

HYMNS

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JOYFUL, JOYFUL, WE ADORE THEE

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HYMN TO JOY

1. Joyful, joyful, we adore thee,
God of glory, Lord of love;
hearts unfold like flowers before thee,
opening to the sun above.
Melt the clouds of sin and sadness;
drive the dark of doubt away.
Giver of immortal gladness,
fill us with the light of day!
2. All thy works with joy surround thee,
earth and heaven reflect thy rays,
stars and angels sing around thee,
center of unbroken praise.
Field and forest, vale and mountain,
flowery meadow, flashing sea,
chanting bird and flowing fountain,
call us to rejoice in thee.
3. Thou art giving and forgiving,
ever blessing, ever blest,
wellspring of the joy of living,
ocean depth of happy rest!
Thou our Father, Christ our brother,
all who live in love are thine;
teach us how to love each other,
lift us to the joy divine.
4. Mortals, join the mighty chorus
which the morning stars began;
love divine is reigning o'er us,
binding all within its span.
Ever singing, march we onward,
victors in the midst of strife;
joyful music leads us sunward,
in the triumph song of life.

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COME TO THE TABLE OF MERCY

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TABLE OF MERCY

1. Come to the table of mercy,
prepared with the wine and the bread.
All who are hungry and thirsty,
come and your souls will be fed.
Come at the Lord's invitation;
receive from his nailscarred hand.
Eat of the bread of salvation;
drink of the blood of the Lamb.

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WELCOMING NEW MEMBER LITURGY

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Members of the household of God,
I commend this person to your love and care.
Do all in your power to increase her faith,
confirm her hope, and perfect her in love

**We give thanks for all that God has already
given you and we welcome you in
Christian love.**

**As members together with you in the body of
Christ and in this congregation of the
United Methodist Church,**

**We renew our covenant faithfully to
participate in the ministries of the church
by our prayers, our presence, our gifts, and
our service,**

**that in everything God may be glorified
through Jesus Christ.**