

Moravian Music Sunday 2017

Theme: 25 Moravian Music Festivals!

Suggested Order of Worship

This order of worship would work either as a lovefeast or as a Singstunde. Anthems could include children's choir or instrumental works as well as choral works.

Instrumental Prelude (band, organ, instrumental solo)

Welcome and Announcements

Statement to Be Read for Moravian Music Sunday

[Or have someone who has attended a Festival speak about their experiences]

Hymn 528 Praise the Lord, Praise the Lord HOLY LORD (119 A)

Liturgy for Moravian Music Sunday

Scripture Acts 7:55-60

1 Peter 2:2-10

(serve here, if this is a lovefeast)

Anthem (See music suggestions)

Hymn 768 'Tis the Most Blessed and Needful Part WORSHIP (159 A)

Hymn 515 Highly Favored Congregation BATTY (16 A)

(blessing and partaking here if this is a lovefeast)

Anthem (See music suggestions)

(collect cups here if this is a lovefeast)

Scripture John 14:1-14

Hymn 808 Make My Calling and Election, Jesus, Ev'ry Day More Sure ZURICH (168 A)

Meditation (A sermon is not needed with the text of these hymns. Pastoral remarks about music and its role in

worship would be very appropriate, along with appreciations for the work of the musicians.)

Hymn 703 Hail, Alpha and Omega, Hail EMMANUEL (14 Bb)

Offering (See music suggestions)

Hymn 543 Sing Hallelujah, Praise the Lord (verses 1-3) BECHLER (159 D)

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Instrumental postlude