

God of the Prophets

1. God of the proph - ets! Bless the proph - et's sons;
 2. A - noint them proph - ets! Bold to preach Thy Word;
 3. A - noint them priests! Strong in - ter - ces - sors they
 4. A - noint them kings! Aye, king - ly kings, O Lord;
 5. Make them a - pos - tles! Her - alds of Thy cross;

E - li - jah's man - tle o'er E - li - sha cast;
 To its di - vine truths Make their hearts a - wake;
 For par - don, and for char - i - ty and peace!
 A - noint them with the spir - it of Thy Son;
 Forth may they go to tell all realms Thy grace;

Each age its sol - emn task may claim but once;
 O - pen their lips, O make Thy Gos - pel heard!
 O might, with them, the world, though gone a - stray,
 Theirs, not a jew - el'd crown, a blood - stained sword;
 In - spired by Thee, may they count all but loss,

Make each one no - bler, strong - er than the last.
 Lord, keep them faith - ful for Thine own Name's sake.
 Pass in - to Christ's pure life of sac - ri - fice!
 Theirs, by sweet love, for Christ a king - dom won.
 And stand at last with joy be - fore Thy face.