Then Came Sunday
for S.A.T.B. voices, accompanied

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With flowing intensity (\( \text{\( \dot{\text{e}} \) } = \text{ca. 64} \))

Pedal ad lib.

Fri - day dawned, a - cross the cit - y
to the sound of rush - ing feet.

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People shouting, people weeping.

Chaos roamed the city streets.

This would be a day of dying.
dreams destroyed and bitter loss.

Love and promise, hope and vision,

nailed upon a Roman
Joyfully (\( \text{\textcolor{red}{\textit{d. = ca. 64}}} \))

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Death had lost and life had won. This will be our last-ing sto-ry.

Come and join the ris-en One. Then came Sun-day, joyful Sun-day,
like the rain on desert sand; like the warming sun of spring-time,

chasing chill from winter lands.

Then came Sunday. Alleluia. Sing for all the

Christ the Lord is risen today.
world to hear; help and hope and holy presence,

Al-le-lu-ia. Folk of earth and

love alive to cast out fear. Bread of life for

angels say, “al-le-lu-ia.”

all who hunger, water from the living spring.

Raise your joys of triumph high. Al-le-lu-
vision where there once was blindness, this the song we
ia.
Sing ye heav'ns and earth reply.

gladly sing.
"alleluia."

Then came Sunday, holy Sunday; day of truth and
grace sublime; dawn of promise, gift of mercy
for all people and all time. Death’s domination
finally broken; gone the power of guilt and shame;
let the truth in love be spoken. Here's new life, new
hope, new name.
Reverently ($d = ca. 72$)

Welcome Sunday, holy Sunday. Every day is Sunday now.

(Accompanist may double voices if desired.)

Sunday's Lord is here among us. Gladly to our Christ we bow.

Then we rise to live the story, lift our voice to sing the song

till the world is filled with music; till the night gives way to
Joyfully (\( \text{\textit{f.}} \text{=} \text{ca. 64} \))

Dawn.

Glorious day!

Joyfully (\( \text{\textit{f.}} \text{=} \text{ca. 64} \))

Wonderful dawn!

Alleluia!

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