

# Magnification

*The Nativity of Christ - December 25*

Russian Imperial Court Chant

arr. from L'vov/Bakhmetev

Soprano  
Alto

Tenor  
Bass

We mag - ni - fy, we mag - ni - fy You,

Detailed description: This block contains the first line of the Magnification. It features four staves: two for Soprano and Alto (top two) and two for Tenor and Bass (bottom two). The music is in a key with one flat (B-flat major or D minor) and a common time signature. The lyrics are: "We mag - ni - fy, we mag - ni - fy You,". The vocal lines are written in a style characteristic of Russian Imperial Court Chant, with long notes and specific intervals. The piano accompaniment consists of chords and moving lines in both hands.

O Christ the Giv - er of Life, Who for our

Detailed description: This block contains the second line of the Magnification. It features four staves: two for Soprano and Alto (top two) and two for Tenor and Bass (bottom two). The lyrics are: "O Christ the Giv - er of Life, Who for our". The musical notation continues with the same style as the first line.

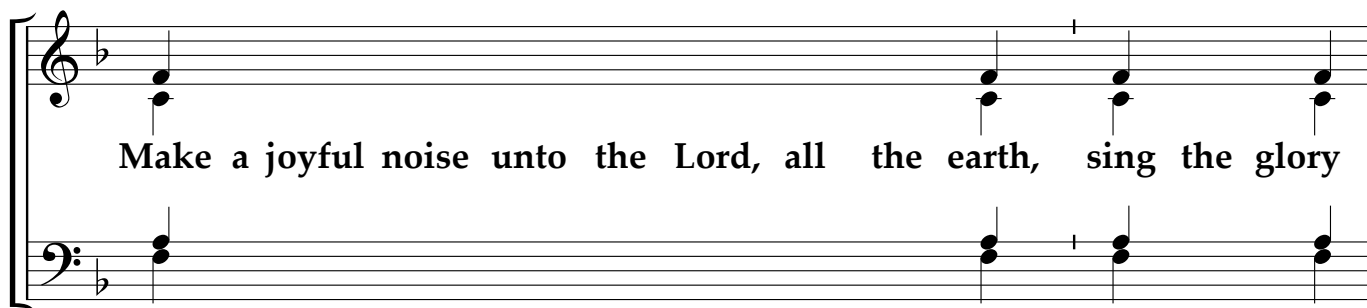
sake now are born in the flesh, of the Vir - gin

Detailed description: This block contains the third line of the Magnification. It features four staves: two for Soprano and Alto (top two) and two for Tenor and Bass (bottom two). The lyrics are: "sake now are born in the flesh, of the Vir - gin". The musical notation continues with the same style as the previous lines.

Mar - y, un - wed - ed and most pure!

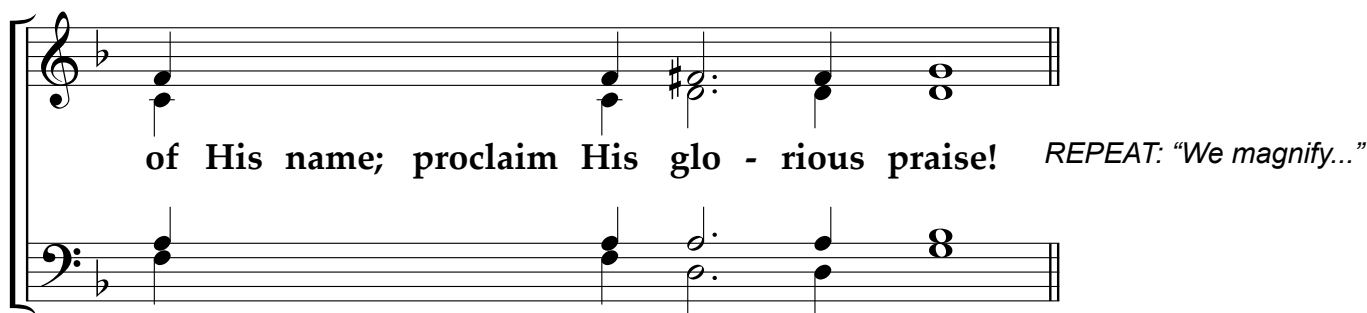
Detailed description: This block contains the fourth line of the Magnification. It features four staves: two for Soprano and Alto (top two) and two for Tenor and Bass (bottom two). The lyrics are: "Mar - y, un - wed - ed and most pure!". The musical notation concludes with a double bar line.

Verse 1 (Ps. 65:1)



Make a joyful noise unto the Lord, all the earth, sing the glory

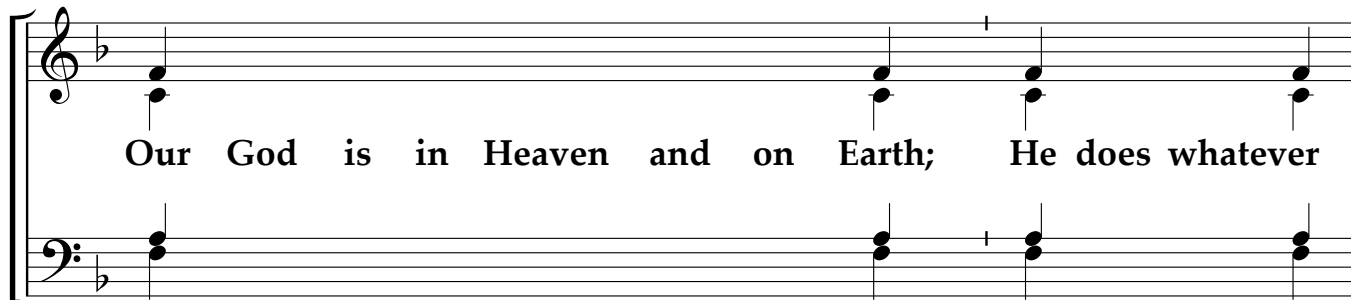
This system shows the first two staves of music for Verse 1. The top staff is in treble clef and the bottom staff is in bass clef. Both are in a key with one flat (B-flat). The music consists of simple chords and single notes. The lyrics are: "Make a joyful noise unto the Lord, all the earth, sing the glory".



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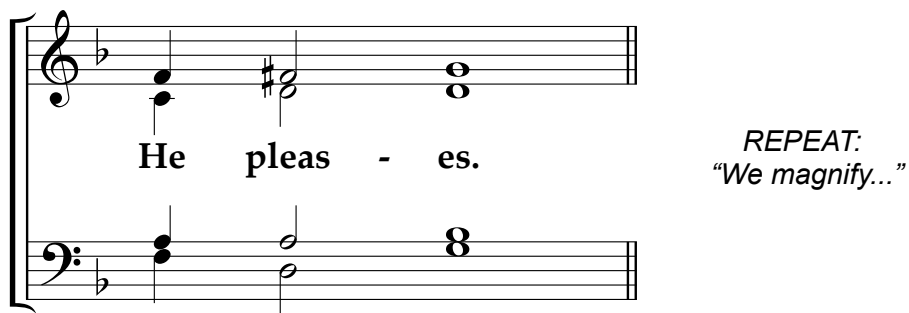
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Verse 2 (Ps. 113:11)



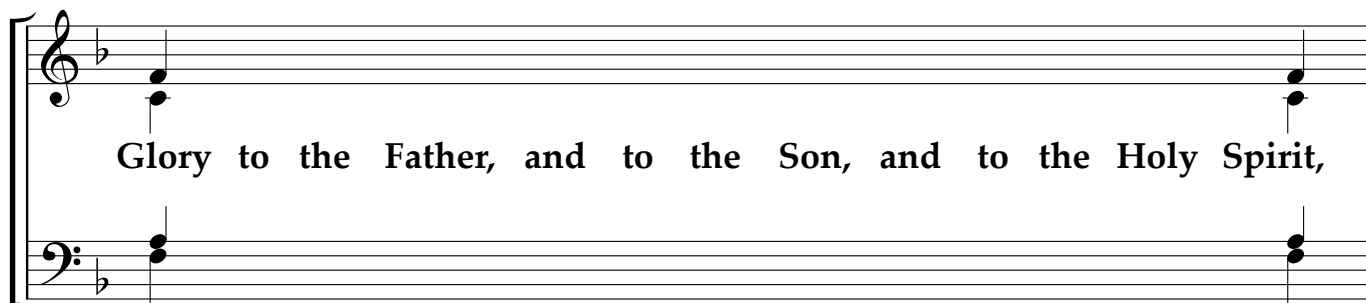
Our God is in Heaven and on Earth; He does whatever

This system shows the first two staves of music for Verse 2. The top staff is in treble clef and the bottom staff is in bass clef. Both are in a key with one flat (B-flat). The music consists of simple chords and single notes. The lyrics are: "Our God is in Heaven and on Earth; He does whatever".



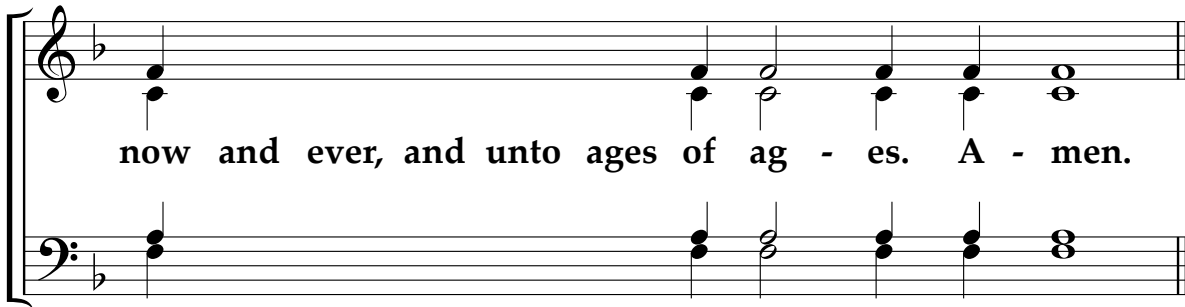
He pleas - es. REPEAT: "We magnify..."

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Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit,

This system shows the third two staves of music for Verse 2. The top staff is in treble clef and the bottom staff is in bass clef. The music continues with simple chords and single notes. The lyrics are: "Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit,".

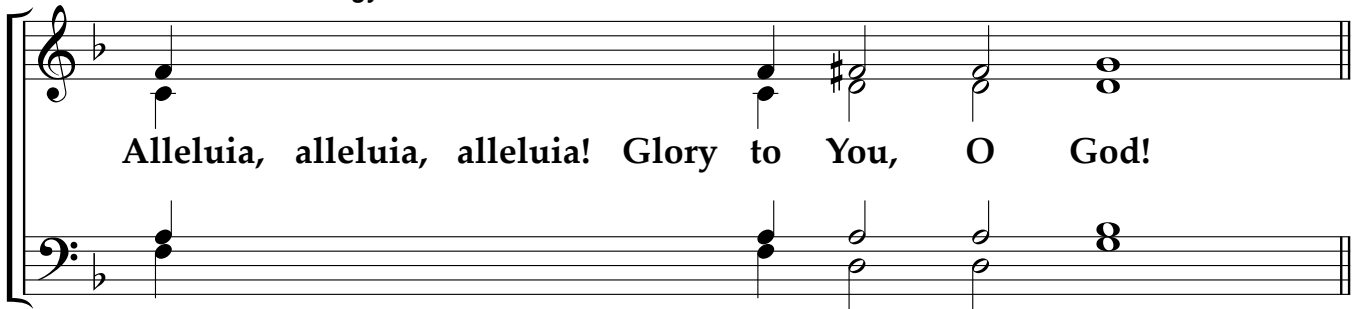


now and ever, and unto ages of ag - es. A - men.



Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, glory to You, O God. *TWICE*

*THIRD TIME: Clergy*



Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia! Glory to You, O God!

*REPEAT: "We magnify..."*