

1005 Longing for light, we wait in darkness

Christ, be our light

Long-ing for light, we wait in dark-ness, Long-ing for truth

The first system of the hymn is written in treble and bass clefs with a key signature of one sharp (F#) and a 3/4 time signature. The melody is in the treble clef, and the bass line is in the bass clef. The lyrics are: "Long-ing for light, we wait in dark-ness, Long-ing for truth".

we turn to you. Make us your own, your ho - ly

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The second system continues the melody and bass line. The lyrics are: "we turn to you. Make us your own, your ho - ly" and "Make us your own, your ho - ly".

peo - ple, light for the world to see.

your ho - ly peo - ple, light for the world to see.

peo - ple, light for the world to see.

The third system continues the melody and bass line. The lyrics are: "peo - ple, light for the world to see.", "your ho - ly peo - ple, light for the world to see.", and "peo - ple, light for the world to see.".

refrain:
Christ be our light! shine in our hearts,

The refrain is written in treble and bass clefs with a key signature of one sharp (F#) and a 3/4 time signature. The lyrics are: "Christ be our light! shine in our hearts,".

Shine through the dark - ness. Christ, be our light!

Shine in your church gathered to - day.

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2 Longing for peace, our world is troubled.
 Longing for hope, many despair.
 Your word alone has power to save us.
 Make us your living voice.
 Refrain

3 Longing for food, many are hungry.
 Longing for water, many still thirst.
 Make us your bread, broken for others,
 shared until all are fed.
 Refrain

4 Longing for shelter, many are homeless.
 Longing for warmth, many are cold.
 Make us your building, sheltering others,
 walls made of living stone.
 Refrain

5 Many the gifts, many the people,
 many the hearts that yearn to belong.
 Let us be servants to one another,
 making your kingdom come.
 Refrain