



# Hymn

## Offer Up Your Life in Service

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Rowland Hugh Prichard, 1831 Arr. PHL & SEBL

The musical score is written in 3/4 time and consists of four systems. Each system includes a vocal line with lyrics and a violin line. Chords are indicated above the vocal line. The lyrics are: "Come Still lift to up each your voice in he prai - es, tells us let us seek the Lord our King. as he did in times of old. Sing Those to who Christ would be in Pray'r first a - mong - es, must o - give - pen them - selves your in heart ser - vice and sing. bold."

Chords: C, G, C, F, G, C, F, C, A m, D m7, G7, C, C, G, C, F, G, C, F, C, A m, D m7, G7, C.

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17 Em Am7 Dm7 G7

Son of God our friend, our sav- iour  
 Of - fer up your life in ser - vice,

Vln.

21 C Am Dm C G

cru - - ci - fied a - bout mid - day;  
 know that those in first are last.

Vln.

25 C F C G

took up his cross with a love ne - ver wai - - v'ring,  
 Pe - ter dis - cov - ered God's lov - ing pur - pose the

Vln.

29 C F Dm C G7 C

Christ, the truth the life, the way.  
 love of God re - spect no castes.

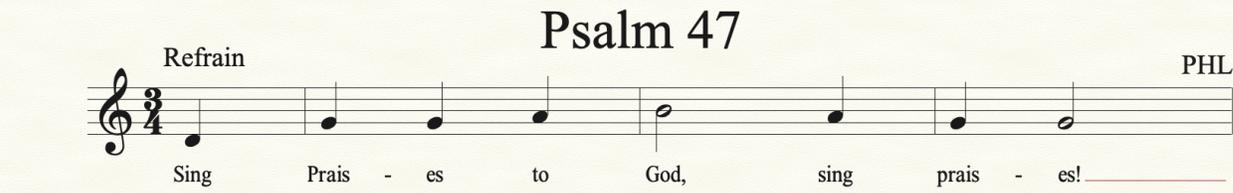
Vln.

# Psalms<sup>1</sup>

**Psalm 47**

PHL

Refrain



Sing Prais - es to God, sing prais - es! \_\_\_\_\_

<sup>4</sup> Psalm Tone



**R**<sup>1</sup> Clap your hands, <sup>1</sup> all you peoples;  
shout to God with a <sup>1</sup> joyful sound.

<sup>2</sup> For the LORD Most High is <sup>1</sup> to be feared:  
a great king over <sup>1</sup> all the earth,

<sup>3</sup> who subdues the <sup>1</sup> peoples under us,  
and the nations un- <sup>1</sup> der our feet;

<sup>4</sup> who chooses our inheri- <sup>1</sup> tance for us,  
the pride of Jacob, <sup>1</sup> whom God loves. **R**

<sup>5</sup> God has gone up <sup>1</sup> with a shout,  
the LORD with the sound <sup>1</sup> of the ram's horn.

<sup>6</sup> Sing praises to <sup>1</sup> God, sing praises;  
sing praises to our <sup>1</sup> king, sing praises.

<sup>7</sup> For God is king of <sup>1</sup> all the earth;  
sing praises <sup>1</sup> with a song.

<sup>8</sup> God reigns o- <sup>1</sup> ver the nations;  
God is en- <sup>1</sup> throned on high.

<sup>9</sup> The nobles of the peo- <sup>1</sup> ples have gathered  
as the people of the <sup>1</sup> God of Abraham.

The rulers of the earth be- <sup>1</sup> long to God,  
who is high- <sup>1</sup> ly exalted. **R**

*Silence*

<sup>1</sup> All Psalm texts are from *The Book of Common Worship - Daily Prayer* (Westminster John Knox Press - 2018)

# Psalm 121

PHL

Refrain



<sup>5</sup> Psalm Tone

**R** <sup>1</sup> I lift up my eyes <sup>1</sup> to the hills;  
from where is my <sup>1</sup> help to come?

<sup>2</sup> My help comes <sup>1</sup> from the LORD,  
the maker of heav- <sup>1</sup> en and earth.

<sup>3</sup> The LORD will not let your <sup>1</sup> foot be moved  
nor will the one who watches over you <sup>1</sup> fall asleep.

<sup>4</sup> Behold, the keep- <sup>1</sup> er of Israel  
will neither slum- <sup>1</sup> ber nor sleep;

<sup>5</sup> the LORD watches <sup>1</sup> over you;  
the LORD is your shade at <sup>1</sup> your right hand;

<sup>6</sup> the sun will not strike <sup>1</sup> you by day,  
nor the <sup>1</sup> moon by night. **R**

<sup>7</sup> The LORD will preserve you <sup>1</sup> from all evil  
and will <sup>1</sup> keep your life.

<sup>8</sup> The LORD will watch over your going out and your <sup>1</sup> coming in,  
from this time forth for- <sup>1</sup> evermore. **R**

*Silence*

# Psalm 123

Refrain PHL

Have mer - cy on us, O Lord, have \_\_\_\_\_ Mercy! \_\_\_\_\_

<sup>3</sup> Psalm Tone

**R** <sup>1</sup>To you I lift <sup>1</sup> up my eyes,  
to you enthroned <sup>1</sup> in the heavens.

<sup>2</sup>As the eyes of servants look to the hand <sup>1</sup> of their masters,  
and the eyes of a maid to the hand <sup>1</sup> of her mistress,

so our eyes look to you, O <sup>1</sup> LORD our God,  
until you show <sup>1</sup> us your mercy.

<sup>3</sup>Have mercy upon us, O <sup>1</sup> LORD, have mercy,  
for we have had more than enough <sup>1</sup> of contempt,

<sup>4</sup>too much of the scorn of the in- <sup>1</sup> dolent rich,  
and of the derision <sup>1</sup> of the proud.

**R**

*Silence*

## Short Reading – Psalm 116 NRSV

Psa. 116:1 I love the LORD, because he has heard  
my voice and my supplications.

2 Because he inclined his ear to me,  
therefore I will call on him as long as I live.

3 The snares of death encompassed me;  
the pangs of Sheol laid hold on me;  
I suffered distress and anguish.

4 Then I called on the name of the LORD:  
“O LORD, I pray, save my life!”

5 Gracious is the LORD, and righteous;  
our God is merciful.

6 The LORD protects the simple;  
when I was brought low, he saved me.

7 Return, O my soul, to your rest,  
for the LORD has dealt bountifully with you.

8 For you have delivered my soul from death,  
my eyes from tears,  
my feet from stumbling.

9 I walk before the LORD  
in the land of the living.

10 I kept my faith, even when I said,  
“I am greatly afflicted”;

11 I said in my consternation,  
“Everyone is a liar.”

12 What shall I return to the LORD  
for all his bounty to me?

13 I will lift up the cup of salvation  
and call on the name of the LORD,

14 I will pay my vows to the LORD  
in the presence of all his people.

15 Precious in the sight of the LORD  
is the death of his faithful ones.

16 O LORD, I am your servant;  
I am your servant, the child of your serving girl.  
You have loosed my bonds.

17 I will offer to you a thanksgiving sacrifice  
and call on the name of the LORD.

18 I will pay my vows to the LORD  
in the presence of all his people,

19 in the courts of the house of the LORD,  
in your midst, O Jerusalem.

Praise the LORD!

## Midday Prayer <sup>2</sup>

At midday, Lord, we return our attention to you — who hear our prayers, who listen when the snares of death encompass us; the pangs of Sheol lay hold on us; and we suffer distress and anguish. You are the God who makes joy possible even in the presence of trouble. We remember the words of our forebear, “Those who go out weeping, bearing the seed for sowing, shall come home with shouts of joy, carrying their sheaves.”

We give thanks for the blessings of the morning as we pause to consider the demands of the afternoon. Where we have been faithful, help us to feel your pleasure. Where we have erred enlighten us with correction. Like the prophet we will stand upon our watch, and set ourselves upon the tower, and will wait to see what the Lord will say to us, and how we shall answer when we are corrected.

Give us fortitude for the demands of this afternoon. May we not grow weary in doing what is right. All that you may be glorified and we might grow in your grace.

**† In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.**

† = (sign of the cross may be made forehead to chest, left shoulder to right shoulder)

## Dismissal

Let us bless the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

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<sup>2</sup> Palm 116. Psalm 126:6. Habakkuk 2:1. Galatians 6:9.