

O Blessed Spring

SATB and Keyboard,
with opt. Congregation

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Warmly (♩ = 72)

Soprano Alto

Tenor Bass

Keyboard

mf

(Ped.)

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poco rit.

a tempo

Unison *mf* (- Congr.)

O bless - sed

poco rit.

a tempo

Unison *mf*

O bless - sed

poco rit.

a tempo

Reproducible congregational part included on page 11.

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Tune: *O WALY WALY*, a trad. English melody (PD).

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spring, where Word and sign embrace us in - to Christ the—

spring, where Word and sign embrace us in - to Christ the—

10

Vine: here Christ en - joins each one to— be a branch of

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13

this life - giv - ing— Tree.

this life - giv - ing— Tree.

40

win - ter comes, as win - ters must, we breathe our last, we

win - ter comes, as — win - ters must, we breathe our last, we

43

breathe our last, re turn to dust; still held in Christ, —

breathe our last, re - turn — to dust; still held in Christ, —

47

our souls take wing and trust the promise

our souls take wing and trust the promise

50

f **Tempo I**

of the spring.

of the spring.

f **Tempo I**

54

64

y: Word and wa - ter join us to your

y: that Word and wa - ter thus re - vive and join us

67

rit. Tree of Life. *più rit.*

rit. to your Tree of Life. *più rit.*

rit. *più rit.*