Psalm 93:5, 2, 1, 3–4

1 Your decrees are very * trust-worth-y;* holiness befits Your house, O LORD, forever more.
2 Your throne is established * from of old;* You are from everlasting last ing.
3 The LORD reigns; He is robed in majesty;* the LORD is robed; He has put on strength as His belt.
4 Yes, the world is established;* it shall never be moved.
5 The floods have lifted up, O LORD, the floods have lifted up their voice;* the floods lift up their roaring.
6 Mightier than the thunders of many waters, mightier than the waves of the sea,* the LORD on high is mighty.

7 Glory be to the Father and to the Son* and to the Holy Spirit;* as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen.
8 Your decrees are very * trust-worth-y;* holiness befits Your house, O LORD, forever more.
9 Your throne is established * from of old;* You are from everlasting last ing.

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Psalm 89:1–8

1 I will sing of the steadfast love of the LORD, for- |    | ev- |    | er;* with my mouth I will make known Your faithfulness to all gener- |    | a- |    | tions.
2 For I said, “Steadfast love will be built up for- |    | ev- |    | er;* in the heavens You will establish your faith- |    | ful- |    | ness.

REFRAIN

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Psalm 89:1–8

3 You have said, “I have made a covenant with My servant;
4 I will establish Your offspring forever, and build Your throne for all generations.”

REFRAIN

5 Let the heavens praise Your wonders, O LORD,* Your faithfulness in the assembly of the holy ones!
6 For who in the skies can be compared to the LORD?* Who among the heavenly beings is like the LORD,
7 a God greatly to be feared in the council of the holy ones,* and awesome above all who are around Him?

REFRAIN

8 O LORD God of hosts, who is mighty as You are,* O LORD,* with Your faithfulness all around You?
9 Glory be to the Father and Son* and to the Holy Spirit,* and to the Holy Spirit; and to the Holy Spirit, is now, will be forever. Amen.

REFRAIN

This accompaniment may be played by handbells for the REFRAIN.
Psalm 89:1–8

REFRAIN  Sung by choir first, then repeated by congregation.

O LORD God of hosts, who is mighty as You are, O

LORD, with Your faithfulness all around You? O

I will sing of the steadfast love of the LORD, forever; with my mouth I will make known Your faithfulness to all generations. For I said, “Steadfast love will be built up forever; in the heavens You will establish your faithfulness.

REFRAIN

You have said, “I have made a covenant with My chosen one; I have sworn to David My servant: ‘I will establish Your offspring forever, and build Your throne for all generations.’ ”

REFRAIN

Let the heavens praise Your wonders, O LORD, Your faithfulness in the assembly of the holy ones! For who in the skies can be compared to the LORD? Who among the heavenly beings is like the LORD, a God greatly to be feared in the council of the holy ones, and awesome above all who are around Him?

REFRAIN

O LORD God of hosts, who is mighty as You are, O LORD, with Your faithfulness all around You? Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit; as it was in the beginning, is now, will be forever. Amen.

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Psalm 45:2a, 1b

1 You are the most handsome of the sons of men; grace is poured upon Your lips.
2 I address my verses to the King; my tongue is like the pen of a ready scribe.

Mark Steffens
Verse
First Sunday after Christmas
One Year Series

Psalm 93:1

Al-le- lu- ia! Al-le- lu- ia! Al-le- lu- ia!

The LORD reigns; He is robed in majesty;

the LORD is robed; He has put on strength as His belt.

Al-le- lu- ia! Al-le- lu- ia! Al-le- lu- ia!

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3 With in an earth-born form He hides His
5 He is a servant, I a lord: How
all-creating light; To serve us all He
great a mystery! How strong the tender
humbly cloaks The splendor of His
Christ Child's love! No truer friend than
might, The splendor or His might.
He, No truer friend than He.