

A Service of Taizé Prayer and Reflection



Wednesday, May 13, 2020

“As we seek you, God of mercy, we ask you for peace for our hearts. That peace is there in the way that you, O God, look on our lives with an infinite goodness.”

Brother Alois

Give Peace to Every Heart

♩ = 72

(A)

Da pa - cem cor - di - um. Da pa - cem cor - di - um. Da
 Give peace to ev - 'ry heart. Give peace to ev - 'ry heart. Give

(B)

pa
 peace,

(C)

cem. Da pa
 Lord. Give peace,

cem. Da
 Lord. Give

fine

The musical score for 'Give Peace to Every Heart' is written in a single system with two staves. The key signature has two flats (B-flat and E-flat), and the time signature is common time (C). The tempo is marked as quarter note = 72. The score is divided into three sections: (A), (B), and (C). Section (A) contains the first two lines of the melody. Section (B) contains the third line, which includes a long note for 'pa peace,'. Section (C) contains the fourth line, which includes a long note for 'cem. Da pa' and ends with 'Give'. The word 'fine' is written above the final note of section (C).

Bless the Lord

Bless the Lord, my soul, and bless God's ho - ly name.

Bless the Lord, my soul, who leads me in - to life.

The musical score for 'Bless the Lord' consists of two systems, each with a vocal line and a piano accompaniment line. The key signature has two flats (B-flat and E-flat), and the time signature is common time (C). The first system contains the lyrics 'Bless the Lord, my soul, and bless God's ho - ly name.' The second system contains the lyrics 'Bless the Lord, my soul, who leads me in - to life.'

Let All Who Are Thirsty

Let all who are thirst - y come. Let all who wish re - ceive the

wa - ter of life free - ly. A - men, come Lord Je - sus. A -

men, come Lord Je - sus.

The musical score for 'Let All Who Are Thirsty' consists of three systems, each with a vocal line and a piano accompaniment line. The key signature has two sharps (F# and C#), and the time signature is 3/4. The first system contains the lyrics 'Let all who are thirst - y come. Let all who wish re - ceive the'. The second system contains the lyrics 'wa - ter of life free - ly. A - men, come Lord Je - sus. A -'. The third system contains the lyrics 'men, come Lord Je - sus.'

Psalm 31

In you, O Lord, I seek refuge;
do not let me ever be put to shame;
in your righteousness deliver me.
Incline your ear to me;
rescue me speedily.
Be a rock of refuge for me,
a strong fortress to save me.
You are indeed my rock and my fortress;
for your name's sake lead me and guide me,
take me out of the net that is hidden for me,
for you are my refuge.
Into your hand I commit my spirit;
you have redeemed me, O Lord, faithful God.
My times are in your hand;
deliver me from the hand of my enemies and persecutors.
Let your face shine upon your servant;
save me in your steadfast love.

Acts 7:55 – 60

But filled with the Holy Spirit, he gazed into heaven and saw the glory of God and Jesus standing at the right hand of God. 'Look,' he said, 'I see the heavens opened and the Son of Man standing at the right hand of God!' But they covered their ears, and with a loud shout all rushed together against him. Then they dragged him out of the city and began to stone him; and the witnesses laid their coats at the feet of a young man named Saul. While they were stoning Stephen, he prayed, 'Lord Jesus, receive my spirit.' Then he knelt down and cried out in a loud voice, 'Lord, do not hold this sin against them.' When he had said this, he died.

Nothing Can Trouble

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Noth - ing can trou - ble, noth - ing can fright - en. Those who seek
God shall nev - er go want - ing. Noth - ing can trou - ble,
noth - ing can fright - en. God a - lone fills us.

The musical score is written for voice and piano. It consists of three systems of music. Each system has a vocal line in the treble clef and a piano accompaniment in the bass clef. The key signature has one sharp (F#), and the time signature is common time (C). The lyrics are: "Noth - ing can trou - ble, noth - ing can fright - en. Those who seek God shall nev - er go want - ing. Noth - ing can trou - ble, noth - ing can fright - en. God a - lone fills us." The score ends with a double bar line and repeat dots.

John 14:1–3a

“Do not let your hearts be troubled. Believe in God, believe also in me. In my Father’s house there are many dwelling places. If it were not so, would I have told you that I go to prepare a place for you? And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again and will take you to myself, so that where I am, there you may be also.”

Homily

Prayers in times of trouble

Dona Nobis Pacem

Dona nobis pacem, pacem;

Dona nobis pacem, ...

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed by thy name,
Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread.
And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom, the power and the glory, for ever and ever.
Amen

Closing Prayer

Jesus, Love of all loving, your compassion is without limit. We are thirsting for you,
the one who tells us: "Why be afraid? Have no fear; I am here."

The Kingdom of God

The king-dom of God is jus-tice and peace and joy in the Ho-ly
Spir - it. Come, Lord , and o-pen in us the gates of your king-dom.

The image shows two staves of musical notation in G major and 4/4 time. The melody is written on a treble clef staff, and the accompaniment is on a bass clef staff. The lyrics are placed between the staves.

In the Lord I'll be ever thankful

In the Lord I'll be ev-er thank-ful, in the Lord I will re-joice! Look to God, do not be a-
fraid. Lift up your voic-es, the Lord is near; lift up your voic - es, the Lord is near. In the

The image shows two systems of musical notation in B-flat major and 3/4 time. Each system consists of a treble clef staff with the melody and a bass clef staff with the accompaniment. The lyrics are placed between the staves. There are triplets and a fermata in the melody.



“God remains alongside us even in the fathomless depths of our loneliness. God says to each person,

‘You are precious in my sight, I treasure you and I love you.’

Yes, all God can do is give his love; that sums up the whole of the Gospel.”

Brother Roger