



Hymn.

PRAISE to our God, whose laudable hand
Prepared of old our glorious land ;
A garden fenced with silver sea ;
A people prosperous, strong and free.

Praise to our God ; through all our past
His mighty arm hath held us fast ;
Till wars and perils, toils and tears,
Have brought the rich and peaceful years.

Praise to our God ; the Vine He set
Within our coasts is fruitful yet ;
On many a shore her seedlings grow ;
'Neath many a sun her clusters glow.

Praise to our God ; His power alone
Can keep unmoved our ancient Throne ;
Sustained by counsels wise and just,
And guarded by a people's trust.

Praise to our God ; who still forbears,
Who still this guilty nation spares ;
Who calls us still to seek His Face,
And lengthens out our day of grace.

Praise to our God ; though chastenings stern
Our evil dross should thoroughly burn ;
His rod and staff, from age to age,
Shall rule and guide His heritage ! Amen.

Prayers.

The Congregation shall say Amen at the end of each.

For the Queen and Royal Family.



LORD our God, who upholdest and governest all things in heaven and earth ; receive our humble prayers, with our hearty thanksgivings, for our Sovereign Lady VICTORIA, as on this day, set over us by thy grace and providence to be our Queen ; and so together with her bless ALBERT EDWARD Prince of WALES, the Princess of WALES, and all the Royal Family ; that they all, ever trusting in thy goodness, protected by thy power, and crowned with thy gracious and endless favour, may continue before thee in health, peace, joy, and honour, and may live long and happy lives upon earth, and after death obtain everlasting life and glory in the kingdom of heaven, by the Merits and Meditation of Christ Jesus our Saviour, who with the Father and the Holy Spirit, liveth and reigneth ever one God, world without end. Amen.