

# O give thanks unto the Lord

Book of Common Prayer

Psalm 118 v. 1

John Bishop (1665-1735)  
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[♩=120]

Soprano [Air] *ff* O give thanks, O give thanks, O give thanks un - to the Lord; for

Alto *ff* O give thanks, O give thanks, O give thanks un - to the Lord; for

Tenor *ff* O give thanks, O give thanks, O give thanks un - to the Lord;

Bass *ff* O give thanks, O give thanks, O give thanks un - to the Lord; for

Keyboard

9 **A**

S he is gra - cious, [*p*] for his mer - cy en - du - reth, [*mf*] his mer - cy en - du - reth for e - ver and -

A he is gra - cious, [*mf*] for his mer - cy en - du - reth for e - ver and

T he is gra - cious, [*p*] for his mer - cy en - du - reth, [*mf*] for his mer - cy en - du - reth, for e - ver and -

B he is gra - cious, [*mf*] for his mer - cy en - du - reth for e - ver and

Kbd.

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S e - ver, [*p*] his mer - cy en - du - reth, [*mf*] his mer - cy en - du - reth, en -

A e - ver, [*p*] his mer - cy en - du - reth, [*mf*] his mer - cy en - du - reth, en -

T e - ver, [*mf*] his mer - cy en - du - reth, for

B e - ver, [*mf*] his mer - cy en - du - reth, for

Kbd.

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S du - reth for e - ver.

A du - reth for e - ver.

T e - ver and e - ver.

B e - ver and e - ver, *[p]* for e - - - ver,

Kbd.

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S *[p]* for e - - - ver, *[f]* his mer - cy en -

A *[p]* for e - - - ver, *[f]* his mer - cy en -

T - ver, *[f]* his mer - cy en -

B *[f]* his mer - cy en -

Kbd.

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S du - reth, his mer - cy en - du - reth, his mer - cy en - du - reth, en -

A du - reth, his mer - cy en - du - reth, his mer - cy en - du - reth, en -

T du - reth, his mer - cy en - du - reth, his mer - cy en - du - reth, en -

B du - reth, his mer - cy en - du - reth, en - du - reth, en - du - reth, en -

Kbd.

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S du - - - reth for e - ver, for  
A - du - - - reth for e - ver, for  
T du - - - reth for e - ver, for  
B du - - - reth for e - ver, for  
Kbd

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S e - ver and e - ver. A - men.  
A e - ver and e - ver. A - men.  
T e - ver and e - ver, A - men.  
B e - ver and e - ver. A - men.  
Kbd

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