

Invocation

Moderately slow

♩ = 85 - 95

Fa-ther of ev - ery age, Of

mp *subito p*

Detailed description: This system contains the first two staves of the musical score. The top staff is the vocal line, starting with a whole rest followed by a melodic phrase: "Fa-ther of ev - ery age, Of". The bottom staff is the piano accompaniment, beginning with a piano introduction marked *mp* and *subito p*. The key signature has three sharps (F#, C#, G#) and the time signature is 4/4.

8

ev-ery rol-ling sphere, Help us to write a death-less page Of truth, this dawn-ing year! Help us to humb-ly

Detailed description: This system contains staves 8 through 14. The vocal line continues with the lyrics: "ev-ery rol-ling sphere, Help us to write a death-less page Of truth, this dawn-ing year! Help us to humb-ly". The piano accompaniment provides harmonic support with chords and moving lines in both hands.

15

bow To Thy all wise be - hest - What-e'er the gift of joy or woe, Know-ing Thou know-est best.

Detailed description: This system contains staves 15 through 21. The vocal line continues with the lyrics: "bow To Thy all wise be - hest - What-e'er the gift of joy or woe, Know-ing Thou know-est best.". The piano accompaniment continues with a steady accompaniment.

22

Aid our poor soul to sing A - bove the temp-est's glee;

mf *subito p*

Detailed description: This system contains staves 22 through 28. The vocal line continues with the lyrics: "Aid our poor soul to sing A - bove the temp-est's glee;". The piano accompaniment features a dynamic shift from *mf* to *subito p* at the beginning of the system.