

# 36. THE BLESSED SON OF GOD

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after MARTIN LUTHER

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**Andante sostenuto (♩ = 100)**

*p dolce*

SOPRANO



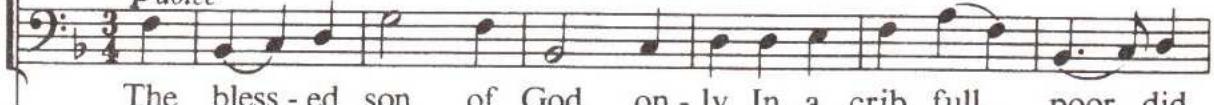
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TENOR

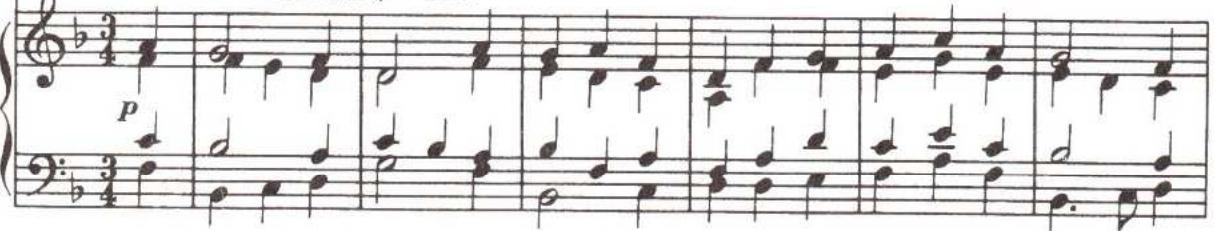


BASS



**Andante sostenuto (♩ = 100)**

(for practice only)



lie; With our poor flesh and our poor blood Was clothed that ev - er -

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Reprinted from the cantata *Hodie* (O.U.P.)

Musical score for the first section of "Ky - ri - e - lei". The score consists of four staves of music. The top three staves are in treble clef and the bottom staff is in bass clef. The key signature is one sharp (F#). The music is in common time. The lyrics are: "last - ing good. { Ky - ri - e - lei - - son. \_\_\_\_\_ Lord have mer - - cy. \_\_\_\_\_ The last - ing good. { Ky - ri - e - lei - - son. \_\_\_\_\_ Lord have mer - - cy. \_\_\_\_\_ The last - ing good. { Ky - ri - e - lei - - son. \_\_\_\_\_ Lord have mer - - cy. \_\_\_\_\_ The last - ing good. { Ky - ri - e - lei - - son. \_\_\_\_\_ Lord have mer - - cy. \_\_\_\_\_ The". The music features various note patterns, including eighth and sixteenth notes, and rests.

**[1]**

Musical score for the second section of "Lord Christ Je - su". The score consists of four staves of music. The top three staves are in treble clef and the bottom staff is in bass clef. The key signature is one sharp (F#). The music is in common time. The lyrics are: "Lord Christ Je - su, God's son\_ dear, Was a guest and a strang - er here; Lord Christ Je - su, God's son\_ dear, Was a guest and a strang - er here; Lord Christ Je - su, God's son\_ dear, Was a guest and a strang - er here; Lord Christ Je - su, God's son\_ dear, Was a guest and a strang - er here;". The music features eighth and sixteenth note patterns and rests.

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Musical score for the third section of "Lord Christ Je - su". The score consists of four staves of music. The top three staves are in treble clef and the bottom staff is in bass clef. The key signature is one sharp (F#). The music is in common time. The music features eighth and sixteenth note patterns and rests.

Us for to bring from mi - se - ry, That we might live e - ter - nal - ly.

Us for to bring from mi - se - ry, That we might live e - ter - nal - ly.

Us for to bring from mi - se - ry, That we might live e - ter - nal - ly.

Us for to bring from mi - se - ry, That we might live e - ter - nal - ly.

2 *pp*

Ky - ri - e - lei - son.  
Lord have mer - cy. All this did he

*pp*

Ky - ri - e - lei - son.  
Lord have mer - cy. All this did he

*pp*

Ky - ri - e - lei - son.  
Lord have mer - cy. All this did he

*p cantabile*

Ky - ri - e - lei - son.  
Lord have mer - cy. All this did he for

2 *pp*

*p cantabile*

for us free - ly, For to de - clare\_ his great mer - cy; All Christ - en -  
 for us free - ly, For to de - clare\_ his great mer - cy; All Christ - en -  
 for us free - ly, For to de - clare\_ his great mer - cy; All Christ - en -  
 us free - ly, For to de - clare his great mer - cy; All Christ - en -

-dom be mer - ry there - fore, And give him thanks for ev - er - more,  
 -dom be mer - ry there - fore, And give him thanks for ev - er - more,  
 -dom be mer - ry there - fore, And give him thanks for ev - er - more,  
 -dom be mer - ry there - fore, And give him thanks for ev - er - more,

**3** *p*

ev - - - er - more. Ky - ri - e - lei - - - son,  
Lord have mer - - - cy,

ev - er - more. Ky - ri - e - lei, e - lei - - - son,  
Lord have mer - - - cy, mer - - - cy

— Ky - ri - e - lei - - - son, e - lei - - - son,  
Lord have mer - - - cy, have mer - - - cy

Ky - ri - e - lei - - - son. Ky - ri - e - lei - - - son,  
Lord have mer - - - cy, Lord have mer - - - cy,

**3**

Ky - ri - e - lei - - - son.  
Lord have mer - - - cy.

Ky - ri - e - lei - - - son.  
Lord have mer - - - cy, mer - - - cy.

Ky - ri - e - lei - - - son.  
Lord have mer - - - cy, mer - - - cy.

Ky - ri - e - lei - - - son.  
Lord have mer - - - cy, mer - - - cy.

**3**