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**Hymns**

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**Hymn Lyrics****538**

O come, all ye faithful,  
 Joyful and triumphant,  
 O come ye, O come ye, to Bethlehem.  
 Come and behold him, born the King of Angels,  
 O come let us adore him,  
 O come let us adore him,  
 O come let us adore him,  
 Christ the Lord.

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Sing, choirs of angels,  
 Sing in exultation,  
 Sing, all ye citizens of heaven above.  
 Glory to God, glory in the highest.  
 O come let us adore him,  
 O come let us adore him,  
 O come let us adore him,  
 Christ the Lord.

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Yea, Lord we greet thee,  
 Born this happy morning,  
 Jesus, to thee be all glory given.  
 Word of the Father, now in flesh appearing.  
 O come let us adore him,  
 O come let us adore him,  
 O come let us adore him,  
 Christ the Lord.

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**451** see also Hymn 23**Hymn 23–28, 432, 433****CHRISTMAS MORN**

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**SELWORTHY**

E. NORMAN GREENWOOD

Blest Christmas morn, though murky clouds  
 Pursue thy way,  
 Thy light was born where storm enshrouds  
 Nor dawn nor day!

Dear Christ, forever here and near,  
 No cradle song,  
 No natal hour and mother's tear,  
 To thee belong.

Thou God-idea, Life-encrowned,  
 The Bethlehem babe—  
 Beloved, replete, by flesh embound—  
 Was but thy shade!

Thou gentle beam of living Love,  
 And deathless Life!  
 Truth infinite,—so far above  
 All mortal strife,

Or cruel creed, or earth-born taint:  
 Fill us today  
 With all thou art—be thou our saint,  
 Our stay, alway.

Hymn 417

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ISAAC WATTS

*Adapted*

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## **ANTIOCH**

G. F. HÄENDEL, ARR. BY LOWELL MASON

Joy to the world, the Lord is come,  
Let earth receive her King;  
Let every heart prepare him room,  
And heaven and nature sing.

No more let sin and sorrow grow,  
Nor thorns infest the ground;  
Where'er he comes, his blessings flow,  
And hope and joy abound.

He rules the world with truth and grace,  
And makes the nations prove  
The glories of his righteousness  
And wonders of his love.

### **Scriptural Selection**

1. Isa. 26:12

12 ¶ LORD, thou wilt ordain peace for us: for thou also hast wrought all our works in us.

2. Isa 7:11 (to ;), 14

11 Ask thee a sign of the LORD thy God;

14 Therefore the Lord himself shall give you a sign; Behold, a virgin shall conceive, and bear a son, and shall call his name Immanuel.

3. Isa 11:1-6

1 AND there shall come forth a rod out of the stem of Jesse, and a Branch shall grow out of his roots:

2 And the spirit of the LORD shall rest upon him, the spirit of wisdom and understanding, the spirit of counsel and might, the spirit of knowledge and of the fear of the LORD;

3 And shall make him of quick understanding in the fear of the LORD: and he shall not judge after the sight of his eyes, neither reprove after the hearing of his ears:

4 But with righteousness shall he judge the poor, and reprove with equity for the meek of the earth: and he shall smite the earth with the rod of his mouth, and with the breath of his lips shall he slay the wicked.

5 And righteousness shall be the girdle of his loins, and faithfulness the girdle of his reins.

6 The wolf also shall dwell with the lamb, and the leopard shall lie down with the kid; and the calf and the young lion and the fatling together; and a little child shall lead them.

## 4. Isa. 57:19 1st Peace

- 19 Peace, peace to *him that is* far off, and to *him that is* near, saith the LORD;  
and I will heal him.

## 5. Isa. 32:17

- 17 And the work of righteousness shall be peace; and the effect of  
righteousness quietness and assurance for ever.

## 6. Isa. 54:13

- 13 And all thy children *shall be* taught of the LORD; and great *shall be* the  
peace of thy children.

## 7. Luke 4:14 Jesus

- 14 Jesus returned in the power of the Spirit into Galilee: and there went out a  
fame of him through all the region round about.

## 8. Luke 10:1, 3 I, 5, 6 (to :), 9, 17

- 1 AFTER these things the Lord appointed other seventy also, and sent them  
two and two before his face into every city and place, whither he himself  
would come.
- 3 I send you forth as lambs among wolves.
- 5 And into whatsoever house ye enter, first say, Peace *be* to this house.
- 6 And if the son of peace be there, your peace shall rest upon it:
- 9 And heal the sick that are therein, and say unto them, The kingdom of God  
is come nigh unto you.
- 17 ¶ And the seventy returned again with joy, saying, Lord, even the devils  
are subject unto us through thy name.

## 9. Luke 24:36

- 36 ¶ And as they thus spake, Jesus himself stood in the midst of them, and  
saith unto them, Peace *be* unto you.

**Solo**

*The Work of Christmas*

Gwen Eagleton

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**Benediction**

Rom. 15:33 the

- 33 the God of peace *be* with you all. Amen.