

April 19, 2026
Third Sunday of Easter

GATHERING SONG

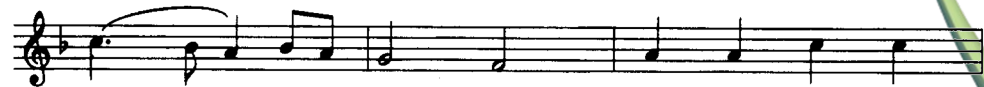
437 Christ the Lord Is Risen Today



1. Christ the Lord is ris'n to - day, Al - le -
2. Lives a - gain our glo - rious King; Al - le -
3. Love's re - deem - ing work is done, Al - le -



lu - ia! All on earth with an - gels say,
lu - ia! Where, O death, is now your sting?
lu - ia! Fought the fight, the bat - tle won.



Al - le - lu - ia! Raise your joys and
Al - le - lu - ia! Once he died our
Al - le - lu - ia! Death in vain for -



tri - umphs high, Al - le - lu - ia!
souls to save, Al - le - lu - ia!
bids him rise; Al - le - lu - ia!



Sing, O heav'n, and earth re - ply,
Where your vic - to - ry, O grave?
Christ has o - pened par - a - dise.

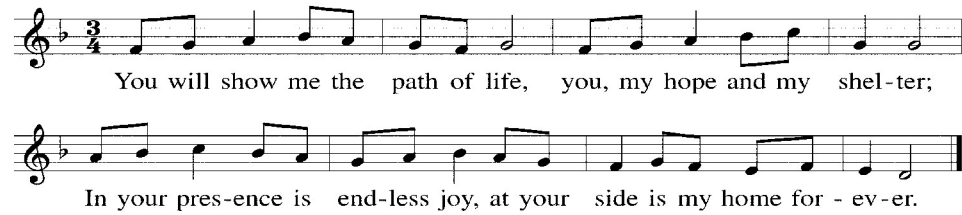


Al - le - lu - ia!

RESPONSORIAL PSALM 16

Psalm 16: You Will Show Me the Path of Life

Refrain



You will show me the path of life, you, my hope and my shel-ter;
In your pres-ence is end-less joy, at your side is my home for - ev-er.

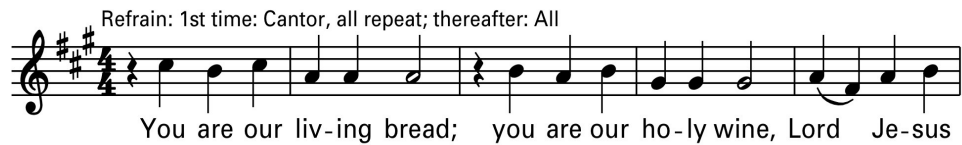
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PREPARATION HYMN

YOU ARE OUR LIVING BREAD

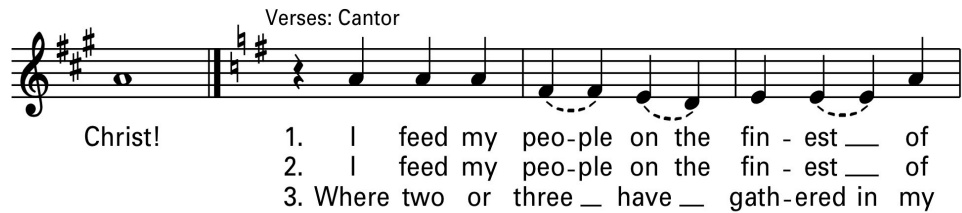
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Refrain: 1st time: Cantor, all repeat; thereafter: All



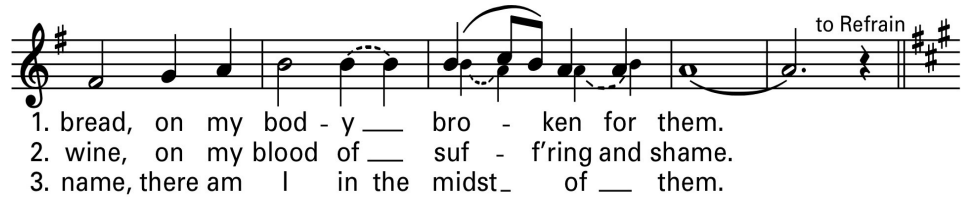
You are our liv-ing bread; you are our ho-ly wine, Lord Je-sus

Verses: Cantor



Christ!

1. I feed my peo-ple on the fin - est ___ of
2. I feed my peo-ple on the fin - est ___ of
3. Where two or three ___ have ___ gath-ered in my



to Refrain

1. bread, on my bod - y ___ bro - ken for them.
2. wine, on my blood of ___ suf - f'ring and shame.
3. name, there am I in the midst ___ of ___ them.

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COMMUNION HYMN

ONE PEOPLE, HERE, WE GATHER

Mary Louise Bringle, alt.

Michael Joncas

Verses



1. One peo - ple, here, we gath - er; one gos - pel
2. One Teach - er calls dis - ci - ples to Mar - y's
3. One world in - vites our nur - ture, a stew - ard -
4. One Spir - it sends us on - ward in wit - ness



here up - lifts a Pen - te - cost of na - tions, va -
"bet - ter part": to lis - ten to Christ's les - sons; to
ship of care for o - ceans, fields, and for - ests, one
to the earth, as min - is - ters of jus - tice and



ri - e - ties of gifts. When Ba - bel tongues con - found us
learn with o - pen heart; to live with hon - est ques - tions;
hab - i - tat we share. We tend one sa - cred gar - den,
mid - wives for re - birth: to lead the church with cour - age



or dif - f'renc - es di - vide, we break one
to knock, to seek, to find; to love the
as God's own breath im - plores, from coast - al
on ven - tures new - be - gun, *trans - formed yet



loaf to - geth - er of Christ the cru - ci - fied.
God of Wis - dom with soul and strength and mind.
bays to moun - tains, from east to west - ern shores.
still trans - form - ing, till God's whole will is done.

**Those in the Reformed tradition may prefer to sing "reformed yet still reforming."*

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Refrain*



When we eat this bread, when we drink this
cup, we pro-claim your death, O Lord, un -
til you come a - gain. When we eat this bread,
when we drink this cup, we pro-claim your
death, O Lord, un - til you come a - gain.

**Refrain is based on a Memorial Acclamation from the Roman Missal.*

SONG FOR THE JOURNEY


The Strife Is O'er



Al-le - lu - ia! Al-le - lu - ia! Al-le - lu - ia!



1. The strife is o'er, the bat - tle done; Now is the
2. Death's might - iest pow'rs have done their worst, And Je - sus
3. He closed the yawn - ing gates of hell; The bars from
4. On the third morn he rose a - gain, Glo - rious in



Vic - tor's tri - umph won; Now be the song of
has his foes dis - persed; Let shouts of praise and
heav'n's high por - tals fell; Let hymns of praise his
maj - es - ty to reign; O let us swell the

D.C.



praise	be - gun:	Al - le - lu - ia!
joy	out - burst:	Al - le - lu - ia!
tri - umph	tell:	Al - le - lu - ia!
joy - ful	strain:	Al - le - lu - ia!

Text: *Finita iam sunt proelia*; Latin, 12th C.; tr. by Francis Port, 1832-1909, alt.
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