

# SAINTS OF GOD IN GLORY

REFRAIN: (♩ = ca. 67) 1st time: Cantor, All repeat; thereafter: All

Em A7 D Bm Em G Cmaj7 Am D Bm7

Saints of God in glo - ry, with us, re - joice with us, sing

Em C Am7 1-9 Bm7 Em Bm7 Em D/E to Verses Final Bm7 Em Bm7 E Fine

praise with us, and pray with us now. pray with us now.

\*VERSES 1-4: Cantor Declaration, spoken over this piano accompaniment

E(no 3rd) E9 D/E Cmaj7 Bm7 Am7(add 9) Bm7 Em Bm7 D.C.

Vs 1...All women and men of the gospel  
Vs 2...preachers of the gospel of Christ  
Vs 3...All women and men of prayer  
Vs 4...All saints of these islands\*\*

## VERSE 1: Cantor Declaration

Mary, Mother of Jesus  
Joseph  
John the Baptist  
Peter  
Andrew  
James and John  
Mary of Magdala  
Martha  
All women and men of the gospel (to Ref.)

## VERSE 2: Cantor Declaration

Paul  
Basil  
Augustine of Canterbury  
Francis of Assisi  
Ignatius Loyola  
John XXIII  
George MacLeod of Scotland  
All preachers of the gospel of Christ (to Ref.)

\*Feel free to add or substitute names in each section.

\*\*You may wish to substitute local names here, and/or change the first name of this section to: All missionaries of the gospel of Christ.

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**VERSE 3: Cantor Declamation**

Clare  
 Benedict  
 Bernard of Clairvaux  
 Julian of Norwich  
 John of the Cross  
 Teresa of Avila  
 Elizabeth Ann Seton  
 All women and men of prayer (to Ref.)

**VERSE 4: Cantor Declamation**

Andrew  
 George  
 Patrick  
 David  
 Columba  
 Kevin  
 Brigid  
 Margaret  
 Aidan  
 Bede  
 All saints of these islands\*\* (to Ref.)

**VERSES 5-8: Cantor Declamation, spoken over this or**

Em A/E A9 Em A A9 G C C9 G

C G D Em A/E Em A/E Em Bm7 D.C.

Vs 5...All prophets of God's peace and justice  
 Vs 6...all who have lived and died for God's kingdom  
 Lord, hear the prayers of your saints  
 Lord, hear the prayers of all your people.

**\* VERSE 5: Cantor Declamation**

Chief Seattle  
 Mahatma Gandhi  
 André Sakaharov  
 Dorothy Day  
 All prophets of God's peace and justice (to Ref.)

**VERSE 7: Cantor Declamation**

May God save us  
 from all evil  
 from every sin  
 from everlasting death.  
 May God save us  
 by his coming among us  
 by his death and rising to new life  
 by his gift of the Holy Spirit.  
 Lord, hear the prayers of your saints (to Ref.)

**\* VERSE 6: Cantor Declamation**

Stephen  
 Lucy  
 Martyrs of the Church  
 Dietrich Bonhoeffer  
 Martin Luther King  
 Oscar Romero  
 Steve Biko and all unnamed martyrs  
 All who have lived and died for God's kingdom (to Ref.)

**VERSE 8: Cantor Declamation**

May God guide and protect all the Church  
 and bring all peoples together  
 in trust and peace.  
 May the spirit of our Lord Jesus Christ fill our hearts  
 and minds and keep us in faithful service to the gospel.  
 Lord, hear the prayers of all your people. (to Ref.)

\*These verses are ideal for paraliturgies concerning peace and social justice issues. They may be omitted during Easter Vigil and other liturgies where a traditional *Litany of the Saints* is used.