

# From All Thy Saints in Warfare

(also known as By All Your Saints in Warfare)

COMMUNION OF SAINTS

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Music: 'Kings Lynn' Traditional English. Setting: "The English Hymnal", 1906.  
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$\text{♩} = 100$

The musical score is written for a four-part choir (Soprano, Alto, Tenor, Bass) in 4/4 time, with a tempo of 100 beats per minute. The key signature has one flat (B-flat). The score is divided into four systems, each with a vocal line and a piano accompaniment line. The lyrics are written below the vocal line. The first system includes a list of verse options (1, 2-18, 19, 20) and the beginning of the first verse. The second system continues the first verse. The third system continues the first verse. The fourth system continues the first verse and includes the second verse. The score ends with a double bar line.

1. From all Thy saints in war - - fare, for all Thy saints at rest  
2-18. Insert appropriate verse  
19. Ap - - ost - - les, pro - phets, mar - - tyr's, and all the sac - red throng,  
20. Δ Then praise we God the Fa - - ther, and praise we God the Son,

To Thee O bless - ed Je - - sus, all prais - es be ad - dressed.  
Who wear the spot - less raim - - ent, who raise the cease - less song;  
And God the Ho - - ly Spir - - it, e - - ter - nal Three in One;

Thou, Lord didst win the bat - - tle that they might con - querors be;  
For these, passed on be - - fore us, Sa - vior, we Thee a - - dore,  
Till all the ran - somed num - - ber fall down be - fore the throne,

Their crowns of liv - ing glo - - - ry are lit with rays from Thee.  
And, walk - ing in their foot - - - steps, would serve Thee more and more.  
And hon - or, pow'r, and glo - - - ry a - - scribe to God a - - lone.

**St. Andrew the Apostle [Nov 30]**

2. Praise, Lord, for Thine apostle,  
The first to welcome Thee,  
The first to lead his brother  
The very Christ to see.  
With hearts for Thee made ready,  
Watch we throughout the year,  
Forward to lead our brethren  
To own Thine advent near.

**St. Thomas the Apostle (Didymus) [Dec 21]**

3. All praise for Thine apostle,  
Whose short-lived doubtings prove  
Thy perfect twofold nature,  
The fullness of Thy love.  
On all who wait Thy coming  
Shed forth Thy peace, O Lord,  
And grant us faith to know Thee,  
True man, true God, adored.

**St. Stephen the Martyr [Dec 26]**

4. Praise for the first of martyrs,  
Who saw Thee ready stand  
To aid in midst of torments,  
To plead at God's right hand.  
Share we with him, if summoned  
By death our Lord to own,  
On earth the faithful witness,  
In heaven the martyr's crown.

**St. John the Apostle and Evangelist [Dec 27]**

5. Praise for the loved disciple,  
Exile on Patmos' shore;  
Praise for the faithful record  
He to Thy Godhead bore,  
Praise for the mystic vision  
Through him to us revealed.  
May we, in patience waiting,  
With Thine elect be sealed.

**The Holy Innocents [Dec 28]**

6. Praise for Thine infant martyrs,  
By Thee with tenderest love  
Called early from the warfare  
To share the rest above.  
O Rachel! cease thy weeping:  
They rest from pains and cares.  
Lord, grant us hearts as guileless  
And crowns as bright as theirs.

**Conversion of St. Paul the Apostle [Jan 25] St. (Simon) Peter the Apostle [Jun 29]**

7. Praise for the light from Heaven,  
Praise for the voice of awe,  
Praise for the glorious vision  
The persecutor saw.  
Thee, Lord, for his conversion,  
We glorify today;  
So lighten all our darkness  
With Thy true Spirit's ray.

**St. Matthias the Apostle [Feb 24]**

8. Lord, Thine abiding presence  
Directs the wondrous choice  
For one in place of Judas  
The faithful now rejoice.  
Thy Church from false apostles  
Forevermore defend,  
And by Thy parting promise  
Be with her to the end.

**St. Mark the Evangelist [April 25]**

9. For him, O Lord, we praise Thee,  
The weak by grace made strong,  
Whose labors and whose Gospel  
Enrich our triumph song.  
May we in all our weakness  
Find strength from Thee supplied,  
And all, as fruitful branches,  
In Thee, the Vine, abide.

**St. Philip and St. James (the Younger, son of Alphaeus) the Apostles [May 1]**

10. All praise for Thine apostle,  
Blest guide to Greek and Jew,  
And him surnamed Thy brother  
Keep us Thy brethren true,  
And grant us grace to know Thee,  
The Way, the Truth, the Life;  
To wrestle with temptations  
Till victors in the strife.

**St. Barnabas the Son of Encouragement [June 11]**

11. The Son of Consolation,  
Moved by Thy law of love,  
Forsaking earthly treasures,  
Sought riches from above.  
As earth now teems with increase,  
Let gifts of grace descend,  
That Thy true consolations  
May through the world extend.

**Nativity of St. John the Baptist [Jun 24]**

12. We praise Thee for the Baptist,  
Forerunner of the Word,  
Our true Elias, making  
A highway for the Lord.  
Of prophets last and greatest,  
We saw Thy dawning ray:  
Make us the rather blessed  
Who love Thy glorious day.

**St. James the Elder (son of Zebedee, son of Thunder, brother of John) the Apostle [July 25]**

14. For him, O Lord, we praise Thee,  
Who, slain by Herod's sword  
Drank of Thy cup of suffering,  
Fulfilling thus Thy word.  
Curb we all vain impatience  
To read Thy veiled decree,  
And count it joy to suffer,  
If so brought nearer Thee.

**St. Bartholomew (Nathanael) the Apostle [Aug 24]**

15. All praise for Thine apostle,  
The faithful, pure, and true,  
Whom underneath the fig tree  
Thine eye all seeing knew.  
Like him may we be guileless,  
True Israelites indeed,  
That Thy abiding presence  
Our longing souls may feed.

**St. Matthew (Levi) the Apostle and Evangelist [Sep 21]**

16. Praise, Lord, for Him whose Gospel  
Thy human life declared,  
Who, worldly gains forsaking,  
Thy path of suffering shared.  
From all unrighteous Mammon  
O give us hearts set free,  
That we, whate'er our calling,  
May rise and follow Thee.

**St. Luke the Evangelist [Oct 18]**

17. For that "beloved physician,"  
All praise, whose Gospel shows  
The healer of the nations,  
The sharer of our woes.  
Thy wine and oil, O Savior,  
And bruised hearts deign to pour,  
And with true balm of Gilead  
Anoint us evermore.

**St. Simon (the Canaanite, the Zealot) and St. Jude (Thaddeus, Judas not Iscariot) the Apostles [Oct 28]**

18. Praise, Lord, for Thine apostles,  
Who sealed their faith today:  
One love, one zeal impelled them  
To tread the sacred way.  
May we with zeal as earnest  
The faith of Christ maintain,  
And, bound in love as brethren,  
At length Thy rest attain.