

Psalm 8

How great is your name

Music by Martin Foster

How great is your name, O Lord our God, through all the earth!

Verses

1. When I see the heavens the work of your hands the
2. Yet you have made him little less than a god; with
3. All of them sheep and cattle, yes,

Psalm 8: 4-9 r. 2
• Most Holy Trinity, Year C

moon and the stars which you ar - ranged, what is man that you should
glo - ry and ho - nour you crowned him, gave him power o - ver the
e - ven the sa - vage beasts, birds of the

The first system of the musical score consists of three vocal staves and a piano accompaniment. The vocal staves are in a single melodic line, with lyrics written below the notes. The piano accompaniment is written in two staves (treble and bass clef) and provides harmonic support for the vocal lines. The music is in a minor key, indicated by the one flat in the key signature.

keep him in mind, mor - tal man that you care for him?
work of your hands, put all things un - der his feet.
air, and fish that make their way through the wa-ters.

The second system of the musical score continues the vocal and piano parts. It features three vocal staves and a piano accompaniment. The lyrics are written below the vocal notes. The piano accompaniment continues to provide harmonic support. The music remains in the same minor key.