Awake Awake and Greet the New Morn

1. Awake! awake, and greet the new morn, For
   angels herald its dawning,
   now* he is born, Behold! the Child of our long-ing,
   Music to heal the broken soul
   gets her, He opens wide the heav’n-ly door
   lives now inside us for ever.

2. To us, to all in sorrow and fear, Em-
   man-uel comes a-sing-ing; His hum-ble song is
   quiet and near, Yet fills the earth with its ring-ing;
   love be our song and love our prayer, And love, our end-less
   kind-ness. The thun-der of his an-thems roll To
   shatter all hated and blind-ness.

3. Awake! awake, and greet the new morn, For
   angels herald its dawning,
   now* he is born, Behold! the Child of our long-ing,
   Music to heal the broken soul
   gets her, He opens wide the heav’n-ly door
   lives now inside us for ever.

4. Re-joice, re-joice, take heart in the night, Though
   dark the winter and cheer-less, The ris-ing sun shall
   now* he is born, Behold! the Child of our long-ing,
   Music to heal the broken soul
   gets her, He opens wide the heav’n-ly door
   lives now inside us for ever.

*During Advent: “soon”

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First Reading: Zephaniah 3: 14-18a

Psalm 25: To You O Lord

Refrain
To you, O Lord, I lift my soul, to you, I lift my soul.

Verses
1. Lord, make me know your ways, teach me your paths
   and keep me in the way of your truth, for you are God, my Savior.

2. For the Lord is good and righteous, revealing the way to those who wander,
   gently leading the poor and the humble.

3. To the ones who seek the Lord, who look to God’s word, who live God’s love,
   God will always be near, and will show them mercy.


Second Reading: Philippians 4:4-7

Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia

Celtic Mass

Fintan O’Carroll and Christopher Walker

Al-le-lu-ia, al-le-lu-ia.

Al-le-lu-ia, al-le-lu-ia.

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I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible. I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages. God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father, through him all things were made. For us men and for our salvation He came down from heaven, (bow) and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate Of the Virgin Mary, and became man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. I believe in one, holy catholic and apostolic Church. I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen

Prayers of the Faithful
Come Emmanuel

Verses

1. Come, O God, with - in our hearts, with - in our souls.
2. Come, O Love, re - new our lives and guide our minds.
3. Come, O Light, and lead us on the road with you.

Refrain

Come, O come, Em - man - u - el. O - pen our hearts, re - new us. Come, O come, Em - man - u - el.

Come in love and make us whole once more.

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Amen.

Preface Dialogue
The Lord be with you. And with your Spirit.
Lift up your hearts. We lift them up to the Lord.
Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. It is right and just.

Holy

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Mystery of Faith

We proclaim your Death, O Lord, and profess your Resurrection until you come again.

Amen

Lamb of God

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, grant us peace.

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For you, O Lord, my soul in stillness waits; truly my hope is in you.

1. O Lord of Light, our only hope of glory, Your radiance shines in all who look to spirits; Our thirsty hearts are yearning for your in us, And in your advent, draw us all to you; Come, light the hearts of all in dark and Word; Come, make us whole, be comfort to our you, Our hope reborn in dying and in shadow. hearts. rising.

4. O Key of Knowledge, guide us in our pilgrimage; we ever seek, yet unfulfilled remain; open to us the pathway of your peace.

5. Come, let us bow before the God who made us; let ev’ry heart be opened to the Lord, for we are all the people of his hand.
Send Down the Fire

Refrain

Send down the fire of your justice,
Send down the rains of your love;
Come, send down the Spirit, breathe life in your people, and we shall be people of God.

Verses

1. Call us to be your compassion,
   Teach us the song of your love; Give us hearts that sing.

2. Call us to learn of your mercy,
   Teach us the way of your peace; Give us hearts that feel.

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