

✠ WORSHIP AID ✠

ENTRANCE

For the Fruits of This Creation



1. For the fruits of all cre - a - tion, Thanks be to
 2. In the just re - ward of la - bor, God's will is
 3. For the har - vests of the Spir - it, Thanks be to

God. For the gifts to ev - 'ry na - tion,
 done. In the help we give our neigh - bor,
 God. For the good we all in - her - it,

Thanks be to God. For the plow - ing, sow - ing, reap - ing,
 God's will is done. In our world - wide task of car - ing
 Thanks be to God. For the won - ders that a - stound us,

Si - lent growth while we are sleep - ing, Fu - ture needs in
 For the hun - gry and de - spair - ing, In the har - vests
 For the truths that still con - found us, Most of all, that

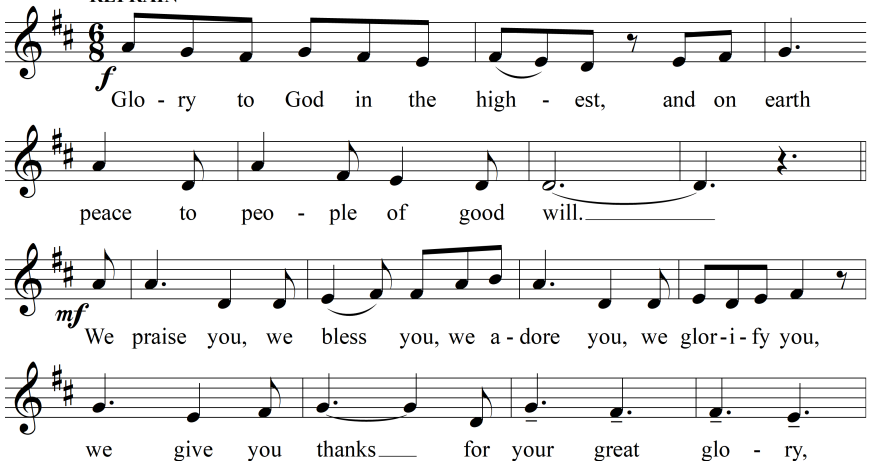
earth's safe keep - ing, Thanks be to God.
 we are shar - ing, God's will is done.
 love has found us, Thanks be to God.

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 Tune: AR HYD Y NOS, 8 4 8 4 888 4; Welsh melody

GLORIA IN EXCELSIS

Mass of Renewal

REFRAIN



f Glo - ry to God in the high - est, and on earth

peace to peo - ple of good will.

mf We praise you, we bless you, we a - dore you, we glor - i - fy you,

we give you thanks — for your great glo - ry,

cresc. (optional to Refrain)
 Lord God, heav-en - ly King, O God, al-might - y Fa - ther.

mf
 Lord Je-sus Christ, On-ly Be - got - ten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God,
mp
 Son of the Fa - ther, you take a-way the sins of the world,
 have mer-cy on us; you take a-way the sins of the world,
mf
 re-ceive our prayer; you are seat-ed at the right hand of the
cresc. (optional to Refrain)
 Fa - ther, have mer - cy on us.

f
 For you a-lone are the Ho - ly One, you a-lone are the Lord,
 you a-lone are the Most High, Je - sus Christ, with the Ho - ly
cresc.
 Spir - it, in the glo-ry of God the Fa - ther. A - men.

ff
 Glo - ry to God in the high - est, and on earth
 peace to peo - ple of good will.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Lk 8: 8; Ps 65 (64): 10, 11, 12-13, 14



R. The seed that falls on good ground will yield a fruit-ful har-vest.

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OFFERTORY

Father, We Thank Thee, Who Hast Planted



1. Fa - ther, we thank thee, who hast plant - ed

2. Watch o'er thy Church, O Lord, in mer - cy,



Thy ho - ly Name with - in our hearts.
Save it from e - vil, guard it still,



Knowl - edge and faith and life im - mor - tal
Per - fect it in thy love, u - nite it,



Je - sus, thy Son, to us im - parts.
Cleansed and con - formed un - to thy will.



Thou, Lord, didst make all for thy pleas - ure,
As grain, once scat - ter'd on the hill - sides,



Didst give us food for all our days,
Was in this bro - ken bread made one,



Giv - ing in Christ the Bread e - ter - nal;
So from all lands thy Church be gath - er'd



Thine is the power, be thine the praise.
In - to thy king - dom by thy Son.

Text: From the *Didache*, c.110; tr. by F. Bland Tucker, 1895-1984, alt., © 1940, The Church Pension Fund

Tune: RENDEZ À DIEU, 9 8 9 8 D; *Genevan Psalter*, 1551; attr. to Louis Bourgeois, c.1510-1561

COMMUNION

Bread of Life from Heaven



Bread of life from heav-en, your blood and bod - y giv-en, we
Pan de vi - da - ge - ter - na, nos das tu cuer - po y san - gre. †



eat this bread and drink this cup un - til you come a - gain.
Has - ta que vuel - vas tú, Se - ñor, co - me - mos en tu a - mor.

Text: Based on John 6; adapt. by Susan R. Briehl, b.1952; Spanish by Jaime Cortez, b.1963
Tune: Argentine folk melody; adapt. and verses by Marty Haugen, b.1950
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GOING FORTH

O God beyond All Praising



1. O God be - yond all prais - ing, we wor - ship you to - day
- *2. The flow'r of earth - ly splen - dor in time must sure - ly die,
3. Then hear, O gra - cious Sav - ior, ac - cept the love we bring,



And sing the love a - maz - ing that songs can - not re - pay;
Its frag - ile bloom sur - ren - der to you, the Lord most high;
That we who know your fa - vor may serve you as our King;



For we can on - ly won - der at ev - 'ry gift you send,
But hid - den from all na - ture the e - ter - nal seed is sown,
And wheth - er our to - mor - rows be filled with good or ill,



At bless - ings with - out num - ber and mer - cies with - out end.
Though small in mor - tal stat - ure to heav - en's gar - den grown.
We'll tri - umph through our sor - rows and rise to bless you still,



We lift our hearts be - fore you and wait up - on your word;
For Christ, the man from heav - en, from death has set us free,
To mar - vel at your beau - ty and glo - ry in your ways,



We hon - or and a - dore you, our great and might - y Lord.
And we through him are giv - en the fin - al vic - to - ry!
And make a joy - ful du - ty our sac - ri - fice of praise.

**May be omitted.*

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Tune: THAXTED, 13 13 13 13 13 13; Gustav Holst, 1874–1934