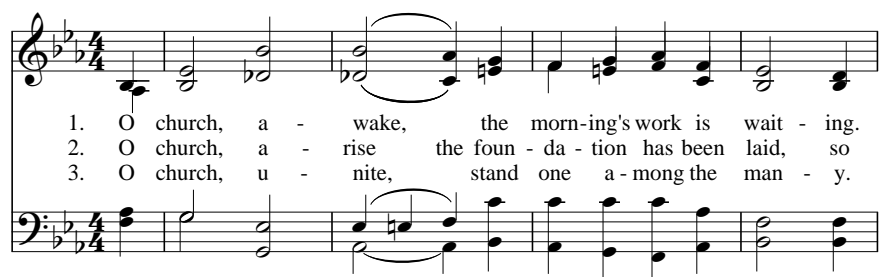
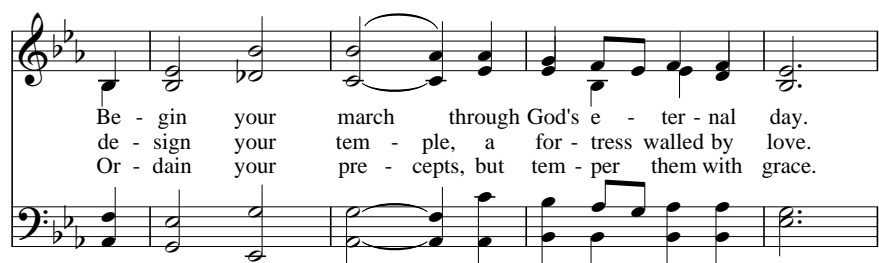


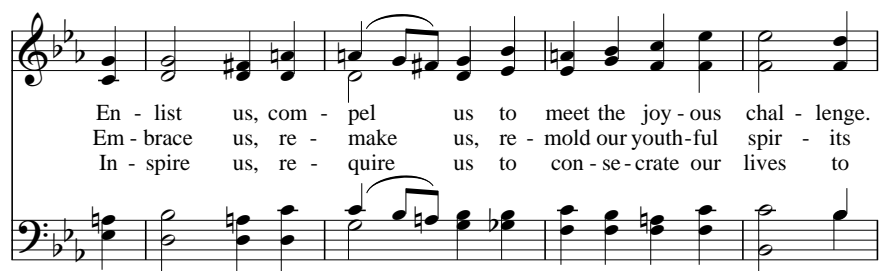
O Church, Awake



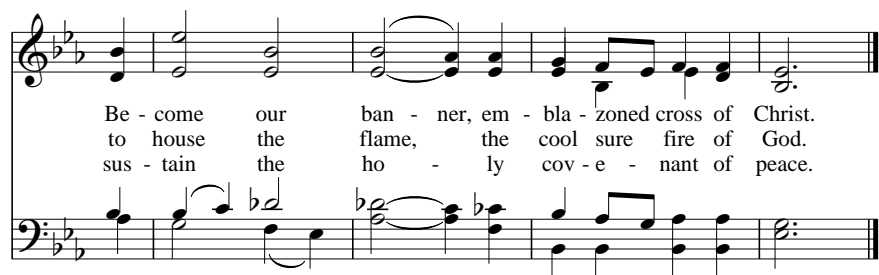
1. O church, a - wake, the morn-ing's work is wait - ing.
 2. O church, a - rise the foun - da - tion has been laid, so
 3. O church, u - nite, stand one a - mong the man - y.



Be - gin your march through God's e - ter - nal day.
 de - sign your tem - ple, a for - tress walled by love.
 Or - dain your pre - cepts, but tem - per them with grace.



En - list us, com - pel us to meet the joy - ous chal - lenge.
 Em - brace us, re - make us, re - mold our youth - ful spir - its
 In - spire us, re - quire us to con - se - crate our lives to



Be - come our ban - ner, em - bla - zoned cross of Christ.
 to house the flame, the cool sure fire of God.
 sus - tain the ho - ly cov - e - nant of peace.

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