


LITANY FOR THE EARTH

Verses (♩ = ca. 128)

Cantor



1. God of com - pas - sion, cre - a - tor of all things:
 2. God, you are pres - ent in all liv - ing crea - tures:
 3. Earth is your gift, to be shared with all crea - tures:
 4. Fill us with won - der and rev - 'rence for all things:
 5. We are u - ni - ted with all in ex - is - tence:
 6. Heal us from greed and dis - re - gard for oth - ers:
 7. Fill us with peace, to live as one fam - ily:
 8. Spir - it of God, you dwell deep with - in us:

Soprano/All




Alto
 1-8. Pour out your mer - cy, pour out your love!

Tenor


Bass

Cantor



1. An - swer the cry of the earth and its crea - tures:
 2. All be - ings dwell in your ten - der em - brace:
 3. We are not own - ers, but stew - ards of the earth:
 4. Teach us to val - ue the worth of each per - son:
 5. May we sow beau - ty, not pol - lu - tion and waste:
 6. Help us to res - cue the poor and a - ban - doned:
 7. Broth - ers and sis - ters, not harm - ing each oth - er:
 8. Lead us, in - spire us to do what is good:

S/All



A
 1-8. Heal our com - mon home! _____

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B

D.C.
(Fine)

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