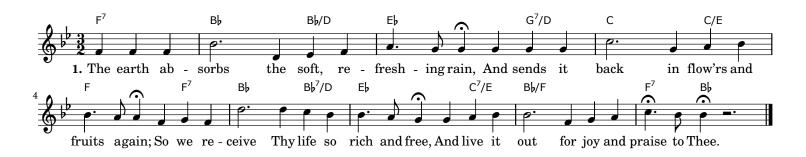
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- 2. The moon receives the sun's bright, golden light, And gives it forth to cheer the darksome night; So we receive the rays of light Divine, And with them on this darkened world we shine.
- 3. 'Tis by Thy love that I can love and bless The foes who seek to blast my happiness; Can e'en rejoice, when bearing wrong and shame, Thou deem'st me meet to suffer for Thy name.
- 4. Naught but Thyself can satisfy my heart, Constrain my will from self and sin to part: In love so great Thou giv'st Thyself to me; That I may Thee express eternally.