

FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

April 26

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 23:1–3a, 3b–4, 5, 6 (49) [or: Alleluia.]

Response: (Organ/SATB)

Optional Descant

The Lord, my shepherd; there is nothing I shall want.

G Am/C D/A G/B Am7 C/G G

The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I shall want.

Verses: (Cantor or SATB)

1. The LORD is my shepherd; I shall not want. want. soul.*

2. He guides me in right paths for his name's sake. staff.

3. You spread the table before me in the sight of my foes; life;

4. Only goodness and kindness follow me all the days of my life; Beside restful waters he refreshes my soul.

1. In verdant pastures He gives me rest; re - pose;

2. Even though I walk in the dark valley I fear no evil; courage.

3. You anoint my head with oil; My cup over - flows.

4. And I shall dwell in the house of the LORD For years to come.

*to Response

Gospel Acclamation: John 10:14

Acclamation: (Organ/SATB) No. VII

Optional Descant

Al - le - lu - ia, _____ al - le - lu - ia, _____ al - le - lu - ia.

D G/B Asus4 A G Dadd9 D G/B A7/C# D

Al - le - lu - ia, _____ al - le - lu - ia, _____ al - le - lu - ia.

Verse: (Cantor or SATB)

I am the good shepherd, says _____ the _____ Lord; _____

I know my sheep, _____ and mine _____ know _____ me.

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LIKE A CHILD RESTS

REFRAIN: (♩ = ca. 96) 1st time: Cantor, All repeat; thereafter: All

(*a tempo*) C Am Dm C/E G

Like a child rests in its moth-er's arms, so will I rest in you.

C F Em/G Am Dm/F C (♩) Fine

Like a child rests in its moth-er's arms, so will I rest in you.

VERSES

G C Dm6/F C/E Dm/F Esus4 E *rall.* D.C.

1. My God, I am not proud. I do not look for things too great.
 2. My God, I trust in you. You care for me, you give me peace.
 3. O Is - rael, trust in God, now and al - ways trust in God.

Text: Based on Psalm 131; Christopher Walker, b. 1947.

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BECAUSE THE LORD IS MY SHEPHERD

VERSES (♩ = ca. 46)

Capo 1: (D)
E♭(Em/D)
Fm/E♭

1. Be - cause ____ the Lord is my shep - herd, ____ I have _____.
 2. And when ____ the road leads to dark - ness, ____ I shall _____.
 3. In love ____ you make me a ban - quet ____ for my _____.
 4. Your good - ness ____ al - ways is with me ____ and your _____.

(D)
E♭(Em/D)
Fm/E♭(F♯m)
Gm

1. ev - 'ry-thing ____ I need.
 2. walk there ____ un - a - afraid.
 3. en - e - mies ____ to see.
 4. mer - cy ____ I know.

He lets me rest in the mead - ow and
 E - ven when death is close ____ I have
 You make me wel-come, ____ pour - ing down
 Your lov - ing kind-ness ____ strength-ens me

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(G) A_b (D/F#) E_b/G (Em) Fm (Asus4) B_bsus4 (A) B_b (D) E_b (G) A_b

1. leads me ____ to the quiet streams.
 2. cour-age, ____ for your help is there.
 3. hon - or ____ from your might - y hand,
 4. al - ways ____ as I go through life.

He re - stores ____ my soul and he
 You are close ____ be - side me with
 and this joy ____ fills me with
 I shall dwell in your pres-ence for -

(Dmaj7/F#) E_bmaj7/G (Em) Fm (A) B_b **REFRAIN** (D) E_b (Em/D) Fm/E_b

1. leads me ____ in the paths that are right: Lord, you are my shep-herd,
 2. com - fort, ____ you are guid-ing my way:
 3. glad-ness; ____ it is too much to bear:
 4. ev - er, ____ giv-ing praise to your name:

(D) E_b (A) B_b (Bm) Cm (F#m/A) Gm/B_b (G) A_b (D/F#) E_b/G (Bm) Cm

you are my friend. I want to fol - low you al - ways, just to

1-3 (G) A_b (Asus4) B_bsus4 (A) B_b **D.C.** **Final** (G) A_b **rall.** (D) E_b **a tempo**

fol - low my friend. fol - low my friend.

(Em/D) Fm/E_b (D) E_b (F#m) Gm (Bm) Cm **rall.** (G) A_b (D) E_b

GIFT OF FINEST WHEAT

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REFRAIN *Legato*

Capo 1: (C) D_b (Am) B_bm (F) G_b (Em) (Am) Fm B_bm (Dm) E_bm (Em) Fm (C) D_b (G) A_b

You sat-is-fy the hun-gry heart — With gift of fin-est wheat, Come

(Am) B_bm (F) G_b (Em) (Am7) B_bm7 (Dm) E_bm (G) A_b (C) D_b *Fine*

give to us, O — sav-ing Lord, The bread of life to eat. —

VERSES

(C) D_b (Am) B_bm (F) G_b (C) D_b

1. As when the shep - - herd calls his sheep, They
 2. With joy - ful lips we sing to you Our
 3. Is not the cup we bless and share The
 4. The mys - t'ry of your pres - ence, Lord, No
 5. You give your - self to us, O Lord; Then

(F) G_b (G) A_b (Am7) B_bm7 (Dm) E_bm (Dm7) E_bm7

1. know and heed his voice; So when you call your
 2. praise and grat - i - tude, That you should count us
 3. blood of Christ out - poured? Do not one cup, one
 4. mor - tal tongue can tell: Whom all the world can -
 5. self - less let us be, To serve each oth - er

(G) A_b (Dm) E_bm (F) G_b (G) A_b

1. fam - 'ly, Lord, We fol - low and re - joice.
 2. wor - thy, Lord, To share this heav'n - ly food.
 3. loaf, de - clare Our one - ness in the Lord?
 4. not con - tain Comes in our hearts to dwell.
 5. in your name In truth and char - i - ty.

Text: CM with refrain; Omer Westendorf, 1916-1997.

Music: BICENTENNIAL; Robert E. Kreutz, 1922-1996.

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CHRIST BE BESIDE ME

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Peacefully (♩ = ca. 72)

G Am G C G Am7

1. Christ be be - side me, Christ be be - fore me, Christ be be -
 2. Christ on my right hand, Christ on my left hand, Christ all a -
 3. Christ be in all hearts think-ing a - bout me; Christ be on

Dsus4 D G Am G Em Am D G Am G

1. hind ____ me, King of my heart. ____ Christ be with - in me,
 2. round ____ me, shield in the strife. ____ Christ in my sleep - ing,
 3. all ____ tongues tell - ing of me. ____ Christ be the vi - sion

C G Am7 D G , Gsus4 G

1. Christ be be - low me, Christ be a - bove me, nev - er to part.
 2. Christ in my sit - ting, Christ in my ris - ing, light of my life.
 3. in eyes that see me; In ears that hear me, Christ ev - er be.

Text: 55 54 D; *New Hymns for All Seasons*; St. Patrick's Breastplate, adapt. by James Quinn, SJ, 1919–2010, © 1969, James Quinn, SJ.

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ALLELUIA! ALLELUIA!

1. Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! Hearts to heav'n and voic - es raise;
 2. Now the i - ron bars are bro - ken, Christ from death to life is born,
 3. Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! Glo - ry be to God on high;

1. Sing to God a hymn of glad - ness, Sing to God a hymn of praise.
 2. Glo - rious life, and life im - mor - tal, On this res - ur - rec - tion morn;
 3. Al - le - lu - ia to the Sav - ior, Who has won the vic - to - ry;

1. He who on the cross as Sav - ior For the world's sal - va - tion bled,
 2. Christ has tri - umphed, and we con - quer By his might - y en - ter - prise,
 3. Al - le - lu - ia to the Spir - it, Font of love and sanc - ti - ty;

1. Je - sus Christ, the King of Glo - ry, Now is ris - en from the dead.
 2. We with him to life e - ter - nal By his res - ur - rec - tion rise.
 3. Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! To the Tri - une Maj - es - ty.

Text: 87 87 D; Christopher Wordsworth, 1807-1885, alt.

Music: HYMN TO JOY; Ludwig van Beethoven, 1770-1827; adapt. by Edward Hodges, 1796-1867; guitar acc. © 1995, OCP. All rights reserved.

Note: When guitar and keyboard play together, keyboardists should improvise using the guitar chords above the melody.