PRAISE WITH JOY
THE WORLD’S CREATOR

1. Praise with joy the world’s creator, God of justice,
2. Praise to Christ who feeds the hungry, frees the captive,
3. Praise the Spirit sent among us, liberating love, and peace, source and end of human knowledge,
finds the lost, heals the sick, upsets religion,
truth from pride, forging bonds where race or gender,
munition, calling Christians to embody

God whose grace shall never cease. Celebrate the fearlessness both of fate and cost. Celebrate Christ’s age or nation dare divide. Celebrate the one-ness in diversity. This the world shall

Maker’s glory, power to rescue and release. Constant presence: Friend and stranger, guest and host. Spirit’s treasure: Foolishness none dare divide. See reflected: God is One and One in Three.

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1. We walk by faith and not by sight; no
   gracious words we hear from Christ, who spoke as
   we rejoice, and cry, "My Lord and God!"

2. We may not touch his hands and side, nor
   follow where he trod; but in his promise
   you are near and seek where you are found:
   as you are, with full and endless sight.

3. Help then, O Lord, our unbelief; and
   realms of clearer light we may behold you
   none ever spoke; but we believe him near.

4. That, when our life of faith is done, in
   we may our faith bound to call on you when
   you are near and seek where you are found:

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