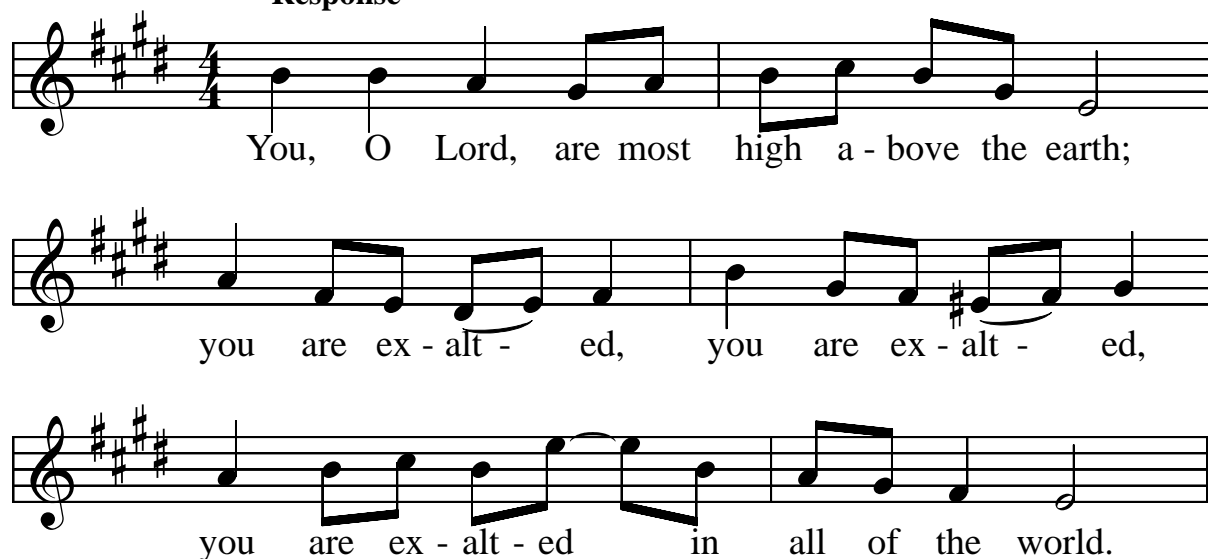


Response



You, O Lord, are most high a - bove the earth;
you are ex - alt - ed, you are ex - alt - ed,
you are ex - alt - ed in all of the world.

1 God is King! Let all the earth rejoice:
praise him islands of the sea.

Dark the clouds surrounding his throne,
fierce the fire consuming his foes;
mountains melt like wax
before the very face of the Lord.

2 All the heavens proclaim his righteousness,
all the nations see his might.

They are ashamed, all those who serve idols:
they are ashamed, who glory in naught.
But we rejoice with gladness,
we shall sing and dance to the Lord.

3 God loves those who turn away from sin,
hating the evil they have done.

Light shall dawn on those who are righteous,
joy prepare the path of the godly;
let his people sing and
let their praises ring to the Lord.

4 Praise to God, creator of the earth,
him from whom all good things come.

Praise to Christ, redeemer of all,
raised from death, Jesus is Lord.
Praise the Holy Spirit,
fount of life and liberty.