



ASSEMBLY EDITION

Holden
Evening
Prayer

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Welcome!

to the people of the Winter Community at Holden, 1985–1986

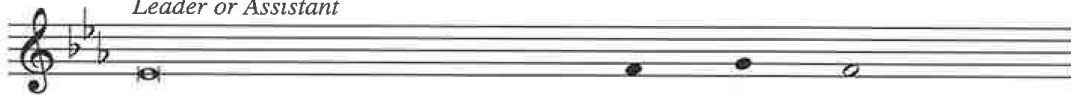
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Setting by Marty Haugen

1. SERVICE OF LIGHT

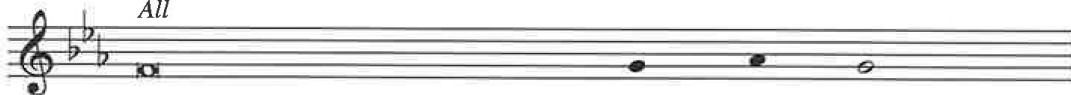
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Leader or Assistant



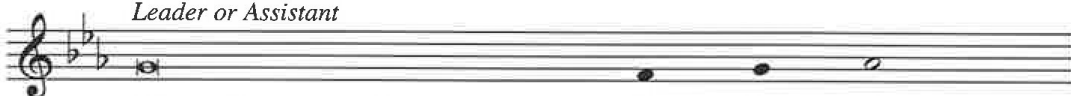
Jesus Christ, you are the light of the world,

All




the light no darkness can o - ver - come.

Leader or Assistant




Stay with us now, for it is evening,

All *Leader or Assistant*



and the day is al - most over. Let your light scat - ter the darkness,


All




and shine within your peo - ple here.

Evening Hymn


All



1. Joy - ous light of heav'n - ly glo - ry, lov - ing
 2. In the stars that grace the dark - ness, in the
 3. You who made the heav - en's splen - dor, ev - 'ry



glow of God's own face, you who sing cre - a - tion's
 blaz - ing sun of dawn, in the light of peace and
 danc - ing star of night, make us shine with gen - tle



sto - ry, shine on ev - 'ry land and race. Now as
 wis - dom, we can hear your qui - et song. Love that
 jus - tice, let us each re - flect your light. Might - y

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eve - ning falls a - round us, we shall raise our songs to
 fills the night with won - der, love that warms the wea - ry
 God of all cre - a - tion, gen - tle Christ who lights our
 you. God of day - break, God of shad - ows, come and
 soul, love that bursts all chains a - sun - der, set us
 way, lov - ing Spir - it of sal - va - tion, lead us
 light our hearts a - new.
 free and make us whole.
 on to end - less day.

Evening Thanksgiving

Leader or Assistant *All*
 May God be with you all. And al - so with you.
Leader or Assistant *All*
 Let us sing our thanks to God. It is right to give God thanks and praise.

Leader Blessed are you, Creator of the universe, from old you have led your people by night and day. May the light of your Christ make our darkness bright, for your Word and your presence are the light of our pathways, and you are the light and life of all creation.

All
 A - - - - - men.

2. PSALMODY, READINGS AND CANTICLES

Psalm 141

Refrain

All
 Let my prayer rise up like in - cense be - fore you, the
 lift - ing up of my hands as an of - fer - ing to you.

Verse 1*Leader or Group One*

1. O God, I call to you, come to me

All or Group Two

1. O God, I

now; O hear my voice when I cry to

call to you, come to me now; O hear my

Refrain

you. Let my prayer rise up like

voice when I cry to you. Let my prayer rise

in-cense be - fore you, the lift-ing up of my hands as an

up like in-cense be - fore you, the lift-ing up of my

Verse 2

of-fer-ing to you. 2. Keep watch with -

hands as an of-fer-ing to you.

in me, God; deep in my heart may the light of your

2. Keep watch with - in me, God; deep in my

love be burn - ing bright.

heart may the light of your love be burn - ing

Refrain

Let my prayer rise up like in-cense be - fore you, the

bright. Let my prayer rise up like in-cense be -

lift-ing up of my hands as an of-fer-ing to you.

fore you, the lift-ing up of my hands as an of-fer-ing to

Verse 3

3. All praise to the God of all, Cre - a - tor of

you. 3. All praise to the

life; all praise be to Christ and the Spir - it of
God of all, Cre - a - tor of life; all praise be to

Refrain

love. Let my prayer rise up like
Christ and the Spir-it of love. Let my prayer rise

in-cense be - fore you, the lift-ing up of my hands as an
up like in-cense be - fore you, the lift-ing up of my

of-fer-ing to you.
hands as an of-fer-ing to you.

First Reading

Exodus 28:2

Second Reading

Exodus 39:1

Third Reading

Ezekiel 42:14

Reflection

Colorful Vestments

Grace Singers

Guide My Feet

African American Spiritual

☐ The light shines in darkness...

☑ ... and the darkness has not overcome it.

TO YOU, O GOD, I LIFT UP MY SOUL

Psalm 25

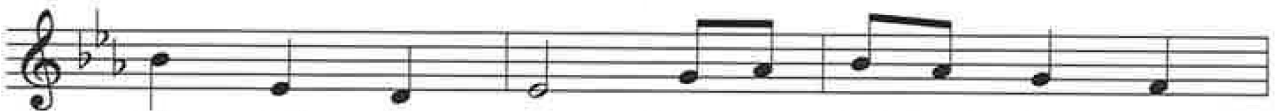
HART LAKE



1. To you, O God, I lift up my soul; my
2. O set my feet on path-ways of peace and
3. Re - mem - ber, God, your mer - cy and love, for -
4. The path of God is love with - out end to



spir - it seeks ref - uge in you. From all
teach me to walk in your ways. Let your
give me for times when I fall; for your
pil - grims who walk in God's ways. Teach our



sin and dis - grace keep me shel-tered by your
truth be my light, my sal - va - tion shin - ing
mer - cy is great to the hum - ble ones who
hearts, make us wise; for to you we turn our



grace, for I trust that your prom - ise is true.
bright; I will serve you the length of my days.
wait, to the low - ly who an - swer love's call.
eyes. We will serve you the length of our days.

Silence for meditation

Leader God of grace and mercy,
you are the refuge of all who seek you,
you are the shelter of all who wait in hope for you.
Set our feet firmly on your pathway,
and guide us by the light of your truth,
so that we might faithfully follow you
all the days of our lives.
We ask this through Jesus, the Christ.

All Amen.

3. LITANY AND PRAYERS

Intercessions

All
A *repeat continuously* B

Hmm. God of mer-cy, hold us in love.

A *Leader or Assistant* B

1. In peace, in peace, we pray to you:
2. For peace and sal - va - tion, we pray to you:
3. For peace be-tween na - tions, for peace be-tween peo - ples:
4. For us, who are gath - ered to wor - ship and praise you:
5. For all of your ser - vants who live out your gos - pel:
6. For all those who gov - ern, that jus - tice might guide them:
7. For all those who la - bor in ser - vice to oth - ers:
8. Grant weath - er that nour - ish - es all of cre - a - tion:
9. Keep watch on our loved ones and keep us from dan - ger:
10. For all the be - lov - ed who rest in your mer - cy:

A *Leader or Assistant*

Help us, com-fort us, all of our days:

All

Keep us, hold us, gra - cious God.


Closing Prayers

Leader Great and merciful God,
source and ground of all goodness and life,
give to your people the peace that passes all understanding,
and the will to live your gospel of mercy and justice,
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

All Amen.

Leader God, remember us in your love, and teach us to pray:

All Our Father in heaven,
hallowed be your name,
your kingdom come, your will be done,
on earth as in heaven.
Give us today our daily bread.
Forgive us our sins
as we forgive those
who sin against us.
Save us from the time of trial
and deliver us from evil.
For the kingdom, the power,
and the glory are yours,
now and forever. Amen.

Final Blessing

Leader or Assistant

All

Let us bless our God: Praise and thanks to you.

Leader or Assistant

May God, Cre - a - tor, bless us and keep us, may

Christ be ev - er light for our lives, may the Spir - it of Love be our

guide and path for all of our days. *All*
A - men.

Bass line: - - - - -

*The leader may invite all to share a sign of peace,
or the leader may say, "Go in peace," and all depart in silence.*