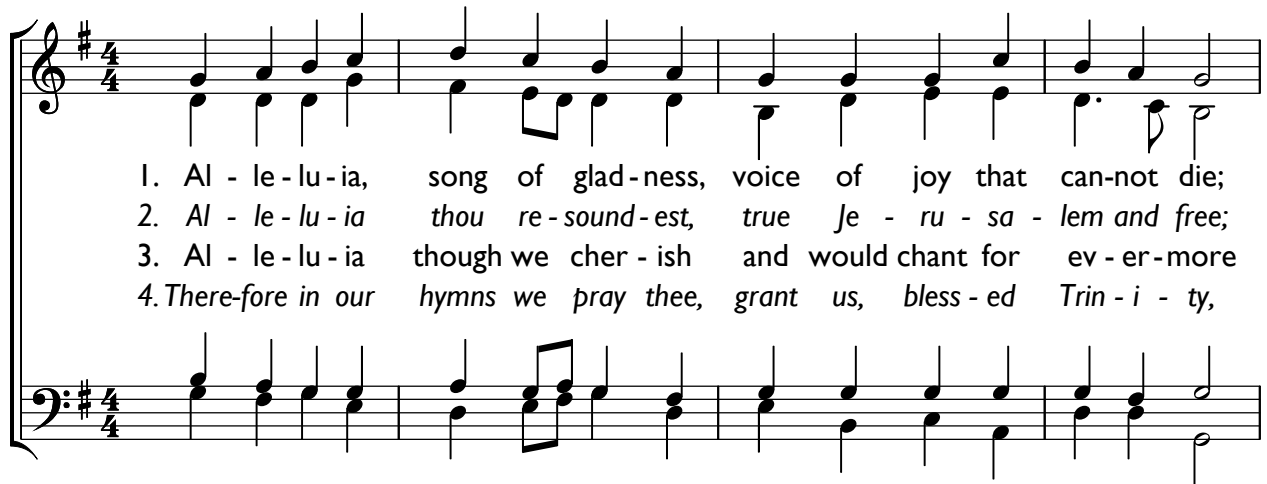


Alleluia, song of gladness

Hymnal 1982 no. 122, Melody: Dulce carmen

11th-century Latin,
tr. J. M. Neale (1818-1866)

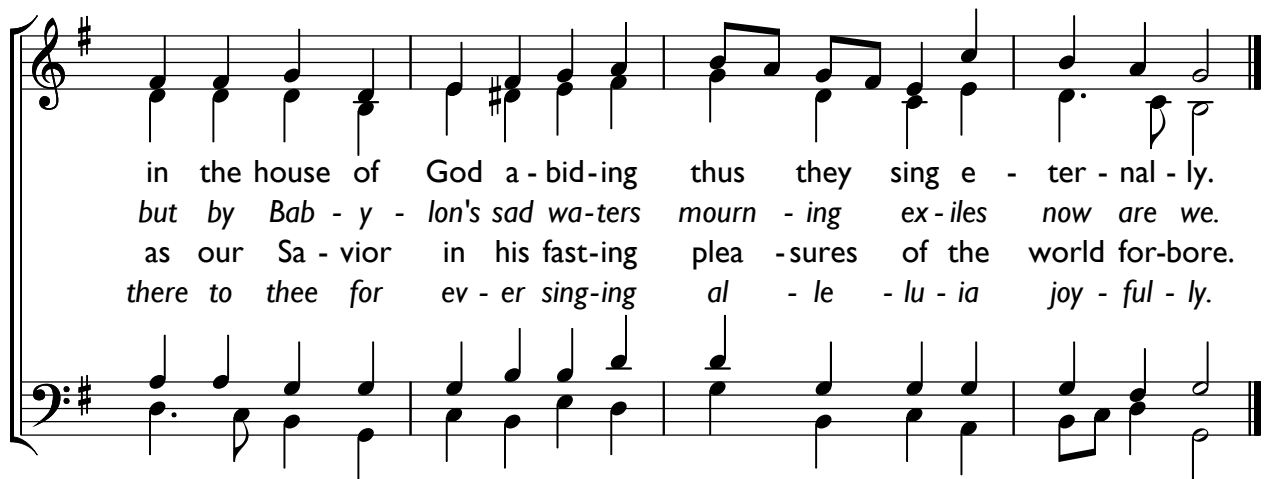
19th cent, harm.
W. H. Monk (1823-1889)



1. Al - le - lu - ia, song of glad - ness, voice of joy that can - not die;
2. Al - le - lu - ia thou re - sound - est, true Je - ru - sa - lem and free;
3. Al - le - lu - ia though we cher - ish and would chant for ev - er - more
4. There - fore in our hymns we pray thee, grant us, bless - ed Trin - i - ty,



al - le - lu - ia is the an - them ev - er raised by choirs on high;
al - le - lu - ia, joy - ful mo - ther, all thy chil - dren sing with thee;
al - le - lu - ia in our sing - ing, let us for a while give o'er,
at the last to keep thine Eas - ter with thy faith - ful saints on high;



in the house of God a - bid - ing thus they sing e - ter - nal - ly.
but by Bab - y - lon's sad wa - ters mourn - ing ex - iles now are we.
as our Sa - vior in his fast - ing plea - sures of the world for - bore.
there to thee for ev - er sing - ing al - le - lu - ia joy - ful - ly.