

For Patty Hughes and the music ministry of St. Pius X Parish, Indianapolis, Indiana

CHRIST THE LORD IS BORN TODAY

Psalm 96

SATB Choir, Descant, Cantor, Assembly, Handbells, Keyboard

Scott Soper
incorporating VENI EMMANUEL
and ES IST EIN ROS' ENTSPRUNGEN
Michael Praetorius, 1571-1621
Geistliche Kirchengesang, Cologne, 1599

Ps 96
Adapt. by S.S.

Handbells used: 15

INTRODUCTION

♩ = c. 96

Handbells

REFRAIN

(tacet 1st time)

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2.-4. *To Verses* *Final*

rit.

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rit.

day!

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rit.

day!

2.-4. *To Verses* *Final*

rit.

(b)

VERSES 1, 2

12 *Hndb.*

mf

mf
Choir

S.A.

1. Sing to the Lord a new song; Sing to God all you
 2. Let earth and heav-en glo-ry; Let o-cean depths re-

T.B.

mf

mp optional keyboard

16

1. lands
2. joice.

Sing of sal - va - tion al -
Let hills and plains and for -

mf keyboard resumes *mp* optional keyboard

19

To Refrain

1. ways; God's glo - ry now at hand.
2. ests sing prais - es with one voice. To -

f *f* *f*

To Refrain
Cantor/Choir/Assembly

To Refrain

f keyboard resumes

VERSE 3

23

Choir *mf*

S.A.

3. God's love shall nev - er cease. — God comes to rule with

T.B. *mf*

mp optional keyboard

27

Hndb.

Descant

Choir *f*

3. jus - tice; God comes to rule with peace. To -

f

mf

f keyboard resumes

To Refrain

To Refrain Descant

To -

To Refrain