

## **Music of Integrity for Small Choirs (SAB and smaller) AGO Boston 2014 –Andrew Scanlon, FAGO**

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### Anthem Repertoire list:

Callahan, Charles. *Revelation Canticle* (2 part) Egan Editions EC 328  
Callahan, Charles. *Prayer of St. Paul*. (SAB) MorningStar 50-8912  
Clarke, F.R.C. *Three Easy Anthems*. (SAB) Royal Canadian College RCCO-008  
Ferko, Frank. *Christus resurgens* (SAB, organ) E.C. Schirmer 7049  
How, Martin. *Bless, O Lord, us Thy servants* (Unison, organ RSCM/GIA)  
Mathews, Peter. *Bread of Heaven* (2 part) MorningStar 50-8340  
Matthews, Thomas. *The Day of Resurrection*. (Aeolian/FitzSimons F-6015)  
Near, Gerald. *Anima Christi* (SAB) Aureole Editions AE 33  
Near, Gerald. *Easter Antiphon: Let all the world* (Unison) Aureole AE73  
Neary, Martin, arr. *Make me a channel of your peace* (Unis/Descant) OCP 10762  
Pearson, Donald. *We glory in your cross* (SAB) Trinitas-OCP 4537  
Sitton, Michael. *The Lord is my shepherd*. (2 part) Paraclete PPMO 1148  
Vierne, Louis, arr. Callahan. *Let all mortal flesh* (SAB) MorningStar 50-0209

### Adaptations of Hymns (see also: chart on following page)

- A. Sixteen Hymns of Today for use as Simple Anthems (ed. Wilson—RSCM)
- B. 21 Hymns Old and New for use as Simple Anthems (RSCM)
- C. The Calvin Hampton Hymnary, Vol. I (GIA) and Vol. II (Wayne Leupold)
- D. A Liturgical Miscellany (St. James Music Press—Bruce Neswick)

### Useful choral collections, old and new

- A. Treble-voice collection are often useful. Nicely crafted Unison and two part pieces are easily adapted to mixed choirs. Consider these publications:
  - Anthems for Choirs, Vol. 2 (24 Anthems for SA, ed. Ledger—Oxford)
  - High Praise (Upper Voice Anthems, ed. Rose—Novello)
  - Merrily on High (Upper voice anthems Advent through Epiphany, ed. Rose—Novello)
- B. Easy anthem collections
  - The Oxford Easy Anthem Book (Fifty Anthems, Oxford)
  - The New Oxford Easy Anthem Book (a few duplications—Oxford)
  - The Oxford Book of Flexible Anthems (ed. Bullard, Oxford)
  - The Oxford Book of Flexible Carols (ed. Bullard, Oxford)
  - Twelve Easy Anthems (ed. Greening, RSCM)
  - More Easy Anthems (ed. Greening, RSCM)
  - Six Easy Anthems (SAB, ed. Greening, RSCM)

## Resources

- A. Royal School of Church Music (scores and resources available from GIA Publications) [www.rscm.com](http://www.rscm.com)
- B. St. James Music Press [www.sjmp.com](http://www.sjmp.com) (preview scores, print copies, audio available for many pieces, search by voicing and liturgical year)

## **Hymns in Current Hymnals & Hymnal Supplements Useful as Easy Anthems**

\*a non-exhaustive list!

<u>Hymnal</u>	<u>No.</u>	<u>Title (Tune-composer)</u>
The Hymnal 1982	582	O holy city seen of John (Sancta civitas-Howells)
	402	Let all the world (Augustine-Routley)
	328	Draw nigh and take (Song 46-Gibbons)
	469	There's a wideness (St. Helena-Hampton)
	442	In the cross of Christ (Tomter-Bruce Neswick)
Wonder, Love & Praise	735	O Sacred Head (Redding-David Hurd)
	781	Now let us rise and hymn the grace (Owen)
New English Hymnal	141	Holy Spirit, ever dwelling (Salisbury-Howells)
New Century Hymnal	169	What ruler wades through murky streams (Hurd)
	176	Silence! Frenzied, unclean spirit (Authority-Doran)
	271	Wind that makes all winds that blow (Falcone-Doran)
	461	Let us hope when hope seems (Let us hope-Diemer)
Evangelical Lutheran Worship	261	As the dark awaits the dawn (Lucent-Schalk)
	652	O Praise the gracious power (Christpraise ray-Doran)
With one Voice	797	O God beyond all praising (Thaxted-Holst)
	636	Before the marvel of this night (Marvel-Schalk)
	664	A New commandment (New commandment-Anon.)
	758	Come to us, creative spirit (Castlewood-Proulx)
Sing the Faith & The Faith We Sing	2089	Wild and lone the prophet's voice (LaGrange-White)
	2220	We are God's people (Symphony-Brahms)

The vast majority of works discussed today are available from **Lois Fyfe Music**, Nashville, TN. You can visit their booth in the Exhibits Hall, where scores can be purchased. [www.loisfyfemusic.com](http://www.loisfyfemusic.com) 615-386-3542 or 800-851-9023

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