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# The Crediton Preces and Responses

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Cantor and SATB a cappella

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## Donald James

After studying Music as a Choral scholar at Cambridge University, Donald James started his professional career as the Director of Music of the Edinburgh Academy and conductor of both the Edinburgh Symphony Orchestra and the City of Edinburgh Band. He was also the Director of Music of Palmerston Place Church, an important church in Edinburgh's West End.

Mr. James then joined the BBC Radio's Music Department in London as a producer and also conducted the New London Singers. He became Director of Music at St. Jude's Church with a fine organ and a professional choir at his disposal.

Subsequently as a lecturer, he joined the faculty of the University of Exeter and directed the Exeter University Singers, who won the Bowl in the BBC International Competition, "Let the People Sing". He was also Director of the University Opera Group and of the University Players, an ensemble of as many as fifteen players specializing in the music of the seventeenth and eighteenth centuries. He was, at the same time, organist and choirmaster of the main church in Dawlish for seven years and the Director of Music in the main church at Crediton.

As an examiner of the Associated Board and as an adjudicator at Music Festivals, he has visited cities throughout the United Kingdom as well as Singapore, New Zealand, Hong Kong, the countries of the Middle East, Malta, Germany and Canada where he adjudicated at the major Festivals in Winnipeg and

Mr. James is now functioning as a composer, arranger, paleographer and conductor.

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The Book of Common Prayer

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## The Preces

Cantor



O Lord, o - pen Thou our lips.

$\bullet = 116$

*f*



And our mouth shall show forth Thy praise.



And our mouth shall show forth Thy praise.

*f*



O God, make speed to save us.

$\bullet = 120$

*mf*



O Lord, make haste to help us.



Lord, make haste to help us.

*mf*

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Glo - ry be to the Fa - ther, and to the Son, and to the Ho - ly Ghost;

$\bullet = 120$

As it was, it was in the be - gin - ning, is —

now, and ev - er shall be world with - out end. — A - men.



Pra - ise the Lord.

$\bullet = 4$

The — Lord's name be praised.

# The Responses



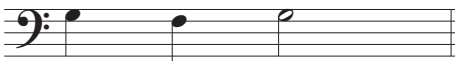
The Lord be with you.

♩ = 96

*p*

And with thy spir - it.

*p*



Let us pray.

♩ = 48

*mp*

Lord, have mer - cy up - on us. \_\_\_\_\_

Christ, have  
*mp*

*mf* \_\_\_\_\_ *p*

Lord, \_\_\_\_\_ have mer - cy up - on us.

mer - cy up - on \_\_\_\_\_ us.

$\text{♩} = 48$   
*mp*




Our Fa-ther, which art in Heav - en, Hal-low'd be Thy name.

Our Fa-ther, which art in Heav-en Hal-low'd be Thy name.  
*mp*



Thy king-dom come. Thy will be done on earth, as it is in

*mf*



heav'n. Give us this our dai - ly bread. And for - give us our

*p*



tres - pass - es, as we for - give them that tres-pass a -

*mf*

*mf*

*mp*

- gainst us. And lead us not in-to temp-ta-tion;—  
and lead us not

*mp*

*mf* (from) *pp*

but de-liv-er us from e-men.  
and lead us not

*mf* *pp*

O Lord, show Thy merc-y up-on us.

$\text{♩} = 60$

*mf*

And grant us Thy sal-va-tion.

*mf*



O Lord, save the State.  
(Queen.)

♩ = 84

*p*

And mer - ci - ful - ly hear us when we call up on Thee.

*p*  
when we call up - on Thee, call up - on Thee.



En - due Thy min - is - ters with right - eous - ness.

♩ = 120

*f*

And make Thy cho - sen peo - ple joy - ful, joy - ful.

(cho - sen)

*f*





O Lord, save Thy peo - ple.

♩ = 84

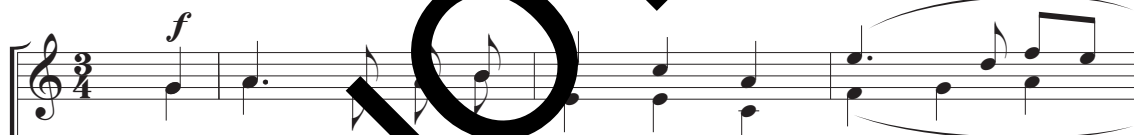


And bless Thine in - her - i - tance.

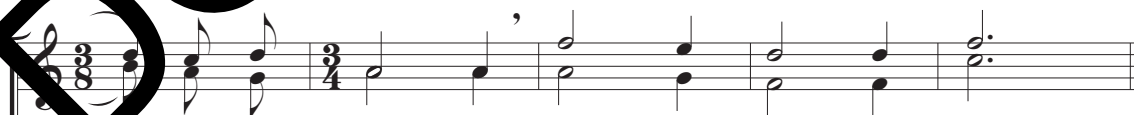


Give peace in our time, O Lord.

♩ = 120



Be - cause there is none o - ther that fight -



eth for us, but on - ly Thou, O God.





O God make clean our hearts with - in us.

♩ = 72

*p*



And take \_\_\_\_\_ not Thy Ho - ly Spir - it from us.



And take not Thy Ho - ly Spir - it from us.  
*p*

### The Collects

1.

*p*

2.

♩ = 60

3.



A - men. A - men. A - - - men, A - men.



A - - men, A - men.

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