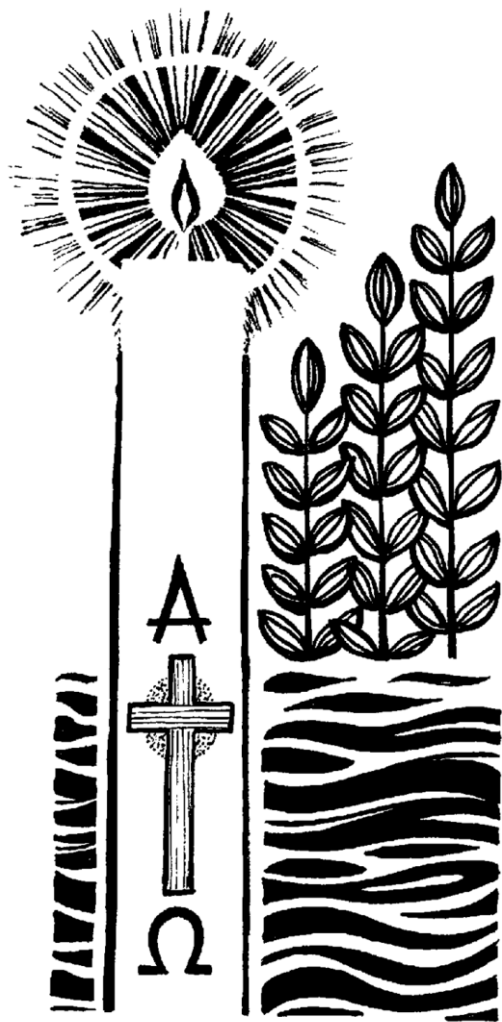


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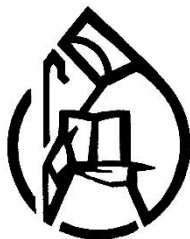
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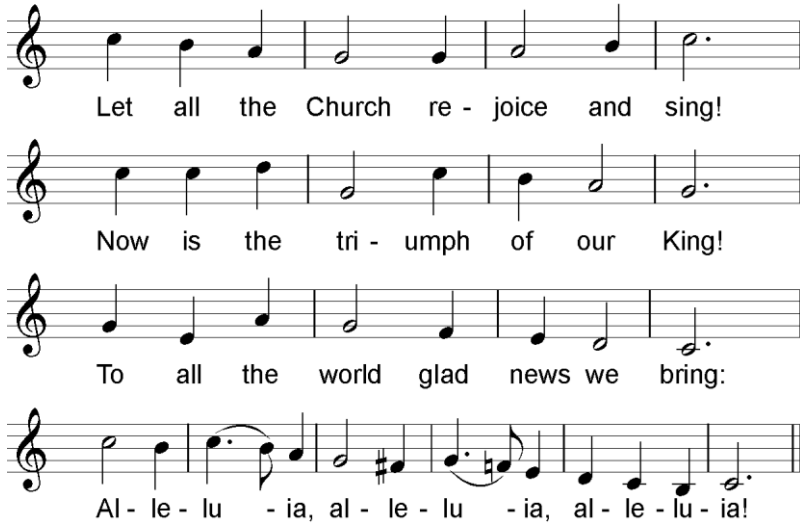
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HYMN

Traditional German melody, Jena 1609



Let all the Church re - joice and sing!
Now is the tri - umph of our King!
To all the world glad news we bring:
Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!

The Lord of life is risen for ay;
Bring flowers of song to strew his way;
Let all mankind rejoice and say:

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

Praise we in songs of victory
That love, that life which cannot die,
And sing with hearts uplifted high:

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

Thy name we bless, O risen Lord,
And sing today with one accord
The life laid down, the life restored:

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

C.A. Alington 1872–1955

A trembling seized them there,
like the pangs of birth,
By the east wind you have destroyed
the ships of Tarshish.

As we have heard, so we have seen
in the city of our God,
in the city of the Lord of hosts
which God upholds for ever.

O God, we ponder your love
within your temple.
Your praise, O God, like your name
reaches the ends of the earth.

With justice your right hand is filled.
Mount Zion rejoices;
the people of Judah rejoice
at the sight of your judgements.

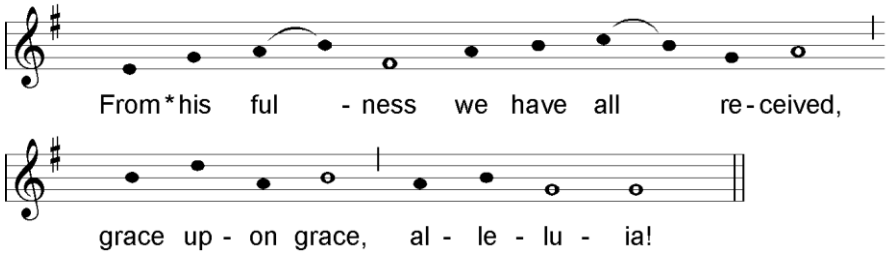
Walk through Zion, walk all round it;
count the number of its towers.
Review all its ramparts,
examine its castles,

that you may tell the next generation
that such is our God,
our God for ever and always.
It is he who leads us.

Glory be to the Father and to the Son
and to the Holy Spirit,
as it was in the beginning, is now
and shall be for ever, amen.

ANTIPHON 2: God is with us, * our God for ever and always, alleluia!

ANTIPHON 3



From*his ful - ness we have all re - ceived,
grace up - on grace, al - le - lu - ia!

NT Canticle 10

(Ephesians 1: 3–10)



Blessed be the God ánd Father
of our Lórd Jesus Christ,
who has blessed us in Christ
with every spiritual blessing in the heavenly places.

He chose us ín him
before the foundátion of the world,
that we should be hòly
and blameless bèfore him.

He destined us ín love
to be his sóns through Jesus Christ,
according to the purpose of his will,
(to the praise of his glorious grace,
which he freely bestowed on us in the Bèloved.

In him we have redemption through hís blood,
the forgíveness of our trespasses,
according to the riches of his gràce
which he lavished ùpon us.

He has made known to us in all wisdom ánd insight
the mýstery of his will,
according to his pùrpose
which he set forth in Christ.

His purpose he set forth ín Christ
as a plan for the fúlness of time,
to unite all things in him,
things in heaven and things òn earth.

Glory be to the Father and to thé Son
and tó the Holy Spirit,
as it was in the beginning, is nòw
and shall be for ever, àmen.

REPEAT ANTIPHON

ANTIPHON 4: Proclaim * to the nations, 'God is King', alleluia!

Psalm 95



O sing a new song to the Lord,
sing to the Lord all the earth.
O sing to the Lord, bless his name.

Proclaim his help day by day,
tell among the nations his glory
and his wonders among all the peoples.

The Lord is great and worthy of praise,
to be feared above all gods;
the gods of the heathens are naught.

It was the Lord who made the heavens,
his are majesty and state and power
and splendour in his holy place.

Give the Lord, you families of peoples,
give the Lord glory and power,
give the Lord the glory of his name.

Bring an offering and enter his courts,
worship the Lord in his temple.
O earth, tremble before him.

Proclaim to the nations: 'God is king.'
The world he made firm in its place;
he will judge the peoples in fairness.

Let the heavens rejoice and earth be glad,
let the sea and all within it thunder praise,
let the land and all it bears rejoice,
all the trees of the wood shout for joy

at the presence of the Lord for he comes,
he comes to rule the earth.
With justice he will rule the world,
he will judge the peoples with his truth.

Glory be to the Father and to the Son
and to the Holy Spirit,
as it was in the beginning, is now
and shall be for ever, amen.

ANTIPHON 4: Proclaim * to the nations, 'God is King', alleluia!

SCRIPTURE READING

RESPONSORY



Cantor: The Lord is tru - ly ris - en, al - le - lu - ia,



al - le - lu - ia!

All Repeat



Cantor: He has appeared to Sim - on:



All: Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!



Cantor: Glo - ry be to the Fa - ther and to the Son and



to the Ho - ly Spi - rit.

All: The Lord is truly risen, alleluia, alleluia!

RESPONSORY FROM ASCENSION UNTIL PENTECOST

Send forth your Spirit, O Lord, and renew the face of the earth!

INTERCESSIONS

OUR FATHER

(said by the Superior)

CONCLUDING PRAYER

LET US BLESS THE LORD, ALLELUIA!
THANKS BE TO GOD, ALLELUIA!

May the divine assistance remain always with us.
And with our absent brothers and sisters. Amen.

