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THE ASSEMBLING

THE OLD HUNDRED



Be thou, O God! exalted high;
And, as thy glory fills the sky,
So let it be on earth displayed,
Till thou art here, as there, obeyed.

THE ASSEMBLING.

Friends and Brethren, all Scriptures and our own hearts move us to be in peace one with another, and to come unto the House of Prayer.

The Spirit himself beareth witness with our spirit that we are children of God ; and if children, then heirs, heirs of God, and brethren in him ; that we be partakers of his Spirit, even our Father; that hath loved us, and given us everlasting hope and consolation, to comfort our hearts and stablish them in every good word and work ; and that we give one to another all good love and service, in honor preferring one another.

God that maketh the world and all things therein, Lord of heaven and earth, dwelleth not in temples made with hands, neither is served by men's hands, as though he needed anything, seeing he himself giveth to all life, and breath, and all things ; and he hath made of one every nation of men for to dwell on all the face of the earth, that they should seek God, if haply they might feel after him and find him, though he be not far from any one of us ; for in him we live and move and have our being.

Let us search and try our ways, and turn unto the Lord. Let not the wise man glory in his wisdom, nor the mighty man in his might ; let not the rich man glory in his riches ; but let him that glorieth glory in this, that he beholdeth and knoweth the Lord, who is Judgment, Righteousness and Mercy in the earth. It is good to sing joy and praise unto him, to show forth his loving-kindness in the morning, and his faithfulness every night.

Wherefore let us come together and accompany one another in this endeared and holy place, to exalt praise with one voice, and with one heart turn unto God, and one unto another who are brethren in him.

It is our glad and holy day :

We will take sweet counsel together.

Peace to young and old that enter here :

Peace to every soul herein.

Love is the spirit of this church, and Service is its law : This is our GREAT COVENANT :

The musical score consists of two systems of three staves each. The top staff is the vocal line, and the bottom two are piano accompaniment. The first system contains the lyrics: "To dwell to - geth - er in peace, To". The second system contains the lyrics: "seek the truth in love, And to help one an - oth - er." The piano part features chords and a bass line. The second system includes dynamic markings: *cres.* (crescendo) and *ff* (fortissimo).

Search earnestly, one with another, with what spirit we come hither:

And each to his own heart say, With what spirit come we hither ?

Creatures beholding Creation, children before our Father, the Infinite Life and Eternal Holiness, let us answer with humble, devout soul: and say—

We come to pray together:

Minister's response.