

# THE MORNING STAR IS ON THE RISE

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### OFFICE HYMN FOR THE FEAST OF ST. ANNE

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The musical score is written on ten staves. Each staff begins with a treble clef and a common time signature (C). The melody is composed of quarter and eighth notes, with some rests. The lyrics are printed below the notes, with line breaks corresponding to the staves. The text is as follows:

He morning star is on the rise and soon the dawn will fill the  
skies, foretelling of the coming Sun whose light will shine on everyone.

2. The Sun of jus-tice, Christ, true Light, and Mary, gra-ce's dawning bright,  
and Anna, reddening the sky, have caused the night of Law to fly. 3. O  
mother Anna, fruitful root, from you came your salva-tion's shoot, for you  
brought forth the flow'ring rod that bore for us the Christ of God.

4. Christ's mother's mo-ther, by the grace your daughter's birth brought to  
our race, and by her me-rits and her prayer may we her fa-vors come  
to share. 5. O Jesus, Vir-gin-born, to You all glory is for-ev-er due. To  
Fa-ther and the Spi-rit, praise be sung through ev-erlasting days. A-men.

