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God Is There

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Expressively ($\text{d} = 54$)

Piano { *mp legato* *Ped. harmonically throughout*

Violin { **2nd time only*

Unison legato

mp In a song that's lift - ed up - ward, in a prayer that's whis - pered
mf In a moth - er's strength and wis - dom, in a fa - ther's gen - tle

2nd time cresc. *to mf*

8

low, in this place of ho - ly wor - ship we can
 care, in our fam - 'lies, each one dif - f'rent, we dis -

*Violin part begins at m. 19. A Violin part is printed on pages 10-11.

**Stanza 1 may be sung as a choral Introit or Call to Worship, using the Introit Ending printed on page 9.

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cresc.

poco rit.

mf a tempo

cresc.

poco rit.

mf > > a tempo

feel cov - er God and sense God know: there. God is here! God is there!

cresc.

poco rit.

mf a tempo

here there in the peo - ple gath - ered near. In this In our homes, no mat - ter where. In our

1st time *mp*
2nd time continue *mf*

1st time dim. to *mp*
2nd time continue *mf*

Violin part begins

17

place fam - of ho - ly wor - ship fam - lies, each one dif - f'rent, God is here. God is here.

mp legato

1.

1.

1.

mp

20 *2. accel.* **(Solo or Duet)* Slightly faster ($\text{♩} = 56$)

there. God is in, a-round, be -

2. *accel.*

side us, be - hind us and be - fore, ev - er -

pres - ent when we gath - er to wor - ship and a -

dore. In our homes and in our fam - 'lies we

(Larger Group)

*Interpreting the text, an optional "choral crescendo" voicing may be used in mm. 21-40.
Beginning with a soloist or duet, additional voices are added as indicated until the full choir is sounding.
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(Full Choir)

know that God is there; and we be-come God's

35 Violin

pres - ence in our world and ev - 'ry - where.

cresc.

cresc.

38

Ev - 'ry - where!

In the

f

f

41

love we show our neigh - bors, in the friend - ship that we

share,
in a sim - ple act of kind - ness we re -

47

poco rit.

poco rit.

a tempo

veal that God is there.

God is there!

God is

poco rit.

a tempo