

# OCP Choral Series

## Come, Receive Christ

for Phyllis Wayne

Assembly, Descant, SAB Choir, Keyboard, Guitar and Solo Instrument

Christopher Walker

INTRO *Peacefully* (♩ = ca. 96)

Keyboard

G Am7 G/B C D7

*mp*

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REFRAIN

Descant

*mp (a tempo)*

Come to the ta - ble pre - pared — for you. Come with a heart that is

Soprano/All

*mp (a tempo)*

Come to the ta - ble pre - pared — for you. Come with a heart that is

Alto

*mp (a tempo)*

Baritone

*mp (a tempo)*

G Am7 G/B *mf* maj7 Bm7 Em

*mf*

hum - ble and true. Come and be filled; — with faith — a - new

*mf*

hum - ble and true. Come and be filled; — with faith — a - new

*mf*

Am7 D D/C G/B Em C

*mp* 1-4 to Verses

come, re - ceive Christ giv - en for you.

*mp* 1-4 to Verses

come, re - ceive Christ giv - en

*mp* Am7 G/B Am7 G Em/G Am7 to Verses

Final *rit.* Fine

you. Come, re - ceive Christ giv - en for you.

Final *rit.* Fine

you. Come, re - ceive Christ giv - en for you.

Final Em Em/D C G/B Am G Fine

*rit.*

VERSES

*rit.* *mp* *a tempo*

1. Lord Je - sus, re - ceive us who come to your ta - ble,  
 2. Lord hear us, be near us when trou - bles as - sail us.  
 3. Lord feed us and lead us in ways ev - er - last - ing.  
 4. Be - side us, Lord, guide us to give one an - oth - er,

Dsus4 D G Bm7 C/D D

*rit.* *mp* *a tempo*

1. faith - ful dis - ci - ples be fed. \_\_\_\_\_ Lord  
 2. Strength - en the wea - ry, the fright - ened, the lost. \_\_\_\_\_ Lord,  
 3. Be our com - pan - ion each day of our lives. \_\_\_\_\_ Lord,  
 4. car - ing for neigh - bor, and friend \_\_\_\_\_ be -

G Em Bm7

*rit.* *D.S.*

1. Je - sus, \_\_\_\_\_ re - ceive us.  
 2. hear us, \_\_\_\_\_ be near us.  
 3. feed us, \_\_\_\_\_ and lead us.  
 4. side us, \_\_\_\_\_ Lord, guide us.

Esus4 Em Am D7 *D.S.*

*rit.*

# Come, Receive Christ

SOLO INSTRUMENT

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INTRO *Peacefully* (♩ = ca. 96)

REFRAIN

(*a tempo*)

VERSES

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## Composer Notes

“Come, Receive Christ” may be sung during communion or by mass during Ordinary Time, or even during Lent. It is also suitable for masses celebrating discipleship, mission, or outreach.

Do not take it too fast. Encourage your assembly to sing the refrain and let the choir or cantor sing the verses. Make sure that the first beat of each bar in the verses sounds stronger than the second beat. If there are many people coming forward for communion play an occasional verse on a melodic instrument. Use the descant and instrumental parts to add color, rather than playing and singing them continuously.

—Christopher Walker

# Come, Receive Christ

for Phyllis Wayne

(Guitar/Vocal)

Christopher Walker

## INTRO Peacefully (♩ = ca. 96)

G Am7 G/B C D7

*mp*

(Keyboard)

## REFRAIN

Descant

*mp (a tempo)*

Come to the ta - ble pre - pared for you. Come with a heart that is

Melody

*mp (a tempo)*

G Am7 G/B Cmaj7 Bm7 Em

Come to the ta - ble pre - pared for you. Come with a heart that is

*mf*

hum - ble and true. Come and be - lieve with faith a - new

Am7 D D/C G/B Em C

*mf*

hum - ble and true. Come and be - lieve with faith a - new

*mp*

come, re - ceive Christ giv - en for you.

Am7 G/B Am7 1-4 G Em/G Am7 to Verses

*mp*

come, re - ceive Christ giv - en for you.

**Final**

you. \_\_\_\_\_ Come, re - ceive Christ giv - en for you.

**Final**

Em Em/D C G/B Am G

you. \_\_\_\_\_ Come, re - ceive Christ giv - en for you.

**VERSES**

Dsus4 D G Bm7 Am C/D D

*rit.* *mp* *a tempo*

1. Lord Je - sus, re - ceive us who come to your ta - ble,  
 2. Lord hear us, be near us when trou - bles as - sail us.  
 3. Lord feed us and lead us ways ev - er - last - ing.  
 4. Be - side us, Lord, guide us serve one an - oth - er,

G Em G Bm7

1. faith - ful dis - ci - ples who yearn be fed. Lord  
 2. Strength - en the wea - ry, the faint - ened, the lost. Lord,  
 3. Be our com - pan - ion each of our lives. Lord,  
 4. car - ing for neigh - bor, for strang - er, and friend be -

Esus4 Em G Bm7 D7

1. Je - sus, \_\_\_\_\_ re - ceive us \_\_\_\_\_  
 2. hear us, \_\_\_\_\_ be - near us \_\_\_\_\_  
 3. feed us, \_\_\_\_\_ and lead us. \_\_\_\_\_  
 4. side us, \_\_\_\_\_ Lord, guide us. \_\_\_\_\_

# Assembly Edition

## COME, RECEIVE CHRIST

Christopher Walker

**Refrain**

Come to the ta - ble pre - pared for you.  
 Come with a heart that is hum - ble and true.  
 Come and be filled; with faith - ful hearts, come, re - ceive  
 Christ giv - en for us.

**Verses**

1. Lord Je - sus, re - ceive us who come to your  
 2. Lord hear us, be near us when trou - bles as -  
 3. Lord feed us and lead us in ways ev - er -  
 4. Be - side us, Lord, who will serve one an -

1. ta - ble, faith - ful dis - ci - ple who yearn to be  
 2. sail us. Strength - en the weak - ly, the fright - ened, the  
 3. last - ing. Be our com - pan - ion each day of our  
 4. oth - er, car - ing for the stran - ger, and

to Refrain

1. fed. Lord Je - sus, re - ceive us.  
 2. lost. Lord, hear us, be near us.  
 3. lives. Lord, feed us, and lead us.  
 4. friend be - side us, Lord, who will serve us.

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