

OPENING RITE

ABIDE WITH US, EMMANUEL

Marty Haugen

O Em - man - u - el, O Em - man - u - el, make us
burn as liv - ing can - dles of peace and hope and
light, shin - ing strong and bright in the midst of night.
Come, a - bide with us, Em - man - u - el.

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RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Psalm 89: For Ever I Will Sing

Refrain

For ev - er I will sing the good - ness of the
Lord, the good - ness of the Lord.

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COMMUNION SONG

Canticle of the Gift

In B minor. For Piano and Guitar

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Arranged by Betty Fulkingham
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Joyfully, with driving rhythm

O what a gift, what a won - der - ful gift! Who can tell the won - ders of the
Lord? Let us o - pen our eyes, our ears and our hearts; It is
Christ the Lord, it is he.

CLOSING SONG (verses 1, 2, and 7)

O Come, O Come, Emmanuel

1. O come, O come, Em - man - u - el,
2. O come, O Wis - dom from on high,
3. O come, O come, O Lord of might,
4. O come, O Rod of Jes - se's stem,
5. O come, O Key of Da - vid, come,
And ran - som cap - tive Is - ra - el,
Who or - der all things might - i - ly;
Who to your tribes on Si - nai's height
From ev - 'ry foe de - liv - er them
And o - pen wide our heav'n - ly home;
That mourns in lone - ly ex - ile here
To us the path of knowl - edge show,
In an - cient times once gave the Law
That trust your might - y power to save,
Make safe the way that leads on high,
Un - til the Son of God ap - pear.
And teach us in her ways to go.
In cloud and maj - es - ty and awe,
And give them vic - t'ry o'er the grave.
And close the path to mis - er - y.
Re - joice! Re - joice! Em - man - u - el
Shall come to you, O Is - ra - el.
6. O come, O Dayspring from on high,
And cheer us by your drawing nigh;
Disperse the gloomy clouds of night,
And death's dark shadow put to flight.
7. O come, Desire of nations, bind
In one the hearts of humankind;
O bid our sad divisions cease,
And be for us our King of Peace.

Text: Veni, veni Emmanuel; Latin 9th C.; tr. by John M. Neale, 1818-1866, alt.
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