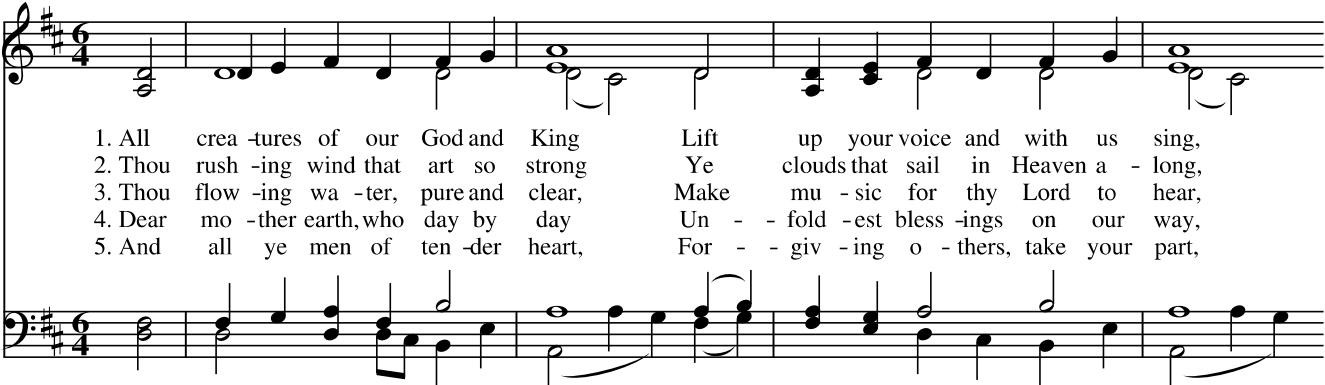


All Creatures of Our God and King

PRAISE

Words: Francis of Assisi circa 1225. Translated by William H. Draper, 1919.
Music: 'Lasst Uns Erfreuen' from Geistliche Kirchengesäng, Köln, 1623. Setting: Ralph Vaughan Williams, 1906.
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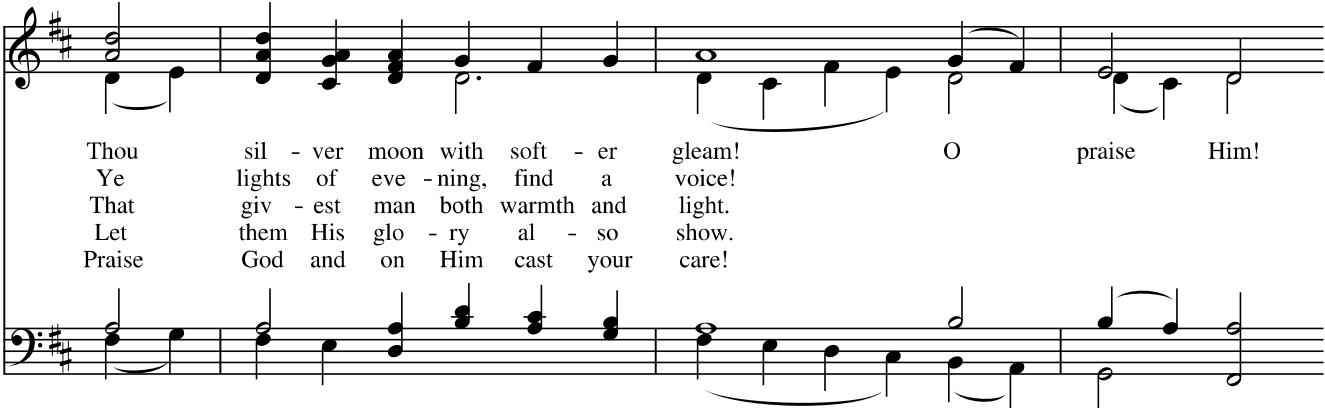
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1. All crea - tures of our God and King Lift up your voice and with us sing,
2. Thou rush - ing wind that art so strong Ye clouds that sail in Heaven a - long,
3. Thou flow - ing wa - ter, pure and clear, Make mu - sic for thy Lord to hear,
4. Dear mo - ther earth, who day by day Un - - fold - est bless - ings on our way,
5. And all ye men of ten - der heart, For - - giv - ing o - thers, take your part,



A - lle - lu - ia! A - lle - lu - ia! Thou burn - ing sun with gol - den beam,
O praise Him! A - lle - lu - ia! Thou ris - ing moon, in praise re - joice,
O praise Him! A - lle - lu - ia! Thou fire so mas - ter - ful and bright,
O praise Him! A - lle - lu - ia! The flowers and fruits that in thee grow,
O sing ye! A - lle - lu - ia! Ye who long pain and sor - row bear,



Thou sil - ver moon with soft - er gleam! O praise Him!
Ye lights of eve - ning, find a voice!
That giv - est man both warmth and light.
Let them His glo - ry al - so show.
Praise God and on Him cast your care!



O praise Him! A - lle - lu - ia! A - lle - lu - ia! A - lle - lu - ia!

6. And thou most kind and gentle Death,
Waiting to hush our latest breath,
O praise Him! Alleluia!
Thou leadest home the child of God,
And Christ our Lord the way hath trod.

7. Δ Let all things their Creator bless,
And worship Him in humbleness,
O praise Him! Alleluia!
Praise, praise the Father, praise the Son,
And praise the Spirit, Three in One!