

June 2, 2008

Choir,

We talked about the possibility of taking a Thursday off this week because the music is easy and we have been rehearsing it well now as we come to the last month of the singing year for 2007 - 2008.

As such, we will NOT meet this Thursday evening, June 5.

However, the anthem has been updated as I had mentioned, and now has a soprano descant. Click here to see a copy of the new version of ["We Are the Body of Christ"](#).

Sopranos, there are no words to this descant (it is all sung on "Ah"), and I have attempted to make it as easy as I could - which fits the nature of the piece, so I am staying true to the style in doing so. I hope that you will find it readable, but do not fret if you are not comfortable with attempting it on Sunday - just sing the melody on the last verse with the rest of the choir.

In addition, here is a midi link [["We Are the Body of Christ" - full piece](#)] which you may click on to hear the whole piece.

Sopranos, here is your midi link to hear the descant brought out a bit more clearly. [["We Are the Body of Christ" - last verse with soprano descant](#)] This link only has the last verse of the piece whereas the other link has the whole piece.

Have a wonderful night off, but please help Alan Gagnon on Sunday morning with the anthem "We Are the Body of Christ" and "Jesus Loves Me". Alan just played a magnificent recital this past weekend - he is definitely an "up and coming" young organist, and I hope you will all support him Sunday morning!

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