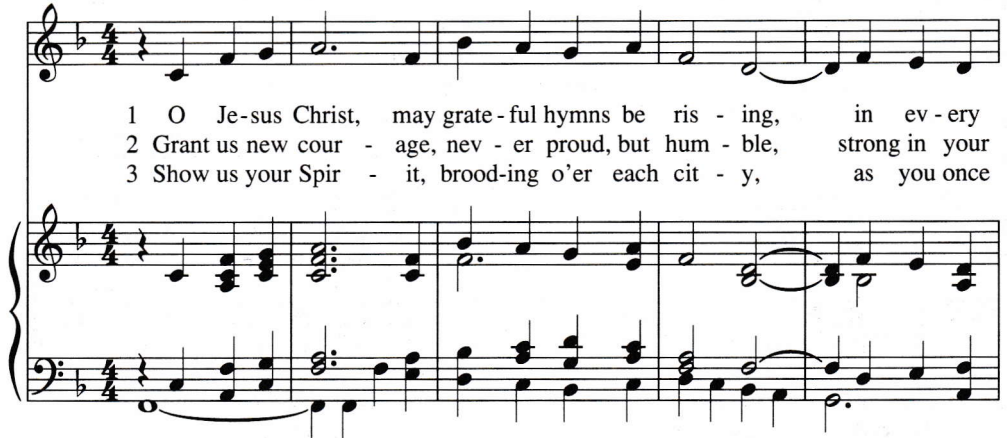


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## O Jesus Christ, May Grateful Hymns

*Matt. 23:37-39; Luke 13:34-35**Bradford Gray Webster, 1954; alt.*


1 O Je - sus Christ, may grate - ful hymns be ris - ing, in ev - ery  
 2 Grant us new cour - age, nev - er proud, but hum - ble, strong in your  
 3 Show us your Spir - it, brood - ing o'er each cit - y, as you once



cit - y for your love and care; In - spire our wor - ship, grant the  
 strength to ven - ture and to dare; To lift the fall - en, guide the  
 wept a - bove Je - ru - sa - lem, Seek - ing to gath - er all in



glad sur - pris - ing that your blessed Spir - it rous - es ev - ery - where.  
 ones who stum - ble, seek out the lone - ly and God's mer - cy share.  
 love and pit - y, and heal - ing those who touch your gar - ment's hem.

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*David Evans, 1927*