

The Bread of Your Word

Featuring Seasonal Songs and the Santa Clara Mass

TITLE	EDITION
Christ the Good Shepherd. <i>Easter Season and year-round</i>	30133959
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Give Us, O Lord <i>Gathering and Communion, year-round</i>	30130636
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Christ the Good Shepherd

Refrain based on John 10:11; Matthew 25:31-46

Bob Hurd
Arr. by Rick Modlin

INTRO (♩ = ca. 84)

Piano

D Em A F#m

G A/G F#m Bm D/A A Dsus4 D

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REFRAIN

Soprano

Alto

Christ the Good Shep-herd, shep-herd your peo-ple in - to the ways of your

Tenor

D F#m Bm F#m G D

right-teous-ness: feed - ing the hun-gry, wel-com-ing strang-ers,

E sus4 E A sus4 A D Em A F#m

1-4 to Verses Final

the least a - mong us, your pres - ence, Lord. Lord.

G A/G F#m Bm D/A A 1-4 D sus4 D to Verses Final D sus4 D

G A/G F#m Bm D/A A Cadd9 G/B D *Fine*

VERSES

1. As we par - take of this bread of life, as we re -
 2. Shep-herd who seeks out the least and lost, Mer - cy em -
 3. In a world wound - ed by war and hate, you give this
 4. Con - quer our hearts with your call, O Lord, that we may

Am7 D/A Am7 D/A Am7

1. ceive this cup, make your church a
 2. brac - ing all, may our lives re -
 3. heal - ing feast; make us, Lord, an
 4. hear and heed: "Feed my lambs, 7

C/D D/F# Gsus2,4 G Bm C C/B

1. sac - ra - ment of your love. _____
 2. flect the kind - ness of God. _____ (Luke 15:4)
 3. in - stru - ment of your peace. _____ (Psalm 23:5)
 4. tend my sheep, fol - low me." _____ (John 21:15-19)

Am7 D Esus4 E Asus4 A *D.S.*

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D Em A F#m G A/G

(Piano or Lead Guitar)

REFRAIN

F#m Bm D/A A Dsus4 D D F#m

Christ the Good Shep - herd,

Bm F#m G D Esus4 E

shep-herd your peo - ple in - to the ways of your righ-teous-ness: —

Asus4 A D Em A F#m

feed - ing the hun - gry, wel - com - ing strang - ers,

G A/G F#m Bm D/A A

1-4	Final
Dsus4 D	Dsus4 D
to Verses	

the least a - mong us, — your pres - ence, Lord. — Lord. —

G A/G F#m Bm D/A A Cadd9 G/B D *Fine*

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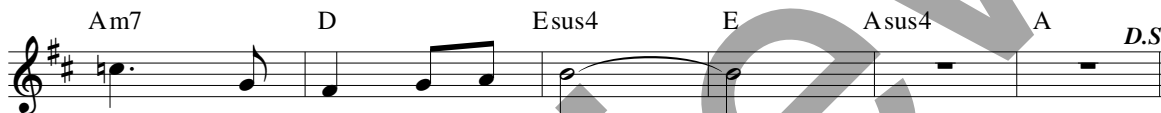
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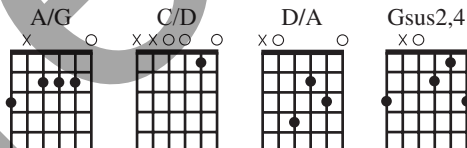


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 3. heal - ing feast; _____ make us, Lord, _____ an
 4. hear and heed: _____ "Feed my lambs, _____"



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Chord Charts



Composer Notes

The specific Lectionary context for this song is the Fourth Sunday of Easter—Good Shepherd Sunday. But it also speaks to the meaning of the Communion Rite and so may be used year-round. To receive the Eucharist is to become *other Christs*, which means to so stand with Christ in his self-emptying, agapic service to others.

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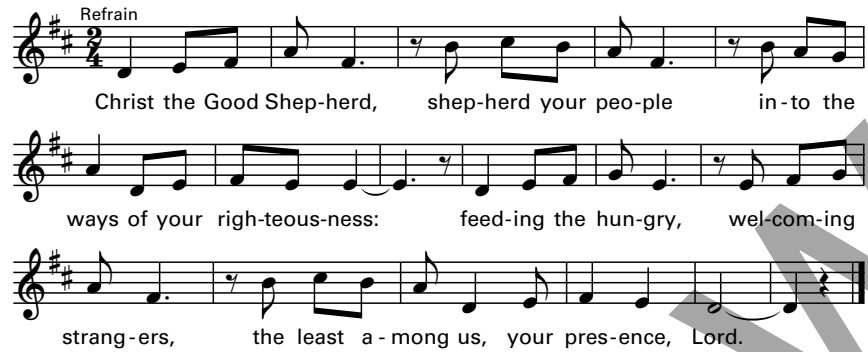
Uses: Fourth Sunday of Easter (ABC); year-round for Preparation of the Gifts, Communion, and post-Communion

Assembly Edition

CHRIST THE GOOD SHEPHERD

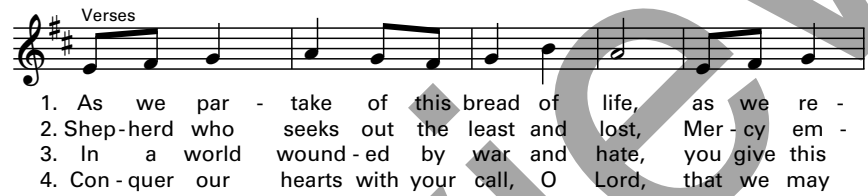
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Refrain

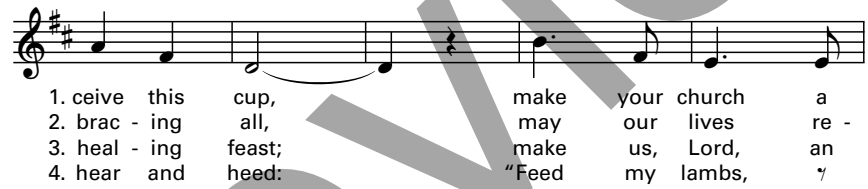


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ways of your righ-teous-ness: feed-ing the hun-gry, wel-com-ing
strang-ers, the least a-mong us, your pres-ence, Lord.

Verses



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2 to Refrain



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