

2022-01-07 Meditation for Friday after Epiphany is now available
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Theme song (Psalm 23:1-2):

- 1 The Lord is my shepherd *
therefore can I lack nothing.
- 2 He shall feed me in a green pasture *
and lead me forth beside the waters of comfort.
- 3 He shall convert my soul *

Psalm 42:1

Lyrics: Psalm 42:1

Music: Felix Mendelssohn (1809-1847), Op. 42:I (1837)

Artists: La Chapelle Royale, Collegium Vocale, and Ensemble Orchestral de Paris
Philippe Herreweghe (dir.)

The opening theme song with a poetic paraphrase begins:

*Ich bete an die Macht der Liebe,
O Pow'r of love, all else transcending,
Die sich in Jesu offenbart;
In Jesus present evermore,
Ich geb' mich hin dem freien Triebe,
I worship thee, in homage bending,*

1. Choir

*Wie der Hirsch schreit nach frischem Wasser,
As the hart/stag cries out for fresh water,
So schreit meine Seele, Gott, zu dir.
So my soul cries, O God, to you.*

[Closing words to our theme song:]

*O! dass diess jeder Sünder wüsste,
O! that every sinner would know this,
Sein Herz wohl bald dich lieben müsste.
His heart must soon surely love You.*

Evan

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