

Commissioned by The Church of St. Ignatius Loyola, New York City, Kent Tritle, Music Director

Blessed assurance

Frances J. Crosby (1820–1915)

PHOEBE KNAPP (1839–1908)

arr. Nancy Wertsch

Heavily rhythmic ♩ = 88

SOPRANO

ALTO

TENOR *f*

BASS *f*

Bless-ed as - sur - ance, Je - sus is mine!

Bless-ed as - sur - ance, Je - sus is mine!

for rehearsal only

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T. *f*

B. *f*

O what a fore - taste of glo - ry di - vine!

O what a fore - taste of glo - ry di - vine!

10 *sempre*

Heir of sal - va - tion, pur-chase of God,

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14 (optional) *f*

A. Born of His Spi - rit,

T. Born of His Spi - rit, washed in His blood.

B. Born of His Spi - rit, washed in His blood.

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T. This is my sto - ry, this is my song,

B. This is my sto - ry, this is my song,

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Prais - ing my Sav - ior all the day long;

Prais - ing my Sav - ior all the day long;

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This is my sto - ry, this is my song,

This is my sto - ry, this is my song, —