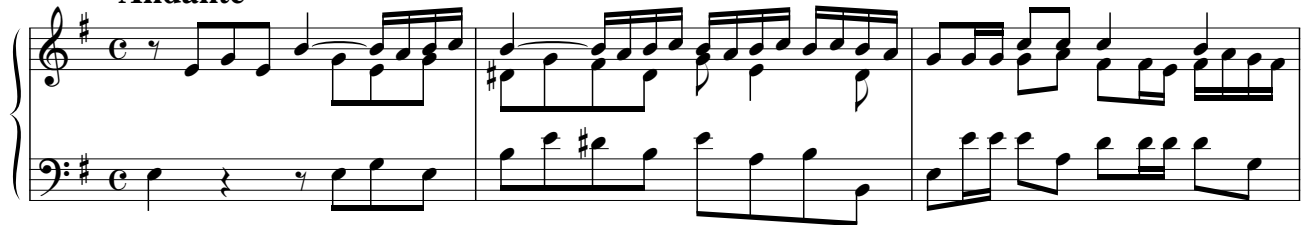
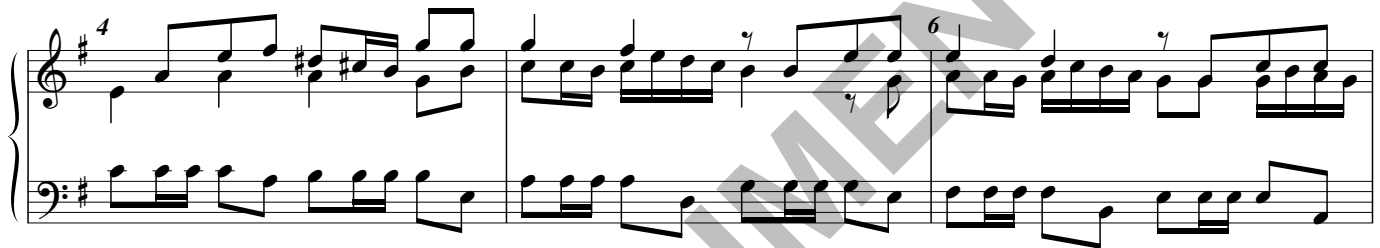


8. Blessed, blessed is the people

Andante



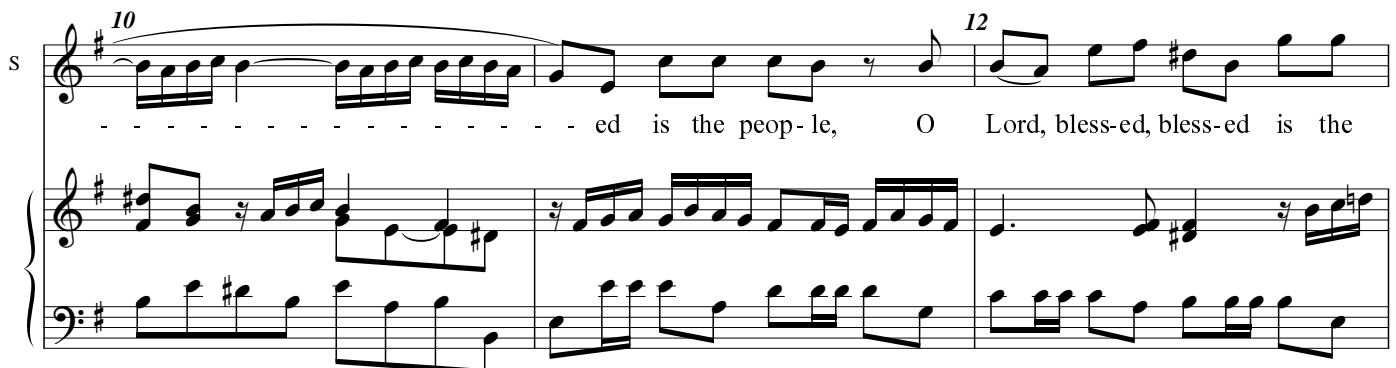
Piano introduction, measures 1-3. The music is in G major and common time. The right hand features a flowing sixteenth-note melody, while the left hand provides a steady accompaniment of eighth notes.



Piano introduction, measures 4-6. The right hand continues with a sixteenth-note pattern, and the left hand maintains the eighth-note accompaniment.



Soprano and piano accompaniment, measures 7-9. The soprano part begins with a rest, followed by a *Solo* section starting at measure 8 with the lyrics "Bless-ed, bless - - -". The piano accompaniment includes a trill in the right hand at measure 9.



Soprano and piano accompaniment, measures 10-12. The soprano part continues with the lyrics "ed is the peop-le, O Lord, bless-ed, bless-ed is the". The piano accompaniment continues with the established rhythmic patterns.