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ADVENT SERVICE OF LESSONS AND CAROLS
WEDNESDAY DECEMBER 12 AT 12 NOON

First Lesson - The prophet proclaims the good news to a people in exile.

Hymn - "Comfort, Comfort Ye My People" (choir)

Tune Psalm 42 from
Genevan Psalter
Psalter (1551)

Second Lesson - The Lord promises to send his people a righteous King.

HYMN - "Lo, How a Rose E'er Blooming" (choir)

Op. 10 by Hugo Distler
(1908-1942)

Third Lesson - The Lord promises that the king will come to Israel in peace.

HYMN 718 - "Lo, He Comes."

Fourth Lesson - The Lord promises Israel more splendor than ever before.

HYMN 213 - "Lift up your heads"

Fifth Lesson - The prophet foretells the advent of the Desire of all nations.

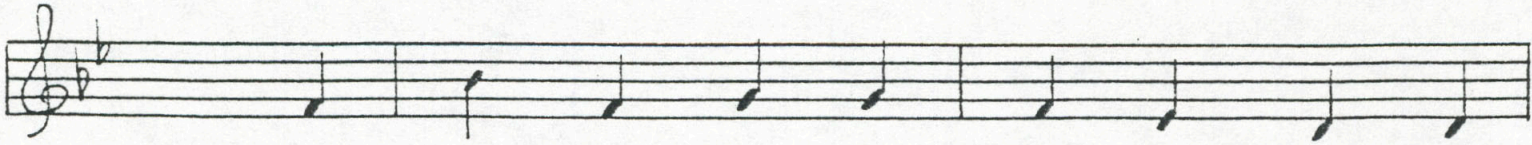
HYMN - "People Look East" (choir)

French carol tune
Besancon (1875 - 1958)

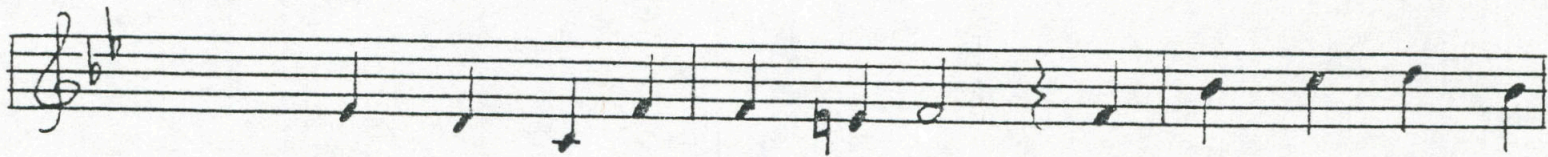
Sixth Lesson - The angel Gabriel salutes the blessed Virgin Mary.

HYMN 200 - "Tell out, my soul"

Seventh Lesson - Jesus proclaims the coming of the kingdom of God.



1 On Jor - dan's bank the Bap - tist's cry an -
2 Then cleansed be ev' - ry breast from sin; make
3 For thou art our sal - va - tion, Lord, our
4 To heal the sick stretch out thine hand, and
5 All praise, e - ter - nal Son, to thee, whose



noun - ces that the Lord is nigh; a - wake and heark - en,
straight the way for God with - in, and let each heart pre -
ref - uge, and our great re - ward, with - out thy grace we
bid the fall - en sin - ner stand; shine forth, and let thy
ad - vent doth thy peo - ple free; whom with the Fa - ther



for he brings glad tid - ings of the King of kings.
pare a home where such a might - y guest may come
waste a - way like flow'rs that with - er and de - cay.
light re - store earth's own true love - li - ness once more.
we a - dore and Ho - ly Spi - rit ev - er - more

Words: Charles Coffin (1676-1749); tr Charles Winfred Douglas (1867-1944),
after John Chandler (1806-1876); alt.

Music: Winchester New, melody from Musicalisches Hand-Buch, 1690;
harm. William Henry Monk (1823-1889), alt.