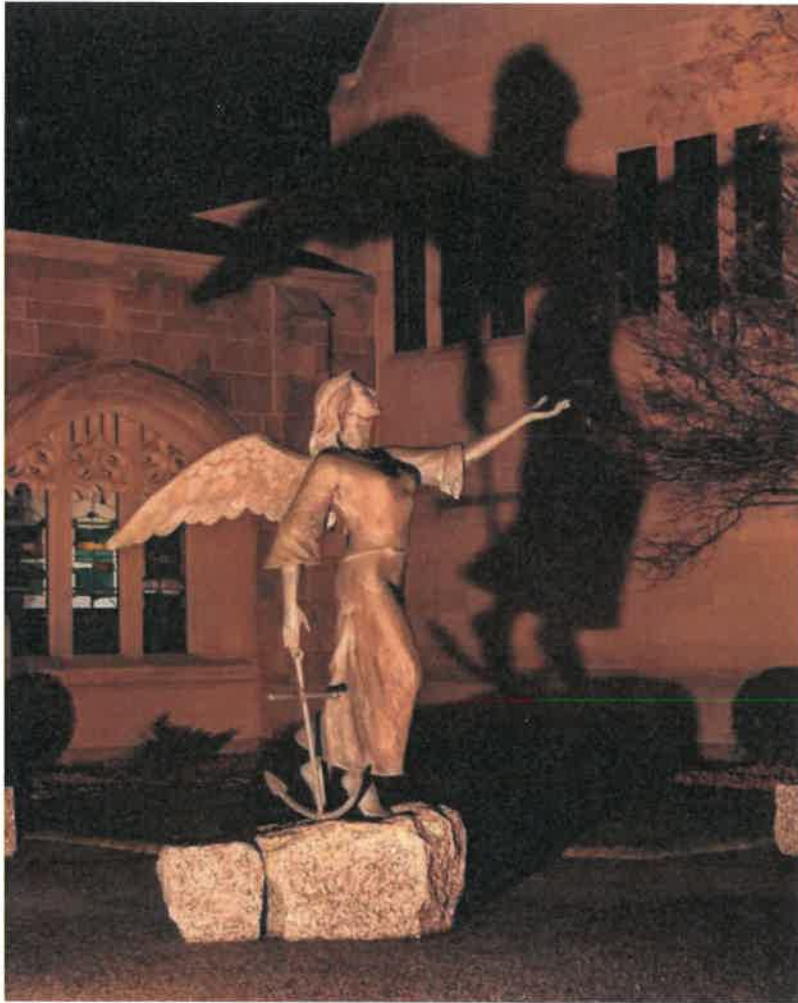


THE HOUSE OF HOPE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH



Have you ever been in a situation where because of anger, depression, preoccupation, or exhaustion you could not sing? And then you could? Change resulted from being addressed, called by a name, cared for, recognized, and assured. The prophet makes it possible to sing and the empire knows that people who can boldly sing, have not accepted the royal definition of reality.

Walter Brueggemann, *The Prophetic Imagination*

Second Sunday after Epiphany | January 16, 2022 10 a.m.

Welcome

We are delighted you have joined House of Hope for worship.

Our caring and active community welcomes you.

We extend the hospitality of Christ to all.

Regarding Masks for In-Person Worship.

Please know in light of the evolving situation regarding variant guidelines, we ask all those who attend worship to wear a mask. In this fluid situation with changing national, state and local protocols, we will continue to monitor developments and discern how best to respond while keeping in mind the safety of church staff and those attending worship.

Please continue to maintain physical distance from other worshippers not in your household, as children under the age of 5 are not yet able to be vaccinated.

Deacons will provide offering plates at the sanctuary doors.

Our worship service is also livestreamed and can be accessed on the home page of our website (hohchurch.org) and on our Facebook page (The House of Hope Presbyterian Church.)

After the service, please join us for a time of fellowship in the Kirk Parlour.

We invite you to join the over 185 House of Hope members and friends who have already pledged with an overall average pledge increase of 12% .

Pledge cards can be found in the narthex information racks and in the front office.

"If" is one of the most significant words in the Bible. Jesus uses it repeatedly to deepen our understanding of what it looks like to follow him in our lives. Jesus said, for example, "if you listen..." "If you forgive..." "If you believe..."

Our 2022 Stewardship Campaign that seeks to fund our Annual Budget focuses on how the word "if" has shaped the past, present, and future of The House of Hope.

If generations before us had not generously provided the means to build The House of Hope, we would not be able to enjoy our lovely sanctuary and building.

If members and friends had not given to The Houses of Hope Fund, we would not be able to make substantial grants to provide affordable housing in our community.

If members and friends had not contributed generously to our 2021 Stewardship Campaign, we could not have funded Mission Outreach giving from our annual operating budget for the first time in seventeen years.

THE APPROACH TO GOD

Prelude

Pastorella, BWV 590

J. S. Bach

Aaron David Miller, Organist

Welcome and Announcements

Lynn and Mark Barger Elliott

Introit

This is the Day

Anon.

The Motet Choir; Matthew Culloton, Choirmaster

Unison Invocation

Holy God, one in grace, one in glory, one in love – you call us to love and serve you as one people, united in heart, mind, spirit, and strength. Help us to love one another, living in unity and peace, working together in your Spirit for the good of all; through Jesus Christ, our reconciler and redeemer. Amen.

+ Processional Hymn 142

All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name

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Prayer of Confession

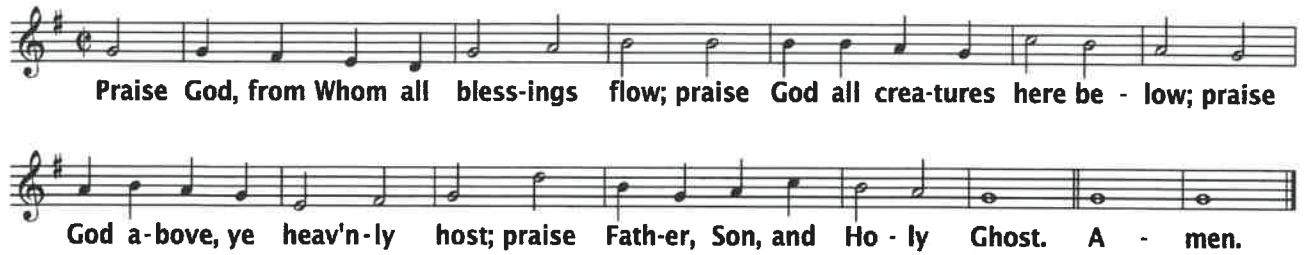
Almighty God, you poured out your Spirit upon gathered disciples creating bold tongues, open ears, and a new community of faith. We confess that we hold back the force of your Spirit among us. We do not listen for your word of grace, speak the good news of your love, or live as a people made one in Christ. Have mercy on us, O God. Transform our timid lives by the power of your Spirit, and fill us with a flaming desire to be your faithful people, doing your will for the sake of Jesus Christ our Lord.

Assurance of Forgiveness

Leader: Friends, believe the good news of the Gospel,

All: In Jesus Christ we are forgiven.

+ Doxology



Praise God, from Whom all blessings flow; praise God all creatures here be - low; praise
God a - bove, ye heav'n - ly host; praise Father, Son, and Ho - ly Ghost. A - men.

Anthem

Hallelujah, Amen (from Judas Maccabaeus)

G.F. Handel

Hallelujah, amen!
O Judah, rejoice in songs divine,
With cherubim and seraphim harmonious join!

THE WORD OF GOD

First Lesson

Janice Dickinson

Isaiah 62:1-5 (NT, p. 692 in pew Bible)

Leader: The Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

ANTHEM

This Little Light of Mine

Spiritual, arr. Helgen

St Nicholas Choir, Sofia Ardalán, director; Timothy Short, piano

This little light of mine, I'm gonna let it shine.
Everywhere I go, I'm gonna let it shine.
Jesus gave it to me, I'm gonna let it shine.
Let it shine, let it shine, let it shine!

Time for Children

Kiera Stegall

All children and youth, Grades 8 and younger, are invited to walk down the center aisle to meet Kiera Stegall and Dan Miglets-Nelson in the Narthex to be led to the Education Wing.

Second Lesson

I Corinthians 12:1-11 (NT, p. 174 in pew Bible)

Leader: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

Sermon

Julia A. Carlson

A Spirit of Hope

THE RESPONSE TO GOD

+Hymn 314

Like the Murmur of the Dove's Song

BRIDEGROOM

+ Affirmation of Faith — The Confession of Belhar

We believe that Christ's work of reconciliation is made manifest in the church, as the community of believers who have been reconciled with God and with one another; that unity is, therefore, both a gift and an obligation for the church of Jesus Christ. That this unity of the people of God must be manifested and be active in a variety of ways: in that we love one another; that we experience, practice and pursue community with one another; that we are obligated to give ourselves willingly and joyfully to be of benefit and blessing to one another; that we share one faith, have one calling, are of one soul and one mind; are filled with one spirit, are baptized with one baptism, eat of one bread and drink of one cup, confess one name, and share one hope.

Offering - There are four ways to give an offering:

- **In-Person.** Offering baskets will be available at the sanctuary doors.
- **Website.** On the homepage, click "Support House of Hope", then click on "Make a Gift" Members can also sign into MyHOH to give.
- **Mail.** Mail a check to 797 Summit Ave. Saint Paul, MN 55105
- **QR Code.** Please see page 8.

Offertory Anthem

Exsultate Justi

Viadana

Rejoice in the Lord, O ye just; praise befits the upright.
Give praise to the Lord on the harp; sing to him with the psaltery,
the instrument of ten strings.
Sing to him a new canticle, sing well unto him with a loud noise.
Rejoice in the Lord, O ye just; praise befits the upright.

+ Offertory Response



O God be-yond all prais-ing, we wor-ship you to - day and sing the love a-maz-ing that
songs can - not re - pay; for we can on-ly won-der at ev - 'ry gift you send, at
bless-ings with-out num-ber and mer-cies with-out end: we lift our hearts be-fore you and
wait u-pon your word, we hon - or and a-dore you, our great and might - y Lord.

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer

Lynn Barger Elliott

**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 debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into
temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power
and the glory, forever. Amen.**

+ Recessional Hymn 563

Lift Every Voice and Sing

LIFT EVERY VOICE

+ Benediction

Postlude

Exultation

Samuel Coleridge-Taylor

Join us for **HOPE IN WINTER**, a series of events and offerings to enjoy during some of the most beautiful and sunlit days of the year! Here are seven ideas for spending some time together outdoors and indoors as a church family.



HOH Labyrinth Days

**January 18, 19, 20; and January 25, 26, 27. Available between 10 a.m. - 3 p.m.
Sunday, January 30 - 9 a.m. - Noon.**

A labyrinth has been described as “walkable art.” It is an ancient spiritual practice that enhances prayer and reflection. The House of Hope portable labyrinth will be set up in the Great Hall. No sign up necessary.



Snowshoeing with Ann and Bill Geery | Fort Snelling State Park | Date: TBA

Enjoy the beauty of winter in the park’s extensive snowshoe trails where generations of Dakota lived along the Mississippi and Minnesota Rivers.



HOH Sanctuary Mornings

Come and watch the sun make its way from the East Transept window to the windows in the Chancel and through the Nave. The House of Hope sanctuary is available for quiet reflection and a time away from the world. Bring a devotional or journal and spend some time with God through the beautifully detailed wood carvings and plethora of stained glass. Monday-Friday, 9 a.m. - 1 p.m., press the buzzer at Door 1 on the west end of the Portland side of the building or Door 10 on the Summit circle drive to gain admittance to the building.



Cocoa & Canvas

Saturday, January 22 | 6–7:30 p.m. | Rooms 1 and 4

We invite you to join us for a night of cocoa and canvas creations! Kelsea Gilliland is returning to lead a guided painting process for youth and adults. Kiera Stegall will meet with children, grades 5 and younger, for process art. R.S.V.P. to Kiera Stegall at KieraS@hohchurch.org by Sunday, January 16, to ensure we have adequate supplies. Donations welcome to offset the cost of materials.



HOH Little Free Book and Jigsaw Exchange

Whether it’s the weather or virus safety, if you are spending more time at home this winter and you need a good read or new puzzle, check out the book and jigsaw exchange at HOH. Look for the special shelves on wheels in the entryway outside the Elizabeth Chapel Sunday through Wednesday during the day. The shelves will be in room one Thursday through Friday.



HOH Library

Pick a book or a magazine to leaf through. Escape into a work of fiction, comfort your soul with a devotional book or a bit of poetry, read some history or biography. The library will be open daily 9 a.m.—3 p.m., except Wednesday mornings.

This Week at House of Hope

Sunday, January 16, 2022

- 9:45 a.m. Sunday School Infants - Toddlers, Room 8
- 10 a.m. Worship Service, Sanctuary
- 9:45 a.m. Sunday School Preschool - PreK, Room 2
- 10:15 a.m. Sunday School K-Grade 5, Rooms 4&5
- 11:15 a.m. Social Hour, Kirk Parlour
- 11:30 a.m. Zoom Sunday School
- 2 p.m. Youth Hope in Winter Ice Skating, Groveland Rink

Monday, January 17, 2022

Building and office closed for
MLK, Jr. Day

Tuesday, January 18, 2022

- 7 a.m. Men's Breakfast, Louisiana Cafe
- 6:30 p.m. Session Meeting, Great Hall

Wednesday, January 19, 2022

- 9:30 a.m. Wednesday Morning Bible Study, Library
- 1:30 p.m. Stephen Ministry Supervision, Zoom
- 4 p.m. Choir School Rehearsals
- 6 p.m. Stephen Ministry Supervision, Zoom
- 6:45 p.m. Bells of Hope Rehearsal, Youth Room
- 7 p.m. Motet Choir Rehearsal, Choir Room
- 7 p.m. Confirmation, Zoom

Thursday, January 20, 2022

- 7 a.m. Men's Breakfast Group, Louisiana Cafe
- 9 a.m. Thursday Morning Bible Study, Zoom
- 10 a.m. Library Committee
- 5:30 p.m. Capital City Grief Group Coalition

Friday, January 21, 2022

- 8 a.m. Women's Breakfast Book Group, Zoom
- 9 a.m. Friday Centering Prayer, Zoom

Sunday, January 23, 2022

- 10 a.m. Worship Service, Sanctuary
- 11:15 a.m. Social Hour, Kirk Parlour
- 7 p.m. The Summit Youth Group, Zoom

**To support House of Hope
please use this QR code**



Children and Family Ministry

Contact Kiera Stegall: KieraS@hohchurch.org



The HUB

Where Faith and Families Connect

In-Person Sunday Morning Children's Ministry

- Nursery: Infants – Toddlers | 9:45 a.m. | Room 8
- Preschool – PreK | 9:45 a.m. | Room 2
- Kindergarten–Grade 5 | 10:15 a.m. | Rooms 4 & 5

Virtual Sunday School — January 16 – 30 | 11:30 a.m. | Zoom

Children, grades 5 and younger, are invited to join us for a time of faith formation via stories, artwork, and prayer.

Tweens Minute-to-Win-It — Friday, January 21 | 6–7:30 p.m. | Great Hall and Dining Rooms A&B

Grades 4–5 and their friends are invited for silly, wacky, and skillful games! We'll design t-shirts, play a life-size game of Hungry, Hungry, Hippos, and more. Cost is \$5 per person.

Cocoa & Canvas — Saturday, January 22 | Rooms 1&4 | 6–7:30 p.m. (See Hope in Winter for details)

Youth and Family Ministry

Contact Dan Miglets-Nelson: DanMN@hohchurch.org

Middle School Sunday School — Sundays, Beginning January 9 | 10:15 a.m. | Room 1

Confirmation Classes | Wednesdays | 7 p.m.

The SUMMIT Youth Group, Grades 6-12 — Sundays, Beginning January 9 | 7 p.m. | Great Hall

This year, we will focus on how God calls us to live out our faith, and finalize our plans for Triennium, Clearwater Forest Camp, and a mission trip through YouthWorks.

Hope in Winter | Youth Events

Sunday, January 16 | Ice Skating | Groveland Rink | 2 p.m.

Sunday, February 13 | Snowball Rumpus | 2 p.m.

Date TBD | Dodgeball | Great Hall

House of Hope Choir School

Contact Sofia Ardan: SofiaA@hohchurch.org

The Choir School offers outstanding music education for all children ages 4-18.

Contact Sofia Ardan, Choir School Director, for more information and to register.

Spring Session I: January 12-March 9

Clothing Drive

The House of Hope Children and their families and the House of Hope Beacon Housing team invite all members of House of Hope to participate in the Beacon of Hope Clothing Drive. There will be a drop off on Sunday, January 9th between 10 AM and 12 PM in the Children's Library and also at the church 9 - 5 M-Th, and 9 - 3 on Fridays through the month of January at the church. There is a great need for every type of clothing for children to adults: everyday clothes, underwear (new), pj's, and all clothing for our MN winters. We request that these items be new or like new. This clothing will be donated to the YMCA, Ain Dah Yung Center, Ujamaa Place, and Prior Crossing. For more details, write to Shana Wagner at sharon.k.wagner@gmail.com for a complete list of items needed and sizes.

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Online giving allows you to express your faith through generosity. Become a sustainer by setting up a recurring contribution or update your online giving and manage your recurring gifts for 2022.

Go to our church's website - www.hohchurch.org – and click the words on the home screen that says “My HOH” or “Support House of Hope”

Follow the prompts and enter your email to log into or set up your online account. Go to My Giving Summary and select Manage Scheduled Giving to access your recurring gifts and edit them. If

The Communion Table Flowers
are in memory of
Delmar E. Bowers

The Pulpit Flowers
are in memory of
Lindsay Jean Knutson

In Memoriam

Jean Wardin joined The House of Hope Presbyterian Church on March 23, 1964. She entered the Church Triumphant on January 11, 2022.

*“If we live, we live to the Lord, and if we die, we die to the Lord;
so then, whether we live or whether we die, we are the Lord’s.”*
-Romans 14:8

142 All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name!

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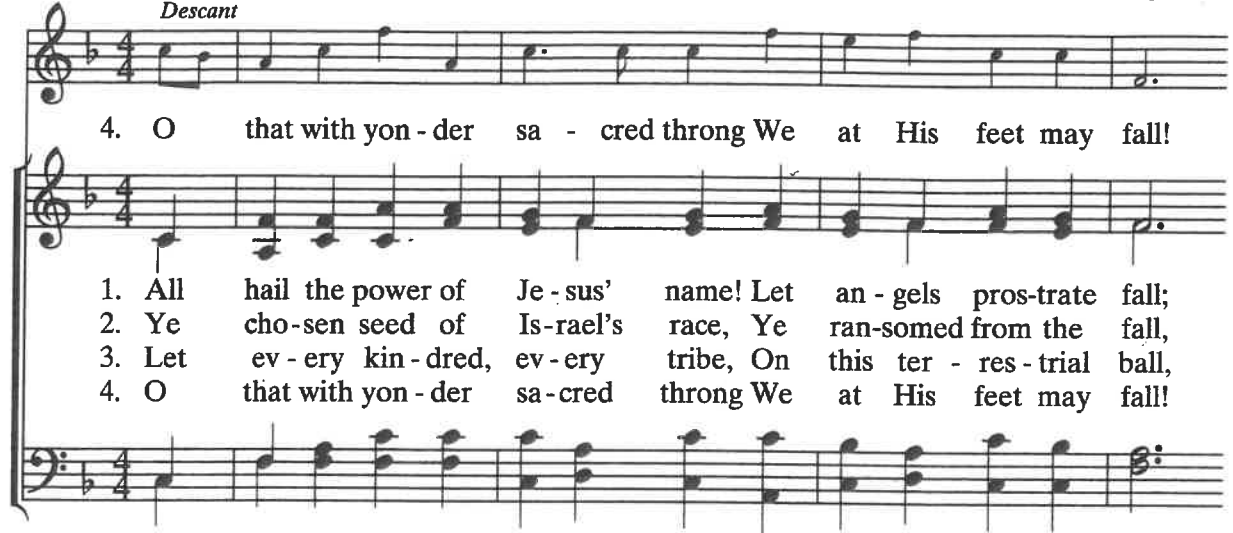
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Stanzas 2-3, alt. John Rippon, 1787

Stanza 4, John Rippon, 1787

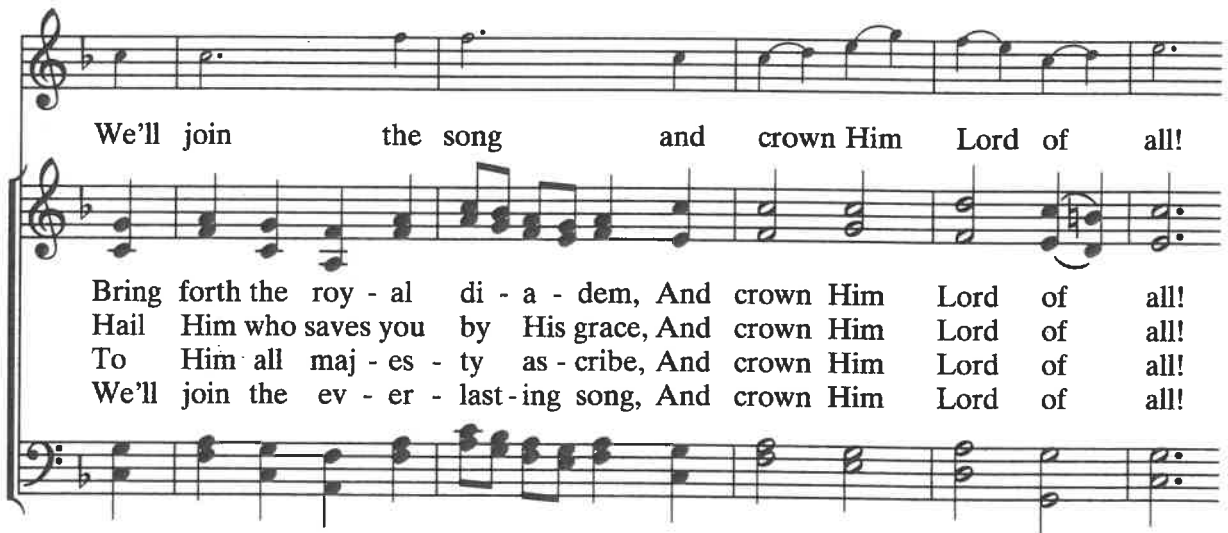
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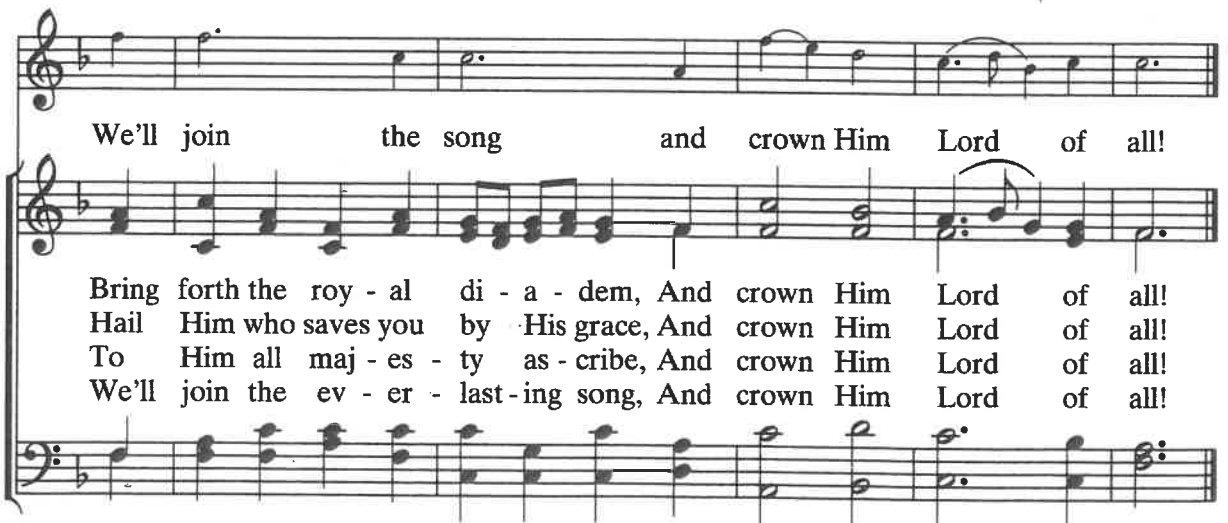
4. O that with yon - der sa - cred throng We at His feet may fall!

1. All hail the power of Je - sus' name! Let an - gels pros - trate fall;
 2. Ye cho - sen seed of Is - rael's race, Ye ran - sored from the fall,
 3. Let ev - ery kin - dred, ev - ery tribe, On this ter - res - trial ball,
 4. O that with yon - der sa - cred throng We at His feet may fall!



We'll join the song and crown Him Lord of all!

Bring forth the roy - al di - a - dem, And crown Him Lord of all!
 Hail Him who saves you by His grace, And crown Him Lord of all!
 To Him all maj - es - ty as - cribe, And crown Him Lord of all!
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Like the Murmur of the Dove's Song 314

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Carl P. Daw, Jr., 1982

Peter Cutts, 1969



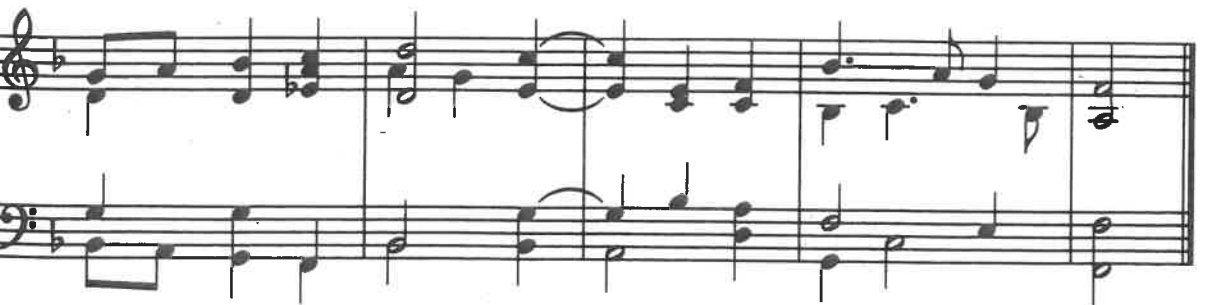
1. Like the mur - mur of the dove's song, Like the chal - lenge of her
 2. To the mem - bers of Christ's bod - y, To the branch - es of the
 3. With the heal - ing of di - vi - sion, With the cease - less voice of



flight, Like the vig - or of the wind's rush, Like the
 Vine, To the church in faith as - sem - bled, To her
 prayer, With the power to love and wit - ness, With the



new flame's ea - ger might:
 midst as gift and sign: Come, Ho - ly Spir - it, come.
 peace be - yond com - pare:



Lift Every Voice and Sing

LIFT EVERY VOICE Irregular

James Weldon Johnson, 1921

J. Rosamond Johnson, 1921

Introduction

1. Lift ev-ery
2. Ston-y the
3. God of our

voice and sing till earth and heav - en ring, Ring with the har - mo -
road we trod, bit - ter the chas - tening rod, Felt in the days when
wea - ry years, God of our si - lent tears, Thou who hast brought us

nies of lib - er - ty. Let our re - joic - ing rise high as the
hope un - born had died; Yet, with a stead - y beat, have not our
thus far on the way; Thou who hast by Thy might led us in -

lis - tening skies; Let it re - sound loud as the roll - ing sea.
wea - ry feet Come to the place for which our *fa - thers sighed?
to the light; Keep us for - ev - er in the path, we pray.

*Or "parents."

Sing a song full of the faith that the dark past has taught us;
 We have come o - ver a way that with tears has been wa - tered;
 Lest our feet stray from the plac - es, our God, where we met Thee;

Sing a song full of the hope that the pres - ent has brought
 We have come, tread - ing our path through the blood of the slaugh -
 Lest, our hearts drunk with the wine of the world, we for - get

us; Fac - ing the ris - ing sun of our new day be -
 tered, Out from the gloom - y past, till now we stand at
 Thee; Shad-owed be - neath Thy hand may we for - ev - er

gun, Let us march on, till vic - to - ry is won.
 last Where the white gleam of our bright star is cast.
 stand, True to our God, true to our na - tive land.