

1. O God be-yond all prais - ing, We worship you to - day,
 2. Then hear, O gra-cious Sav - ior; Ac - cept the love we bring,

And sing the love a-maz - ing That songs cannot re - pay;
 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,
 And wheth - er our to - mor-rows Be filled with good or ill,

At bless-ings with-out num - ber And mercies with-out end;
 We'll triumph thro' our sor - rows And rise to bless you still,

We lift our hearts before you And wait up-on your word;
 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 make a joy-ful du - ty Our sac-ri-fice of praise. A-men.

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 Tune: from Gustav Holst, 1918

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PRAISE TO GOD: IN HIMSELF

1. As pants the hart for cool-ing streams When heat-ed in the chase,
 2. For thee, my God, the liv - ing God, My thirst-y soul doth pine;
 3. Why rest-less, why cast down, my soul? Hope still, and thou shalt sing
 4. To Fa - ther, Son, and Ho - ly Ghost, The God whom we a - dore,

So longs my soul, O God, for thee, And thy re - fresh-ing grace.
 O when shall I be - hold thy face, Thou Maj - es - ty di - vine?
 The praise of him who is thy God, Thy health's e - ter - nal spring.
 Be glo - ry, as it was, is now, And shall be ev - er - more.

A - men.

Text: Nahum Tate and Nicholas Brady, 1696; based on Psalm 42
 Tune: Hugh Wilson, ca. 1800; arr. Robert Smith, 1825, alt.

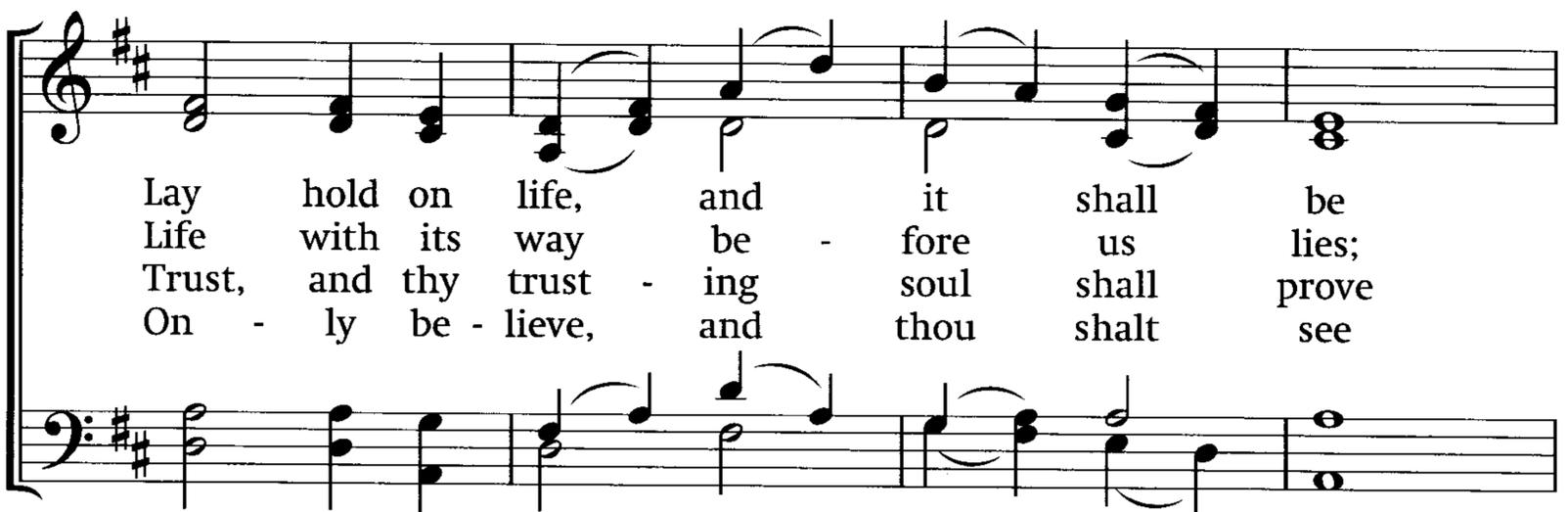
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1. Fight the good fight with all thy might;
 2. Run the straight race through God's good grace;
 3. Cast care a - side; lean on thy Guide;
 4. Faint not nor fear; his arms are near;



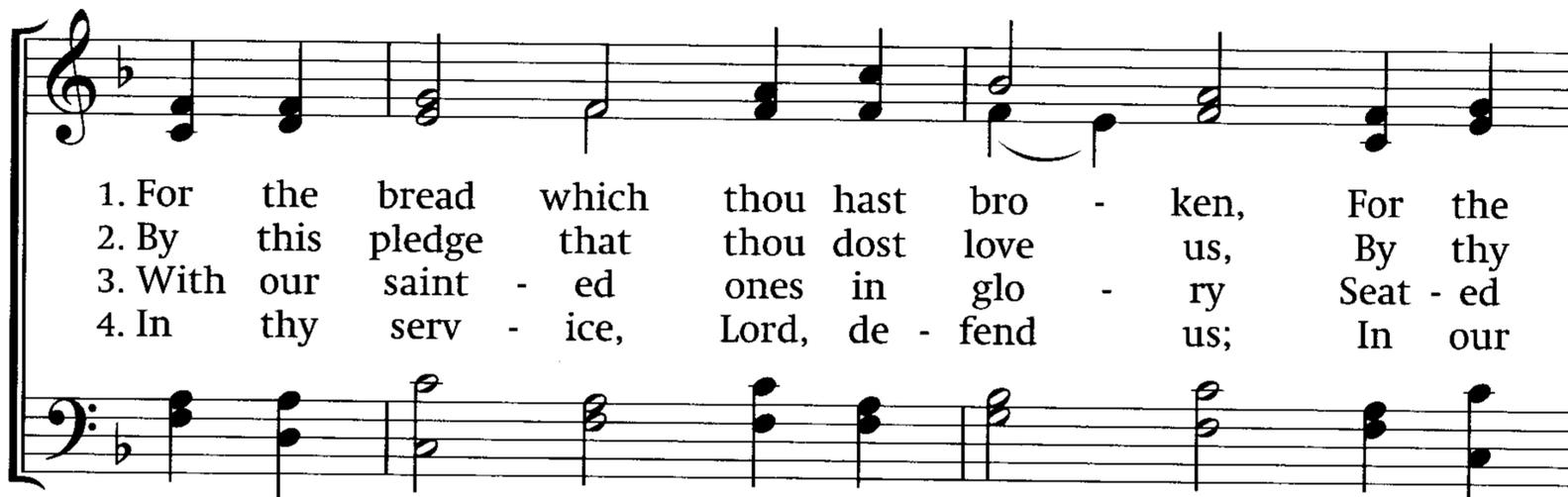
Christ is thy strength and Christ thy right;
 Lift up thine eyes and seek his face;
 His bound-less mer - cy will pro - vide;
 He chang-eth not, and thou art dear;



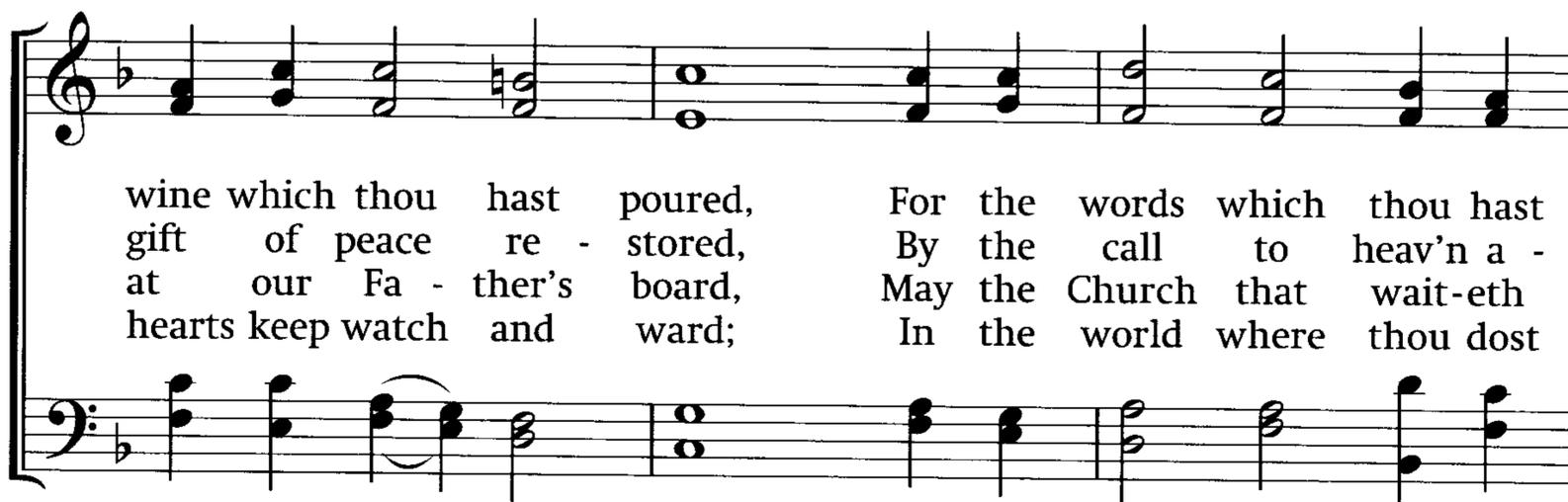
Lay hold on life, and it shall be
 Life with its way be - fore us lies;
 Trust, and thy trust - ing soul shall prove
 On - ly be - lieve, and thou shalt see



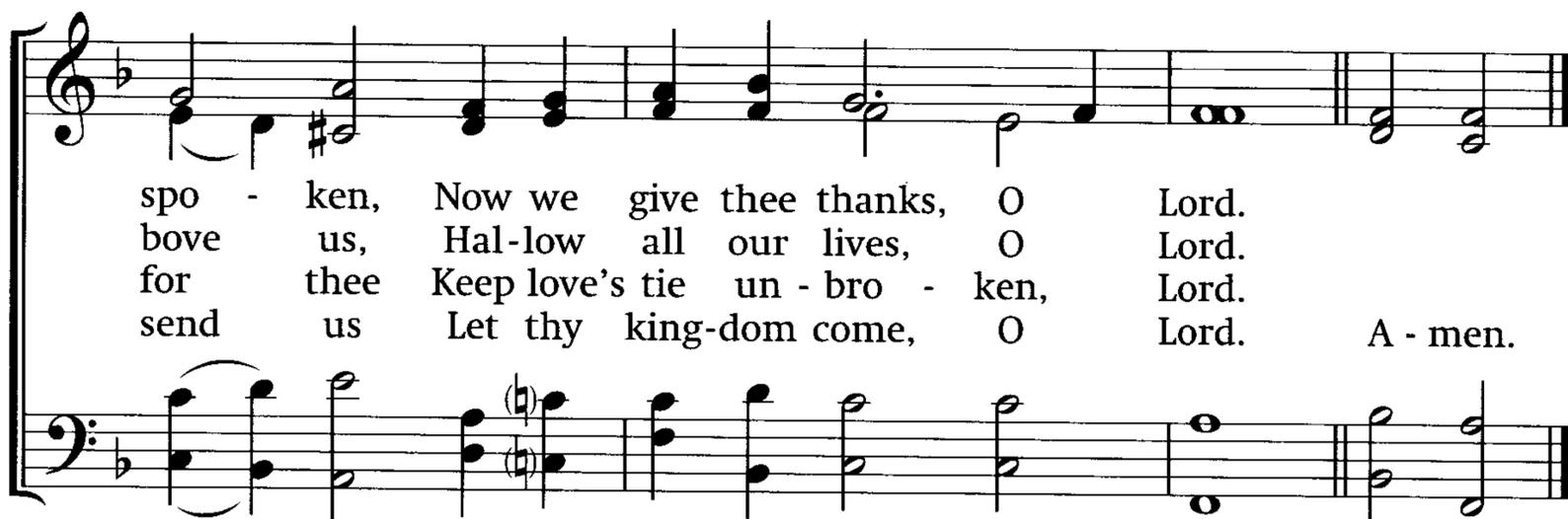
Thy joy and crown e - ter - nal - ly.
 Christ is the path and Christ the prize.
 Christ is its life and Christ its love.
 That Christ is all in all to thee.



1. For the bread which thou hast bro - ken, For the
 2. By this pledge that thou dost love us, By thy
 3. With our saint - ed ones in glo - ry Seat - ed
 4. In thy serv - ice, Lord, de - fend us; In our



wine which thou hast poured, For the words which thou hast
 gift of peace re - stored, By the call to heav'n a -
 at our Fa - ther's board, May the Church that wait-eth
 hearts keep watch and ward; In the world where thou dost



spo - ken, Now we give thee thanks, O Lord.
 bove us, Hal-low all our lives, O Lord.
 for thee Keep love's tie un - bro - ken, Lord.
 send us Let thy king-dom come, O Lord. A - men.

1. A - wake, my soul, stretch ev - 'ry nerve, And press with
 2. A cloud of wit - ness - es a - round Hold thee in
 3. 'Tis God's all - an - i - mat - ing voice That calls thee
 4. Then wake, my soul, stretch ev - 'ry nerve, And press with

vig - or on; A heav'n - ly race de - mands thy zeal,
 full sur - vey; For - get the steps al - read - y trod,
 from on high; 'Tis his own hand pre - sents the prize
 vig - or on; A heav'n - ly race de - mands thy zeal,

And an im - mor - tal crown, And an im - mor - tal crown.
 And on - ward urge thy way, And on - ward urge thy way.
 To thine a - spir - ing eye, To thine a - spir - ing eye.
 And an im - mor - tal crown, And an im - mor - tal crown.