Welcome Home!

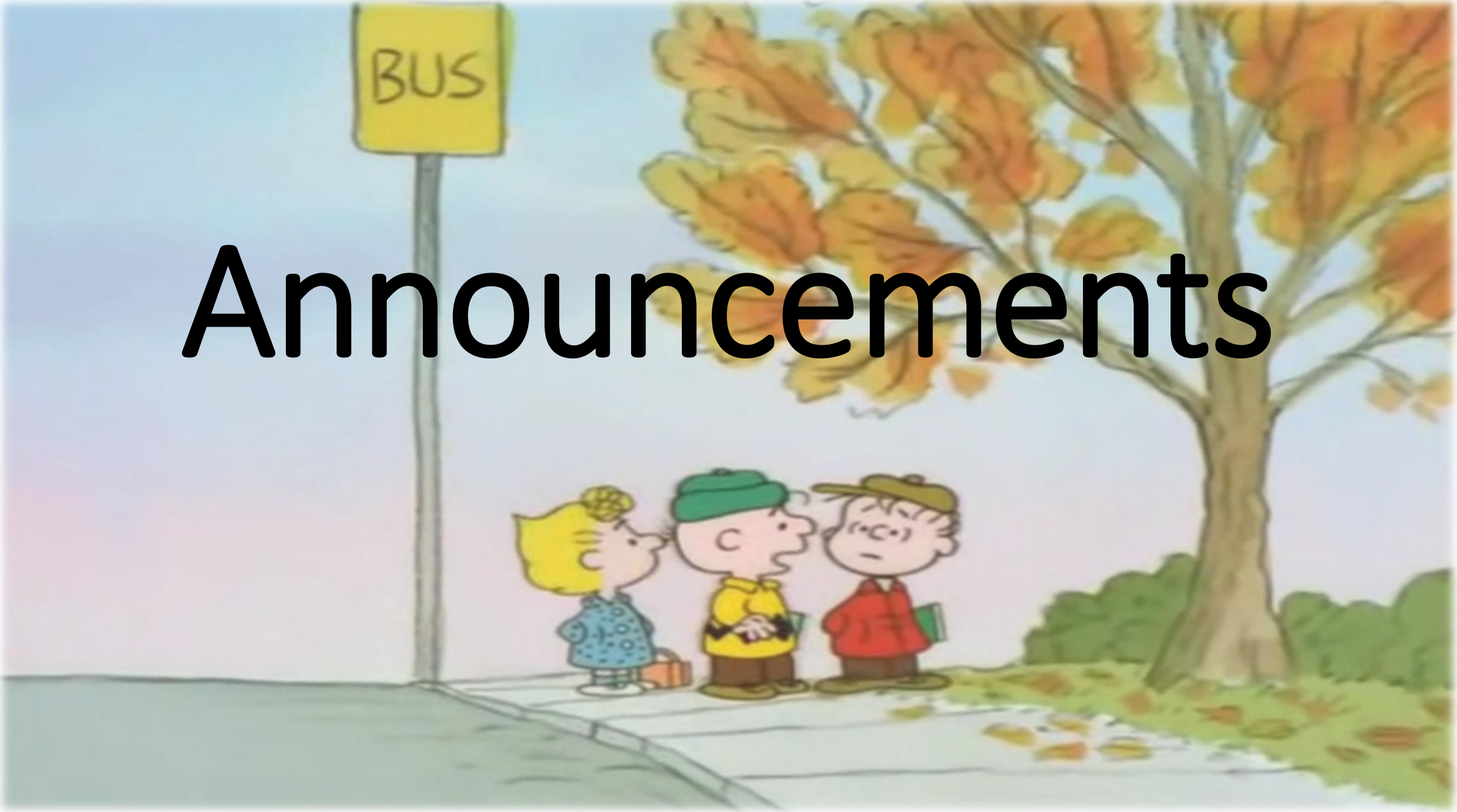
October 9, 2022

Sunday Worship Service

Sanctuary & Online

10:00 AM

Announcements



Choral Call to Worship

Surely the Presence of the Lord

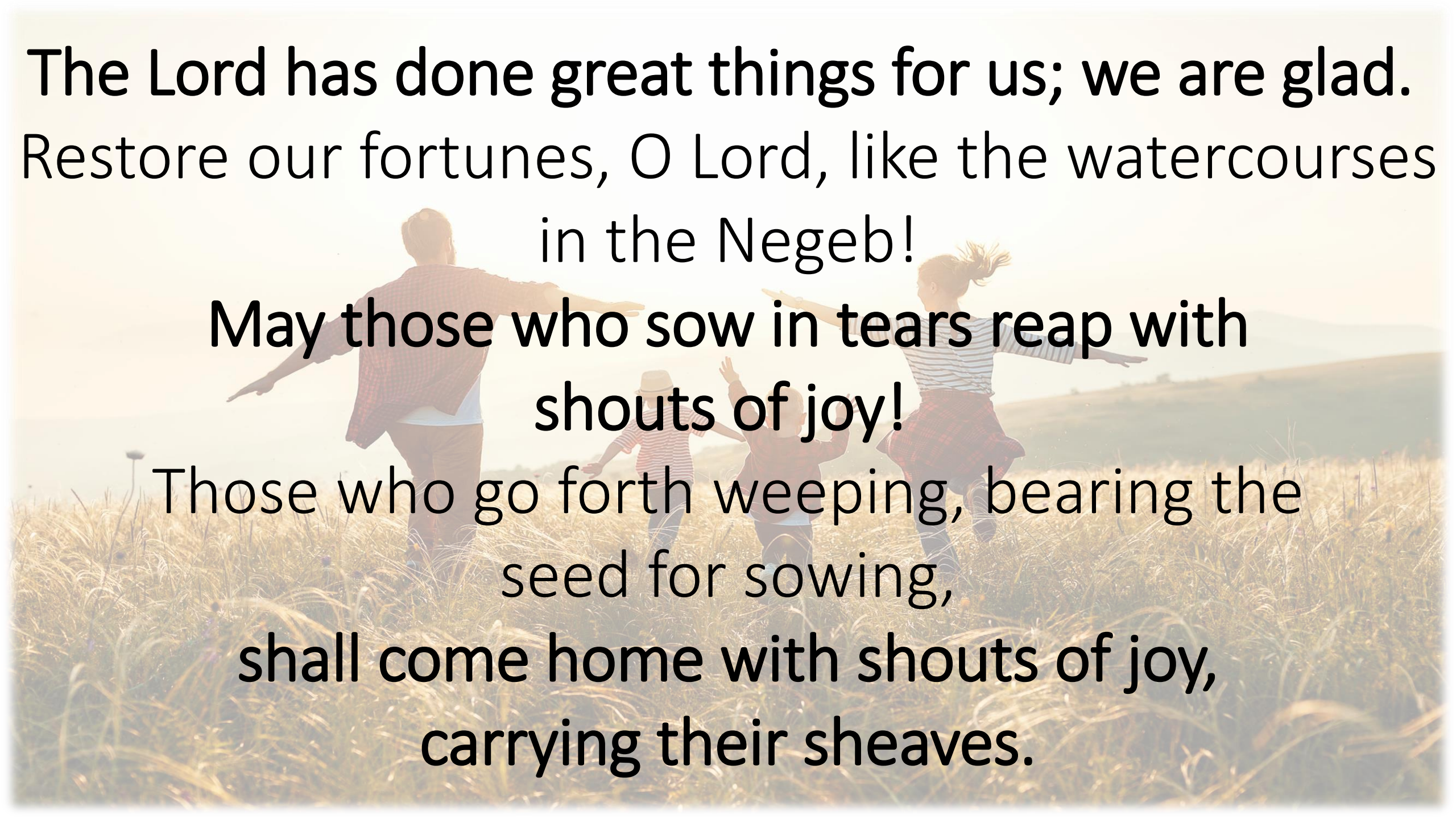
Lanny Wolfe

*Call to Worship

Leader: When the Lord restored the fortunes of Zion, we were like those who dream.

Congregation: Then our mouth was filled with laughter, and our tongue with shouts of joy;

then they said among the nations, “The Lord has done great things for them.”



The Lord has done great things for us; we are glad.

Restore our fortunes, O Lord, like the watercourses in the Negeb!

May those who sow in tears reap with shouts of joy!

Those who go forth weeping, bearing the seed for sowing,

shall come home with shouts of joy, carrying their sheaves.

*Hymn of Praise

O How I Love Jesus

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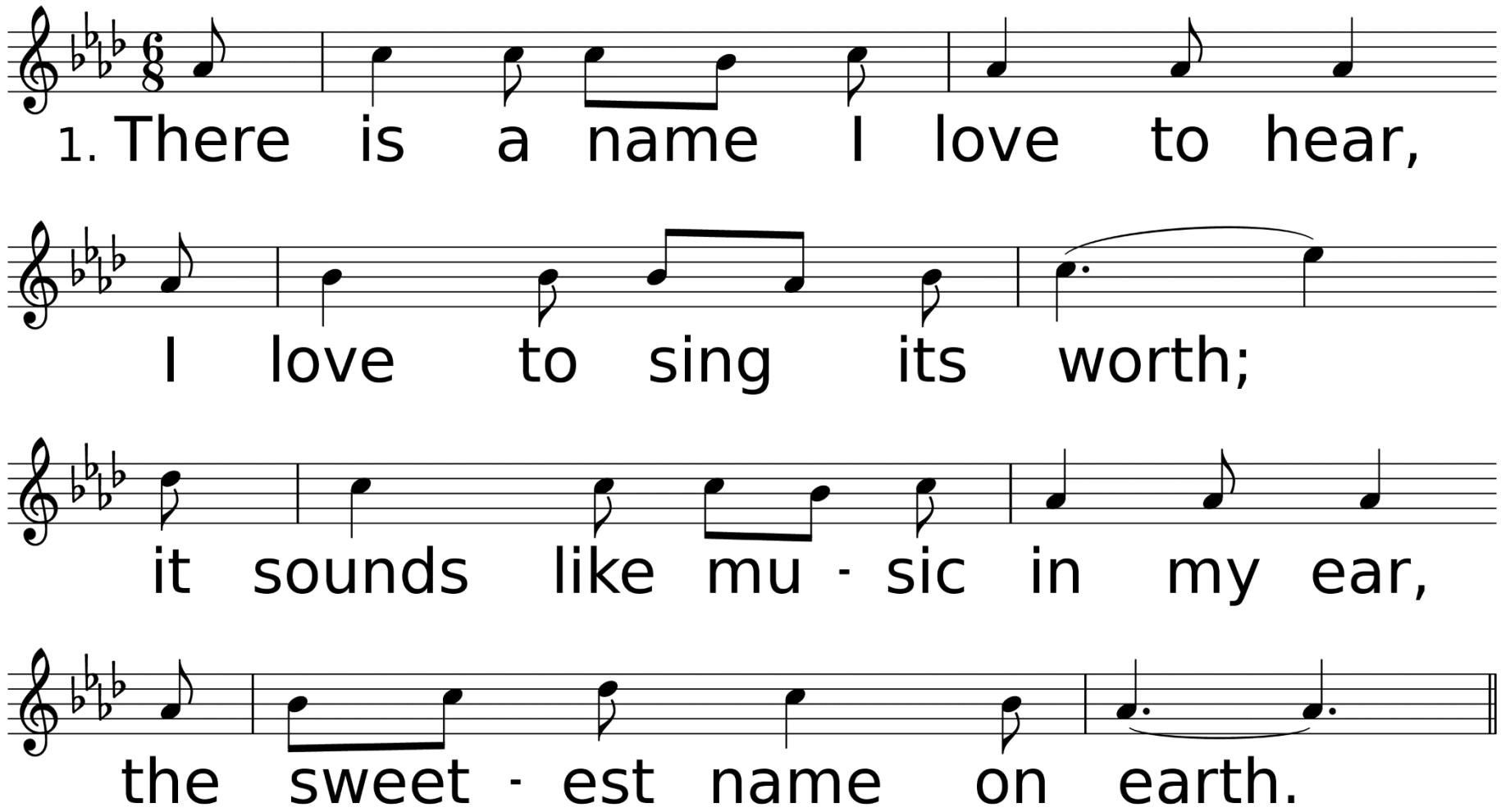

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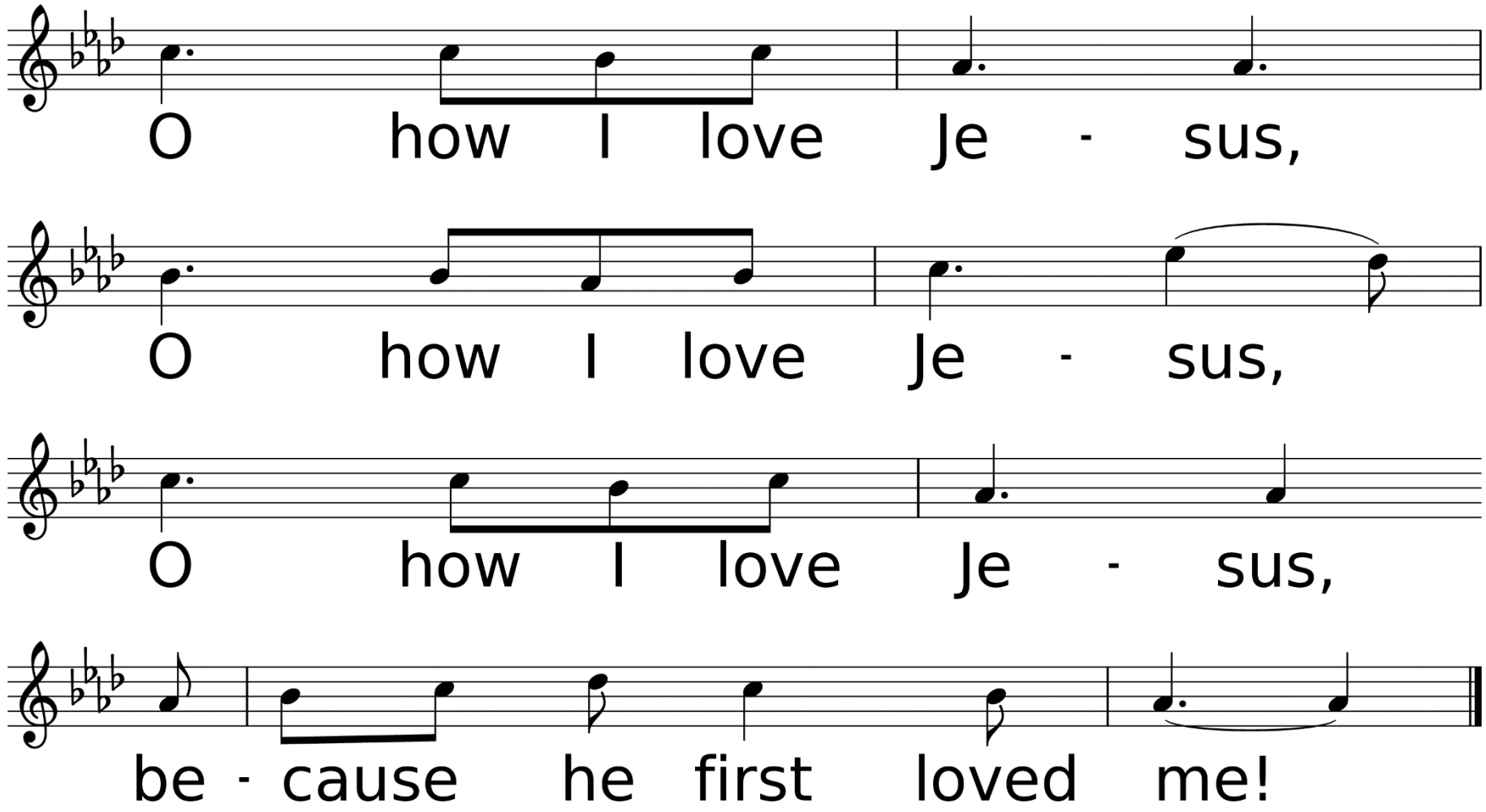
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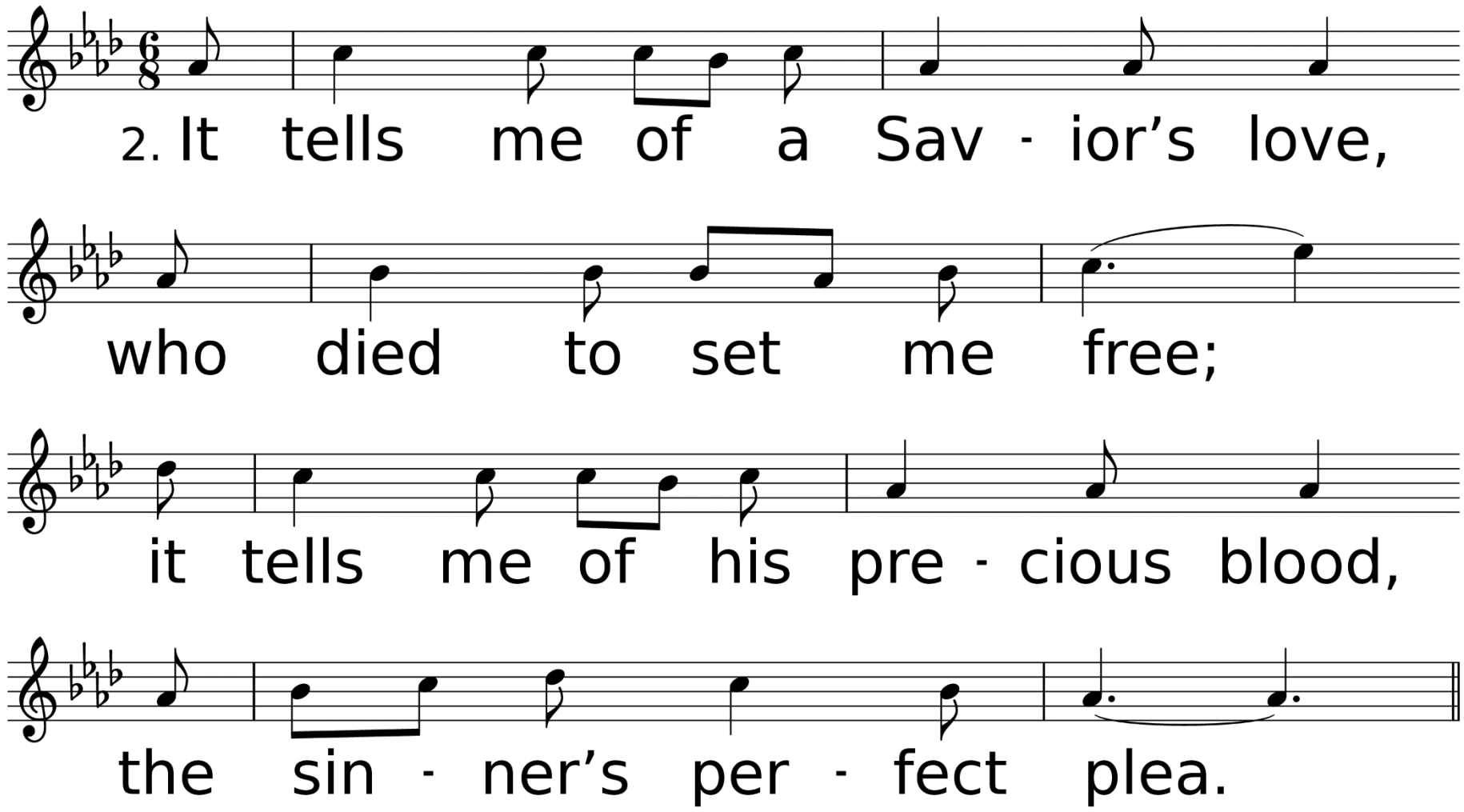
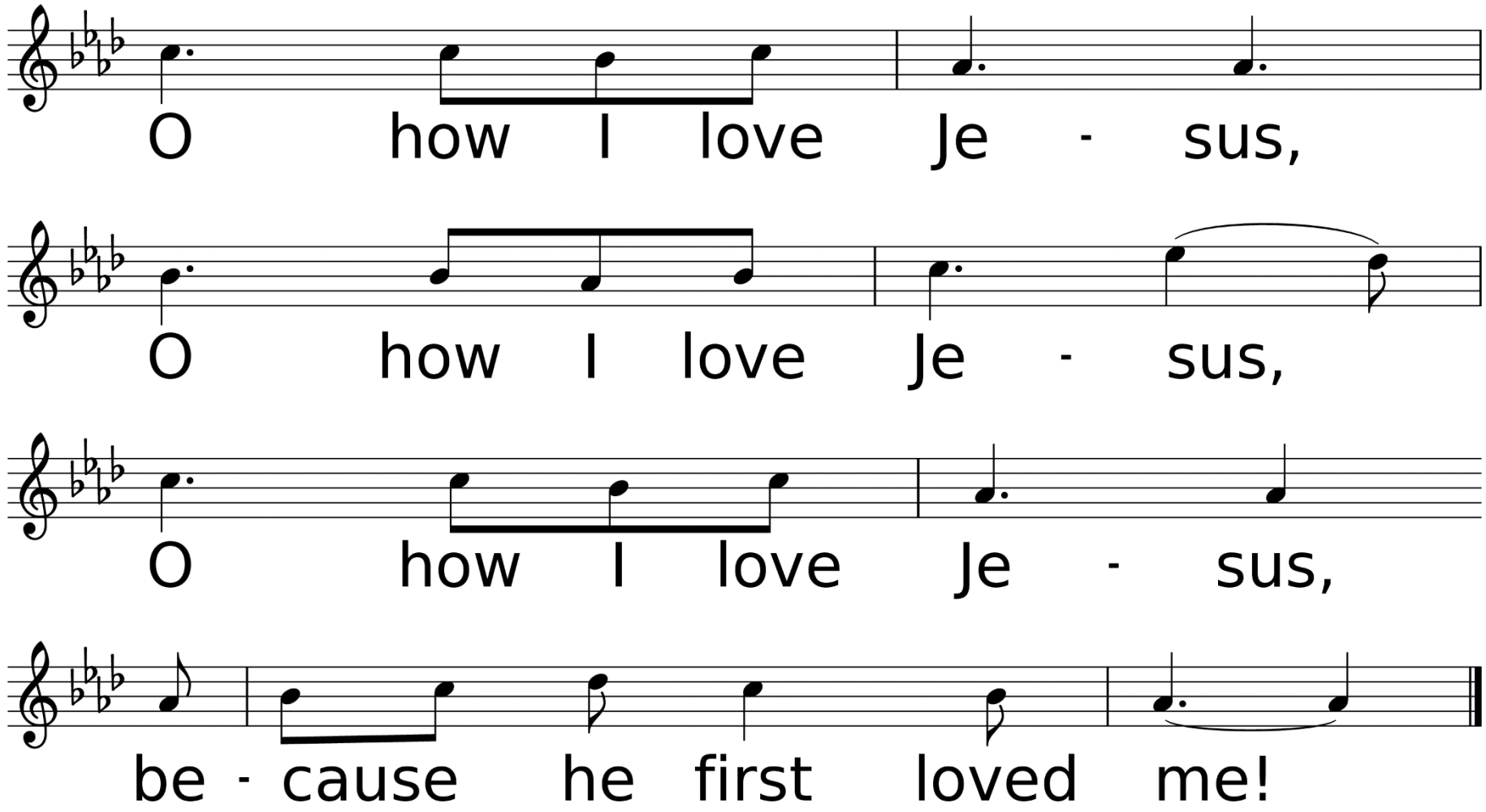
be - cause he first loved me!


2. It tells me of a Sav - ior's love,
who died to set me free;
it tells me of his pre - cious blood,
the sin - ner's per - fect plea.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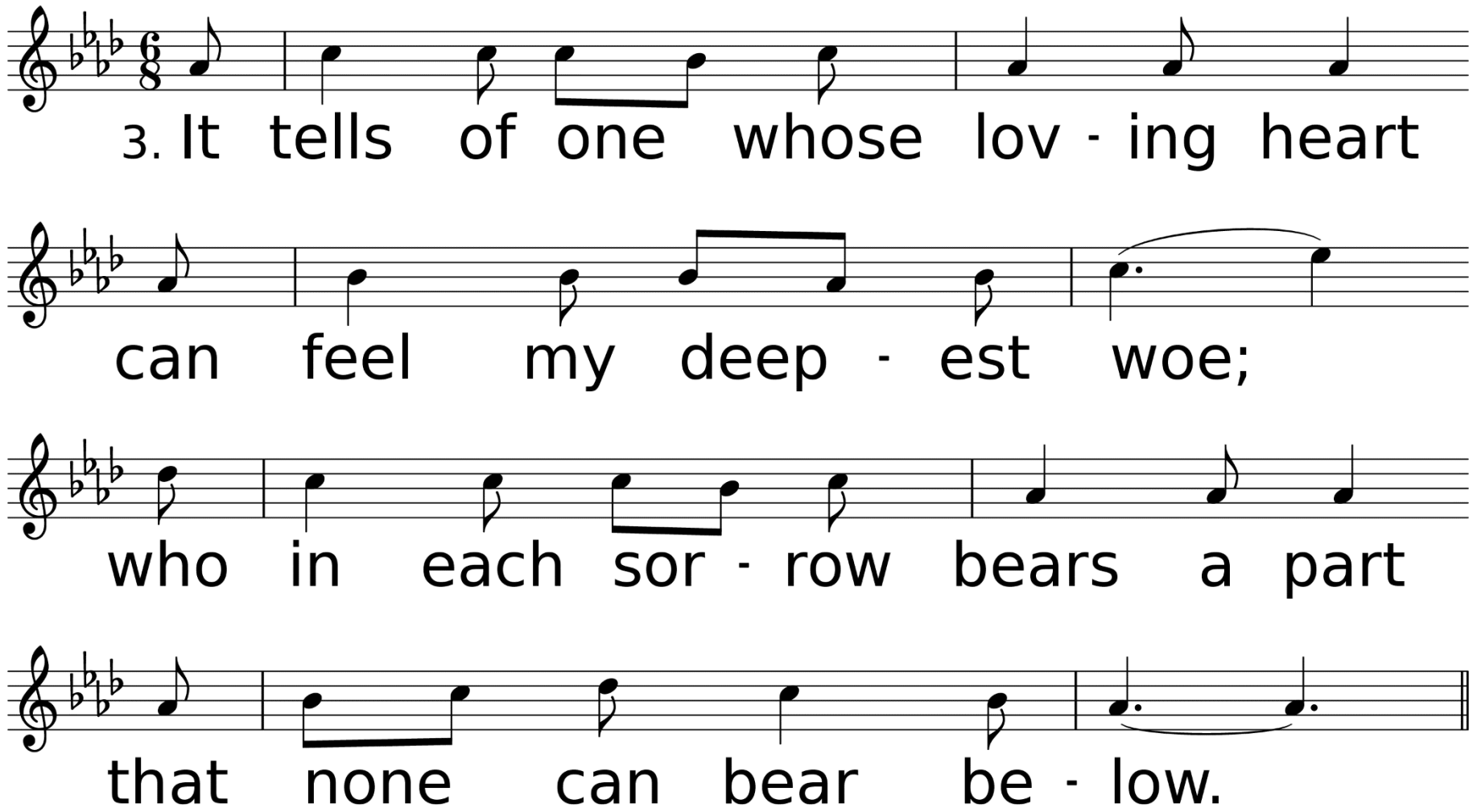
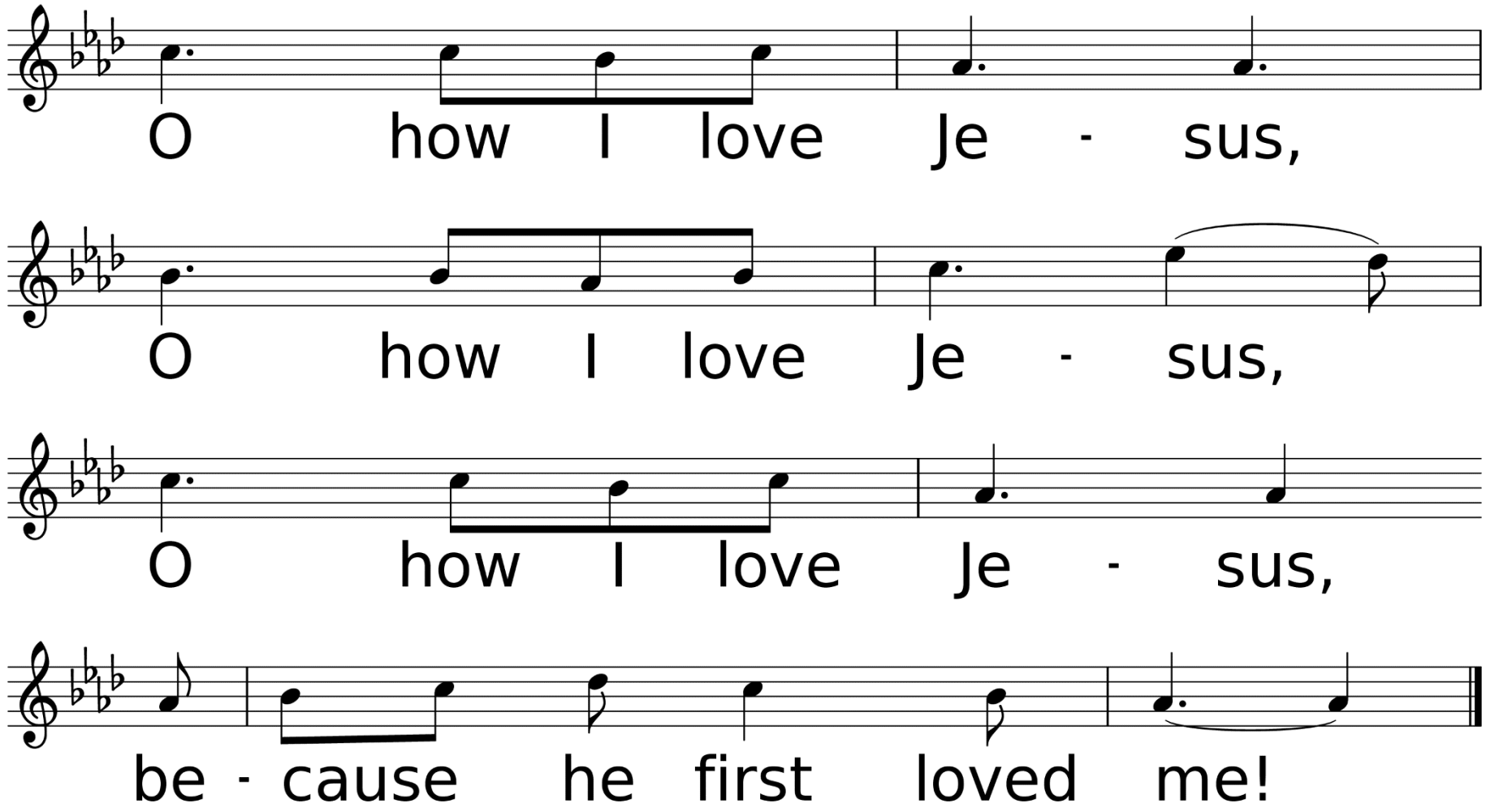

3. It tells of one whose lov - ing heart
can feel my deep - est woe;
who in each sor - row bears a part
that none can bear be - low.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*Affirmation of Faith

Leader: Where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is the one true church, apostolic and universal, whose holy faith let us now declare:

Congregation: We believe in God the Father, infinite in wisdom, power and love, whose mercy is over all his works, and whose will is ever directed to his children's good.

We believe in Jesus Christ, Son of God and Son of man, the gift of the Father's unfailing grace, the ground of our hope, and the promise of our deliverance from sin and death. We believe in the Holy Spirit as the divine presence in our lives, whereby we are kept in perpetual remembrance of the truth of Christ, and find strength and help in time of need.

We believe that this faith should manifest itself in the service of love as set forth in the example of our blessed Lord, to the end that the kingdom of God may come upon the earth. Amen.

Sharing Our Joys and Concerns

Janet Oliver
Edmund Melusi Makowa
Jim Booth
Frances Cole
Ellie Lunsford
Bill & Dianne Penney
Marjorie & Keith Nelson
Jared Jones
Analise Dobbs
Kelly Bailey Family
Glen Reichley
Jerry Noland
Rodney Faris
Richie Blankenship
Dick & Cheri Neely
Margaret Ward
Lorri Woodward

Brenda Jones
Donna McCullough
Anna Wiggins
Sarah Biggs
Neely Biggs
Gail Hicks
Todd Hicks
Marcia & Roy Ades
Elizabeth Vincent
Stephanie
Presley-Huckaby
Bart Fazio
Sharon Dukes
Billie Zachary
Mary Allen
Christina Benton

Emilia Anderson
Helen Johnson
Michael Wolfe
Derek Townsend
Jinger Myers
Liz & Don Savant
Kimberly Marshall
Kelley Allen & Family
Brandon Brister
Freeney Children
Rita Brewer
Landon Clark
Joan Mays
Brenda Penney
Barbara Senters
Billy Blancet
Bob Baldares, Sr.

Eddie Kilman
Bill & Marilyn Kenney
Eleanor Marcello Jones
Woodie Blanks
John Flynn
Hannah Woodard
Grace Cooley
Carol Minchew
Amber Goodwin
Lydia Derouen
Ruth Wells
Amie Biggs Lewis
John Nelson
MaryAnn Greer
Carol Baldares
Charlene Blevins
Alex Baker

Ukraine, Hurricane Recovery Efforts, All Emergency Personnel, The Military, City of DeRidder, State of Louisiana, The United States of America, Our World, Our Enemies, Our Church, & Those Who Have Hurt Us

Call To Prayer
Fairest Lord Jesus

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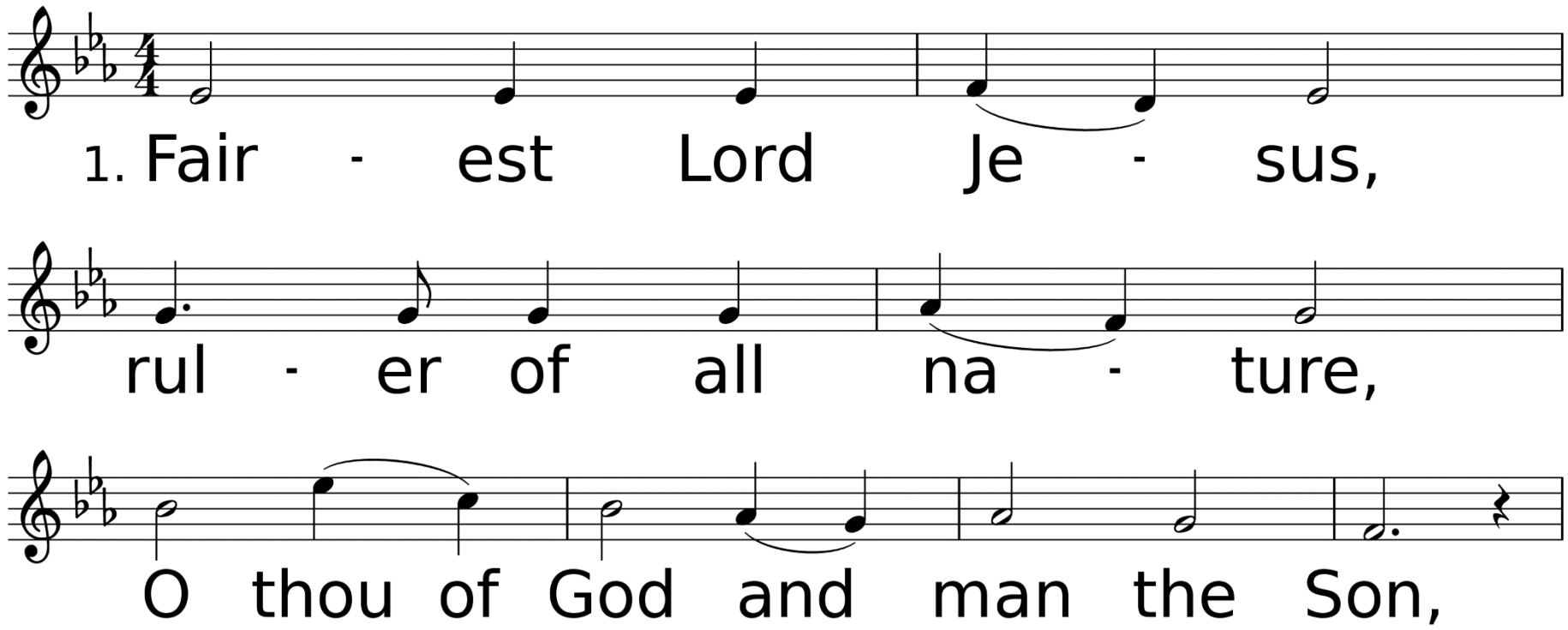

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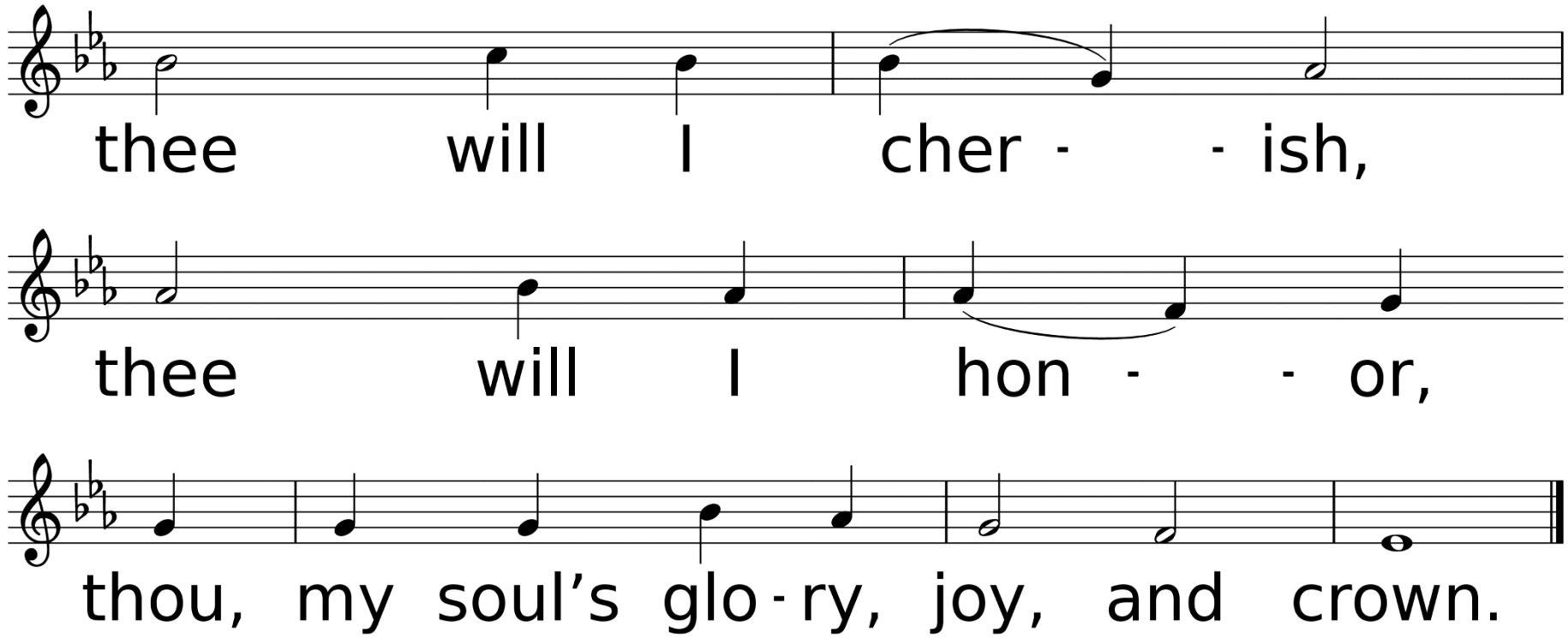
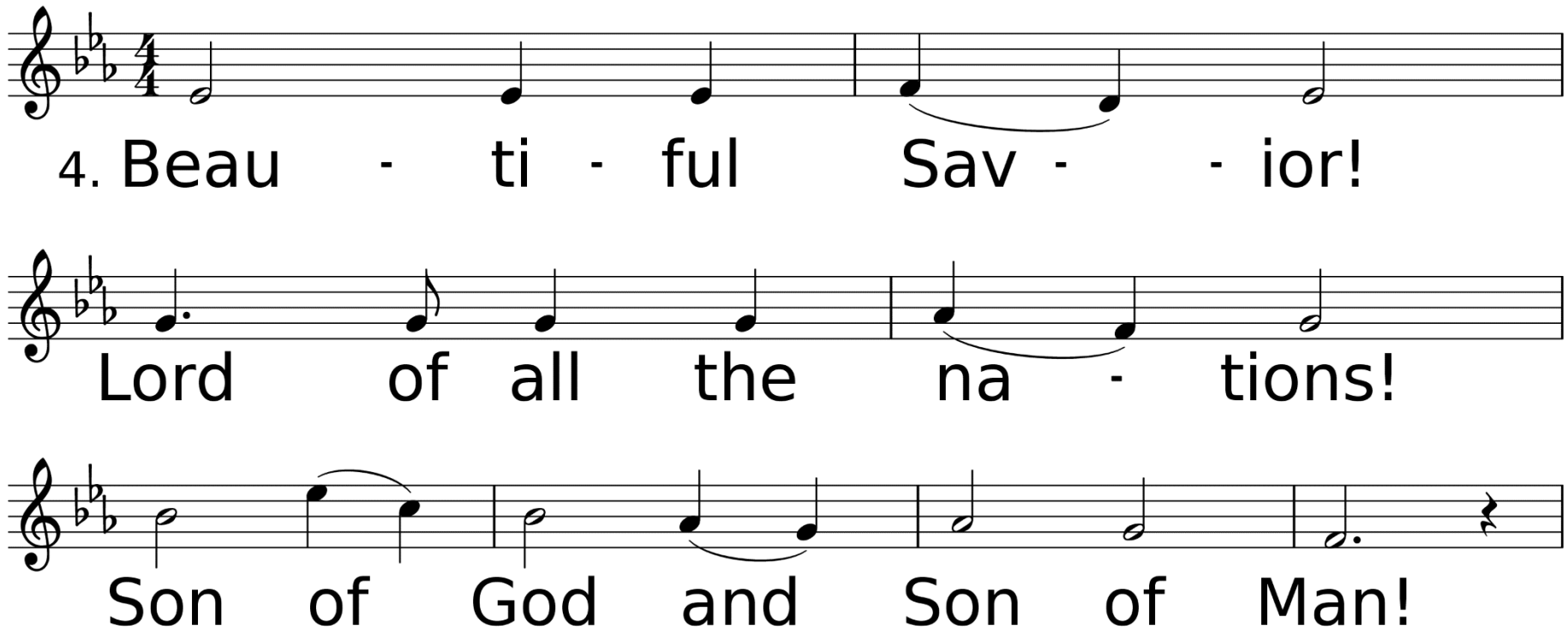
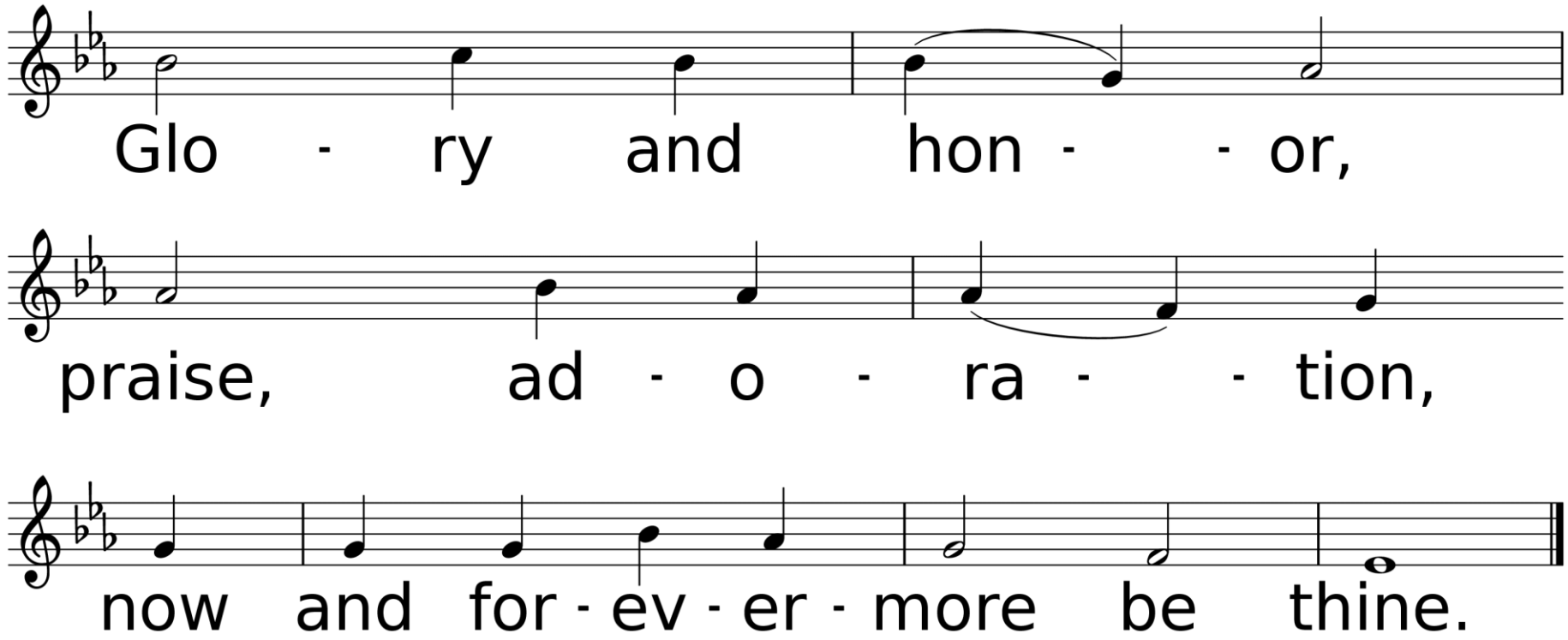

thee will I cher - - ish,
thee will I hon - - or,
thou, my soul's glo - ry, joy, and crown.


4. Beau - ti - ful Sav - - ior!
Lord of all the na - tions!
Son of God and Son of Man!


Glo - ry and hon - - or,
praise, ad - o - ra - - tion,
now and for - ev - er - more be thine.

Congregational Prayer
&
The Lord’s Prayer

Offering Prayer & Return of God's Tithes & Gifts

*Doxology

Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow

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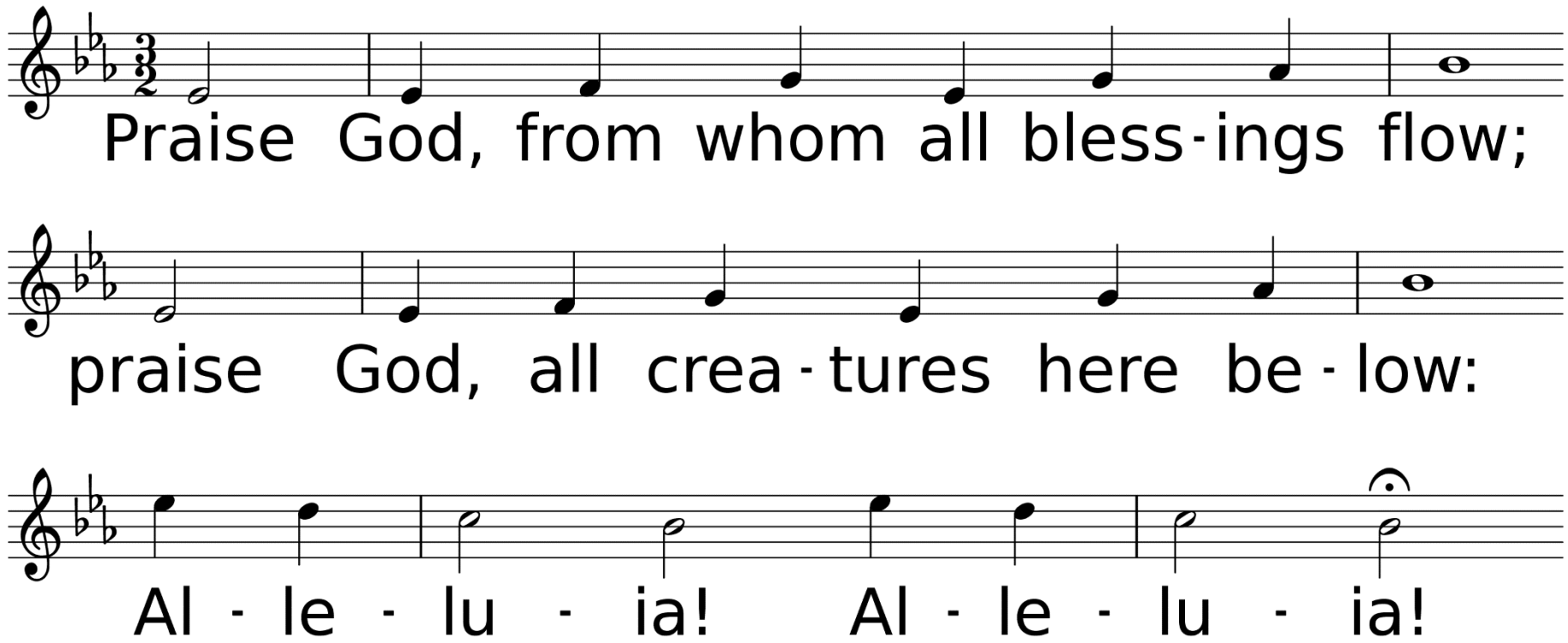

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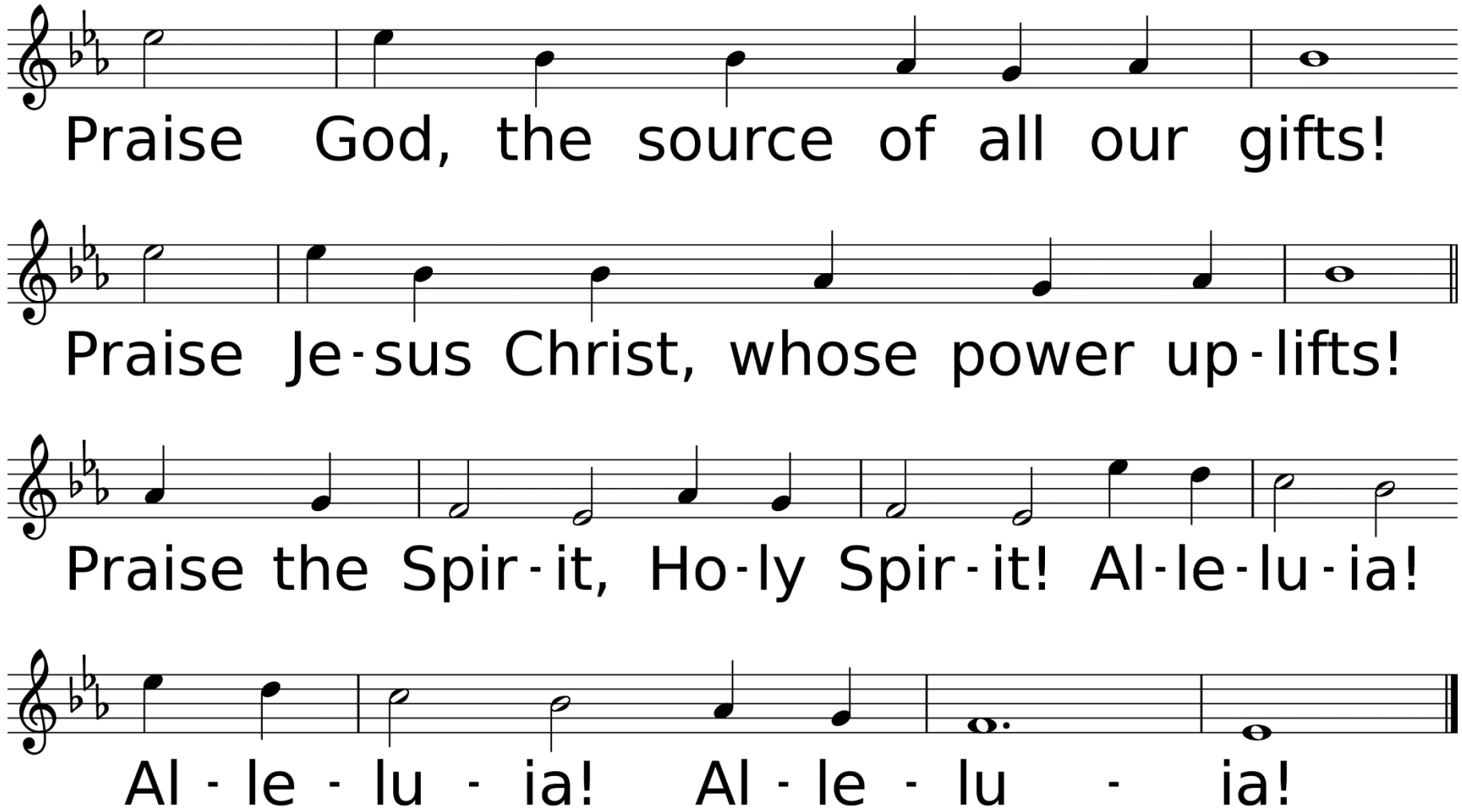
Praise God, the source of all our gifts!
Praise Je-sus Christ, whose power up-lifts!
Praise the Spir-it, Ho-ly Spir-it! Al-le-lu-ia!
Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!

Dismissal of Children for Children’s Church

Hymn of Faith

On Jordan's Stormy Banks I Stand

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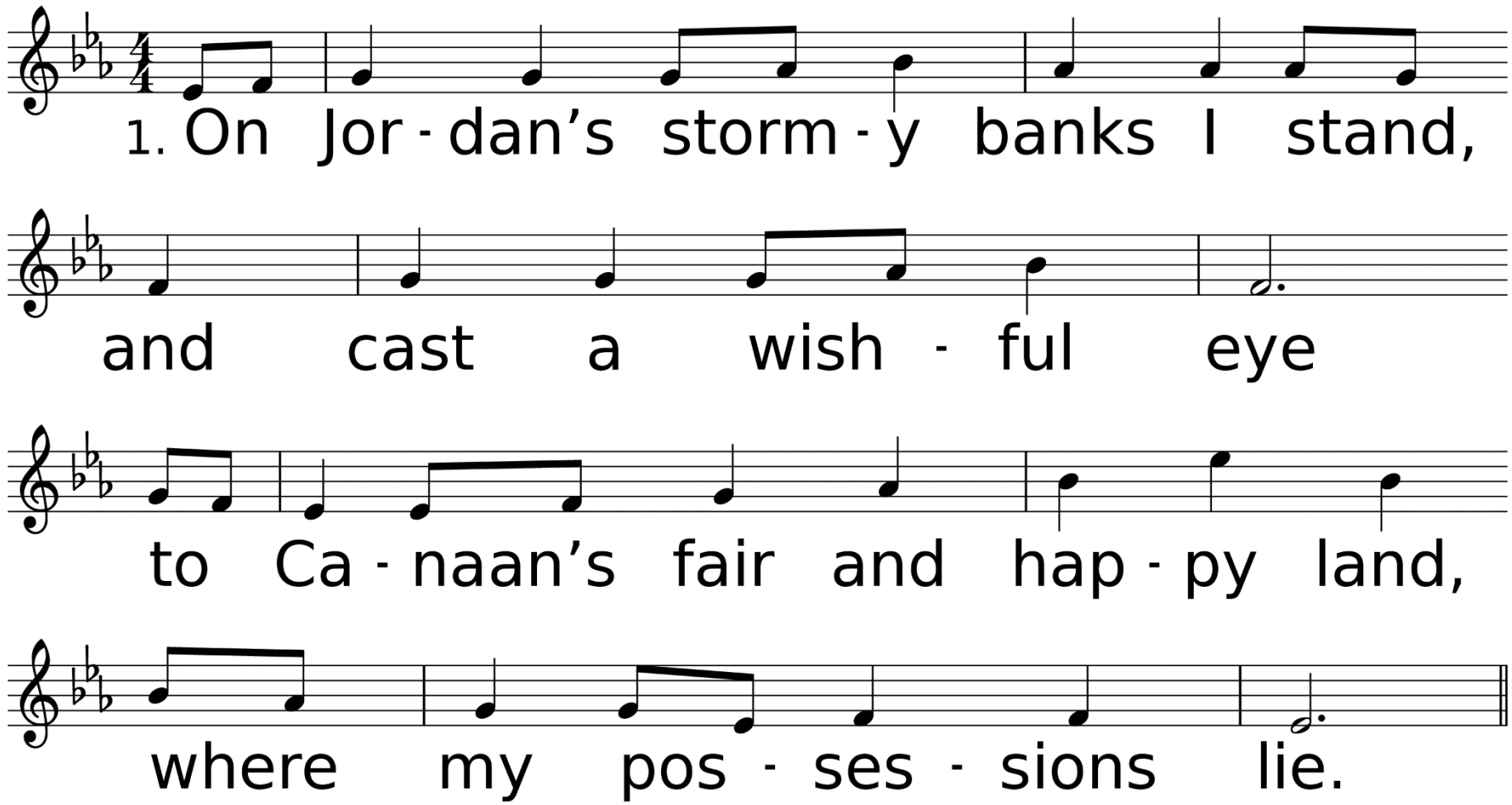

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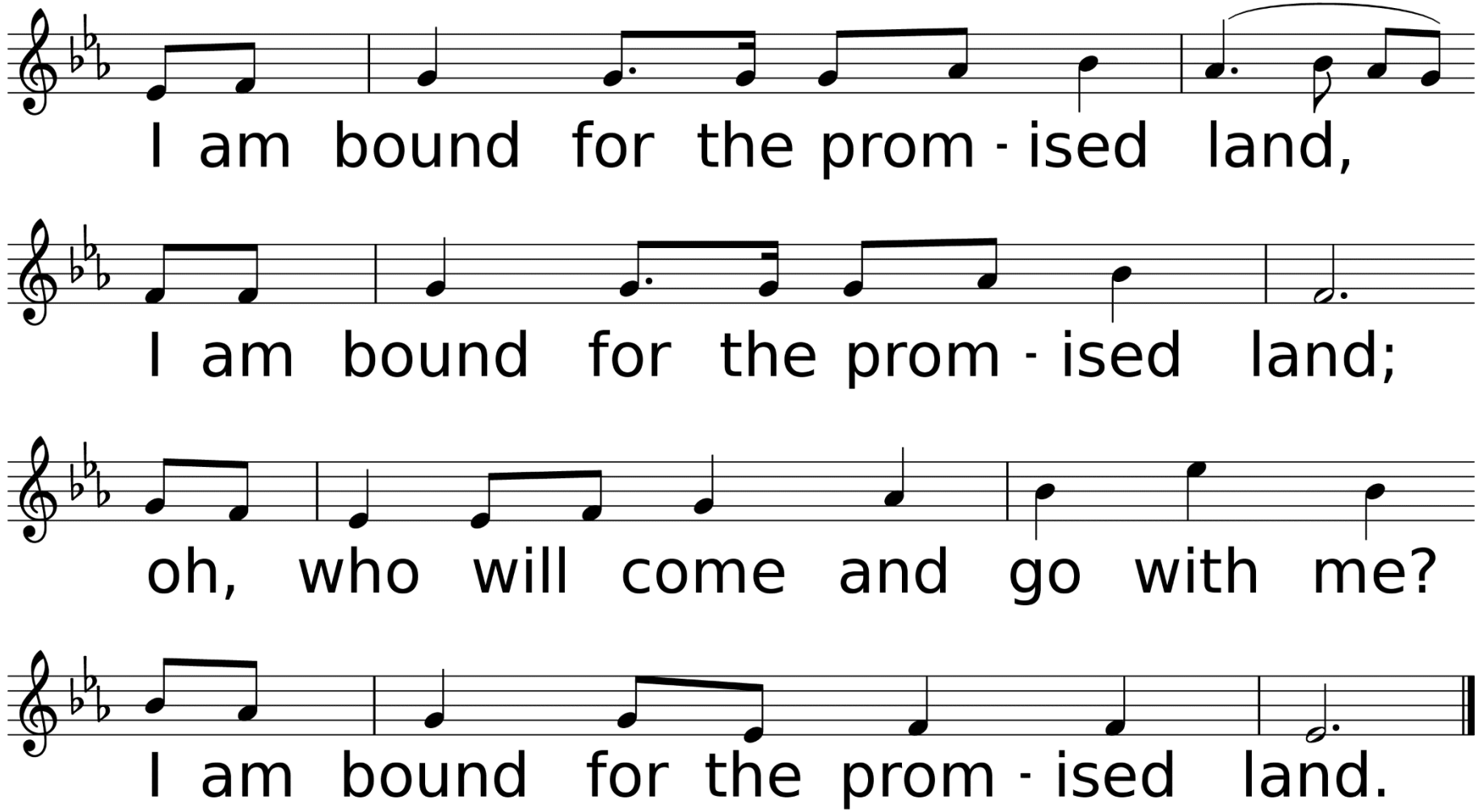
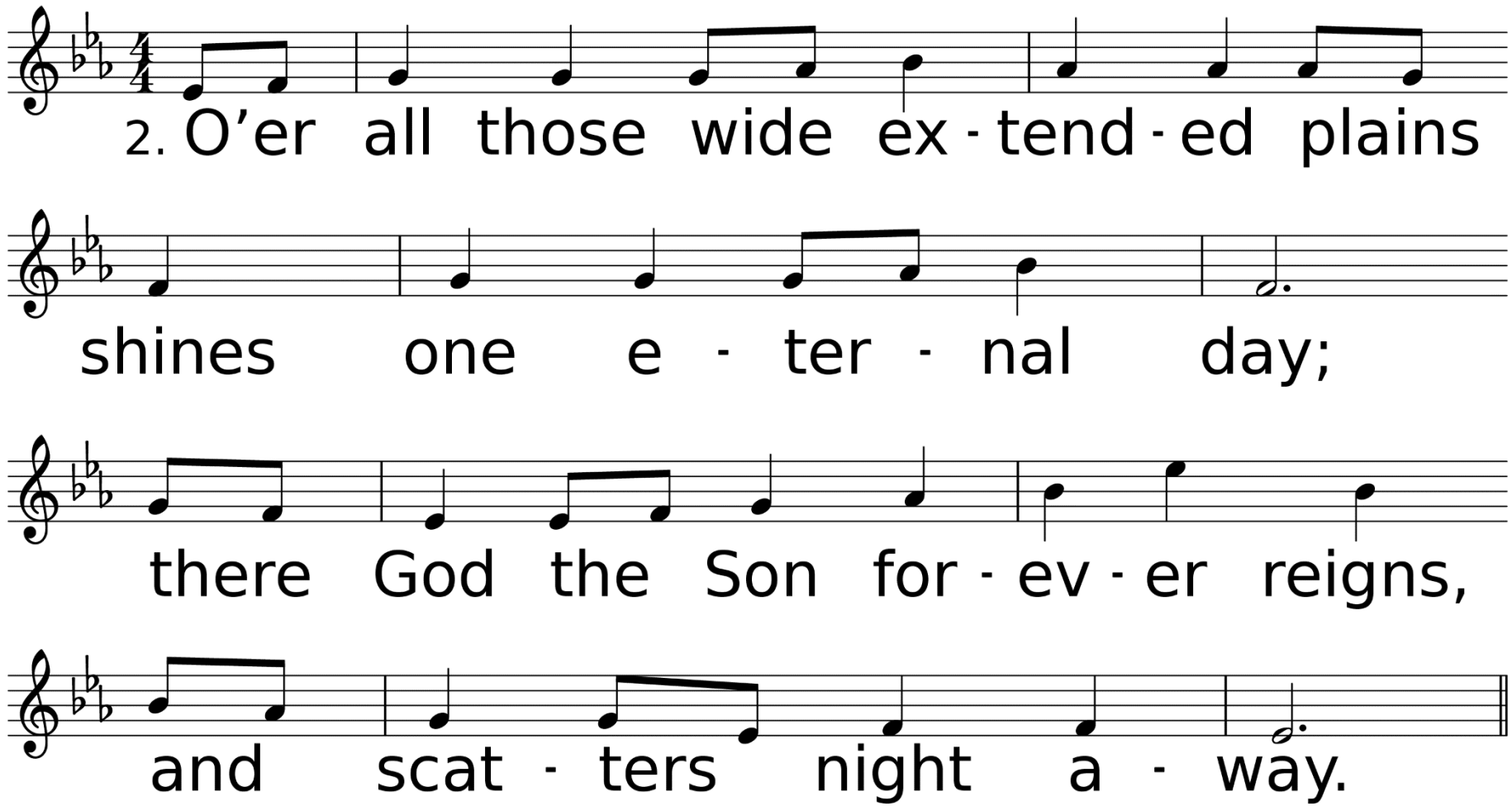
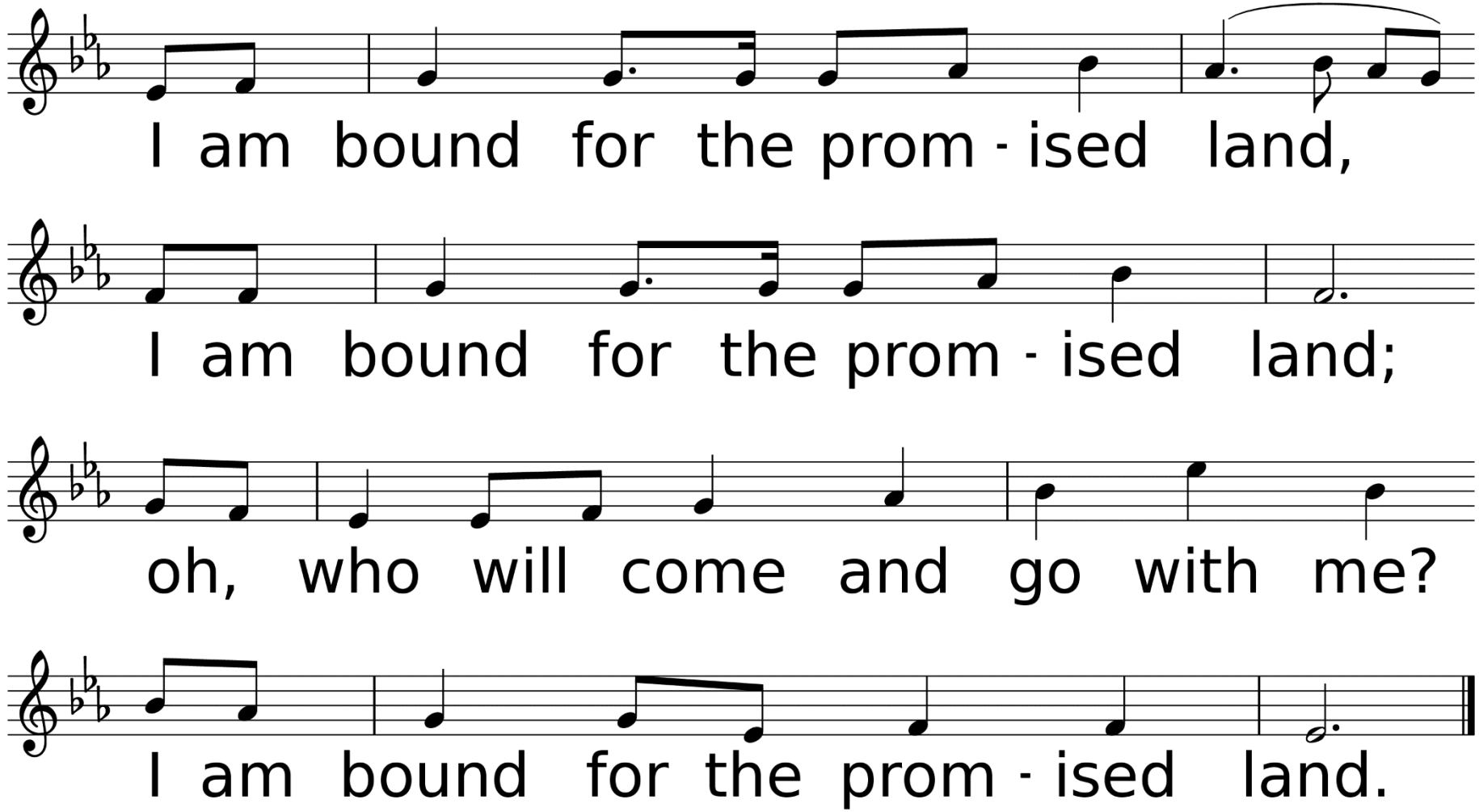

I am bound for the prom - ised land,
I am bound for the prom - ised land;
oh, who will come and go with me?
I am bound for the prom - ised land.


2. O’er all those wide ex - tend - ed plains
shines one e - ter - nal day;
there God the Son for - ev - er reigns,
and scat - ters night a - way.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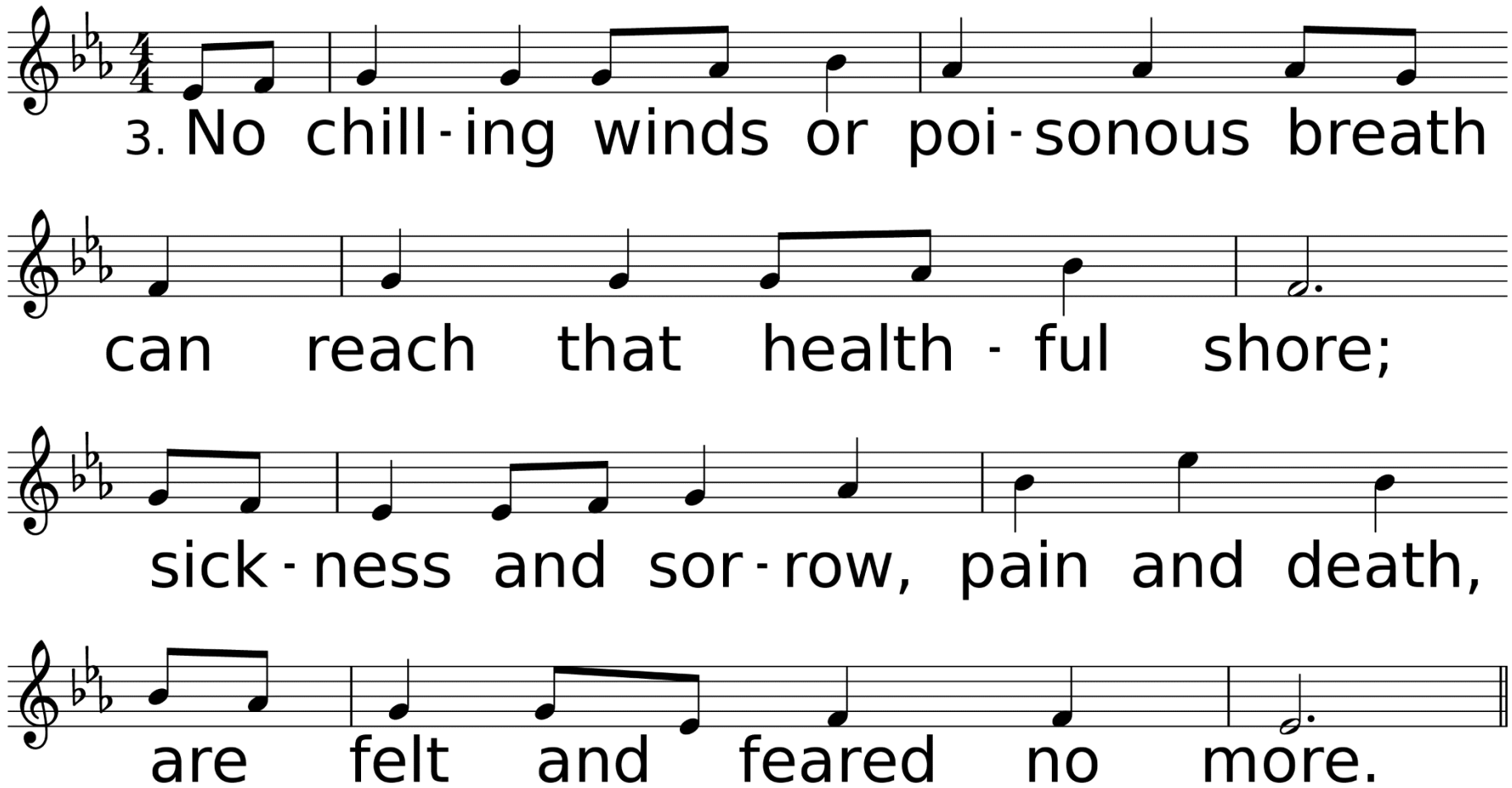
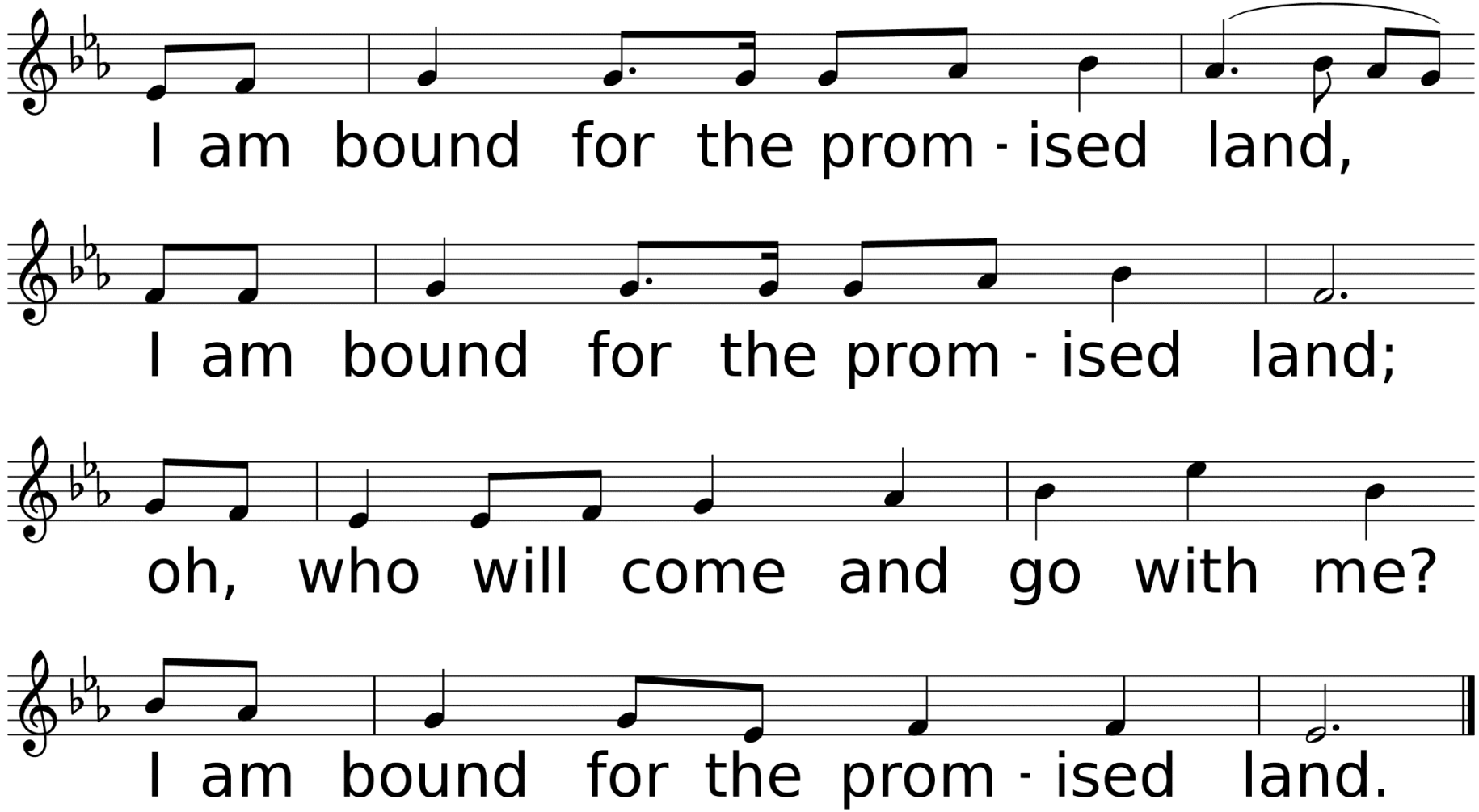

3. No chill-ing winds or poi-sonous breath
can reach that health-ful shore;
sick-ness and sor-row, pain and death,
are felt and feared no more.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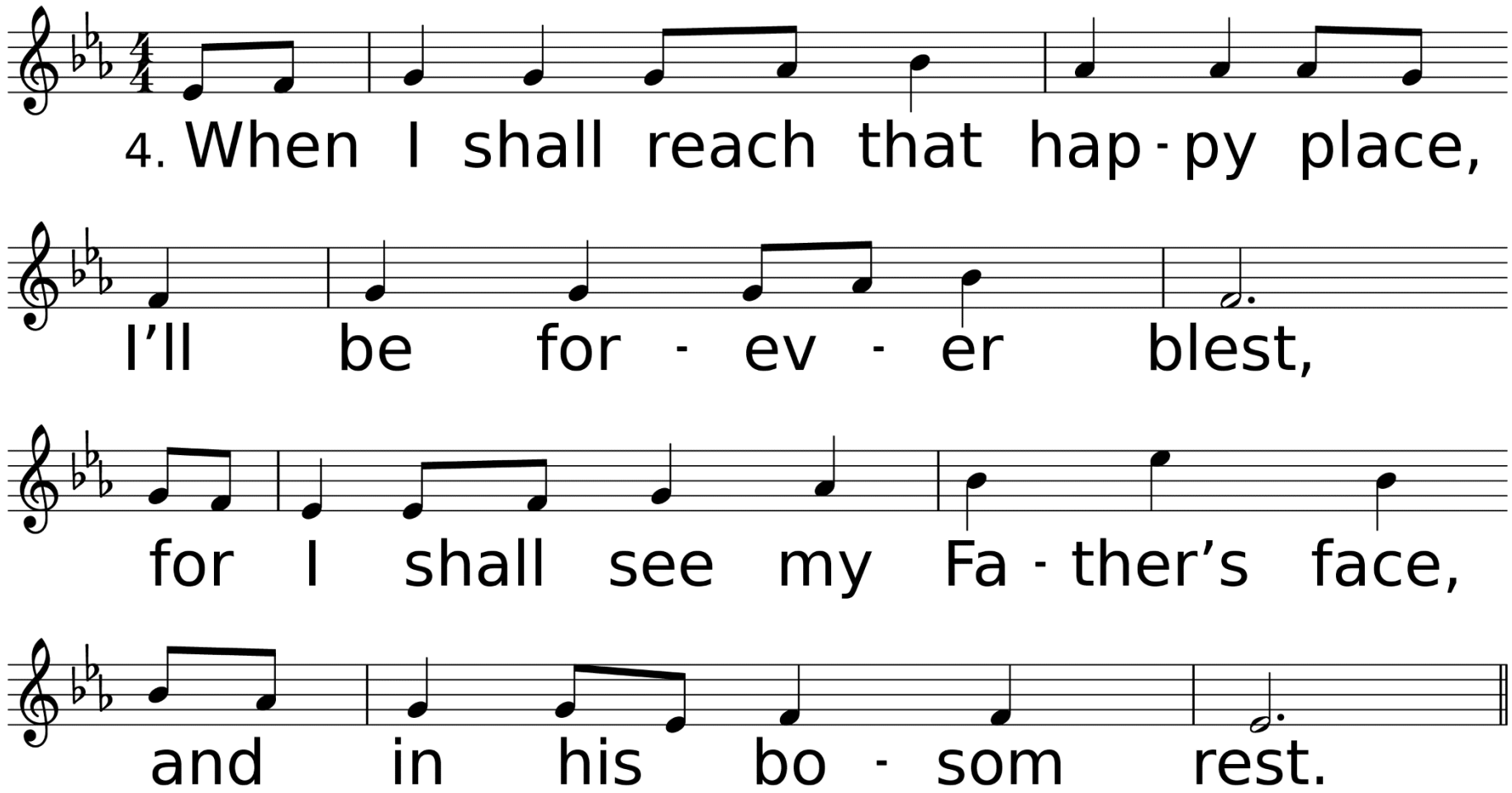
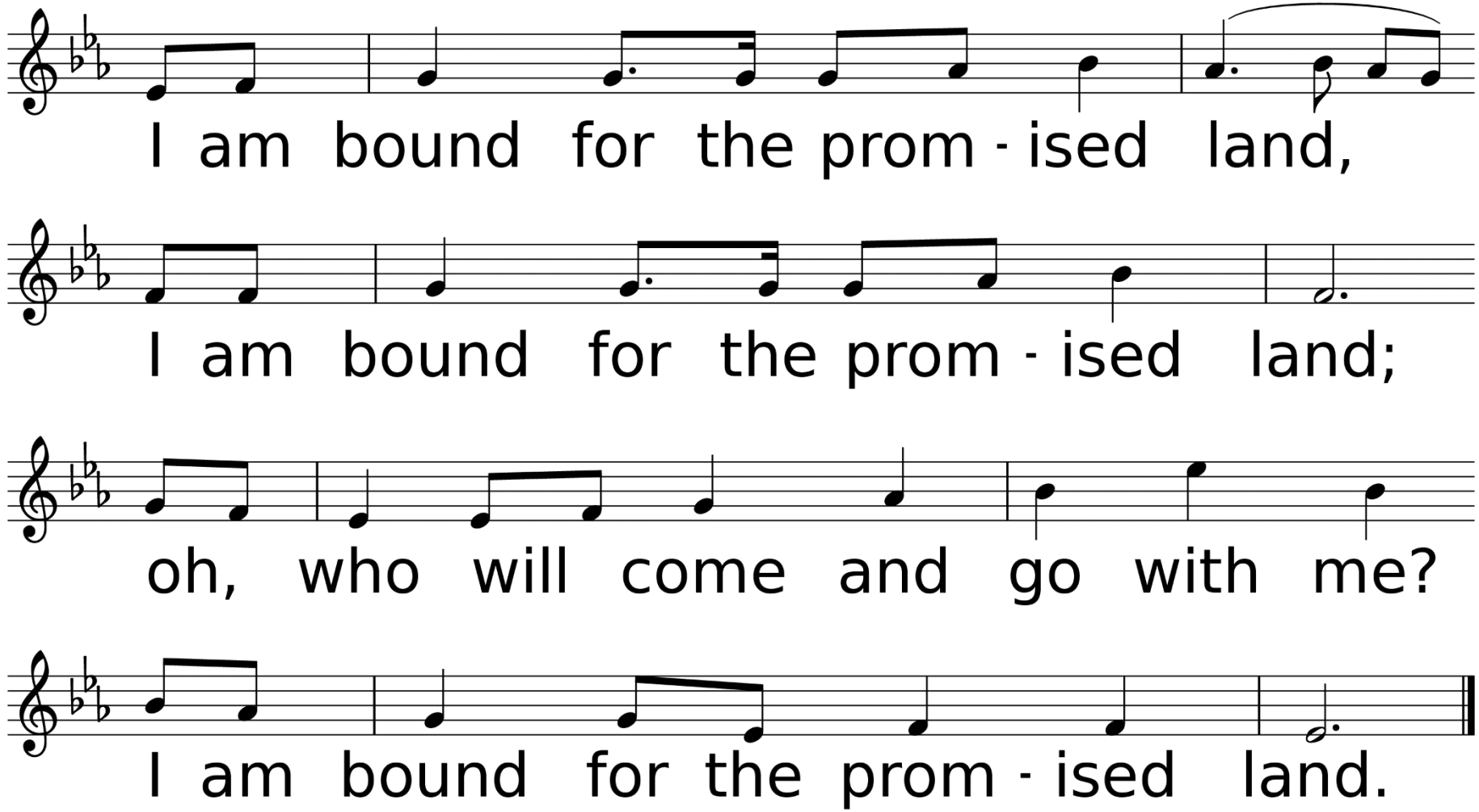

4. When I shall reach that hap - py place,
I’ll be for - ev - er blest,
for I shall see my Fa - ther’s face,
and in his bo - som rest.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Scripture Reading
Luke 17:11-19

Now on his way to Jerusalem, Jesus traveled along the border between Samaria and Galilee. As he was going into a village, ten men who had leprosy met him. They stood at a distance and called out in a loud voice, “Jesus, Master, have pity on us!”

When he saw them, he said,
"Go, show yourselves to the priests." And as they went, they were cleansed.
One of them, when he saw he was healed, came back, praising God in a loud voice. He threw himself at Jesus' feet and thanked him—and he was a Samaritan.

Jesus asked,

"Were not all ten cleansed? Where are the other nine? Has no one returned to give praise to God except this foreigner?"

Then he said to him,

"Rise and go; your faith has made you well."

“Entitlement vs. Gratitude”

Sermon

Rev. Laraine Waughtal

Anthem
Hand Bell Ensemble
Amazing Grace

Arr. by Dennis Robert

*Hymn of Invitation

Come Christians, Join to Sing

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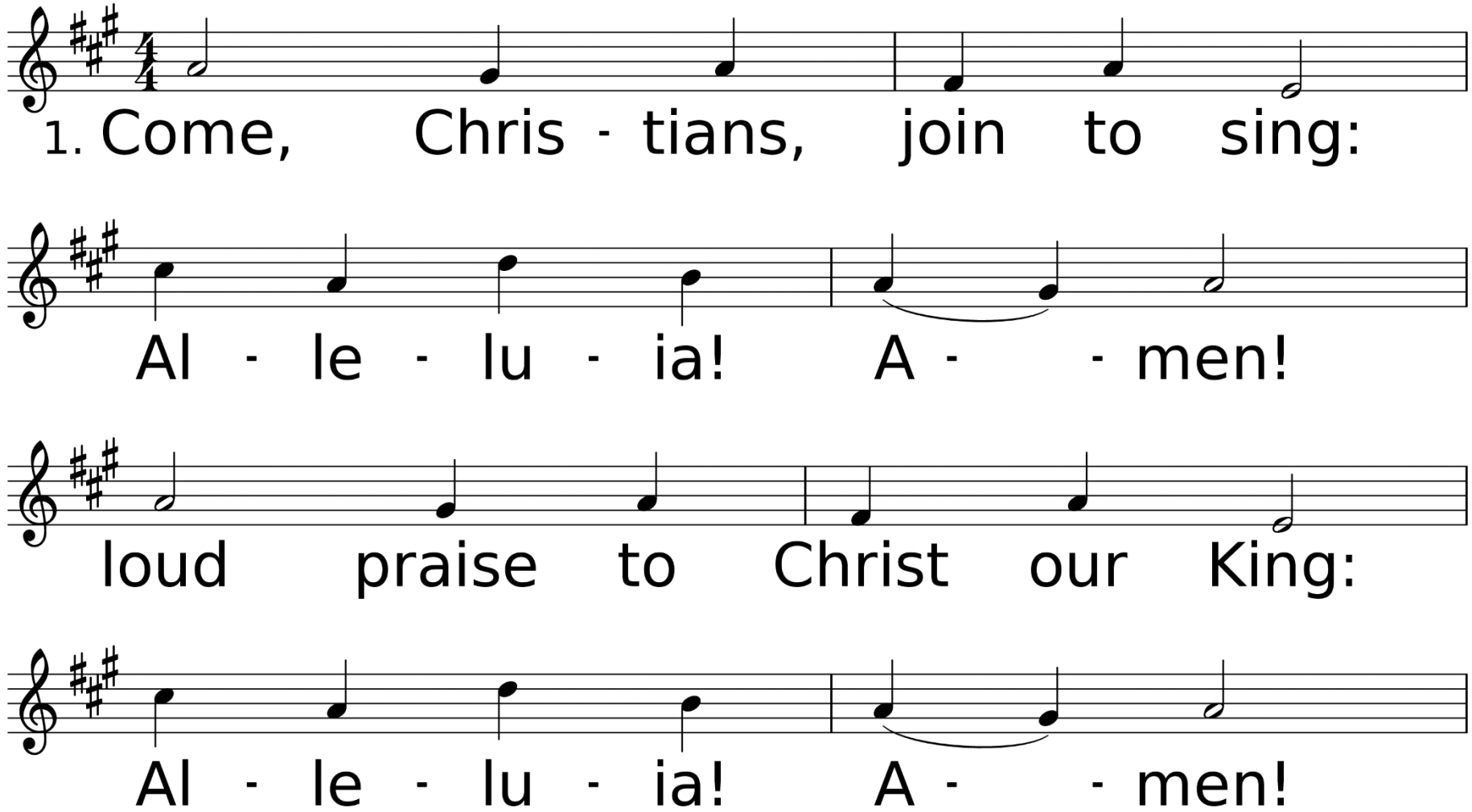

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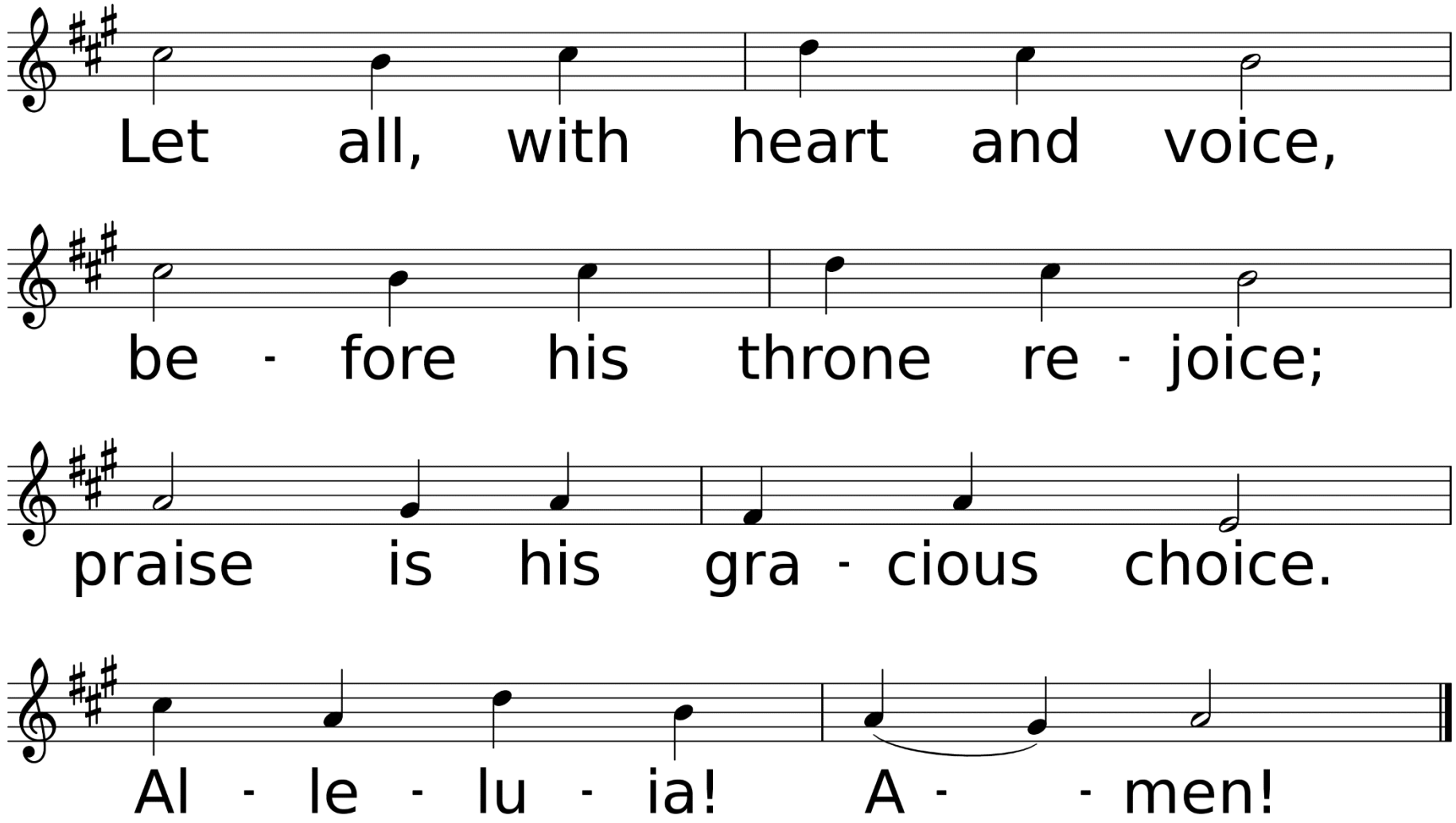
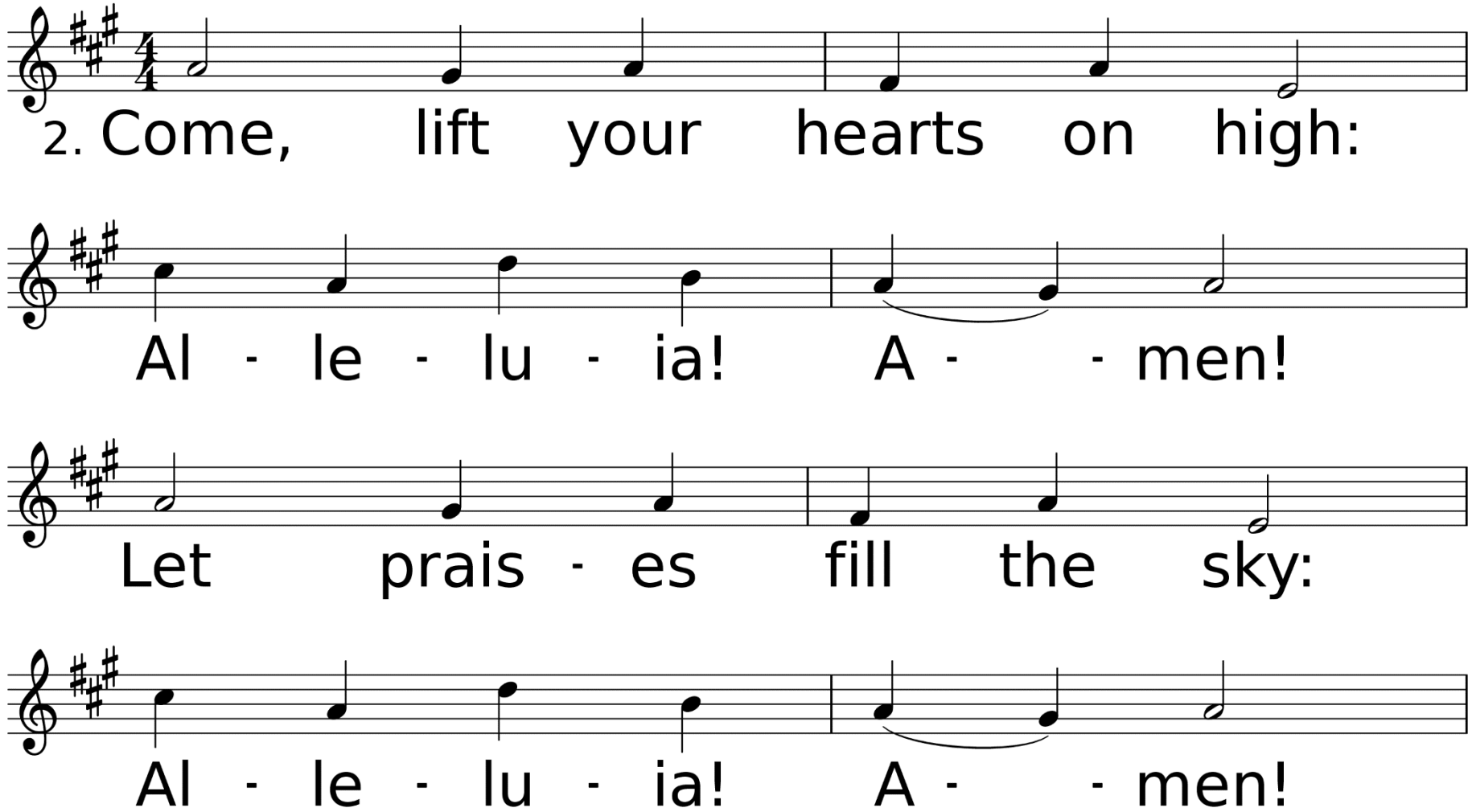
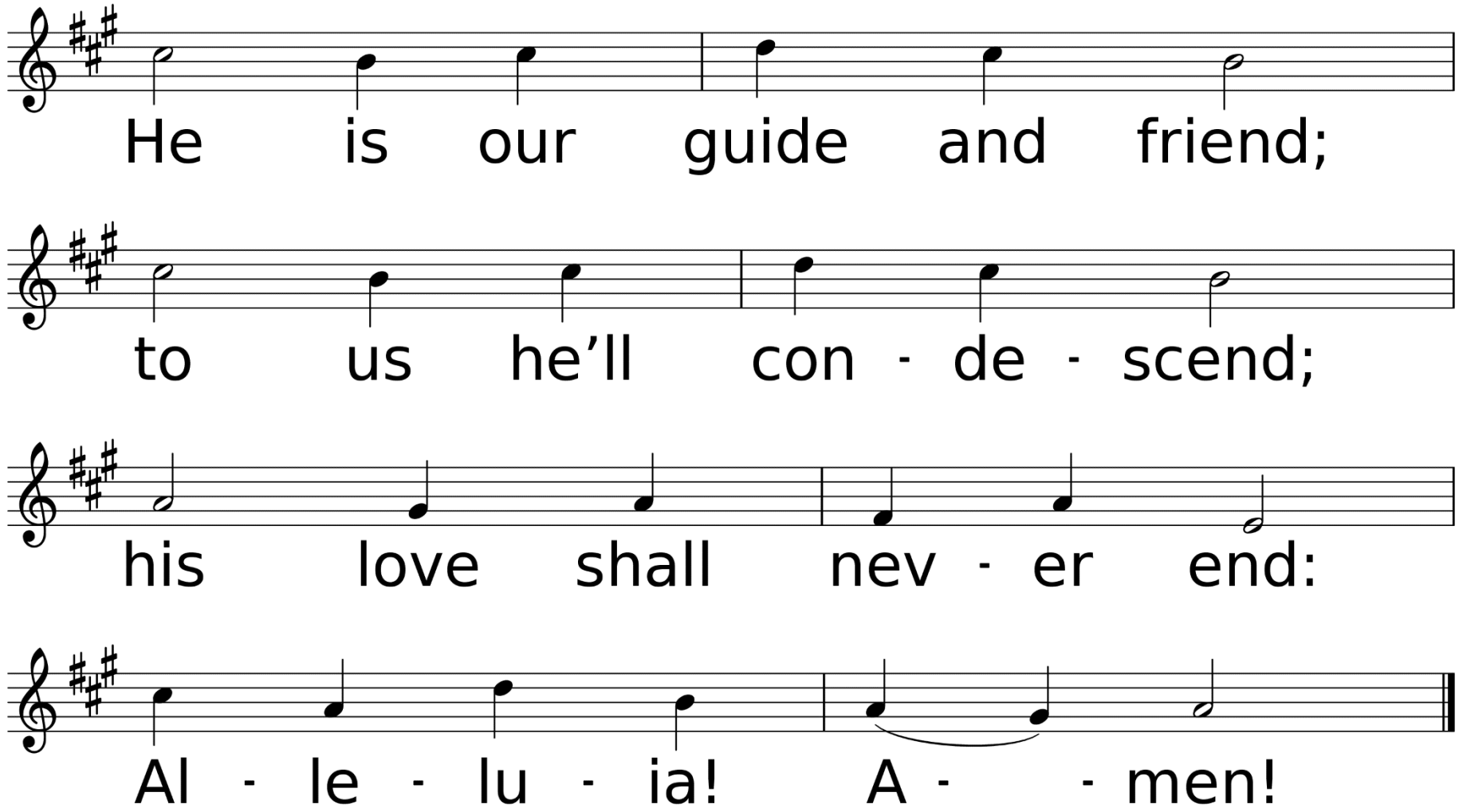

Let all, with heart and voice,
be - fore his throne re - joice;
praise is his gra - cious choice.
Al - le - lu - ia! A - - men!


2. Come, lift your hearts on high:
Al - le - lu - ia! A - - men!
Let prais - es fill the sky:
Al - le - lu - ia! A - - men!


He is our guide and friend;
to us he'll con - de - scend;
his love shall nev - er end:
Al - le - lu - ia! A - - men!

*Benediction

*Sending Forth *Blest Be the Tie That Binds*

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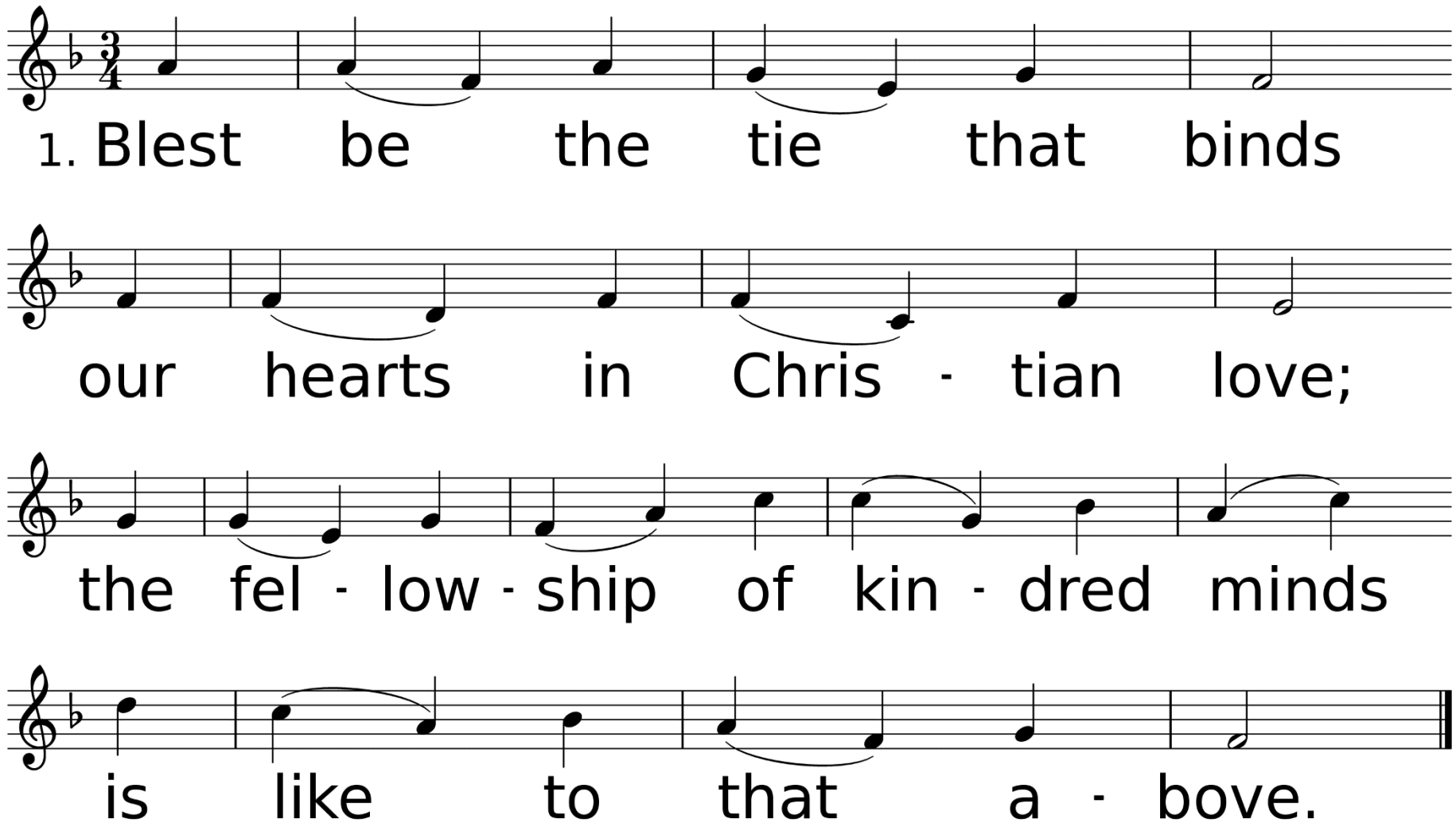

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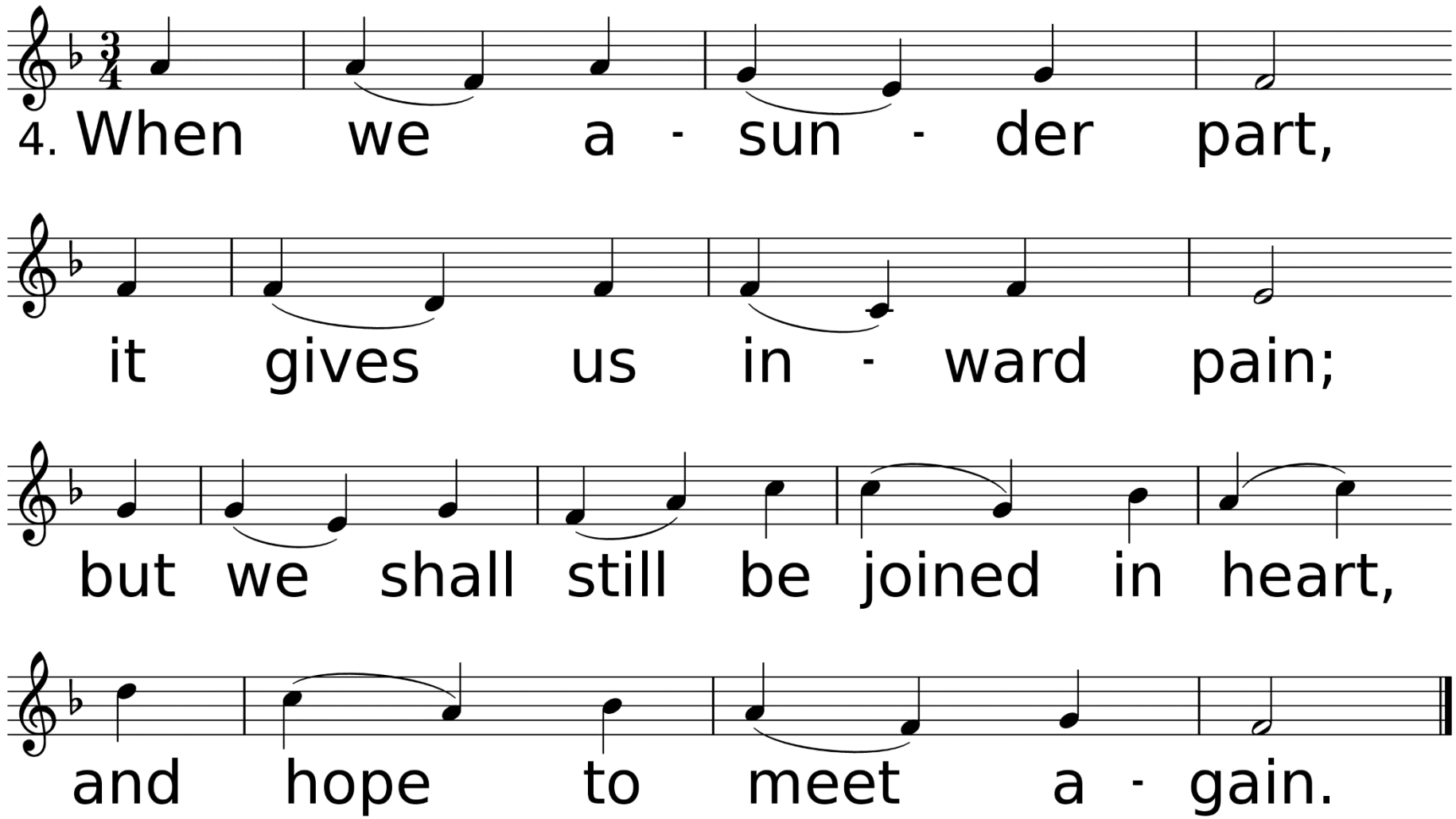
4. When we a - sun - der part,
it gives us in - ward pain;
but we shall still be joined in heart,
and hope to meet a - gain.

Thank you for joining us today! Communion is available and the elements have been blessed for anyone who would like to partake at the Communion Rail.