

SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT / B

Prepare the Way of the Lord

Canon

Pre - pare the way of the Lord. Pre- pare the way of the Lord, and
all peo-ple will see the sal - va - tion of our God. Pre -

Text: Luke 3:4, 6; Taizé Community, 1984
Tune: Jacques Berthier, 1923–1994
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Psalm 85: Lord, Let Us See Your Kindness

Refrain

Lord, let us see your kind - ness;
Lord, let us see your kind - ness.

Verses

1. Let us hear what our God proclaims: Peace to the people of God,
salvation is near to the ones who fear God.
2. Kindness and truth, justice and peace;
truth shall spring up as the water from the earth,
justice shall rain from the heavens.
3. The Lord will come and you shall know his love,
justice shall walk in his pathways, salvation the gift that he brings.

Text: Psalm 85:9–10, 11–12, 13–14; Marty Haugen, © 1983, GIA Publications, Inc.; refrain trans. © 1969, ICEL
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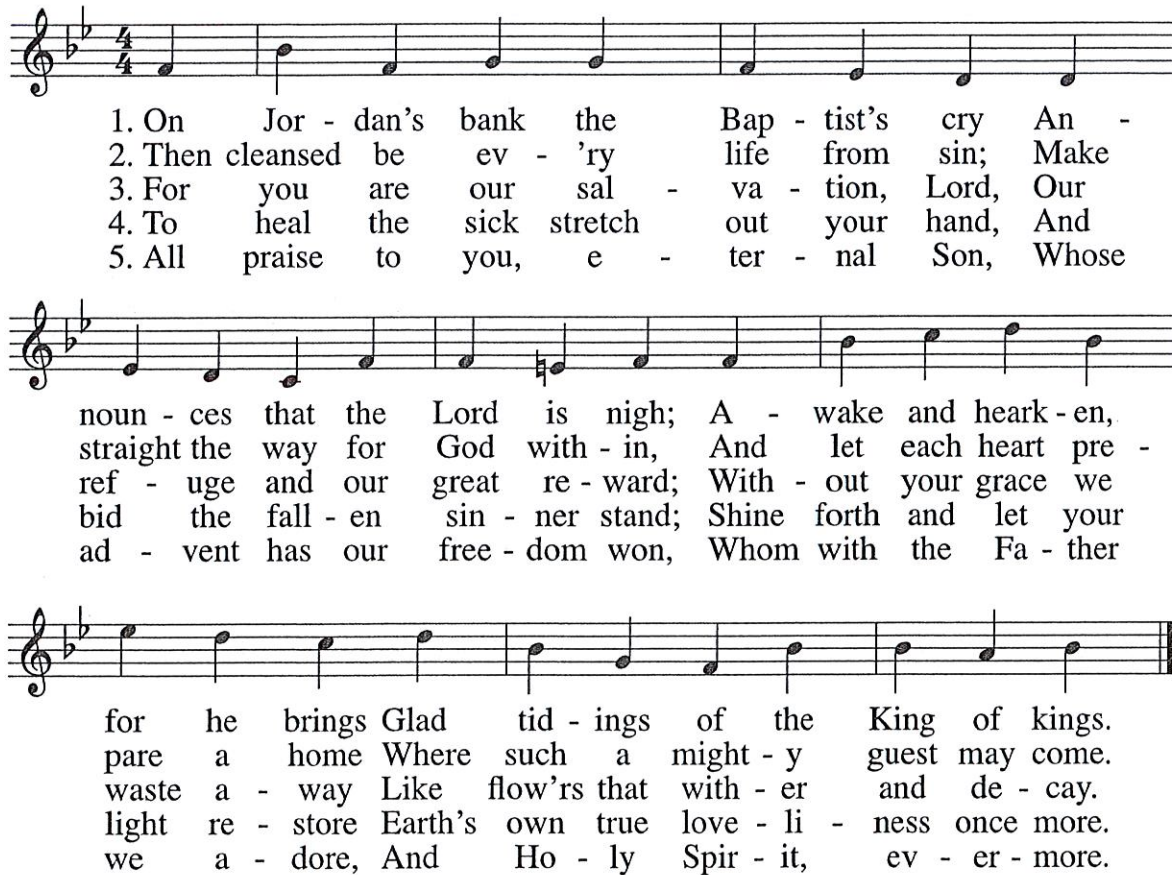
Advent Alleluia

Refrain



Hal - le - lu - ia, hal - le - lu - ia,
hal - le - lu - ia, hal - le - lu - ia!

On Jordan's Bank



1. On Jor - dan's bank the Bap - tist's cry An -
2. Then cleansed be ev - 'ry life from sin; Make
3. For you are our sal - va - tion, Lord, Our
4. To heal the sick stretch out your hand, And
5. All praise to you, e - ter - nal Son, Whose

noun - ces that the Lord is nigh; A - wake and heark - en,
straight the way for God with - in, And let each heart pre -
ref - uge and our great re - ward; With - out your grace we
bid the fall - en sin - ner stand; Shine forth and let your
ad - vent has our free - dom won, Whom with the Fa - ther

for he brings Glad tid - ings of the King of kings.
pare a home Where such a might - y guest may come.
waste a - way Like flow'rs that with - er and de - cay.
light re - store Earth's own true love - li - ness once more.
we a - dore, And Ho - ly Spir - it, ev - er - more.

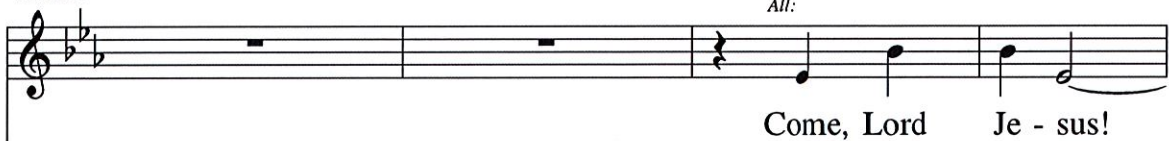
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Tune: WINCHESTER NEW, LM; adapt. from *Musikalisches Handbuch*, Hamburg, 1690

Jesus, Hope of the World

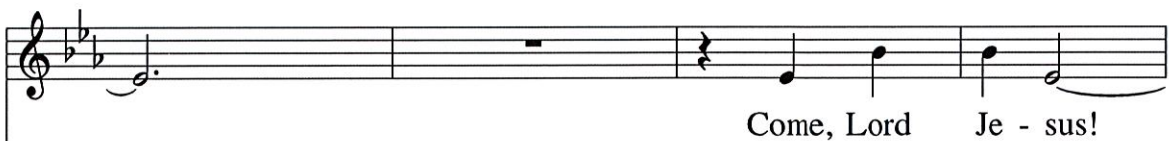
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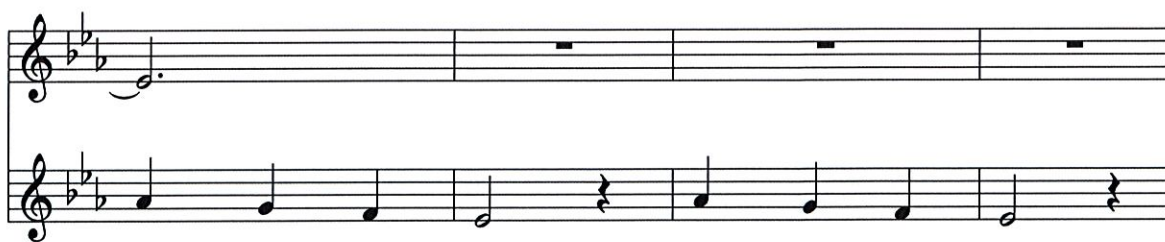
Verses



2. Come to us, O Prom-ised King!
3. Come to us, O Ris-ing Sun!
4. Come to us, O Heart's De-sire!



- Come to us, O Prom-ised Peace!
- Come to us, O End-less Light!
- Come to us, O Sav-ing Love!



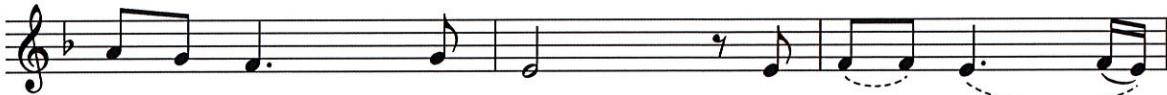
Comfort, My People



1. Com - fort, my peo - ple, and calm all your
 2. Si - lence the thun - der, si - lence sounds of
 (3.) light in the dark - ness; be truth for our



fear; the day of sal - va - tion is
 war. End all de - struc - tion and
 lives. Be strength for the help - less, the



quick-ly draw - ing near. The One you long to
 com - fort those who mourn. Your dream draws
 poor and lost who cry. O sav - ing



see will soon set you free.
 near; your vi - sion is here.
 voice, O liv - ing choice,



O come, Lord Je - sus, come.



O come, Lord Je - sus, come.



3. Be

The King Shall Come When Morning Dawns



1. The King shall come when morn - ing dawns And
2. Not, as of old, a lit - tle child, To
3. The King shall come when morn - ing dawns And
4. And let the end - less bliss be - gin, By
5. The King shall come when morn - ing dawns And



light tri - um - phant breaks, When beau - ty gilds the
 suf - fer and to die, But crowned with glo - ry
 earth's dark night is past; O haste the ris - ing
 wea - ry saints fore - told, When right shall tri - umph
 light and beau - ty brings. Hail, Christ, the Lord! Your



east - ern hills And life to joy a - wakes.
 like the sun That lights the morn - ing sky.
 of that morn Whose day shall ev - er last.
 o - ver wrong, And truth shall be ex - tolled.
 peo - ple pray: Come quick - ly, King of kings.

Text: John Brownlie, 1857–1925, alt.

Tune: MORNING SONG, CM; John Wyeth, 1770–1858; arr. by Robert J. Batastini, b.1942