Draw Near and Take the Body of the Lord

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• 1.	Draw	near	and	take	t	he	bo	od - y	of	the	Lord,	
2.		by	his	bod		y	an	2		- cious		
3.		true		deem		er,		ist the	•	- ly	Son,	
4.	off ·	- ′ring	him	- self	f	or	gre	eat - est	and		least,	
5.	The	vic	- tims	of	- fe	red	by	y the	law	of	old,	
6.	now	Chris	t our	light,	t	he	ra	n - som	of	our	race,	
7.	Let	us	ap -	proach	n w	vith	lo	v - ing	heart	s sin	- cere,	
8.	Christ,	who	his	faith	- 1	ful	se	er – vants	rules	s and	shields,	
9.	With	bread	d of	life	I	he	mal	kes the	hun	- gry	whole,	
10.	Christ	Je -	- sus,	first	а	nd	las	st, is	with	us	now,	
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	and	drink	his	ho -		blood	e for	_		out -	poured:	
1. 2.	and	drink	his re - f	ho -		blood of -		you			poured;	
2.	our	souls	re - f	reshed,	we	of -	- fer	you thanks		to	poured; God.	
		souls	re - f and	freshed, blood	we a	of - might	- fer t - y	you thanks vic			poured; God. won,	
2. 3.	our by	souls cross	re - f and the	reshed,	we a tim	of - might and	- fer t - y him	you thanks vic	-	to t'ry	poured; God.	
2. 3. 4. 5.	our by him -	souls cross self	re - f and the	freshed, blood Vic -	we a tim e	of - might and	- fer t - y him - nal	you thanks vic - self	-	to t'ry the	poured; God. won, Priest.	
2. 3. 4. 5.	our by him - as	souls cross self signs	re - f and the from his	freshed, blood Vic - God, own	we a tim e	of - might and - ter -	- fer t - y him - nal	you thanks vic - self mys	-	to t'ry the t'ries	poured; God. won, Priest. told,	
2. 3. 4. 5. 6.	our by him - as gives	souls cross self signs to	re - f and the from his the	freshed, blood Vic - God, own	we a tim e this of	of - might and - ter - end -	- fer t - y him - nal - less sal	you thanks vic - self mys source	-	to t'ry the t'ries of	poured; God. won, Priest. told, grace.	
2. 3. 4. 5. 6. 7. 8.	our by him - as gives and	souls cross self signs to take	re - f and the from his the be -	Freshed, blood Vic - God, own pledge	we a tim e this of ers	of - might and - ter - end - our	- fer t - y him - nal - less sal	you thanks vic - self mys source - va - ter	-	to t'ry the t'ries of tion	poured; God. won, Priest. told, grace. here;	

Inspiration: "Sancte venite, Corpus Christi sumite" from the "Antiphonary of Bennchar", 7th cent. Lyrics: 10.10; John M. Neale, 1818-1866, in his "Medieval Hymns and Sequences", 1851. Music: COENA DOMINI; Arthur S. Sullivan, 1842-1900, in "Church Hymns", 1874.