



Liturgy of Welcome

Accompaniment Edition

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*A liturgy celebrating the
inclusiveness of God's
love and grace.*

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Liturgy of Welcome
Call to Worship

Piano/Vocal Score

Words by Kenny Callaghan & Pam Challis

Music by Kenny Callaghan

recommended introduction: mm. 1-10, piano only, rubato, 8va

Melody

Cre - at - ing God, Re - deem - ing God,

Optional
Countermelody

Cre - at - ing God, Re - deem - ing

G C Dsus D bm

Piano

Detailed description: This system contains the first three measures of the piece. The Melody line is in G major, 4/4 time, with lyrics 'Cre - at - ing God, Re - deem - ing God,'. The Optional Countermelody line is in G major, 4/4 time, with lyrics 'Cre - at - ing God, Re - deem - ing'. The Piano accompaniment is in G major, 4/4 time, with chords G, C, Dsus, D, and bm. The piano part features a flowing eighth-note accompaniment in the right hand and a simple bass line in the left hand.

5

Wel-com-ing God, Lov - ing God, Grace-filled God.

God, Wel-com-ing God, Lov - ing God, Grace-filled God.

cm am D C/E F C F9 G

5

Detailed description: This system contains measures 4 through 8. The Melody line has lyrics 'Wel-com-ing God, Lov - ing God, Grace-filled God.' and 'God, Wel-com-ing God, Lov - ing God, Grace-filled God.'. The Optional Countermelody line has lyrics 'God, Wel-com-ing God, Lov - ing God, Grace-filled God.'. The Piano accompaniment has chords cm, am, D, C/E, F, C, F9, and G. The piano part continues with the same eighth-note accompaniment and bass line as the first system.

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11

As peo - ple ga - thered in your love,
am D bm

15

We ce - le - brate Your pre - sence with us here.
em C F am Dsus

19

You make__ us, You cre - ate__ us,
You make__ us, You cre - ate__
D C Dsus D bm

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23

You shape us, You form us, We are
us, You shape us, You form us, We are
em am D C/E F C F9

28

rit.

1. Yours. We are Yours. We are Yours.
Yours. We are Yours. We are Yours.

2. Yours. We are Yours. We are Yours.
Yours. We are Yours. We are Yours.

em am Dsus G em am Dsus G

28

Yours. We are Yours. We are Yours.
Yours. We are Yours. We are Yours.

em am Dsus G em am Dsus G

rit.
Cresc.

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Hymn of Praise

Piano/Vocal Score

Words by Kenny Callaghan and Jim Loken

Recommended intro: piano plays mm. 5-8
(mm. 1-8 if a longer intro is needed)

Music by Kenny Callaghan

Refrain **Allegro moderato** ♩ = 120

Glo - ry and praise to our God! Ho - nor and praise to our Cre -

F C Bb Csus C F C

a - tor and Re-dee - mer. Glo - ry and praise to our God, and peace to God's peo - ple on

Bb F/C C F C B d m Bb Csus C

1., 2. to verses 3. to bridge 4. Fine

earth. earth. earth. Fine

F Bb/F F Bb F Fine

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12 Verse 1

Bro-ken, a-shamed, dy-ing in fear, in Your wa-ter, in Your word, You res-cued

F C/E dm am B \flat C gm7 F/A B \flat C

mp *mf*

17

me. You brought me to Your feast of Vic-to-ry and Life, You bring love, hope, and

G F/A B \flat maj7 C C/B \flat F/A B \flat

cresc.

21 D.C. (to Refrain) Verse 2

wel-come to all, and I sing: I walked with you, I claimed Your word, but

Csus D.C. (to Refrain) F F/E dm am B \flat C

mf

25

peo-ple ha-ted and re-jec-ted me. Still I know in Your cross that You con-quer-ed all hate.

dm gm/B \flat em7 A B \flat C F F/E dm

3

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D.C. (to Refrain)

Bridge

29

Your ri-sen love sets me free for all e - ter - ni - ty, and I sing: You give me

gm7 F/A Bb F/A gm7 C^{sus} D.C. (to Refrain) Bb C

29

cresc. *p*

love. You give me hope.

34 F Bb/F F Bb C^{sus} dm

34

39 Your kind-ness and for - give - ness give me new life. I know Your

gm7 C am7 dm gm A7 Bb Bb F/A

39

mp *subito f*

D.C. (to Refrain)

45 wel - come is for all! And I sing:

gm7 Bb C^{sus} C^{sus} C D.C. (to Refrain)

45

Liturgy of Welcome
Gospel Acclamation

Piano/Vocal

Words & Music by Kenny Callaghan

Before the reading:

With jubilation $\text{♩} = 58$

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, Hear God's
G D B7(b9) em C

6 1. 2. rit.
Word, God's wel - come to us! wel - come to us!
G/B am7 D am7 D G

After the reading:

Refrain

11

This is the Gos-pel, the Word of our God, We have heard God's

G D B7(b9) em C G/B

f

17

pro-mise to us. This is the Gos-pel, the Word of our God.

am7 D G D B7(b9) em

23

1., 2., 3.

Thanks be to God for this Word of life.

C G/B am7 D 1., 2., 3. C/G G am7 G/B

to Verses

to Verses

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30 Final Verse
rit.

life. _____

1. Hav - ing heard the Word, _____
 2. Re - joice in the Word, _____
 3. Take and share the Word, _____

30 Final

C/G G C G/B Dsus

mf

36

_____ God's sto - ry of love, _____ we have
 _____ God's sto - ry of love. _____ Ce - le -
 _____ God's sto - ry of love. _____ Take and

D C G/B Dsus D B/D#

36

42 D.S.

heard God's pro - mise! _____
 brate God's pro - mise! _____
 share God's pro - mise! _____
 em Dsus D

42 D.S.

Liturgy of Welcome Communion Prayers

Piano/Vocal

Words & Music by Kenny Callaghan

I. Holy, Holy, Holy

Joyously $\text{♩} = 58$

The musical score is written in 3/4 time with a key signature of one flat (Bb). It consists of three systems of music, each with a vocal line and a piano accompaniment. The piano part includes chord symbols and dynamic markings.

System 1: The vocal line begins with a rest followed by the lyrics "Ho - ly, Ho - ly, Ho - ly". The piano accompaniment starts with a forte (*f*) dynamic. Chord symbols above the piano part are N.C., C_{sus}, C, F, C, and A7(b9).

System 2: The vocal line continues with "One, God of po - wer, God of might. Ho - ly, Ho - ly, Ho - ly". The piano accompaniment continues with the same rhythmic pattern. Chord symbols are dm, Bb, F/A, gm7, C, F, C, and A7(b9).

System 3: The vocal line concludes with "God, You fill the earth with Your glo - ry and grace. Bles - sed". The piano accompaniment ends with a mezzo-piano (*mp*) dynamic. Chord symbols are dm, Bb, F/A, gm7, C, and gm7. There are two "2nd x: Fine" markings with repeat signs above the piano part.

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is the One who brings hope and welcome to all. All

C13 am7 dm gm7 C7 F F7

mf

praise, glory and honor to You, our God!

Bb gm am dm7 Bb6 gm Csus C7

mf

II. Lamb of God

Reverently $\text{♩} = 66$

Je - sus, life - giv - ing Lamb of God, Re - dee - mer of

F5 F F sus F Bb/F dm

p

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all. You take a - way the sins of the world. Je - sus, life - giv - ing

Csus C B \flat F/A gm7 Csus C F F \sharp us

small notes: descant

rit. *a tempo*

Lamb of God, Re - dee - mer of all. You give hope,

F dm7 B \flat B \flat us2 B \flat F/a

rit. *pp* *a tempo*

You give love, You give new life.

B \flat F/A gm7 F/C C7 B \flat /F F

III. Song of Praise

Joyously $\text{♩} = 58$

Hal - le - lu - jah, Hal - le - lu - jah, We

N.C. C^{sus} C F C A7(b9) dm

f

Detailed description: This system contains the first two lines of music. The vocal line begins with a whole rest, followed by a repeat sign and the lyrics 'Hal - le - lu - jah, Hal - le - lu - jah, We'. The piano accompaniment starts with a whole rest, then enters with a melody in the right hand and a bass line in the left hand. Chords are indicated above the piano staff: N.C., C^{sus}, C, F, C, A7(b9), and dm. A dynamic marking of *f* is placed below the piano staff.

give You thanks and we give — You praise, Hal - le - lu - jah, Hal - le -

Bb F/A gm7 C F C A7(b9)

f

Detailed description: This system contains the next two lines of music. The vocal line continues with 'give You thanks and we give — You praise, Hal - le - lu - jah, Hal - le -'. The piano accompaniment continues with the same texture. Chords are indicated above the piano staff: Bb, F/A, gm7, C, F, C, and A7(b9). A dynamic marking of *f* is placed below the piano staff.

lu - jah, we give You thanks and we give — You praise.

2nd x: Fine

dm Bb F/A gm7 C F F/Bb F

f

Detailed description: This system contains the final two lines of music. The vocal line concludes with 'lu - jah, we give You thanks and we give — You praise.' The piano accompaniment concludes with the same texture. Chords are indicated above the piano staff: dm, Bb, F/A, gm7, C, F, F/Bb, and F. A dynamic marking of *f* is placed below the piano staff. The system ends with a double bar line and a repeat sign for the final measure.

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Be - ing fed at Your ta - ble, We are filled with Your gifts

F gm F/A Bb F/A Csus C Bb F/A Csus

mf

This system contains the first two lines of the musical score. The top staff is a vocal line in G major with lyrics. The bottom staff is a piano accompaniment in G major, starting with a mezzo-forte (*mf*) dynamic. Chord symbols are placed below the vocal line.

of for - give - ness, and of life, and of re - demp - tion!

C gm9 Fsus/A dm gm Csus

cresc. *ff*

This system contains the next two lines of the musical score. The piano accompaniment features a crescendo (*cresc.*) and reaches a fortissimo (*ff*) dynamic. Chord symbols are placed below the vocal line.

C V V V V V

This system contains the final two lines of the musical score. The piano accompaniment consists of five chords labeled V, V, V, V, and V, indicating a sequence of dominant chords. The vocal line concludes with a final note.