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JOYOUS LIGHT

Evening Prayer



SERVICE OF LIGHT

Opening Dialogue

☐ Je - sus Christ, Light of life, shine in your peo - ple here.

☑ Je - sus Christ, Light of life, shine in your peo - ple here.

☐ Stay with us now; put fear to flight as eve - ning ush - ers in the night.

☑ Warm the dark - ness with your love and light, Je - sus Christ.

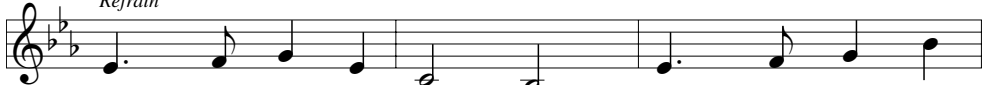
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Hymn of Light

Refrain



☑ Joy - ous Light of glo - ry, sa - cred Word made



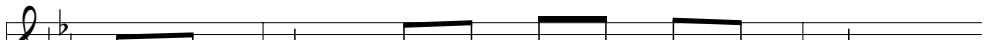
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of the Fa - ther giv - en, Light to earth from



Light of heav - en: ho - ly, end - less source of life.



PSALM AND SONG

Psalm 141

Refrain



☐ We lift our hands in prayer like in-cense ris - ing



and of - fer our lives to you, O God.



I God, we call, for you are near:	II hear us and help us.
I Touch our lips, form ev - 'ry word:	II keep us from e - vil.
I As we turn our gaze to you:	II Light of cre - a - tion;

GOSPEL CANTICLE

Magnificat

Refrain

☐ My soul pro - claims your great-ness, O God,



my spir-it re - joic - es in the love of my Sav - ior.



You have looked with fa - vor on my sim - ple ways,



and I will praise you all of my days.



1 You have called me bless - ed, done great things for me.
 2 You have hum-bled the might - y, scat-tered earth-ly pride.

PRAYERS AND BLESSING

Litany

Refrain

☩ God of love, have mer - cy, and lis - ten to our prayer.
(God.)

L *Petitions*

1 For peace born of heav - en, and
 2 For peace in the whole world, and
 3 For all those who gov - ern: give
 4 For all who work for jus - tice and
 5 For rain, sun, and har - vest, and

You Show Us the Path of Life

Psalm 16

Refrain

You show us the path of life; in your
 pres-ence, O God, there is full-ness of joy. You show us the
 path of life; at your right hand are plea-sures ev - er - more.

1 Our dai - ly feast, O God, our bless - ing cup:
 2 So it is you we bless. O God, our guide:

Rest in God Alone

Psalm 62

Refrain



Rest in God a - lone, my soul; oh, rest in



God, my soul. Rest in God a -



lone, my soul; oh, rest in God, my soul.



1 On - ly in God is my soul at rest. From
2 On - ly in God be at rest my soul: from

Open Our Lives to the Word



- 1 May our words, may our songs, may our wor - ship this night
 2 May our griefs, may our woes, may the sor - rows we share
 3 May our joys, may our smiles, may the gifts that we bring



fill up our hearts and give us new sight. May our prayers, may our
 fill up our hearts and call forth our care. May our tears, may our
 fill up our hearts and stir us to sing. May we serve, may we

Holy One, in You Alone




We do not call this world our own, yet we will make this earth our



home; Ho - ly One, in you a - lone.



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|---|----|----|-----|-------|-------|-------------|--------|
| 1 | We | do | not | claim | this | liv - ing | word |
| 2 | We | do | not | claim | this | love of | ours |
| 3 | We | do | not | claim | these | seeds we | sow |
| 4 | We | do | not | claim | our | prayers for | change |

Lord, Now You Let Your Servant*Nunc dimittis*

Lord, now you let your ser - vant go in peace:



your word has been ful - filled.



My own eyes have seen the sal - va - tion which you have pre -



pared in the sight of ev - 'ry peo - ple: