

I Come with Joy

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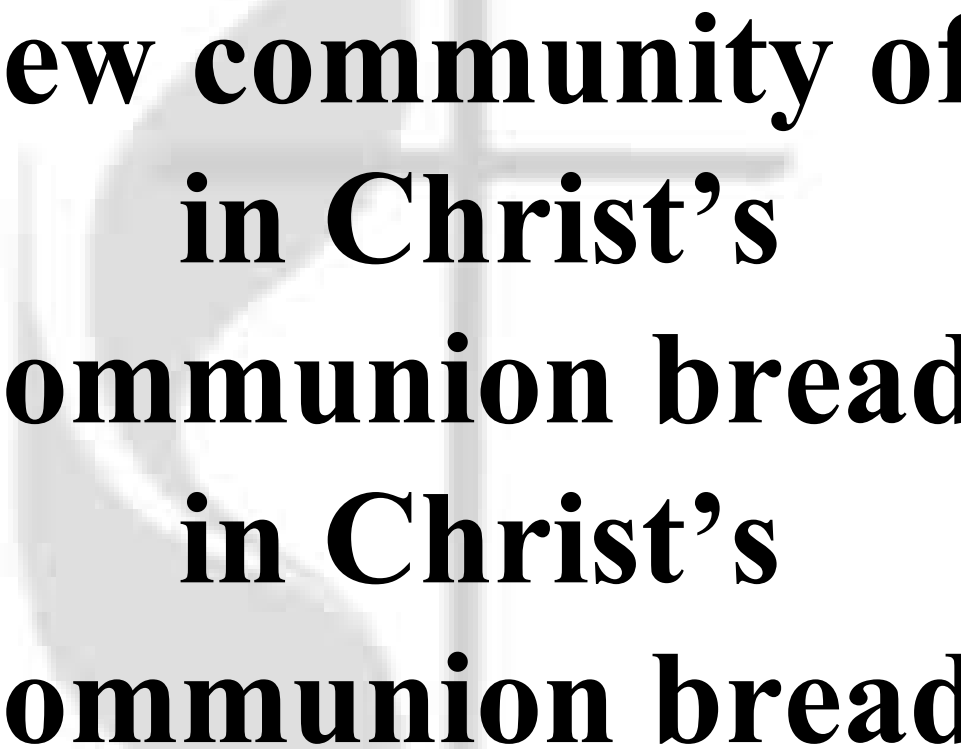
**1. I come with joy
to meet my Lord,
forgiven, loved and free,**



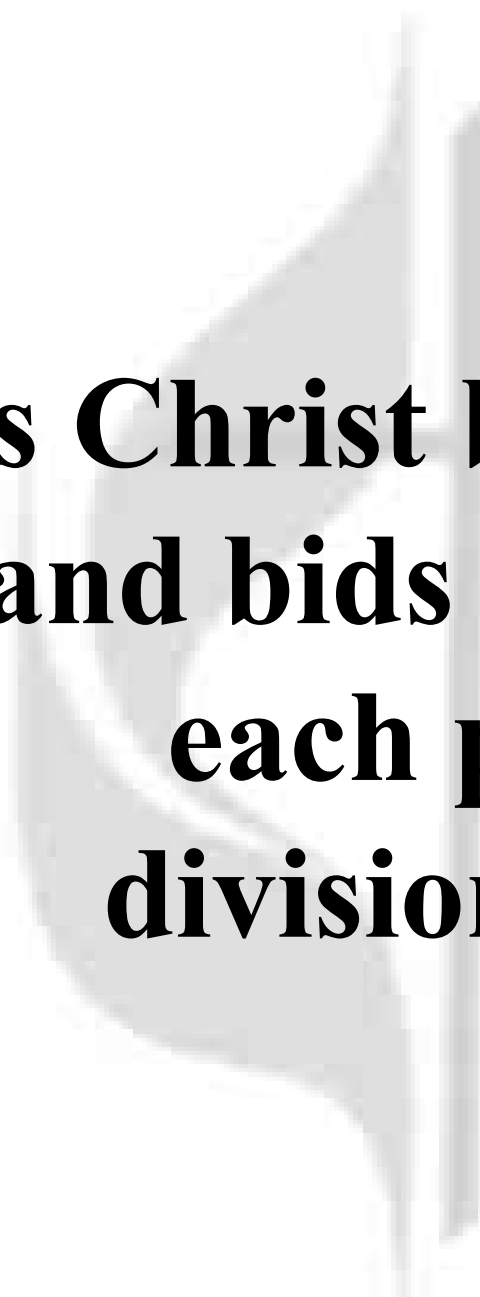
**in awe and wonder
to recall
his life laid down for me,
his life laid down for me.**



**2. I come with Christians
far and near
to find, as all are fed,**

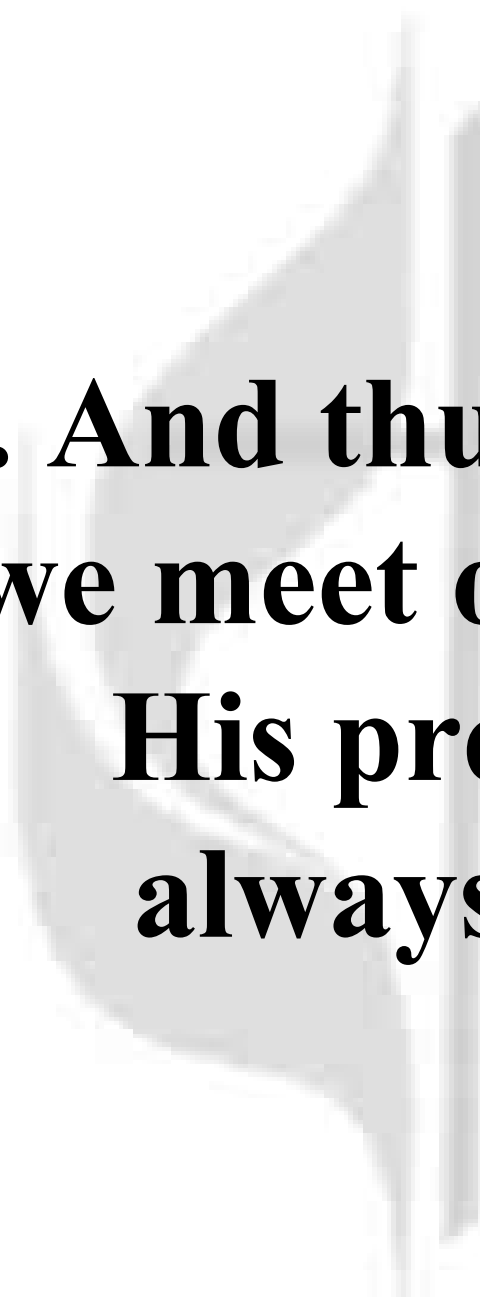


**the new community of love
in Christ's
communion bread,
in Christ's
communion bread.**




**3. As Christ breaks bread
and bids us share,
each proud
division ends.**

**The love that made us
makes us one,
and strangers now
are friends,
and strangers now
are friends.**




**4. And thus with joy
we meet our Lord.
His presence,
always near,**

**is in such friendship
better known;
we see and
praise him here,
we see and
praise him here.**



**5. Together met,
together bound,
we'll go our
different ways,**



**and as his people
in the world,
we'll live
and speak his praise,
we'll live
and speak his praise.**