

Dedicated to the people of God at Mt. Tabor Lutheran Church,  
West Columbia, South Carolina, in celebration of 125 years of faithful ministry

## Full Score

# God Is Our Refuge and Strength

3, 4, 5, or 6 octaves

Handbells used: 37, (48), (57), (58)

optional

3 octaves

Optional Handchimes used: 18

Psalm 46, alt. ALP

3 octave choirs omit notes in ( ).

4 octave choirs omit notes in [ ].

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**With joy!** (♩ = c. 100-108)

Trumpet  
(in C)

Handbells

Piano

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This very flexible piece has several options:

Handbells alone (with or without optional flute and/or trumpet)

SATB choir and piano (with or without optional children's choir, flute, and/or trumpet)

Combined choir(s), handbells and piano, with optional flute and/or trumpet

A reproducible B♭ trumpet part is printed on pages 28-29.

A reproducible flute part is printed on pages 30-31.

A reproducible unison children's choir part is printed on page 32.

A Choral Score is available, code CGA1381.

A Handbell Score is available, code CGB846.

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4

Tpt.

*mf* *f*

Hb.

4 5 6 7

*mf* *f*

Sk R

S  
A

T  
B

*mf* *f*

8

Tpt.

8

Hb.

9

10

11

+Unison Children's Choir through m. 24  
*unis.*  
**f**

S  
A

God is our re - fuge and strength, our help in time of

*div.*

T  
B

God is our re - fuge and strength, our help in time of

*unis.*  
**f**

*div.*

LV R

Detailed description: This page of a musical score includes parts for Trumpet (Tpt.), Horns (Hb.), Soprano (S), Alto (A), Tenor (T), Bass (B), and piano accompaniment. The Tpt. part begins at measure 8. The Hb. part is split into two staves, with measures 8, 9, 10, and 11 marked. The vocal parts (S, A, T, B) enter at measure 9 with the lyrics 'God is our re - fuge and strength, our help in time of'. The vocal parts are marked with 'unis.' and 'f' for the first part, and 'div.' for the second part. The piano accompaniment is shown in grand staff notation at the bottom.

12

Tpt.

12 13 14

Hb.

S  
A

trou - ble. We will not fear though the moun - tains shake, - and the

T  
B

trou - ble. We will not fear though the moun - tains shake, - and the

The musical score consists of five staves. The top staff is for the Trumpet (Tpt.), which is mostly silent with rests. The second staff is for the Horns (Hb.), with two parts (treble and bass clef) and includes dynamic markings like 'R' and '7'. The third and fourth staves are for the vocalists (Soprano/Alto and Tenor/Bass), with lyrics: 'trou - ble. We will not fear though the moun - tains shake, - and the'. The bottom staff is for the piano accompaniment, with treble and bass clefs. Measure numbers 12, 13, and 14 are indicated at the top of the score.