



GATHERING:

LET US GO TO THE ALTAR

Dan Schutte

Refrain

Let us go to the al - tar of God, the God of our
glad - ness and joy! Let us en - ter the courts of the
house of the Lord and sing to the glo - ry of God.

Verses

1. Give praise with blast — of trum - pet, with no - ble
2. Give praise with lyre — and tim - brel, with lute and
3. Give praise with pipe — and or - gan, with rous - ing
4. Give praise, all crea - tures of heav - en, and all that

1. sound of the horn. With the clash of the clang - ing
2. sound of the harp. With the dance of the flute and
3. beat of the drum. With the call of the bell and
4. dwell on the earth. Come to wor - ship the God who

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1. cym - bal, give glo - ry to the Lord!
2. o - boe, give glo - ry to the Lord!
3. bag - pipe, give glo - ry to the Lord!
4. made us, and dance be - fore the Lord!

SONG OF
PREPARATION:

THE SERVANT SONG

1, 6. Will you let me be your ser - vant, Let me be as Christ to you;
2. We are pil - grims on a jour - ney, We are trav - 'lers on the road;
3. I will hold the Christ - light for you In the night - time of your fear;
4. I will weep when you are weep - ing; When you laugh I'll laugh with you.
5. When we sing to God in heav - en We shall find such har - mo - ny,

1, 6. Pray that I may have the grace to Let you be my ser - vant, too.
2. We are here to help each oth - er Walk the mile and bear — the load.
3. I will hold my hand out to you, Speak the peace you long — to hear.
4. I will share your joy and sor - row 'Til we've seen this jour - ney through.
5. Born of all we've known to - geth - er Of Christ's love and ag - o - ny.

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

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COMMUNION:

CENTER OF MY LIFE

Paul Inwood

Refrain: Repeat 1st time

O Lord, you are the cen-ter of my life: I will al-ways praise you,

I will al-ways serve you, I will al-ways keep you in my sight. 1. γ sight.
2. γ
3. And

Verses 1-3

1. Keep me safe, O God, ___ I take ref-uge in you. ___ I say to the
2. I will bless the Lord who gives me coun - sel, ___ who e - ven at
3. so my heart re-joic - es, my soul is glad; ___ γ e - ven in

1. Lord, "You are my God. My hap - pi-ness ___ lies in you a -
2. night di-rects my heart. I keep ___ the Lord ___ ev - er in my
3. safe - ty shall my bod-y rest. For you will not leave my soul a-mong the

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1. lone; my hap-pi-ness ___ lies in you a - lone." ___
2. sight: since he is at my right _ hand, ___ I shall stand firm.
3. dead, nor let ___ your be-lov - ed know de - cay. ___

Verse 4

4. You will show me the path of life, the full - ness of

4. joy in your pres - ence, at your right hand,

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4. at your right hand hap-pi-ness for - ev - er.

CLOSING HYMN:

LEAD ME, LORD

John D. Becker

Verses

1. Bless - ed are the poor in spir - it, long - ing for their
2. Bless - ed are the mer - ci - ful, for mer - cy shall be
3. Blest are they who through their life - times sow the seeds of

1. Lord, for God's com - ing king - dom shall be theirs.
2. theirs, and the pure in heart shall see their God.
3. peace, all will call them chil - dren of the Lord.

1. Bless - ed are the sor - row - ing, for they shall be con -
2. Blest are they whose hun - ger on - ly ho - li - ness can
3. Blest are you, though per - se - cu - ted in your ho - ly

1. soled, and the meek shall come to rule the world.
2. fill, for I say they shall be sat - is - fied.
3. life, for in heav - en, great is your re - ward.

Refrain

Lead me, Lord, lead me, Lord, by the light of truth to

seek and to find the nar - row way. Be my way;

be my truth; be my life, my Lord, and lead me, Lord, to -

1-2 to Verses Final

day. day. And lead me, Lord, to - day.