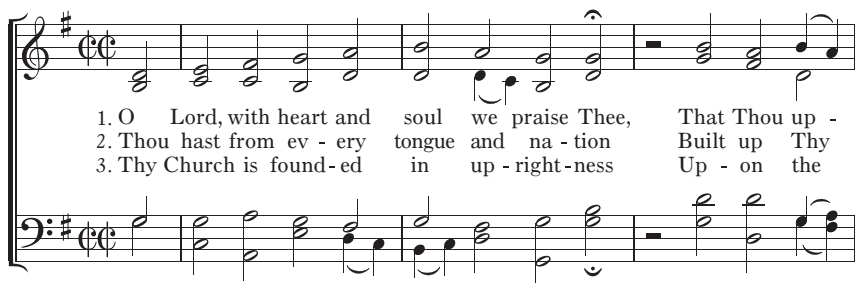
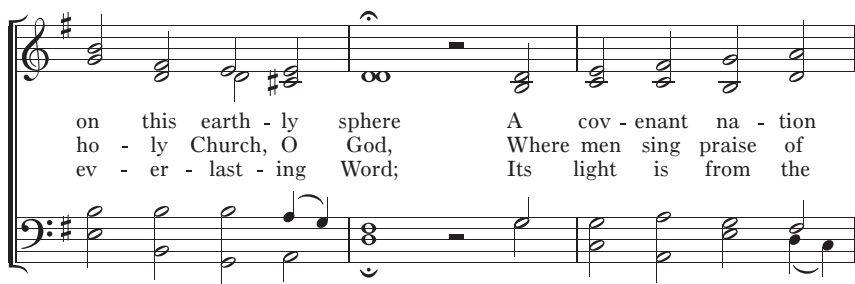


# O Lord, with Heart and Soul We Praise Thee



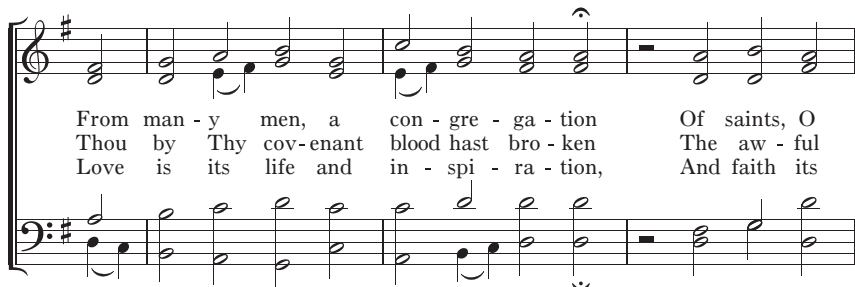
1. O Lord, with heart and soul we praise Thee, That Thou up -  
 2. Thou hast from ev - ery tongue and na - tion Built up Thy  
 3. Thy Church is found - ed in up - right - ness Up - on the



on this earth - ly sphere A cov - enant na - tion  
 ho - ly Church, O God, Where men sing praise of  
 ev - er - last - ing Word; Its light is from the



now dost raise Thee, To mag - ni - fy Thy name so dear!  
 Thy sal - va - tion And where Thy Word is spread a - broad;  
 Spir - it's bright - ness; Its safe - ty is an an - gel guard;



From man - y men, a con - gre - ga - tion Of saints, O  
 Thou by Thy cov - enant blood hast bro - ken The aw - ful  
 Love is its life and in - spi - ra - tion, And faith its

Lord, Thou build - est Thee; Thou wilt its Head and  
 pris - on house of sin, And to Thy fold dost  
 strength, what-e'er be - fall, That work - eth and pro -

Sav - ior be, O Je - sus, Bring-er of sal - va - tion.  
 bring them in Who trust the Word Thy mouth has spo - ken.  
 vid - eth all, And hope its pre - sent con - so - la - tion.

4. Its members stand in loving union,  
 And solely to their Savior cling;  
 Their bond is brotherly communion;  
 They stand as one in everything.  
 True meekness marks all their behavior,  
 Their quest for peace is undelayed;  
 In trials they are not dismayed,  
 But live devoted to their Savior.

5. They bear the cross received of Jesus  
 Regarding not its heaviness;  
 Beneath it pride and sloth all ceases;  
 It will not suffer loftiness.  
 Although at times it is oppressing,  
 They look, upon their pilgrim way,  
 To Christ, their Savior and their Stay,  
 And deem it nothing but a blessing.

6. Their pathway joyfully pursuing,  
 They journey onward day by day,  
 The grace of Christ their strength renewing,  
 His saving Word their staff and stay.  
 Then flow apace, ye tears of sadness—  
 Sweet are ye, coming from above!  
 For from that paradise of love  
 Will solace flow, then—tears of gladness!