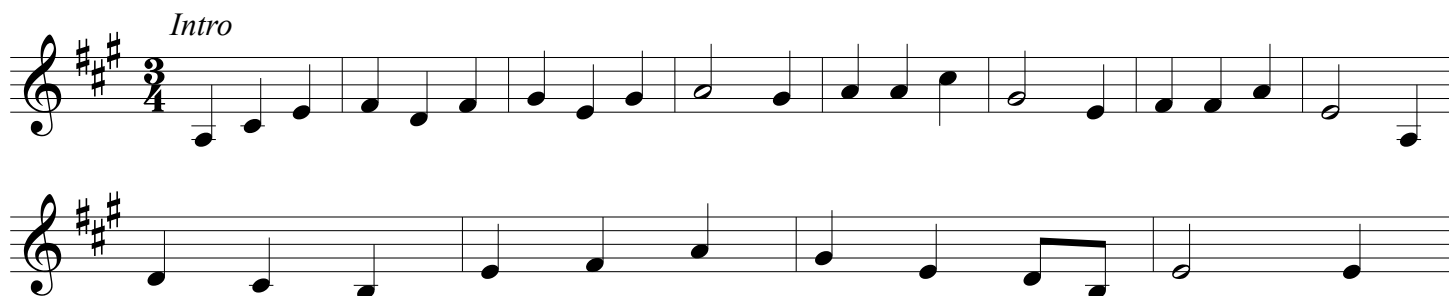


LORD, RENEW THE WORLD


Hymn for the XXIII SCJ General Chapter

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Intro




Verses




Je - sus, Lord, by your re - sur - rec - tion come and re - new the world.
Je - sus, Lord, You are call - ing us now to be as one with the poor.
Spi - rit, come be our guide and our strenght in - flame our minds and our hearts.




Give our con - gre - gra - tion wis - dom and your light to
To be their friends com - pan - ions, and their help while
May we as com - mun - i - ty, make off our lives a



clear - ly see the strug - gles of the world to - day.
fa - cing their fears and strug - gles as they walk through life.
liv - ing ob - la - tion of - fered for those in need.



Far too man - y peo - ple have died be - cause of ne - glect.
You can be found in the midst of the poor and one with their needs.
Je - sus, Lord, re - new the world, trans - form our minds and hearts.



And man - y have no shel - ter and no mo - ney,
And you wil in - quire of us that fi - nal day if
As one may we work to heal the bro - ken world and

lack-ing the means to an - swer their ba - sic__ needs.
we__ have served the poor__ as if they were You.
has - ten the day to wit - ness the__ Reign of__ God.

Lord, use us as__ Your hands to serve__ the poor.

Chorus

May we share all that God has__ gi - ven us;

in God we are rich e - nough; in God ev - 'ry-thing is ours; for

God's love is with-out end. May our o - bla-tion serve to make

whole the hu - ma - i - ty of Christ.