

Commissioned for the Centennial Year of Sts. Peter and Paul Church, Chicago, Illinois

A NEW COMMANDMENT

Unison Choir, Descant, Assembly, Optional Flute or C Instrument, Keyboard

Ref: Jn 15:12

English vss.: James Quinn

Polish vss.: J. Dziurzynski

Spanish vss.: Anon.

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REFRAIN

$\text{♩} = c. 76$
Flute*

The musical score is written in 4/4 time with a key signature of two flats (B-flat and E-flat). It consists of several systems of staves. The first system includes a vocal line with lyrics "I give you a new com - mand - ment:", a descant line, and a piano accompaniment. The second system continues the vocal line with the same lyrics. The third system shows the piano accompaniment. The fourth system begins with a measure rest (4) and continues with the vocal line: "Love one an - oth - er as I have". The fifth system continues the vocal line: "Love one an - oth - er as I have loved". The sixth system shows the piano accompaniment. The score includes dynamic markings such as *mf* and *Descant*. A large, semi-transparent watermark "SAMPLE" is overlaid diagonally across the entire page.

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*Flutist may play an octave higher if desired.

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Last time rit.

To Verses | Final

loved_ you. I have loved you. you.

Last time rit.

To Verses | Final

you, as_ I have loved_ you. you.

Last time rit.

To Verses | Final

*ENGLISH VERSES 1-5

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Flute

mp

Cantor/Choir

mf

1. "This is my will, my one com - mand, That love should dwell a - mong you

2. "No great - er love that one can_ have Than that one die to save one's

3. I call you now no long - er_ slaves; No slave knows all his mas - ter

4. "You chose not me, but I chose you, That you should go and bear much

5. All that you ask my Fa - ther_ dear For my name's sake you shall re -

mp

*Additional Polish and Spanish verses on page 5 may be interspersed between English verses. Composer suggests verses as follows: 1, 6, 2, 7, 3, 8, 4, 5.

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mf

1. all. This is my will, that you should love As—
 2. friends, You are my friends if you o - bey What
 3. does. I call you friends, for all I— hear My—
 4. fruit. I chose you out that you in— me Should
 5. ceive. This is my will, my one com - mand, That—

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f *rit.* *To Refrain*

1. I have shown that I love you. _____
 2. I com - mand that you should do. _____
 3. Fa - ther say you hear from me. _____
 4. bear much fruit that will a - bide. _____
 5. love should dwell in each, in all. _____

rit. *To Refrain*

**OPTIONAL POLISH & SPANISH VERSES

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Cantor



6. Sko - ro się wszy - scy tu gro - ma - dzi - my, Strzeż - my się te - go, co nas roz
 Sko - rō shiě fshis - tsi too grō - ma - gee - mi, Stchez - mi shě tē - go, tsō nas rōz

Cantor

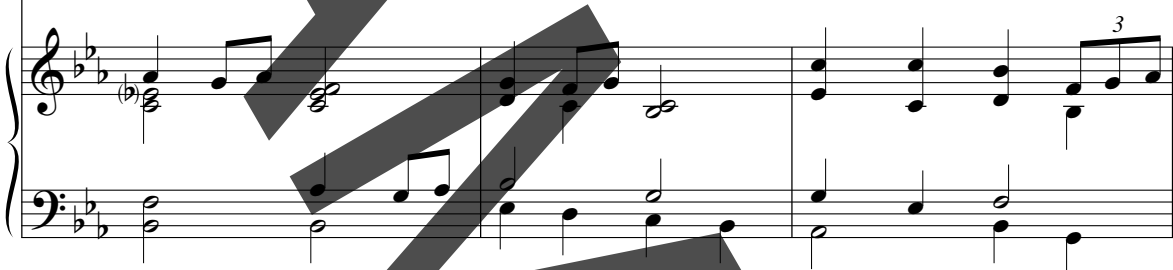


7. Cris - to la luz, la ver - dad y la vi - da Al per - dón y a - mor nos - in -

Cantor



8. En tra - ba - jos y fa - ti - gas Cris - to a to - dos nos a -



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6. dzie - la. Niech us - ta - ną wszy - st - kie gnie - wy i spo - ry,
 jel - la. Nyěk oos - la - na fshist - kyě gnyě vi ee spo - ri,



7. vi - ta. Dios per - do - na nues - tras - cul - pas



8. ni - ma. En la vi - da y en la - muer - te



26 *rit.* *To Refrain*

6. A poś - rod - ku nas, niech będ - zie Chrys - tus. _____
 Ah pōsh-rood-koo nahs, nyek bed - ję Hřĩ - stoos. _____

rit. *To Refrain*

7. Ya su me - sa nos con - vi - da. _____

rit. *To Refrain*

8. Dios nos a - ma pa - ra siem - pre. _____

rit. *To Refrain*

****Polish verse translation:**

As we gather here, let us be on guard against
 whatever divides us. May all anger and strife
 among us cease, so that Christ may dwell among us.

****Spanish verses translation:**

Vs. 7: Christ, the light, the truth and the life,
 invites us to forgive and love.
 God forgives our sins and invites us to his table.

Vs. 8: In work and hardship, Christ comforts us.
 In life and in death, God loves us always.