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*St Andrew's Service*

Magnificat and Nunc dimittis in B flat  
for mixed voices and organ

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# St Andrew's Service

## Magnificat and Nunc dimittis in B flat

Words: The Book of Common Prayer

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### Magnificat

**Affettuoso** ♩ = c. 88

*p*

SOPRANO  
My soul doth mag-ni-fy the Lord:

ALTO  
My soul doth mag-ni-fy the Lord:

**Affettuoso** ♩ = c. 88

*p*

ORGAN

Ped.

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and my spi - rit hath re - joiced in God my Sa - viour. For he hath re -

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*p*

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-gard - ed the low - li - ness of his hand - - - maid - en.

-gard - ed the low - li - ness of his hand - - - maid - en.

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T. *p* For be - hold, from hence - forth all ge - ne -

B. *p* For be - hold, from hence - forth all ge - ne -

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-ra - tions shall call me bless - ed.

-ra - tions shall call me bless - ed.

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S. *mp cresc.* *f* *p sub.*  
 For he that is might - ty hath mag - ni - fied me: and ho - ly,

A. *mp cresc.* *f* *p sub.*  
 For he that is might - ty hath mag - ni - fied me: and ho - ly,

T. *mp* *f* *p sub.*  
 For he that is might - ty hath mag - ni - fied me: and ho - ly,

B. *mp cresc.* *f* *p sub.*  
 For he that is might - ty hath mag - ni - fied me: and ho - ly,

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ho - ly, ho - ly is his Name.

ho - ly, ho - ly is his Name. *mp* And his

ho - ly, ho - ly is his Name. *mp* And his

ho - ly, ho - ly is his Name. *mp* And his

44

mer - cy is on them... that fear him through-out all ge - ne - ra-tions.  
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*mp* *mf*  
*mp*

50

*mf* *più f* *f*  
*mf* *più f* *f*

54

*f marcato*

He hath shewed strength with his arm:

he hath scat-tered the

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*ff*

proud in the i - ma - gi - na - tion of their hearts.

*ff*

proud in the i - ma - gi - na - tion of their hearts.

*ff*

proud in the i - ma - gi - na - tion of their hearts.

*ff*

proud in the i - ma - gi - na - tion of their hearts.

*ff*

*ff*

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He hath put down the might - ty from their seat, and hath ex - alt - - ed the

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He hath put down the might - ty from their seat, and hath ex - alt - - ed the

He hath put down the might - ty from their seat, and hath ex - alt - - ed the

67

hum - ble and meek. He hath filled the hun - gry with good things: and the

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hum - ble and meek. He hath filled the hun - gry with good things: and the

*mf*

*f* *mf*

ritard. pochiss. a tempo

73 *f* *mf* *mp* *p*

rich, the rich he hath sent emp - ty a - way.

*f* *mf* *mp* *p*

rich, the rich he hath sent emp - ty a - way.

*f* *mf* *mp* *p*

rich, the rich he hath sent emp - ty a - way.

*f* *mf* *mp* *p*

rich, the rich he hath sent emp - ty a - way.

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ritard. pochiss. a tempo

*f* *mf* *p*

*p*

*p*

He re - mem - b'ring his mer - cy hath hol-pen his

*p*

He re - mem - b'ring, re - mem - b'ring his mer - cy hath hol -

*p*

He re - mem - b'ring, re - mem - b'ring his mer - cy hath hol -

*p*

He re - mem - b'ring hath hol -



88

*cresc.*  
 ser-vant Is - ra-el, as he pro - mised to our fore - fa - thers,  
 -pen Is - ra - el, as he pro - mised to our fore - - fa - thers,  
 -pen his ser - vant, as he pro - mised to our fore - - fa - thers,  
 -pen Is - ra - el, as he pro - mised to our fore - - fa - thers,  
*cresc.*  
*cresc.*  
*cresc.*

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*f.* *dim.* **ritard.** *mp*  
 A - bra-ham, A - bra - ham and his seed for ev - er.  
*f.* *dim.* *mp*  
 A - bra - ham, A - bra - ham and his seed for ev - er.  
*f.* *dim.* *mp*  
 A - bra - ham, A - bra - ham and his seed for ev - er.  
*f.* *dim.* *mp*  
 A - bra - ham, A - bra - ham and his seed for ev - er.  
**ritard.**  
*f.* *dim.* *mp*  
*f.* *dim.* *mp*

103 **Maestoso, poco meno mosso** ♩ = c. 78

*f*

Glo - ry be to the Fa-ther,

*f*

Glo - ry be to the Fa-ther,

*f*

Glo - ry be to the Fa-ther,

*f*

Glo - ry be to the Fa-ther,

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**Maestoso, poco meno mosso** ♩ = c. 78

*f*

*f*

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and to the Son, \_\_\_\_\_ and to the Ho - ly Ghost;

and to the Son, \_\_\_\_\_ and to the Ho - ly Ghost;

and to the Son, \_\_\_\_\_ and to the Ho - ly Ghost;

and to the Son, \_\_\_\_\_ and to the Ho - ly Ghost;

*p*

*p*

113 *mp* *cresc.* *f*

As it was in the be - gin - ning, is now, and ev - er shall be:

*mp* *cresc.* *f*

As it was in the be - gin - ning, is now, and ev - er shall be:

*mp* *cresc.* *f*

As it was in the be - gin - ning, is now, and ev - er shall be:

*mp* *cresc.* *f*

As it was in the be - gin - ning, is now, and ev - er shall be:

*mp* *f*

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118 *più f* *cresc.* *ff*

world with-out end. A - - men, A - men.

*più f* *cresc.* *ff*

world with-out end. A - - men, A - men.

*più f* *cresc.* *ff*

world with-out end. A - - men, A - men.

*più f* *cresc.* *ff*

world with-out end. A - - men, A - men.

*allargando*

*f* *cresc.* *ff*

# Nunc dimittis

**Andante tranquillo** ♩ = c. 60 *p*

S. Lord, now let-test thou thy ser-vant de-

A. Lord, now let-test thou thy ser-vant de-

T. Lord, now let-test thou thy ser-vant de-

B. Lord, now let-test now thy ser-vant de-

**Andante tranquillo** ♩ = c. 60 *p*

Solo Fl. (or quiet reed)

Org.

Ped.

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- part in peace: ac-cord-ing to thy word.

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- part in peace: ac-cord-ing to thy word.

- part in peace: ac-cord-ing to thy word.

6

9

*mp*

For mine eyes have seen thy sal - va - tion; Which thou hast pre - pared be - fore the

*mp*

For mine eyes have seen thy sal - va - tion; Which thou hast pre - pared be - fore the

*mp*

For mine eyes have seen thy sal - va - tion; Which thou hast pre - pared be - fore the

*mp*

For mine eyes have seen thy sal - va - tion; Which thou hast pre - pared be - fore the

*cresc.*

*mp*

*cresc.*

*mp*

13

*mf*

face of all peo - ple; To be a light to light - en the

*mf*

face of all peo - ple; To be a light to light - en the

*mf*

face of all peo - ple; To be a light to light - en the

*mf*

face of all peo - ple; To be a light to light - en the

*mf*

6

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*f* *ff*

Gen - tiles: and to be the glo - ry, — the glo - - - ry\_ of thy\_

*f* *ff*

Gen - tiles: and to be the glo - ry, — the glo - - - ry\_ of thy\_

*f* *ff*

Gen - tiles: and to be the glo - ry, — the glo - - - ry\_ of thy\_

*f* *ff*

Gen - tiles: and to be the glo - ry, — the glo - - - ry\_ of thy\_

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*f* *mp* *poco ritard.*

peo - ple, — to be the glo - ry of thy peo - ple Is - ra - el.

*f* *mp*

peo - ple, — to be the glo - ry of thy peo - ple Is - ra - el.

*f* *mp*

peo - ple, — to be the glo - ry of thy peo - ple Is - ra - el.

*f* *mp*

peo - ple, — to be the glo - ry of thy peo - ple Is - ra - el.

*f* *mf* *mp* *poco ritard.*

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23 **Più animato, maestoso** ♩ = c. 78

*f*  
Glo - ry be to the Fa-ther,  
*f*  
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*f*  
Glo - ry be to the Fa-ther,  
*f*  
Glo - ry be to the Fa-ther,

**Più animato, maestoso** ♩ = c. 78

*f*  
*f*

28

and to the Son, \_\_\_\_\_ and to the Ho - ly Ghost;  
and to the Son, \_\_\_\_\_ and to the Ho - ly Ghost;  
and to the Son, \_\_\_\_\_ and to the Ho - ly Ghost;  
and to the Son, \_\_\_\_\_ and to the Ho - ly Ghost;

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*p*  
*p*  
*p*

33 *mp* *cresc.* *f*

As it was in the be - gin - ning, is now, and ev - er shall be:

*mp* *cresc.* *f*

As it was in the be - gin - ning, is now, and ev - er shall be:

*mp* *cresc.* *f*

As it was in the be - gin - ning, is now, and ev - er shall be:

*mp* *cresc.* *f*

As it was in the be - gin - ning, is now, and ev - er shall be:

*mp* *f*

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38 *più f* *cresc.* *ff*

world with-out end. A - - men, A - men.

*più f* *cresc.* *ff*

world with-out end. A - - men, A - men.

*più f* *cresc.* *ff*

world with-out end. A - - men, A - men.

*più f* *cresc.* *ff*

world with-out end. A - - men, A - men.

*allargando* *cresc.* *ff*

*f* *cresc.* *ff*