

LENTEN EVENING PRAYER SERVICE

DUET El Noi De La Mare

Catalan Folk Melody

Jo Ann Powell, guitar
Joanne Bendy, flute

OPENING SENTENCES:

Lord, open unto me

Open unto me - **light for my darkness.** Open unto me - **courage for my fear.**

Open unto me - **hope for my despair.** Open unto me - **Peace for my turmoil.**

Open unto me - **joy for my sorrow.** Open unto me - **strength for my weakness.**

Open unto me - **wisdom for my confusion.** Open unto me - **forgiveness for my sins.**

Open unto me - **love for my hates.** Open unto me - **thy Self for my self.**

Lord, Lord, open unto me! **Amen.**

SOLO Spiritual: Hear the Lambs A-Cryin'

Daniel Berry, bass

SCRIPTURE READING

Lamentations 3:18-30
(Eugene Peterson translation)

SILENT MEDITATION ON THE SCRIPTURE

LENTEN HYMN Lord of All Goodness

Lord of all goodness, Son of the Fa-ther, may your peace sur - round us.
(hum)

The image shows a musical score for a hymn. It consists of two staves: a treble clef staff on top and a bass clef staff on the bottom. The key signature is two flats (B-flat and E-flat), and the time signature is common time (C). The melody is written in the treble staff, and the bass line is in the bass staff. The lyrics are written below the treble staff. A long horizontal line with a slur underneath it spans the first two measures of the treble staff, with the word "(hum)" written below it, indicating a hummed section. The score ends with a double bar line and repeat dots.

To be sung repetitively until cantor sings "A-men"

PRAYERS OF THANKSGIVING AND INTERCESSION:

Let my prayer rise before you as incense, O God,

The lifting of my hands as an evening sacrifice (Prayer continues...)

SILENCE:

(Leader concludes the silence...)

God of all joy, fill our souls to overflowing with the fullness of your grace. In this season, remind us of your triumph over the tragedy of the cross, and your victory for us over the powers of sin and death, so that we may reflect your glory as disciples of Jesus Christ, our risen Lord...

THE LORD'S PRAYER

LENTEN HYMN Christ Jesus

Christ Je - sus, Lord and Sav - ior! Christ Je - sus, Lord and Sav - ior! Christ

Instruments will play one time and then we'll all sing together three times.

THE BENEDICTION

The Peace of Christ be with you.

And also with you.

(Pass the peace with one another as you leave)