

To Indian Run United Methodist Church, Dublin, Ohio
for the dedication of their new sanctuary

Canticle of Fellowship

For SATB Choir, Keyboard and Optional Handbells (3-4 octaves)*

Col. 3: 12-14**
John Fawcett, 1782

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Moderate tempo, in 2 $\text{♩} = 44-48$
SATB unis. *p*

The musical score is arranged in three systems. Each system consists of a vocal line (SATB unis.) and a keyboard line. The vocal line is in 2/4 time and features several triplet markings. The keyboard line includes a separate handbell part marked '+HB' and a keyboard part marked '***'. The score is numbered 1 through 11. The lyrics are: 'There - fore, as God's cho - sen peo - ple, ho - ly and dear - ly loved, clothe your-selves with com - pas - sion, kind-ness, hu - mil - i - ty, gen - tle - ness and pa - tience.' The tempo markings 'rit.' and 'a tempo' are used to indicate changes in the music's pace.

There - fore, as God's cho - sen peo - ple,
ho - ly and dear - ly loved, clothe your-selves with com - pas - sion,
kind-ness, hu - mil - i - ty, gen - tle - ness and pa - tience.

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11

*A separate handbell part (BP1349A) is available from the publisher.

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***Keyboard parts in brackets may be omitted when handbells are used (m. 1-12, 87-91, 95-98).

molto espressivo
cresc. *mf*

For - give each oth - er as the Lord for -

12 13 14

-HB

dim. *rit.*

gave you. And o - ver all these vir - tues put on

15 16 17 18

dim. *rit.*

rit.

mp a tempo

love.

19 20 21 22

mp

a tempo

SA unis. *mp*

Blest be the tie that binds — Our hearts in Chris-tian love;

23 24 25 26

a -

The fel - low - ship of kin - dred minds Is like to that a -

27 28 29 30

bove. Be - fore our *mf* Fa-ther's throne — We pour our ar - dent prayers;

bove. Be - fore the throne we pour our

31 32 33 34

Our fears, our hopes, our aims are one, Our com-forts and our
 prayers; Our hopes are one, Our com-forts and our
 one, Our com-forts, our

cares. hearts _____ in
dim.
 cares. Blest be the tie that binds our hearts, that binds our hearts in
 cares. hearts _____ in
dim.
dim.

mp Love.
 Love.
mp
 Love.
 +HB
mp

47 48 49

TB unis. *mp*

We share our mu - tual woes, _____ Our mu - tual

50 51 52

bur - dens bear; And of - ten for each oth - er

53 54 55

flows The sym - pa - thiz - ing tear. When

cresc.