

Hymn No. 203

Hail to the Lord's Anointed

- 1 Hail to the Lord's Anointed, great David's greater Son!
Hail in the time appointed, his reign on earth begun!
He comes to break oppression, to set the captive free;
to take away transgression, and rule in equity.
- 2 He comes with succor speedy to those who suffer wrong;
to help the poor and needy, and bid the weak be strong;
to give them songs for sighing, their darkness turn to light,
whose souls, condemned and dying, are precious in his sight.
- 3 He shall come down like showers up on the fruitful earth;
love, joy, and hope, like flowers, spring in his path to birth.
Before him, on the mountains, shall peace, the herald, go,
and righteousness, in fountains, from hill to valley flow.
- 4 To him shall prayer unceasing and daily vows ascend;
his kingdom still increasing, a kingdom without end.
The tide of time shall never his covenant remove;
his name shall stand forever; that name to us is love.

Hymn No. 730

O Day of God, Draw Nigh
(11 o'clock service ONLY)

- 1** O day of God, draw nigh in beauty and in power;
come with thy timeless judgment now to match our present hour.
- 2** Bring to our troubled minds, uncertain and afraid,
the quiet of a steadfast faith, calm of a call obeyed.
- 3** Bring justice to our land, that all may dwell secure,
and finely build for days to come foundations that endure.
- 4** Bring to our world of strife thy sovereign word of peace,
that war may haunt the earth no more, and desolation cease.
- 5** O Day of God, draw nigh as at creation's birth;
let there be light again, and set thy judgments on the earth.

Hymn No. 196

Come, Thou Long-Expected Jesus

1 Come, thou long-expected Jesus,
born to set thy people free;
from our fears and sins release us,
let us find our rest in thee.

Israel's strength and consolation,
hope of all the earth thou art;
dear desire of every nation,
joy of every longing heart.

2 Born thy people to deliver,
born a child and yet a King,
born to reign in us forever,
now thy gracious kingdom bring.

By thine own eternal spirit
rule in all our hearts alone;
by thine all sufficient merit,
raise us to thy glorious throne.