GOD OF MERCY

Refrain (\( q = \text{ca. 86} \))

Descent

\( \text{Soprano unis.} \)

\( \text{Alto} \)

\( \text{Tenor} \)

\( \text{Bass unis.} \)

\( \text{you are with us.} \)

\( \text{you have pitched your tent among us, reconciling} \)

\( \text{Heart and mind, live within our} \)

\( \text{love. Heart and mind of Christ, live within our} \)
lives.

Make us a people of mercy and grace.

lives, form us into people of mercy, form us into people of mercy and grace.

1-6 to Verses Fine grace.

Final grace.
GOD OF MERCY, cont. (3)

Verses

1. You have called us each by name in your great compassion,
2. Slow to anger, rich in love, you bestow forgiveness.
3. In our midst as one who serves, breaking down divisions.
4. Reaching out to those in pain, wounded and abandoned.
5. In the word of truth you speak, word of hope and challenge,
6. In this Bread we break and share, in this Cup of blessing.

1. Embracing our failings with mercy.
2. May we, in turn, forgive those who harm us.
3. To all in need you send us as neighbor.
4. May we create safe havens for healing.
5. You summon us to speak for the voiceless.
6. You summon us to work for true justice.

1-6. God of mercy, lead us.

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