

f The Church of God a kingdom is,
 Where Christ in power doth reign;
mf Where spirits yearn till, seen in bliss,
 Their Lord shall come again.

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An altar stands within the shrine
 Whereon, once sacrificed,
 Is set, immaculate, divine,
 The Lamb of God, the Christ.

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f Glad companies of saints possess,
 This Church below, above;
 And God's perpetual calm doth
 Their paradise of love. [bless_

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There rich and poor, from countless
 Praise Christ on mystic Rood; [lands,
 There nations reach forth holy hands
 To take God's holy food.

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mf There pure life-giving streams o'erflow,
 The sower's garden-ground;
 And faith and hope fair blossoms show,
 And fruits of love abound.

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f O King, O Christ, this endless grace
 To us and all men bring,
 To see the vision of thy face
 In joy, O Christ, our King.