

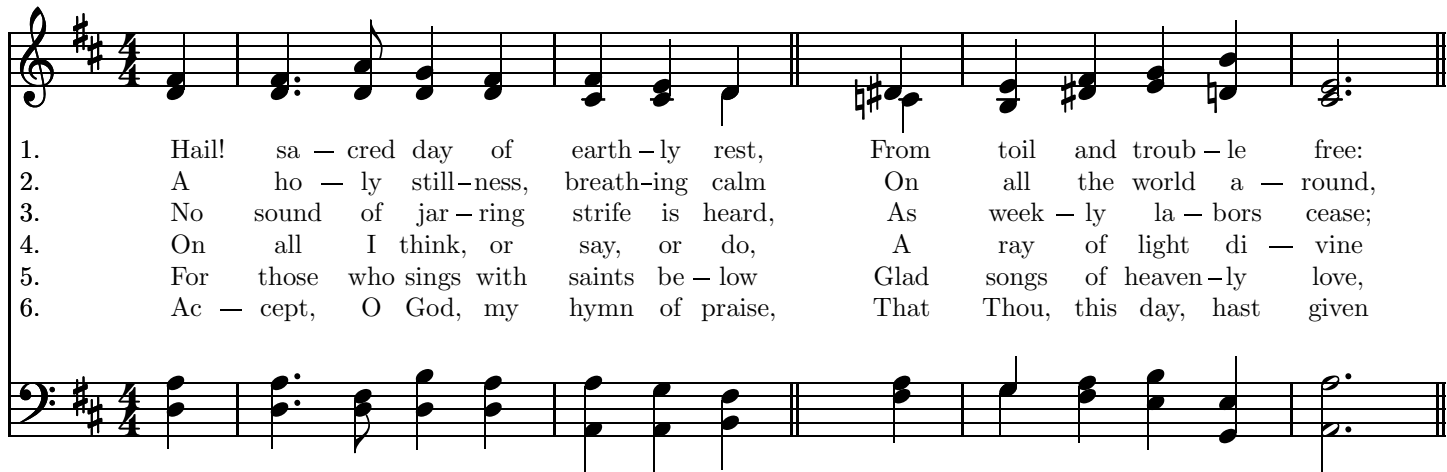
St. Peter of the Fields Parish

Hail! Sacred Day of Earthly Rest

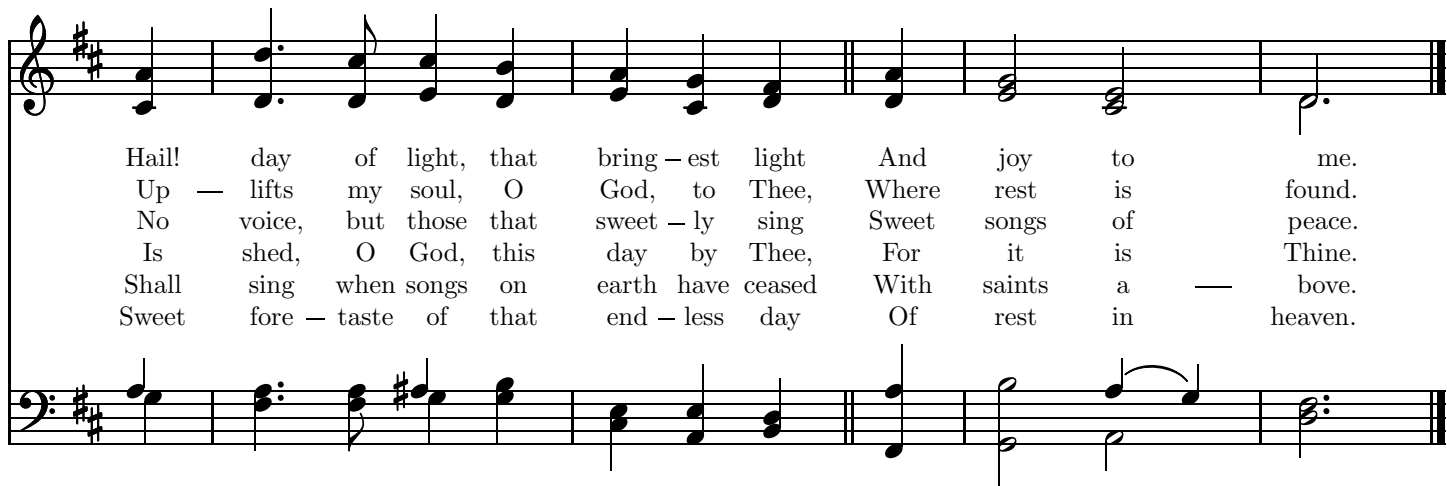
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Godfrey Thring, 1863

Edmund S. Carter, 1874



1. Hail! sa - cred day of earth - ly rest, From toil and troub - le free:
 2. A ho - ly still - ness, breath - ing calm On all the world a - round,
 3. No sound of jar - ring strife is heard, As week - ly la - bors cease;
 4. On all I think, or say, or do, A ray of light di - vine
 5. For those who sings with saints be - low Glad songs of heaven - ly love,
 6. Ac - cept, O God, my hymn of praise, That Thou, this day, hast given



Hail! day of light, that bring - est light And joy to me.
 Up - lifts my soul, O God, to Thee, Where rest is found.
 No voice, but those that sweet - ly sing Sweet songs of peace.
 Is shed, O God, this day by Thee, For it is Thine.
 Shall sing when songs on earth have ceased With saints a - bove.
 Sweet fore - taste of that end - less day Of rest in heaven.