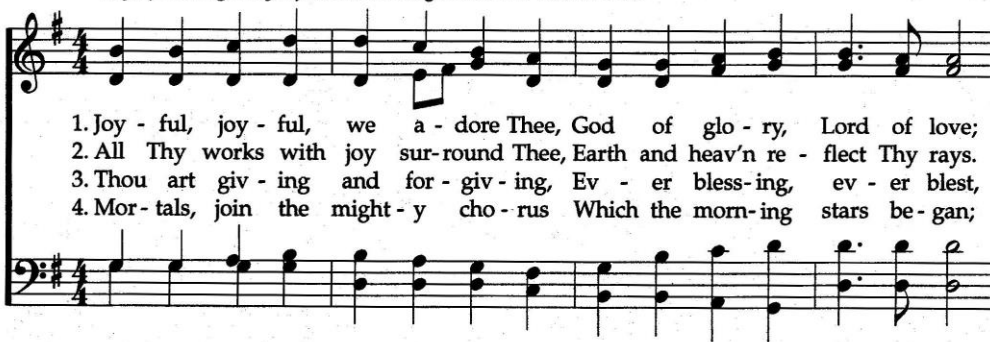


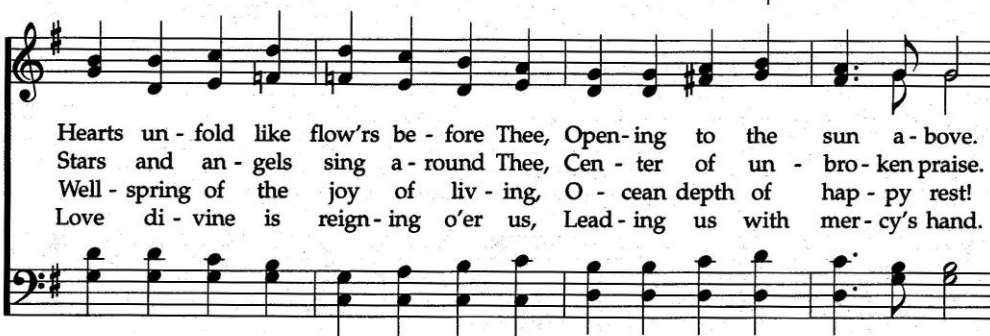
ADORE THE LORD

Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee

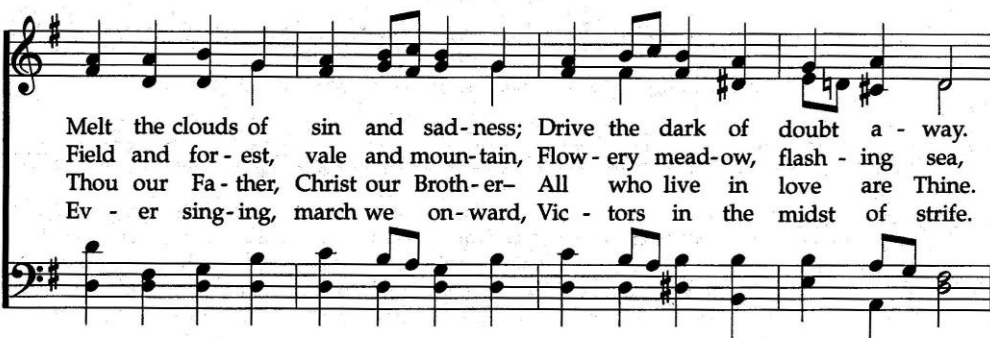
My lips shall greatly rejoice when I sing unto Thee. Psalm 71:23



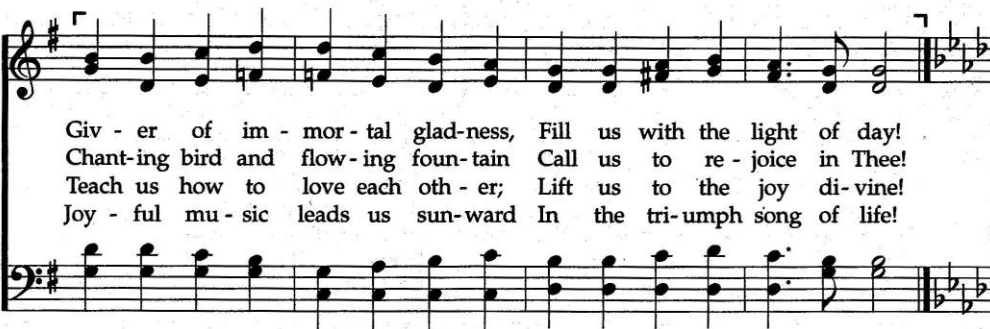
1. Joy - ful, joy - ful, we a - dore Thee, God of glo - ry, Lord of love;
2. All Thy works with joy sur - round Thee, Earth and heav'n re - flect Thy rays.
3. Thou art giv - ing and for - giv - ing, Ev - er bless - ing, ev - er blest,
4. Mor - tals, join the might - y cho - rus Which the morn - ing stars be - gan;



Hearts un - fold like flow'rs be - fore Thee, Open - ing to the sun a - bove.
Stars and an - gels sing a - round Thee, Cen - ter of un - bro - ken praise.
Well - spring of the joy of liv - ing, O - cean depth of hap - py rest!
Love di - vine is reign - ing o'er us, Lead - ing us with mer - cy's hand.



Melt the clouds of sin and sad - ness; Drive the dark of doubt a - way.
Field and for - est, vale and moun - tain, Flow - ery mead - ow, flash - ing sea,
Thou our Fa - ther, Christ our Broth - er - All who live in love are Thine.
Ev - er sing - ing, march we on - ward, Vic - tors in the midst of strife.



Giv - er of im - mor - tal glad - ness, Fill us with the light of day!
Chant - ing bird and flow - ing foun - tain Call us to re - joice in Thee!
Teach us how to love each oth - er; Lift us to the joy di - vine!
Joy - ful mu - sic leads us sun - ward In the tri - umph song of life!

TEXT: Henry van Dyke

MUSIC: Ludwig van Beethoven; melody from *Ninth Symphony*;

adapted by Edward Hodges; Last stanza setting and Choral ending by Dan Burgess

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Optional last stanza setting *Unison - (melody octave lower)*

ff 4. Mor - tals, join the might - y cho - rus

melody as written

Which the morn - ing stars be - gan; Love di - vine is

reign - ing o'er us, Lead - ing us with mer - cy's hand. Ev - er sing - ing,

march we on - ward, Vic - tors in the midst of strife.

melody octave lower

Joy - ful mu - sic leads us sun - ward In the tri - umph song of life!

Optional choral ending *f Sing harmony*

Joy - ful mu - sic leads us sun - ward In the joy - ous tri - umph song of life!