

## Music for Sunset Service Wednesday, Aug. 18, 2021

### SETTLING IN

“Suite Modale for Flute and Piano” Bloch  
Adam Tessier, flute; Victor DeRubeis, piano  
Little Christmas in Jackson Square 2001

### OPENING HYMN

“Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee”

#2 verses 1, 3, 4

Joyful, joyful, we adore thee,  
God of glory, Lord of love;  
hearts unfold like flowers before thee,  
opening to the sun above.

Melt the clouds of sin and sadness,  
drive our fear and doubt away;  
giver of immortal gladness,  
fill us with the light of day.

Thou art giving and forgiving,  
ever blessing, ever blest,  
well-spring of the joy of living,  
ocean depth of happy rest!

Thou the Father, Christ our Brother,  
all who live in love are thine;  
teach us how to love each other,  
lift us to the joy divine.

Mortals, join the happy chorus;  
stars of morning, take your part;  
love divine is reigning o'er us,  
binding those of tender heart.

Ever singing, move we onward,  
victors in the midst of strife,  
joyful music lifts us sunward  
in the triumph song of life.

### ANTHEM

“Oh, Happy Day” Hawkins

## East Weymouth Congregational Church Senior Choir (2016)

### CLOSING HYMN

“O Jesus, I Have Promised”

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O Jesus, I have promised  
to serve thee to the end;  
be thou forever near me,  
my master and my friend.  
I shall not fear the battle  
if thou art by my side,  
nor wander from the pathway  
if thou wilt be my guide.  
O let me feel thee near me!  
The world is ever near;  
I see the sights that dazzle,  
the tempting sounds I hear;  
my foes are ever near me,  
around me and within;  
but Jesus, draw thou nearer,  
and shield my soul from sin.  
O let me hear thee speaking  
in accents clear and still,  
above the storms of passion,  
the murmurs of self-will;  
O speak to reassure me,  
to hasten or control;  
O speak, and make me listen,  
thou guardian of my soul.

### GOING FORTH

“Abide in Me and I in You” Smith

NOTES ON TONIGHT'S MUSIC --- Today's Scripture tells us to  
“sing songs among ourselves, making melody to the Lord.” Our

selections cover the myriad ways we are called to worship and serve.