

LYRIC SHEET FOR SUNDAY, MAY 2, 2021

FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

ENTRANCE SONG: SING WITH ALL THE SAINTS IN GLORY

Text: 87 87 D; 1 Corinthians 15:20; William J. Irons, 1812-1893; fr. *Psalms and Hymns*, 1873, alt.
Music: Ludwig van Beethoven; adapt. by Edward Hodges, 1796-1867.

Sing with all the saints in glory, sing the resurrection song!
Death and sorrow, earth's dark story, to the former days belong.
All around the clouds are breaking, soon the storms of time shall cease
In God's likeness, people waking, know the everlasting peace.

Oh, what glory, far exceeding all that eye has yet perceived!
Holiest hearts for ages pleading, never that full joy conceived.
God has promised, Christ prepares it, there on high our welcome waits;
Ev'ry humble spirit shares it, Christ has passed th'eternal gates.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM: 22: 26-27, 28, 30, 31-32

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Response: I will praise you, Lord, in the assembly of your people.

I will fulfill my vows before those who fear the Lord. The lowly shall eat their fill;
they who seek the Lord shall praise him: "May your hearts live forever!" ***Response***

All the ends of the earth shall remember and turn to the Lord;
all the families of the nations shall bow down before him. ***Response***

To him alone shall bow down all who sleep in the earth;
before him shall bend all who go down into the dust. ***Response***

And to him my soul shall live; my descendants shall serve him.
Let the coming generation be told of the Lord
that they may proclaim to a people yet to be born the justice he has shown. ***Response***

COMMUNION HYMN: CHRIST, THE LORD, IS RISEN TODAY

Text: 77 77 with alleluias; Charles Wesley, 1707-1788, alt. Music: Robert Williams, 1781-1821.

Christ, the Lord, is ris'n today, Alleluia!
All on earth with angels say, Alleluia!
Raise your joys and triumphs high, Alleluia!
Sing ye heav'ns and earth reply, Alleluia!

Lives again our glorious King; Alleluia!
Where, O death, is now thy sting? Alleluia!
Once he died our souls to save, Alleluia!
Where thy victory, O grave? Alleluia!

Love's redeeming work is done, Alleluia!
Fought the fight, the battle won. Alleluia!
Death in vain forbids him rise; Alleluia!
Christ has open'd paradise. Alleluia!

Soar we now where Christ has led, Alleluia!
Foll'wing our exalted head; Alleluia!
Made like him, like him we rise, Alleluia!
Ours the cross, the grave, the skies. Alleluia!