

Rel. Ed. Family Mass/ Catechetical Sunday

Gathering Song—Gather Us In - Marty Haugen



1. Here in this place, — new light is stream-ing, now is the
2. We are the young, our lives are a mys-t'ry, we are the



1. dark-ness, van-ished a-way, — See, in this space, our
2. old who yearn for your face, We have been sung through-



1. fears and our dream-ings, brought here to you in the light of this
2. out all of his-t'ry, called to be light to the whole hu-man



1. day. — Gath-er us in the lost and for-sa-ken, Gath-er us
2. race. — Gath-er us in the rich and the haugh-ty, Gath-er us



1. in the blind and the lame; Call to us now, and we shall a-
2. in the proud and the strong; Give us a heart so meek and so



1. wa-ken, we shall a-rise at the sound of our name. —
2. low-ly, give us the cour-age to en-ter the song. —

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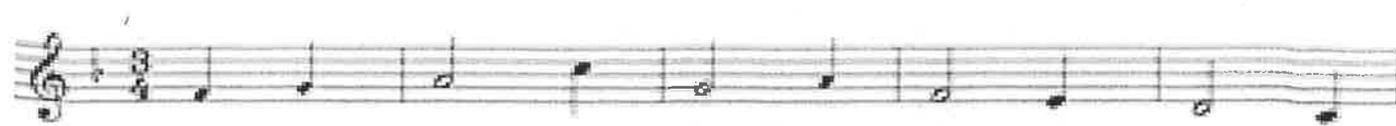


Glo-ry! Glo-ry to God in the high-est. Glo-ry! Glo-ry to



God in the high-est, and on earth peace to peo-ple of good will.

Preparation of Gifts—The Summons John Bell



1. Will you come and fo - low me If I but
 2. Will you leave your - self be - hind If I but
 3. Will you let the blind - ed see If I but
 4. Will you love the 'you' you hide If I but
 5. Lord, your sum - mons ech - oes true When you but



call your name? Will you go where
 call your name? Will you care for
 call your name? Will you set the
 call your name? Will you quell the
 call my name. Let me turn and



you don't know And nev - er be the same?
 cruel and kind And nev - er be the same?
 pris - 'ners free And nev - er be the same?
 fear in - side And nev - er be the same?
 fol - low you And nev - er be the same.



Will you let my love be shown, Will you
 Will you risk the hos - tile stare Should your
 Will you kiss the lep - er clean, And do
 Will you use the faith you've found To re -
 in your com - pa - ny I'll go Where your



let my name be known, Will you let my
 life at - tract or scare? Will you let me
 such as this un - seen, And ad - mit to
 shape the world a - round, Through my sight and
 love and foot - steps show, Thus I'll move and



life be grown In you and you in me?
 an - swer prayer In you and you in me?
 what I mean In you and you in me?
 touch and sound In you and you in me?
 live and grow In you and you in me.

Ho-ly, Ho-ly, Ho - ly Lord God of hosts. Heav-en and
 earth are full of your glo-ry. Ho - san - na in the
 high - est. Bless - ed is he who comes in the
 name of the Lord. Ho - san - na, ho - san - na in the
 high - est. Ho - san - na, ho - san - na in the high - est.

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A - men, a - men, a - men.
 A - men, a - men, a - men.

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Lamb of God, you take a-way the sins of the
 world, have mer-cy on us. Lamb of God, you
 take a-way the sins of the world, grant us peace.

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Refrain

Go make a dif - f'rence. We can make a dif - f'rence.

Go make a dif - f'rence in the world.

Go make a dif - f'rence. We can make a dif - f'rence.

Go make a dif - f'rence in the world. To verses To repeat refrain

Verses 1, 2

1. We are the salt of the earth, called to let the peo - ple
2. We are the hands of Christ reach-ing out to those in

see the love of God in you and me.
need, the face of God for all to see.

We are the light of the world, not to be hid - den but be
We are the spir - it of hope; † we are the voice of

seen. Go make a dif - f'rence in the world.
peace. Go make a dif - f'rence in the world. D.C.

Loving Father, we thank you for the gift of catechists in your Church.

We pray that you pour forth your Holy Spirit upon them, granting them wisdom to understand your Word and love to share it fruitfully.

Give them patience and a generous spirit as they guide children and others in their faith journey.

May their words and actions reflect your love and truth, and may they always be a living instrument of your Word.

May the fire of your love enkindle their hearts, drawing others to know and praise you through Jesus Christ.

Strengthen them to persevere in their ministry, to learn and grow in your Church's teachings, and to be faithful witnesses to the Gospel life.