

Post Communion Prayer

Music: Ludwig van Beethoven, 1824.

Words by Wendell Kimbrough, 2012, based on the *Book of Common Prayer*

Words and music for chorus: from "Light of the Stable" by Steve and Elizabeth Rhymer, 1975

E A
Mighty God we thank and praise you
E B
For this meal, this Bread of Life;
E E7 A Am
Precious blood and body, broken,
E B E
From your Son our Savior, Christ

B E B E
In these myst'ries you assure us
B G#/C C#m B
We are members of your Son;
E E7/D A/C# Am/C
Heirs of your eternal Kingdom,
E/B B A E | B E |
With all faithful people, One.

A E B E A E B E
Alle-Alleluia, Alle-Alleluia
A E B C#m A E B E | A |
Alle-Alleluia, Alle-Alleluia

E A
Humbly now we ask you, Father,
E B
In your grace, to make us strong,
E E7 A Am
That, with all the saints before us,
E B E
In good works we may press on!

B E B E
Send us out to love and serve you!
B G#/C C#m B
Send us out to sing your praise!
E E7/D A/C# Am/C
Father, Son, and Holy Spirit,
E/B B A E | B E |
Pow'r and glory to your name!

A E B E A E B E
Alle-Alleluia, Amen, Amen Amen
A E B C#m A E B E
Alle-Alleluia, Amen, Amen Amen