

Saints All Around Us

*A Hymn for Younger Children Written for the 2024-2025 National Lutheran Schools Week
Based on Hebrews 12:1-3 and the NLSW Theme: Endure!*

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Giovanni P. da Palestrina, c. 1525-94

Refrain

Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia!

1 Saints all a - round us praise — the LORD
 2 Je - sus en - dured the cross - 's shame;
 3 The an - cient saints and saints — to - day
 4 So let us now cast sins — a - way
 5 When trou - bles come as trou - bles do,
 Δ 6 Praise to the Fa - ther, Spir - it, Son,

Who death up - on the cross — en - dured.
 He suf - fered and took all — our blame.
 Know the Lord Je - sus is — the Way
 As our life's race we run — to - day
 Pray to Lord Je - sus, He'll — re - new
 And for God's grace and faith — to run

The Refrain is repeated after st. 6.

Yet He is ris - en and — a - dored! Al - le - lu - ia!
 Now with great joy He calls — our name. Al - le - lu - ia!
 To life e - ter - nal as — they say, "Al - le - lu - ia!"
 Look - ing to Je - sus as — we say, "Al - le - lu - ia!"
 Our hope, and strong - er faith — en - due. Al - le - lu - ia!
 Our race in faith, O Three - in - One. Al - le - lu - ia!

The Refrain is sung once at the beginning and a second time at the conclusion of the hymn.

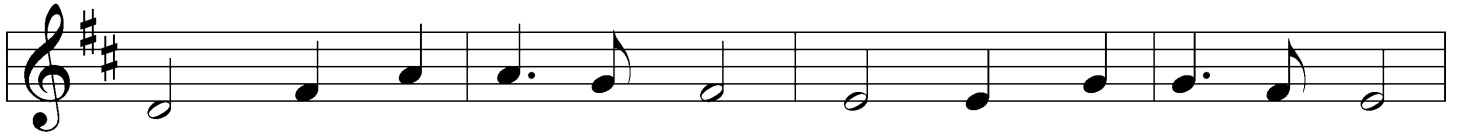
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Music: Giovanni P. da Palestrina, c. 1525-94, adapt.; *Hymns Ancient and Modern*, 1861

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My Faith Looks Up to Thee

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1 My faith looks up to Thee, Thou Lamb of Cal - va - ry,
2 May Thy rich grace im - part Strength to my faint - ing heart;
3 While life's dark maze I tread And griefs a - round me spread,
4 When ends life's tran - sient dream, When death's cold, sul - len stream



Sav - ior di - vine. Now hear me while I pray; Take all my
My zeal in - spire! As Thou hast died for me, Oh, may my
Be Thou my guide; Bid dark - ness turn to day, Wipe sor - row's
Shall o'er me roll, Blest Sav - ior, then, in love, Fear and dis -



guilt a - way; O let me from this day Be whol - ly Thine!
love to Thee Pure, warm, and change-less be, A liv - ing fire!
tears a - way, Nor let me ev - er stray From Thee a - side.
trust re-move; O bear me safe a - bove, A ran - somed soul!

Text: Ray Palmer, 1808–87

Tune: Lowell Mason, 1792–1872

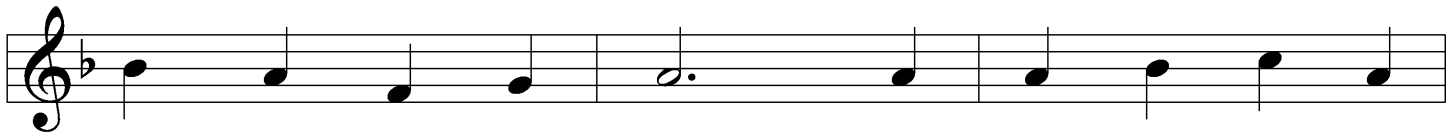
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Almighty God, Your Word Is Cast

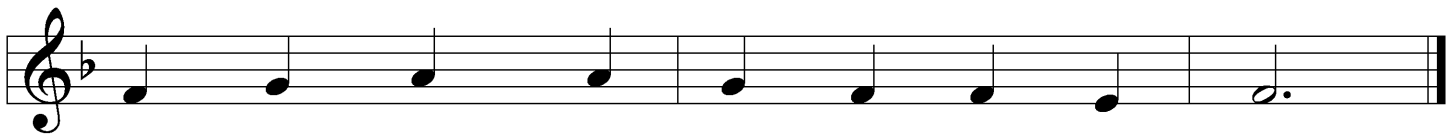
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1 Al - might - y God, Your Word is cast Like
2 Let not the sly sa - tan - ic foe This
3 Let not the world's de - ceit - ful cares The
4 So when the pre - cious seed is sown, Life -



seed in - to the ground; Now let the dew of
ho - ly seed re - move, But give it root in
ris - ing plant de - stroy, But let it yield a
giv - ing grace be - stow That all whose souls the



heav'n de - scend And righ - teous fruits a - bound.
ev - 'ry heart To bring forth fruits of love.
hun - dred - fold The fruits of peace and joy.
truth re - ceive Its sav - ing pow'r may know.

Text: John Cawood, 1775–1852, alt.

Tune: The Whole Booke of Psalmes, 1562, London

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