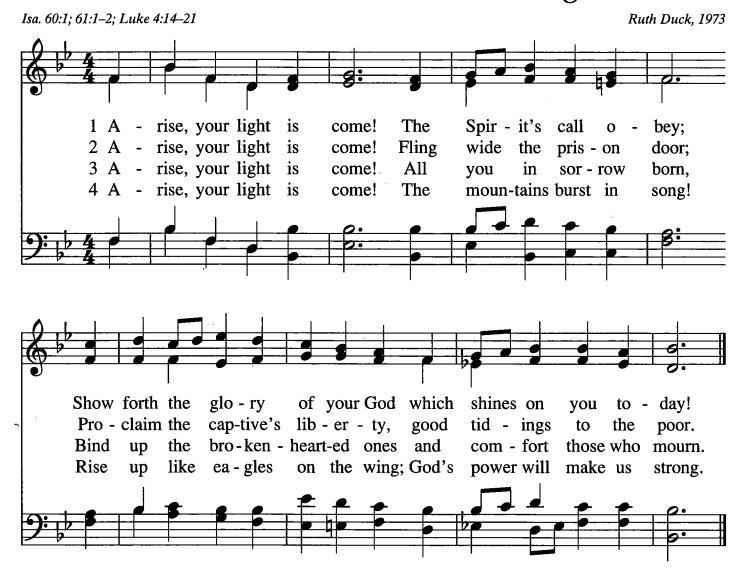
Arise, Your Light Is Come



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Tune: FESTAL SONG S.M. William Walter, 1872

William C. Dix, 1865; alt.

Luke 2:7–14, 25–32; Matt. 2:11; John 1:14; John 19:16b–18, 34



William Chatterton Dix, manager of an English marine insurance company, wrote a number of fine hymns. This one is always sung to the tune Greensleeves, which first appeared in England in 1580 and is mentioned in one of Shakespeare's plays.

Tune: GREENSLEEVES 8.7.8.7.6.8.6.7. with refrain English traditional melody, 16th century