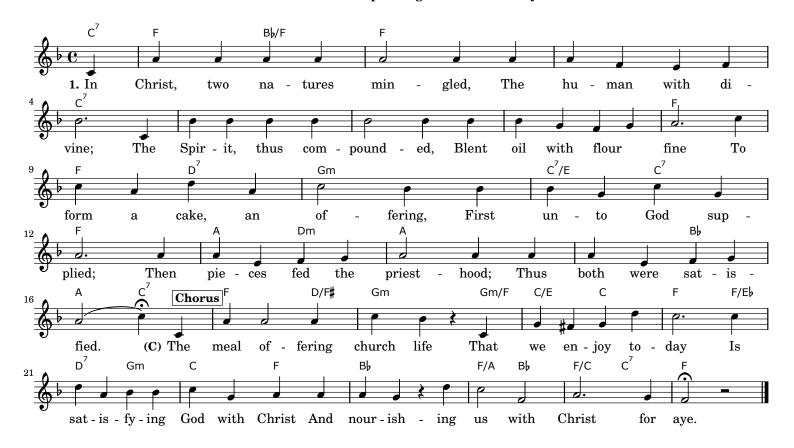
The Meal Offering Church Life

The Church — Expressing Christ's Humanity



- 2. Like Christ, the church is mingled With Christ's humanity, Included in the Spirit, In life essentially.
 The content of the church life, Both excellent and fine, Is Spirit-filled and living.
 'Tis God and man combined.
- 3. The church, Christ's reproduction,
 Meets God's need corporately
 As we express Christ's essence,
 His dear humanity,
 His fragrant resurrection,
 His living by the cross;
 Rejecting honey, leaven,
 Accounting them but loss.
- 4. The taste of salt preserves us;
 'Tis salt that we prefer;
 The cross is in the Spirit,
 It's termination sure.
 Here, salt kills all corruption,
 Preserving what is pure,
 And brings in resurrection
 As we our spirits stir.

- 5. The cake of this meal offering, Christ's human life supplied, Bears resurrection's fragrance As frankincense ascribed. The cross with resurrection In Christ's humanity, Within the compound Spirit, Is our reality.
- 6. The life we live in spirit
 The meetings here display
 As we present our offering
 And God to man convey.
 The atmosphere of feasting
 A testimony bears—
 God has received His portion
 And with us all He shares.
- 7. The fullness of the mingling,
 Where God and man are one,
 Is worked out in our living
 As we enjoy the Son!
 The consummate enlargement—
 God fully blent with man—
 Is still a cake for feasting!
 The New Jerusalem!