The Heavens Declare Your Glory

Tune: Johann S. Bach, 1685-1750; adapt. from "My Heart Ever Faithful," Cantata 68

1 The heavens declare your glory, the firmament your power;
2 The sun with royal splendor goes forth to chant your praise,
3 All heaven on high rejoice to do its Maker’s will;

Day unto day the story repeats from hour to hour,
and moon beams soft and tender their gentler anthem raise.
The stars with solemn voices resound your praises still.

Night unto night replying, proclaims in every land,
O’er every tribe and nation the music is poured,
So let my whole behavior, each thought, each deed I do,

O Lord, with voice undying, the wonders of your hand.
The song of all creation to you, creation’s Lord.
be, Lord, mystrength, my Savior, a ceaseless song to you.

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