

Harvest Thanksgiving I

♩ = 88

Psalm 65

The musical score is written in 4/4 time with a key signature of one flat (B-flat). It consists of two systems. The first system has a vocal line and a piano accompaniment. The vocal line begins with the lyrics 'You crown the year with your good-ness, O Lord.' The piano accompaniment features a steady bass line and chords in the right hand. The second system continues the piano accompaniment and ends with a 'D.C.' (Da Capo) instruction.

You are to be praised, O God, **in** Zion; / to you shall vows be performed in **Je**-rusalem.
To you that hear prayer shall all **flesh** come, / be-**cause** of their trans-gressions.

Our sins are stronger **than** we are, / but you will blot **them** out.
Happy are they whom you choose and draw to your courts **to** dwell there!
they will be satisfied by the beauty of your house, by the **holiness** of your temple.

Awesome things will you show us in **your** righteousness, / O God of our **sal**-vation,
O Hope of all the ends of **the** earth, / and of the **seas that are** far a-way.

You make fast the mountains by **your** power; / they are girded about **with** might.
You still the roaring of **the** seas, / the roaring of their waves, and the **clamour** of the peoples.

- 1 - Those who dwell at the ends of the earth will tremble at your marvel-**lous** signs;
- 2 - you make the dawn and the dusk to sing **for** joy.
- 1 - You visit the earth and water it abundantly; you make it **very** plenteous;
- 2 - the river of God is full **of** water.
- 3 - You prepare **the** grain,
- 4 - for **so you pro**-vide for the earth.

You drench the furrows and smooth out **the** ridges;
with heavy rain you soften the ground and bless **its** increase.
You crown the year with **your** goodness, / and your **paths over**-flow with plenty.

May the fields of the wilderness be rich **for** grazing, / and the hills be clothed **with** joy.
May the meadows cover themselves **with** flocks,
and the valleys cloak themselves with grain; let them **shout for** joy and sing.