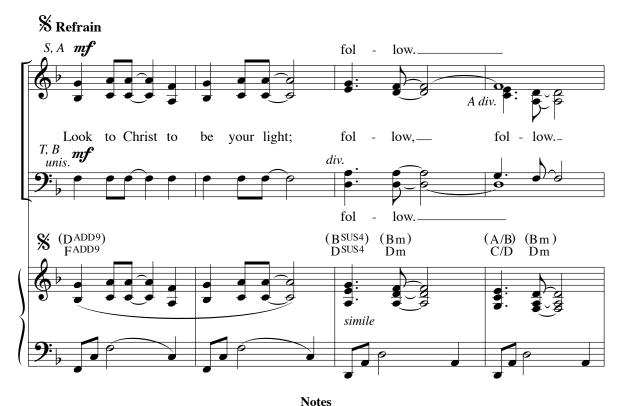
for Father Joseph Kempf

LOOK TO CHRIST

David Haas

Prayerfully and gently J = 72-76





The General Directory for Catechesis calls us to remember that all ministry and service is to help reveal the presence of Christ in our lives. Centering on the themes of conversion and of surrendering our lives to the way of Christ, and because of its Christological emphasis, "Look to Christ" is appropriate for liturgical and catechetical celebrations, particularly for the Rite of Confirmation, as well as during Lent and the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults. Verses 2-4 are thematically wedded to the rituals and the three scrutiny gospels that are part of the Cycle A readings in the Lectionary for the third, fourth, and fifth Sundays in Lent. Generally, this piece would be suitable for any celebration, catechetical session, or youth event that addresses the themes of service and of turning one's life over to Christ.

Musically, this piece is gentle, but it is very important that it not be taken too slowly so that it becomes sentimental. Make sure it keeps moving forward. The recording provides a good model in this regard.

—David Haas

A part for Cello can be found on page 6. A part for C Instrument can be found on page 7.



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