Dear Lord and Father of Mankind  "Repton"

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Descant and Organ Part
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1. Dear Lord and Father of mankind, forgive our foolish ways! Re-

2. In simple trust, like theirs who heard, beside the Syrian sea, the

3. O Sabbath rest by Galilee! O calm of hills above, where

4. Drop thy still dews of quietness, till all our strives cease; take

1. clothe us in our rightful mind, in pur - es lives thy ser - vice find, in

2. gra - cious calling of the Lord, let us like them, with - out a word, rise

3. Je - sus knelt to share with thee the silence of e - ter - ni - ty in -

4. from our souls the strain and stress, and let our ordered lives con - fess the

1. deeper re - ver - ence praise, in deeper re - ver - ence praise.

2. up and fol - low thee, rise up and fol - low thee.

3. ter - pret - ed by love! in ter - pret - ed by love!

4. beau - ty of thy peace, the beau - ty of thy peace.
5 Breathe through the heats of our desire thy coolness and thy balm; let sense be dumb, let flesh retire, speak through the earthquake, fire, O small voice of calm, O still voice of calm. wind, and fire, O still, small voice of calm, O still, small voice of calm.