

Let Us Pray for Peace

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Prayerfully (♩ = c. 84)
Solo or section *mp*

The musical score is written for a solo or section in 4/4 time, marked *mp*. It consists of three systems of vocal and piano accompaniment. The key signature is one sharp (F#) and the time signature is 4/4. The tempo is indicated as approximately 84 beats per minute. The lyrics are: "Let us pray for peace, for the heal - ing of cre - a - tion. May God's truth and jus - tice mend ev - 'ry breach; may we learn to live as one. Let us". The first system covers measures 1-3, the second system covers measures 4-6, and the third system covers measures 7-9. The piano accompaniment features a steady harmonic support with chords and moving lines in both hands.

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A reproducible prayer refrain is printed on page 11 for personal and congregational use. Though the refrain is not intended to be used during the singing of this choral anthem, it is suitable any time the assembly is gathered for contemplative prayer.

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pray for love, for the grace to of - fer

13

mer - cy. May com - pas - sion guide our way in the world, may for -

16

give - ness heal di - vi - sion. May for - give - ness heal us

19 All unison *mf*

S A
all. We pray for peace, we

T B
mf

22

pray for un - der - stand - ing. Pray that ha - tred

25 , rit. a tempo *mp*

cease, and God's reign is known on earth. God's

rit. a tempo div. unis. *mp*

28 *p* *div.*

reign is known on earth. Hear our prayer for

p

31 *cresc. poco a poco*

peace. Hear our prayer for love. Hear our

div. *cresc. poco a poco*

cresc. poco a poco

34 *f*

voi - ces, Lord, this day, we pray.

f

f

37 *, mf*

Lord, we pray for peace, for the

mf

40

heal - ing of cre - a - tion. May your truth and jus - tice

mf

43

learn to live as one.

mend ev-'ry breach; may we learn to live as one. You_

mf