

Psalm 46 Proper 4-Year A; also Proper 29C-II

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The Lord of hosts is with us; the God of Jac - ob is our strong - hold.

Verses

1. God is our refuge and strength, a very present help in troub - le.

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2. Therefore we will not fear, though the earth be moved, and though the mountains be toppled into the depths of the sea.

3. Though its waters rage and foam, and though the mountains trem - ble at its tu - mult.

5. There is a river whose streams make glad the city of God, the holy habitation of the Most High.

6. God is in the midst of her; she shall not be over - thrown; God shall help her at the break of day.

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7. The nations make much ado, and the kingdoms are sha-ken; God has spoken, and the earth shall melt a - way.

8. The Lord of hosts is with us; the God of Jacob is our strong - hold.

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9. Come now and look upon the works of the Lord, what awesome things he has done on earth.

10. It is he who makes war to cease in all the world; he breaks the bow, and shatters the spear, and burns the shields with fire.

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11. "Be still, then and know that I am God; I will be exalted among the nations; I will be ex - al - ted in the earth.

The musical score is written in D major (two sharps) and 4/4 time. The vocal line (treble clef) begins with a whole note D4, followed by a half note G4, and then a series of eighth notes: A4, B4, C5, B4, A4, G4, F#4, E4, D4. The piano accompaniment (grand staff) features a steady bass line of whole notes: D3, G2, F#2, E2, D2. The right hand of the piano part provides harmonic support with chords and single notes, including D4, G4, F#4, E4, D4, C4, B3, A3, G3, F#3, E3, D3, and C2.

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