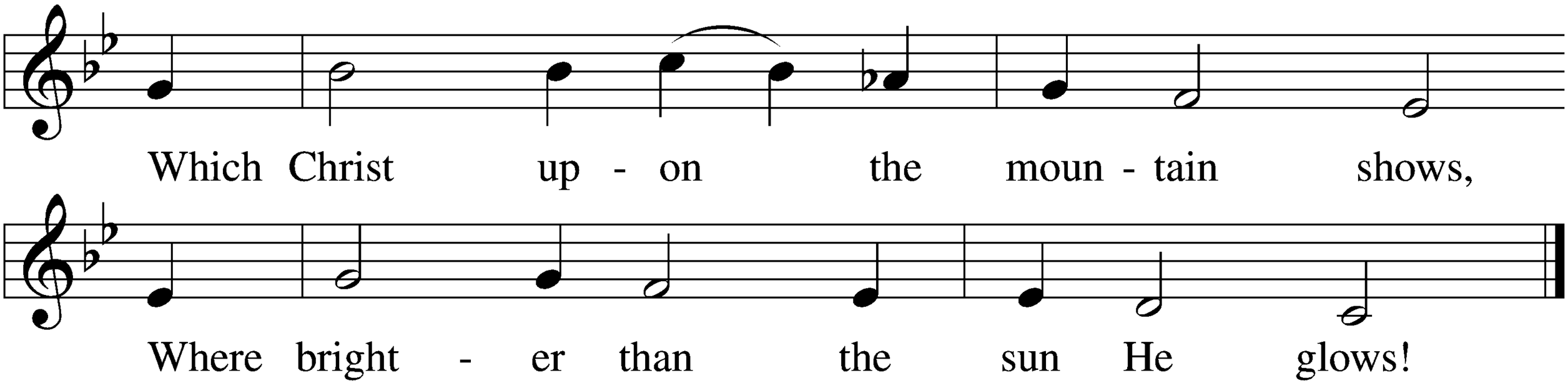

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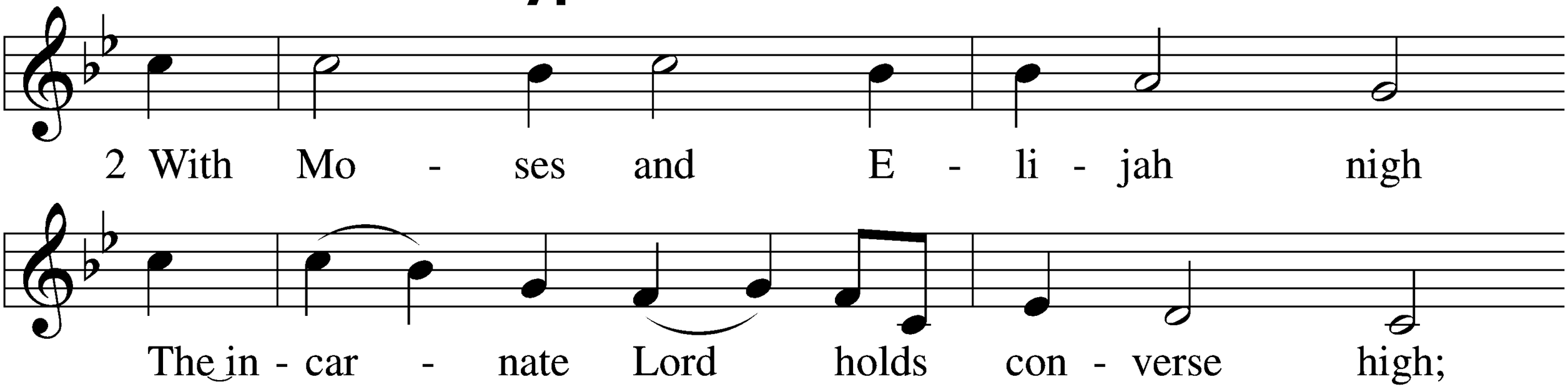

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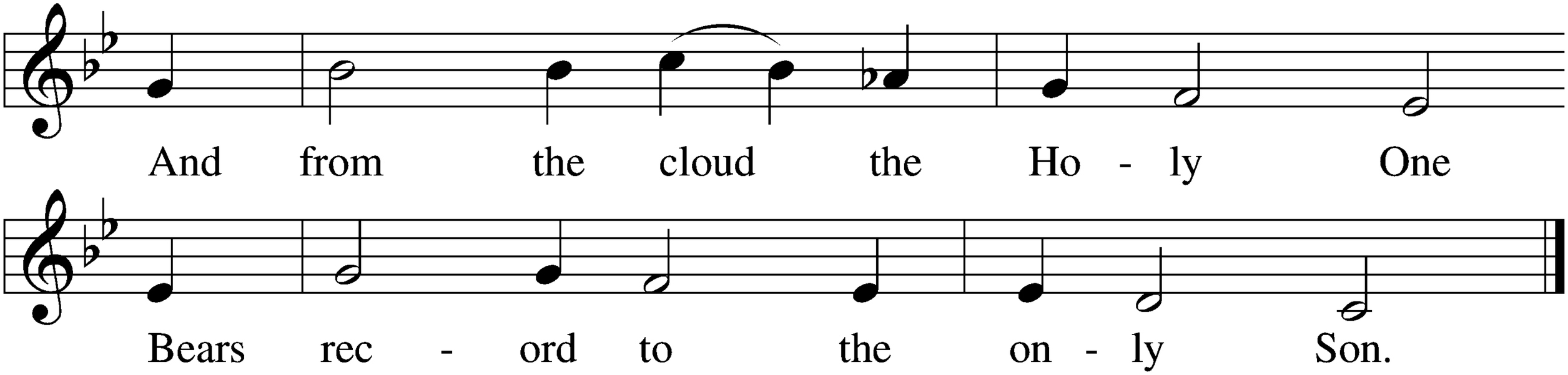

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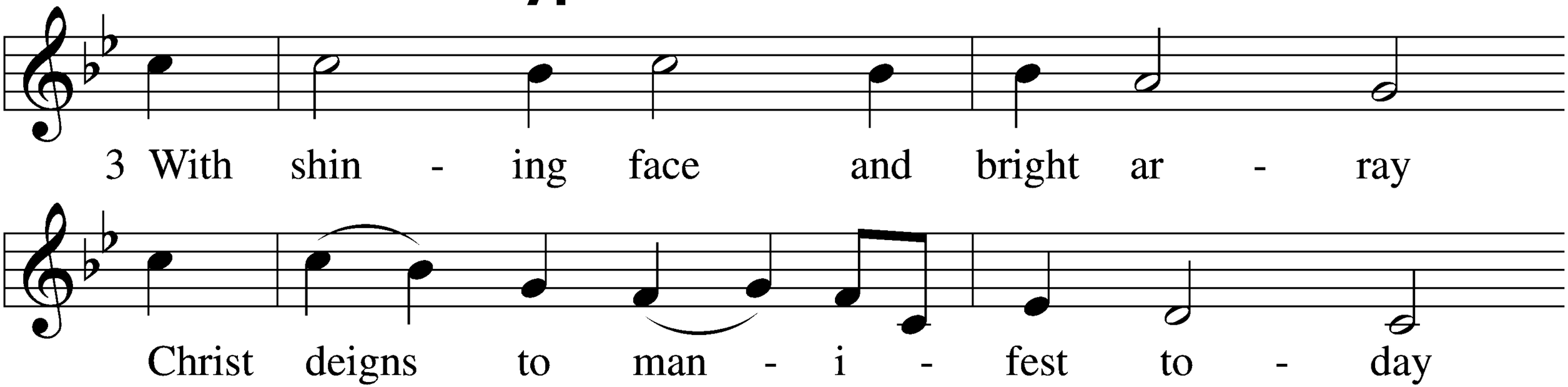

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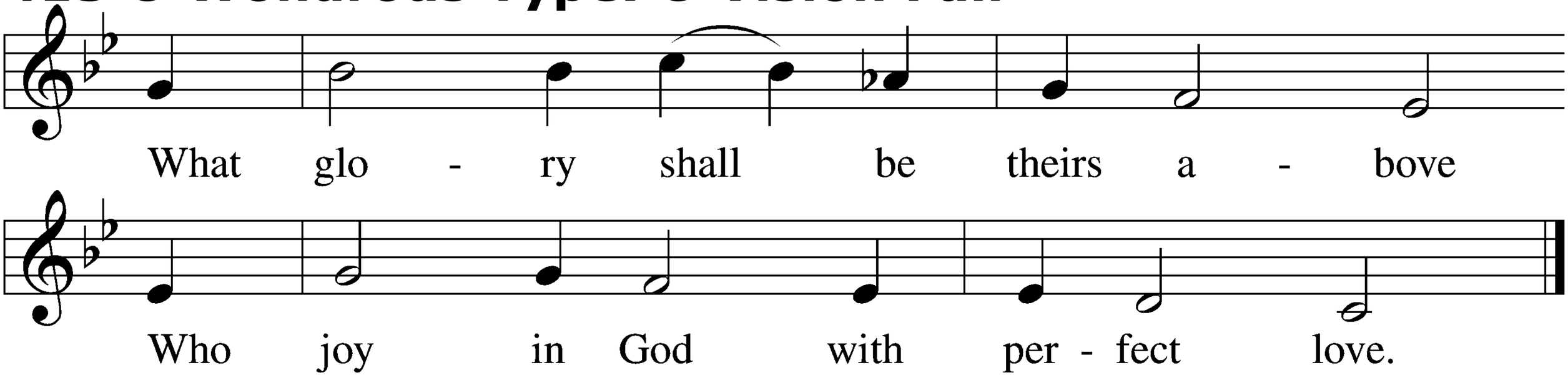

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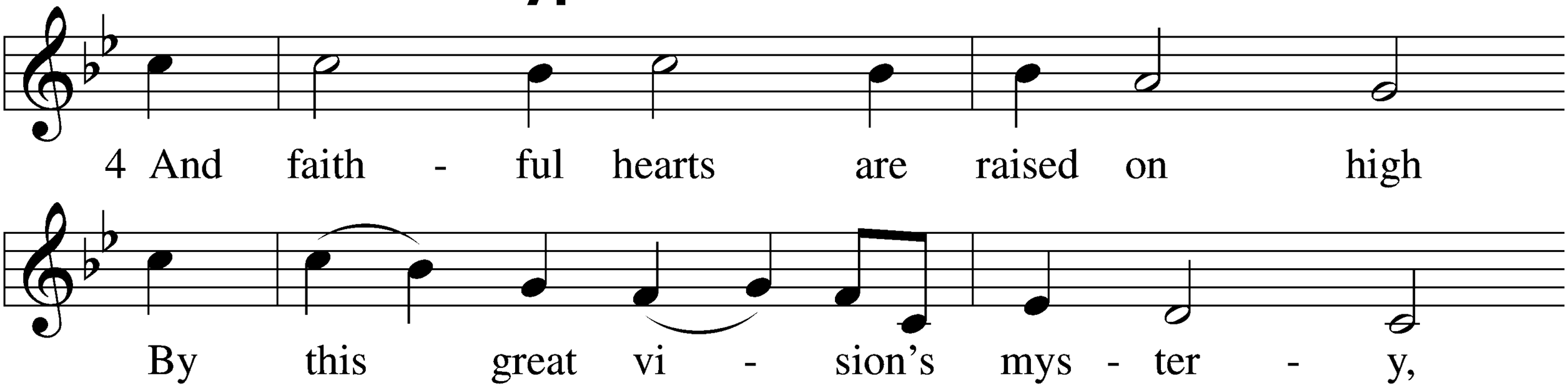

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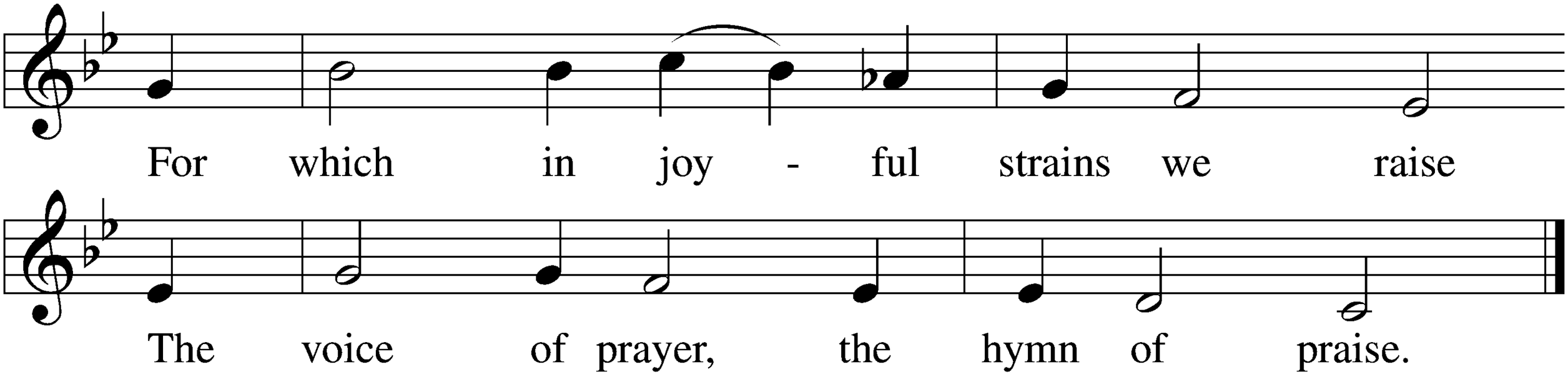

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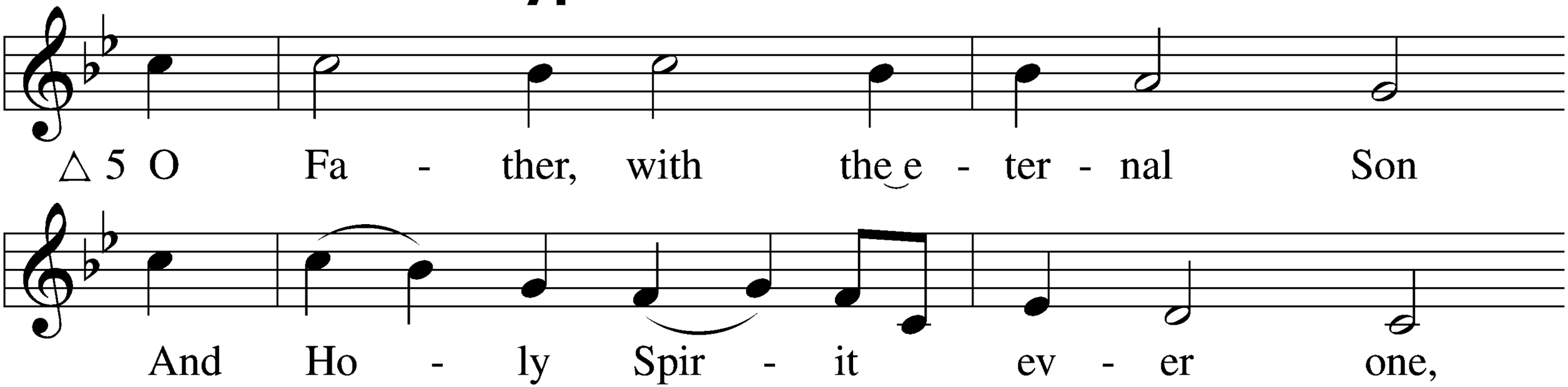

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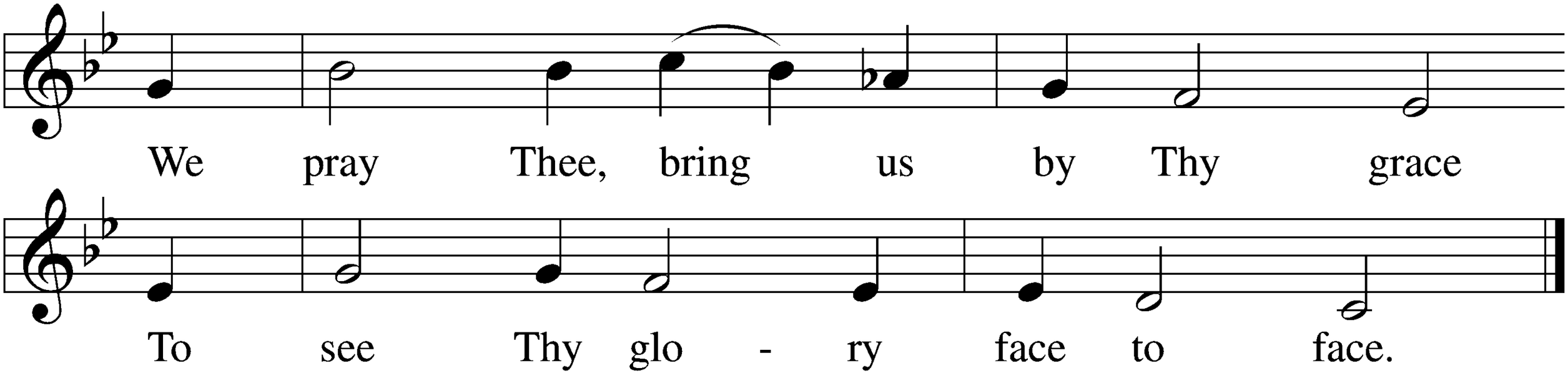


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# Sermon

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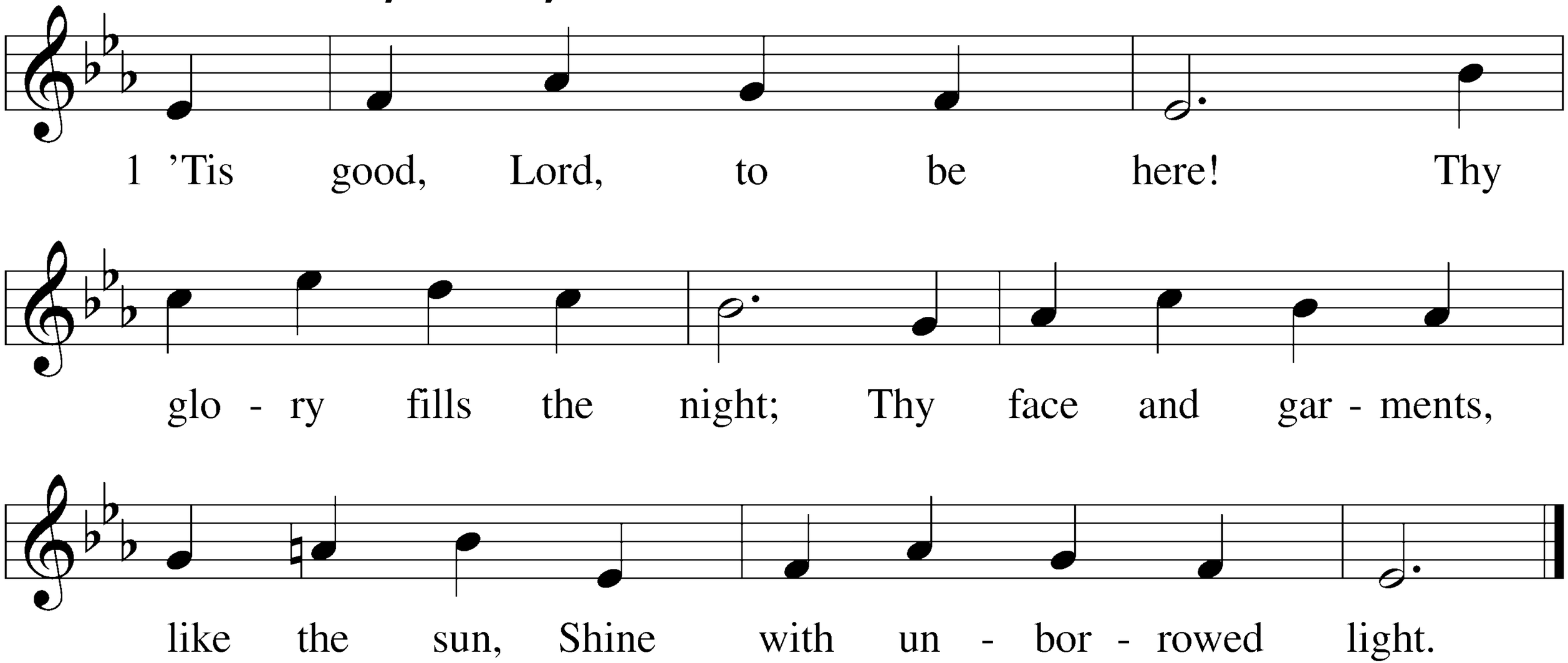

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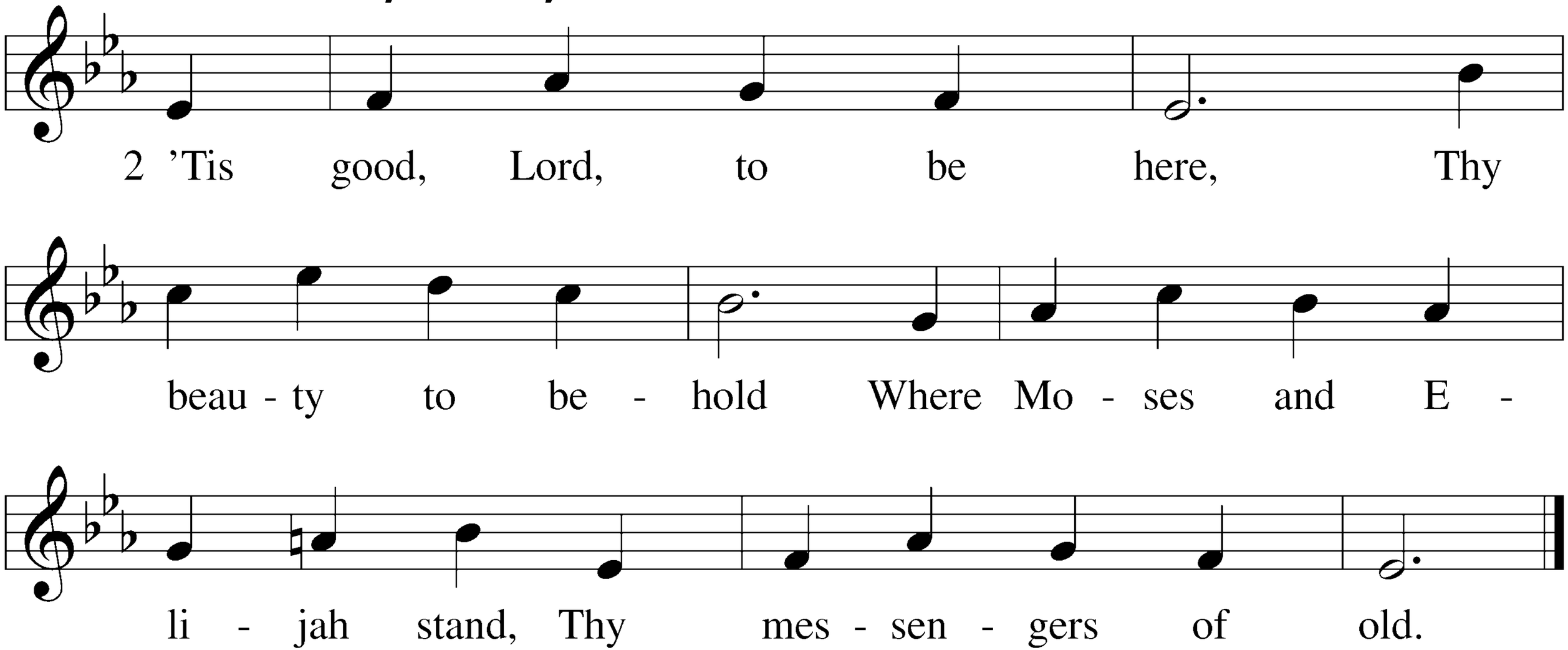

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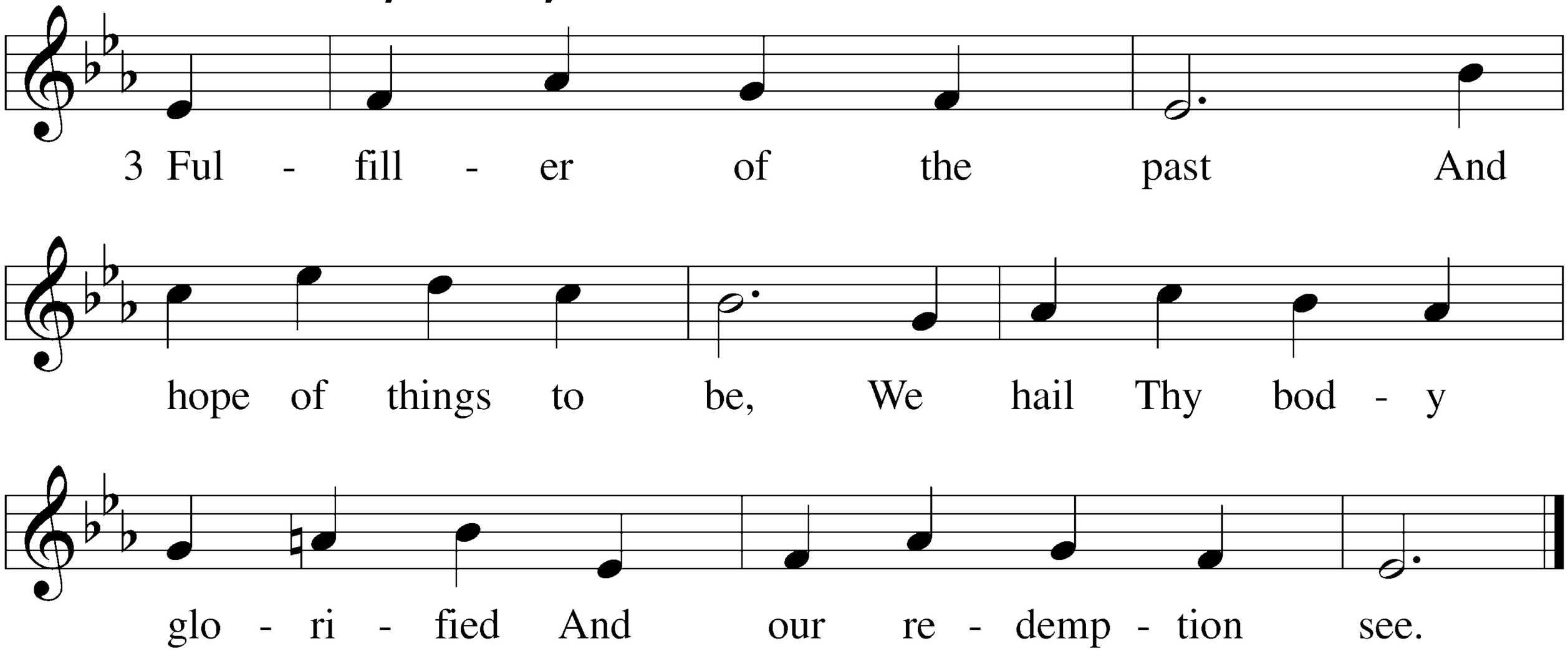

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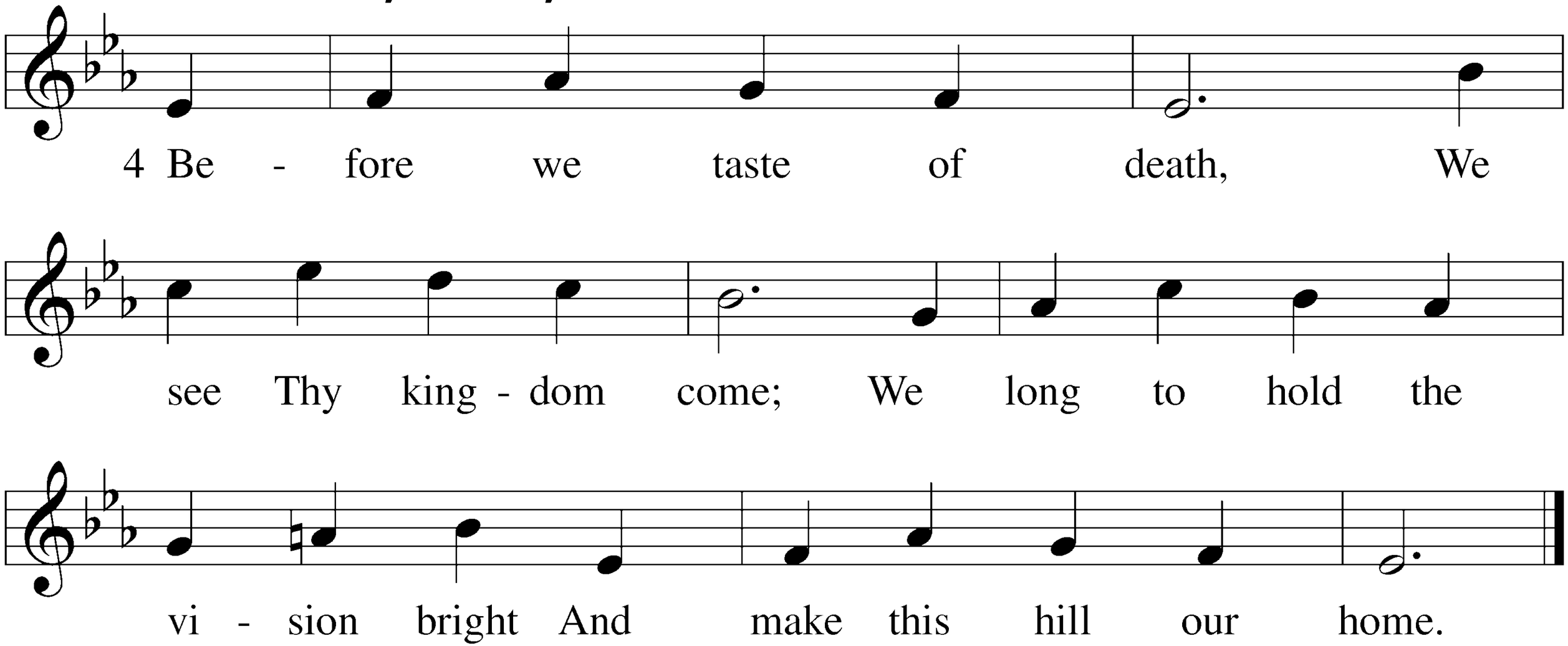

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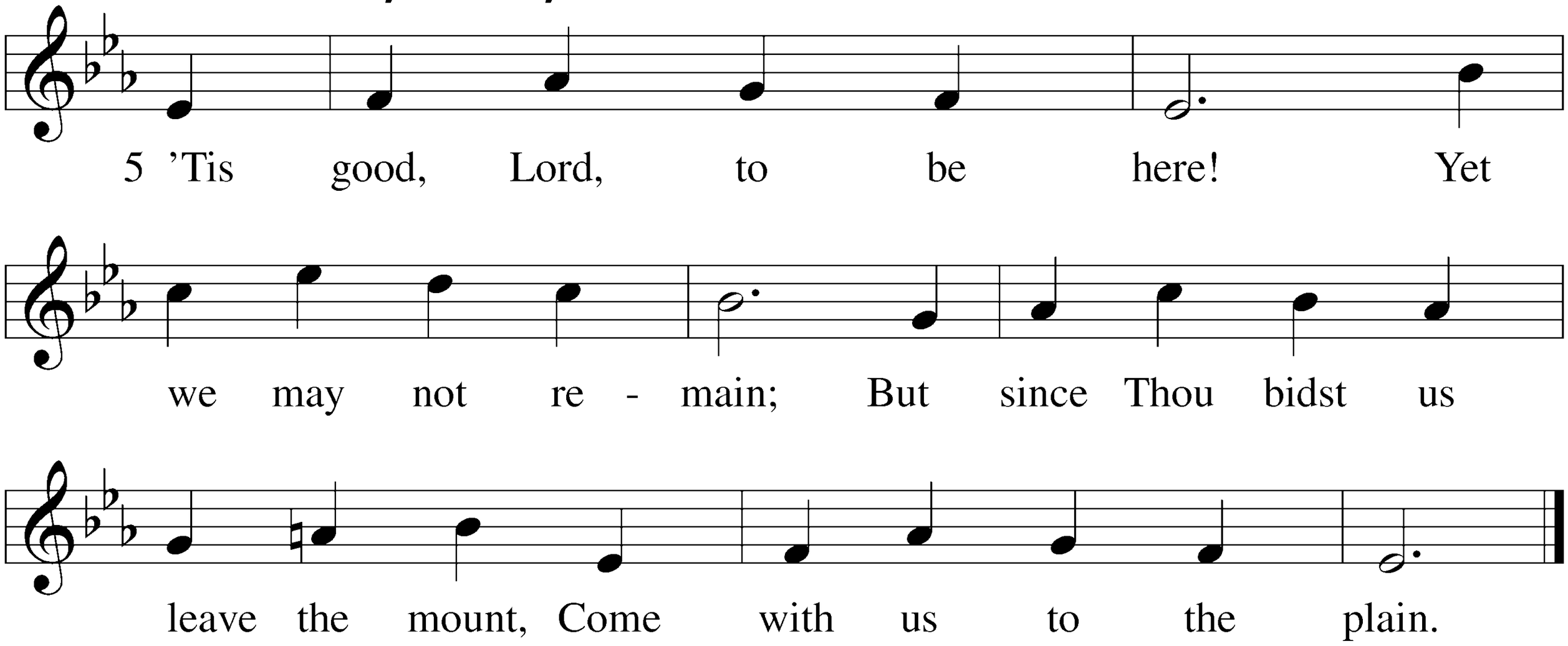


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# Offering

**Prayer of the Church**

℗ Let us pray for the whole people of God in Christ Jesus, and for all people according to their needs.

℗ …Lord, in Your mercy,
℣ **hear our prayer.**

℗ …let us pray to the Lord:
℣ **Lord, have mercy.**

℗ Into Your hands, O Lord, we commend all for whom we pray, trusting in Your mercy; through Your Son Jesus Christ, our Lord.
℣ **Amen.**

**Lord's Prayer**

℗ Taught by our Lord and trusting His promises, we are bold to pray:

℃ **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**

**Lord’s Prayer**

**C** **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.**

**Collect for the Word**

℗ O Blessed Lord, You have caused all Holy Scriptures to be written for our learning. Grant that we may so hear them, read, mark, learn, and inwardly digest them that, by patience and comfort of Your holy Word, we may embrace and hold fast the blessed hope of everlasting life;

**Collect for the Word**

℗ through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

ℂ **Amen.**

**Benedicamus & Benediction**

℗ Let us bless the Lord.

**℃ Thanks be to God.**

℗ The Lord bless you and keep you.
The Lord make His face shine on you and be gracious to you.
The Lord look upon you with favor and
✢ give you peace.

**℃ Amen.**

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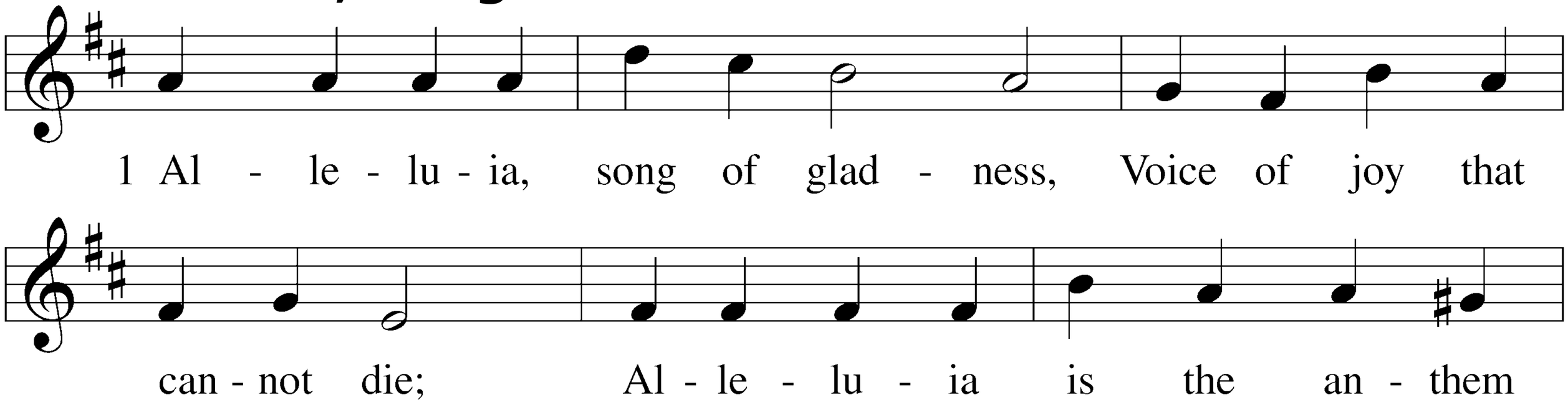

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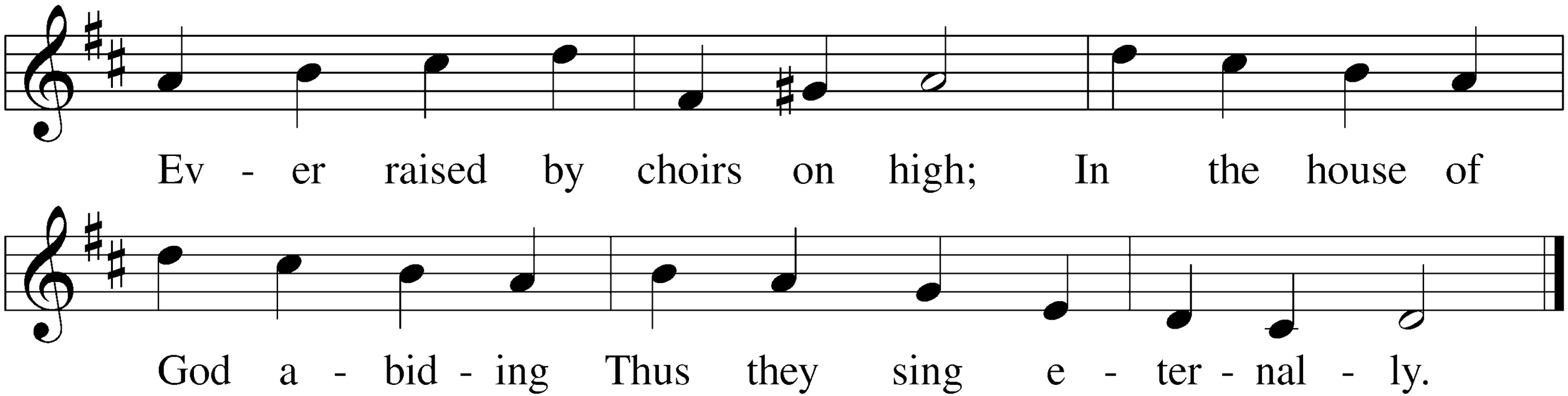

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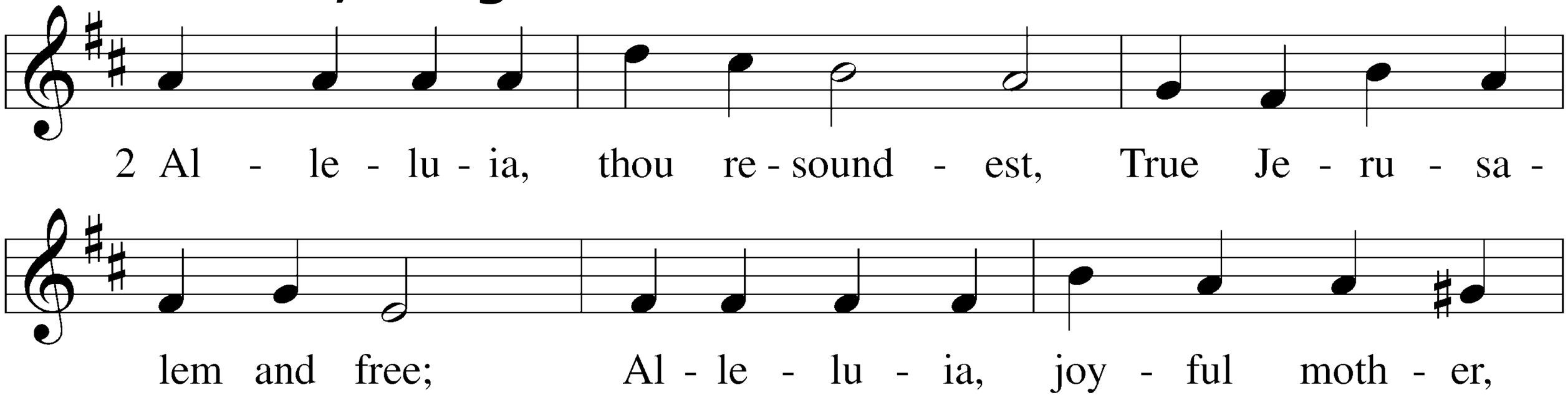

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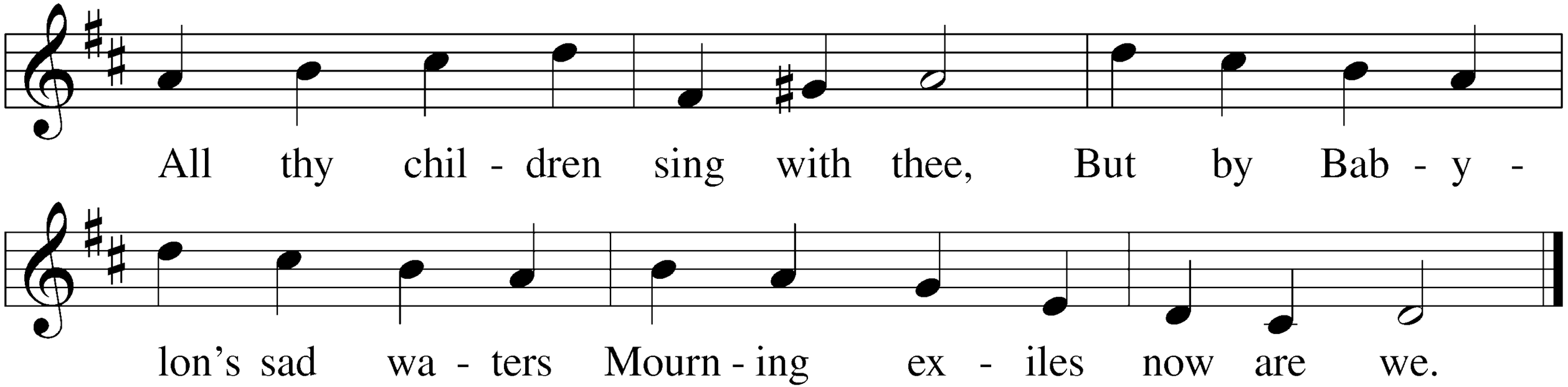

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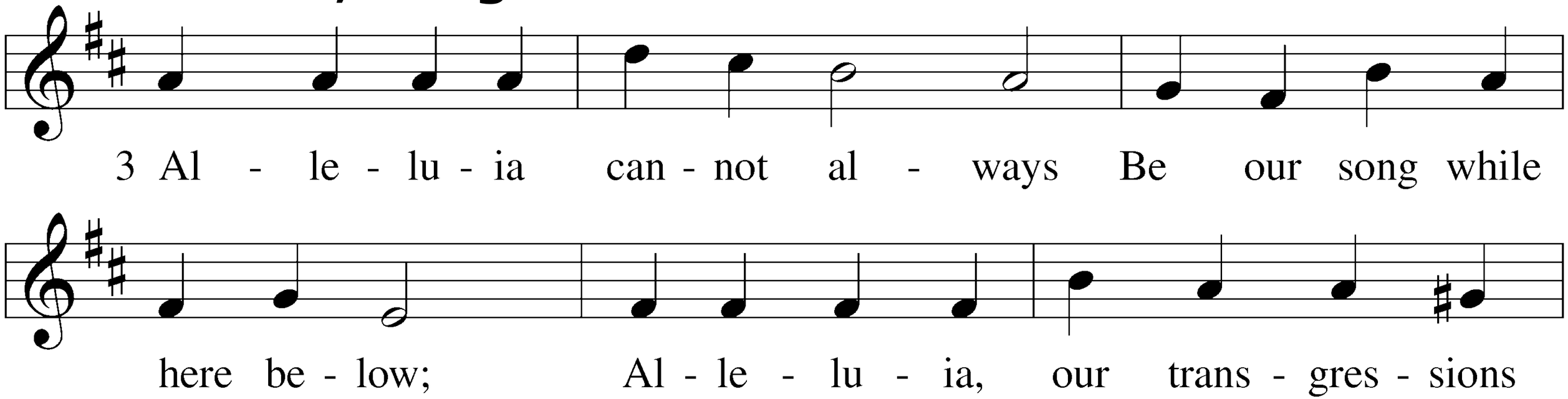

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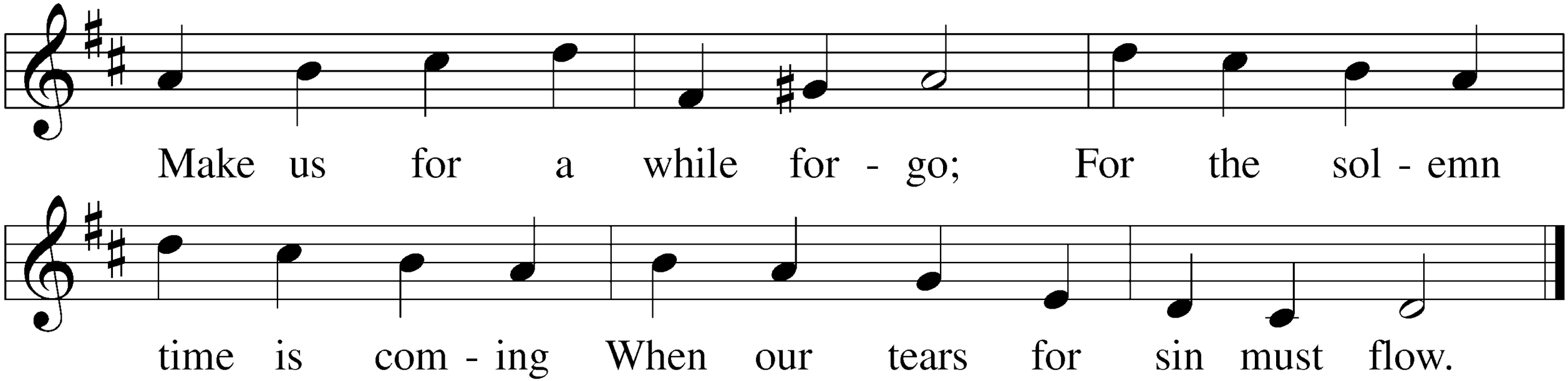

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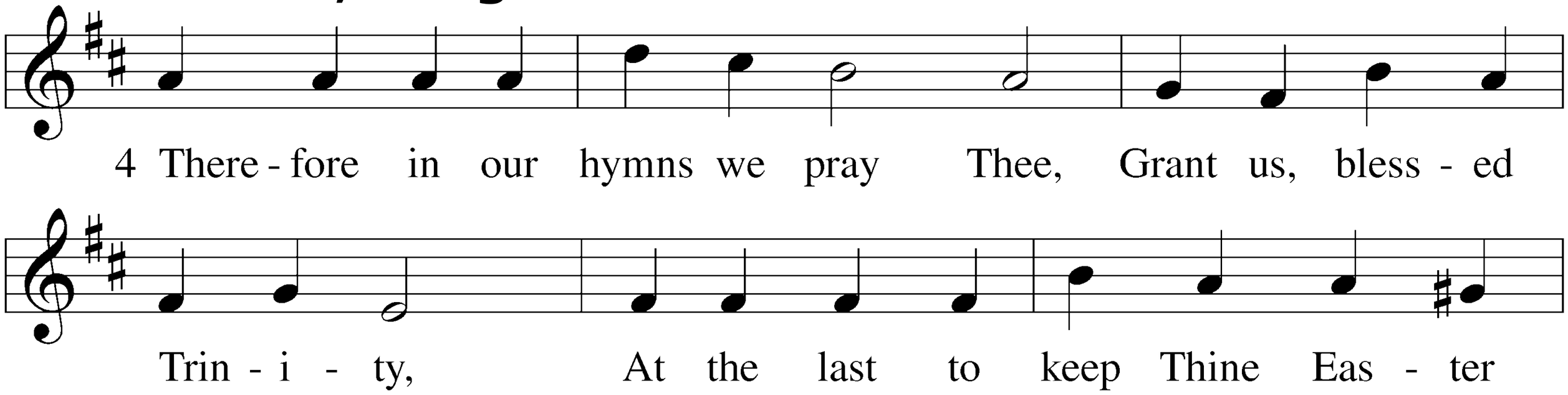

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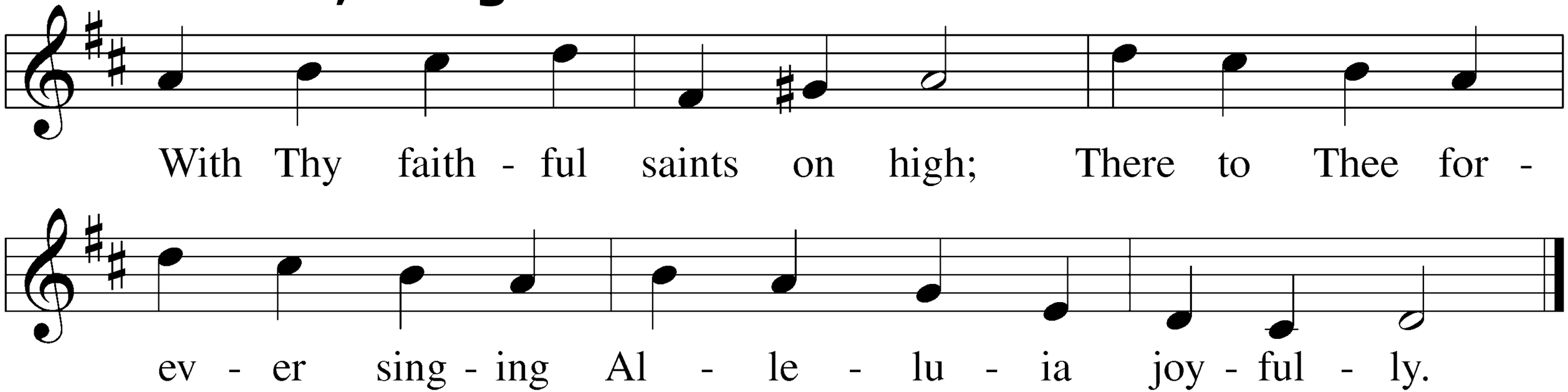


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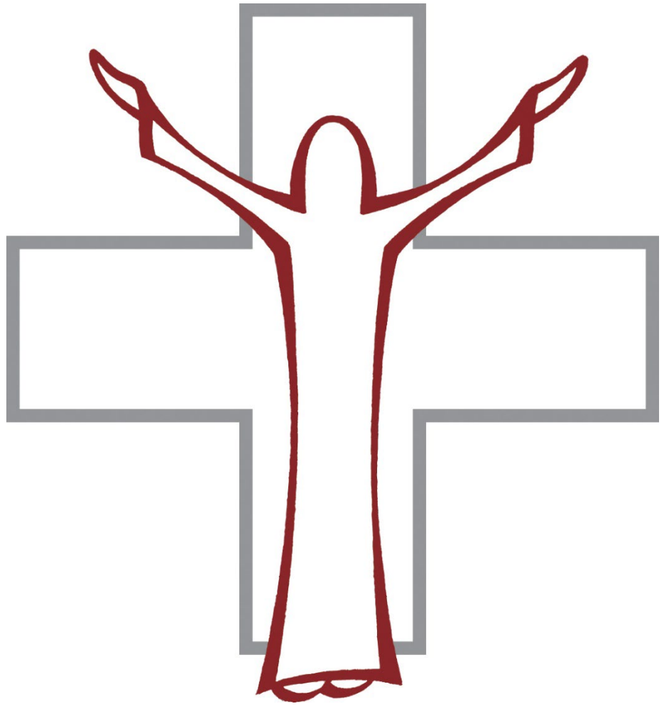

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LWML
Lutheran Women *in Mission*

Please contribute
**Two Dimes**
in February.

Red socks are located by the mailboxes
and in the Fellowship Hall

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THANK YOU

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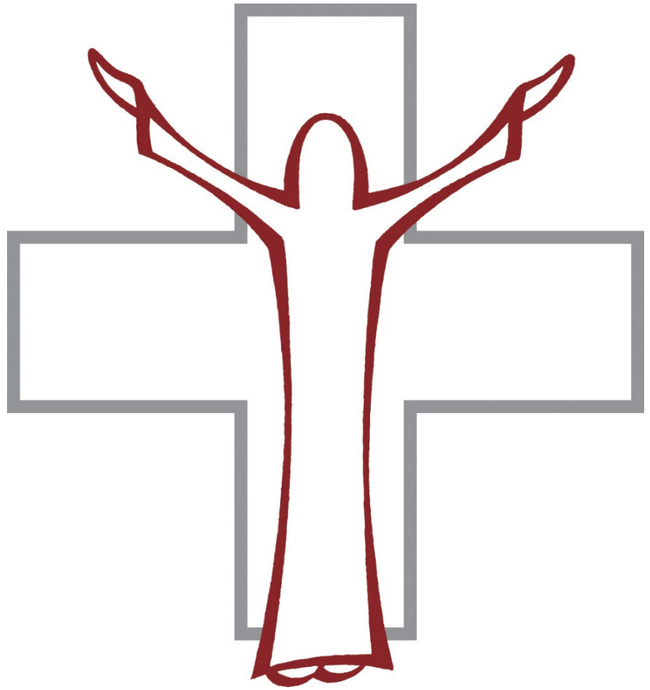
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