

I Will Send My Messenger

Introit for the Second Sunday of Advent

Text paraphrased from Malachi 3

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incorporating a theme
from Handel's "Messiah"

Quite slowly ♩ = 52

Soprano
Alto
Tenor
Bass (optional)
Organ/
Piano

f I will send _____ my mes-sen-ger _ And he will pre-pare _____ the

f I will send _____ my mes-sen-ger _ And he will pre-pare _____ the

f I will send my mes-sen-ger _ He will pre-pare the

f I will send my mes-sen-ger _ He will pre-pare the

mp way be-fore me. I will send _____ my mes-sen-ger _ And he will pre-pare _____ the

mp way be-fore me. I will send _____ my mes-sen-ger _ And he will pre-pare _____ the

mp way be-fore me. I will send my mes-sen-ger _ He will pre-pare the

mp way be-fore me. I will send my mes-sen-ger _ He will pre-pare the

mf
 way be-fore me. The Lord, whom you seek, will sud-den-ly come to his tem - ple,
mf
 way be-fore me. The Lord, whom you seek, will sud-den-ly come to his tem - ple,
mf
 way be-fore me. The Lord, whom you seek, will sud-den-ly come to his
mf
 way be-fore me. The Lord, whom you seek, will sud-den-ly come to his

Ev'n the mes-sen-ger of the cov - e-nant, whom you de - light in. Be -
 Ev'n the mes-sen-ger of the cov - e-nant, whom you de - light in. Be -
 tem-ple, Ev'n the mes-sen-ger of the co - ve-nant, whom you de-light in.
 tem-ple, Ev'n the mes-sen-ger of the co - ve-nant, whom you de-light in.

hold, he shall come, says the Lord of Hosts.

hold, he shall come, says the Lord of Hosts.

Be-hold, he shall come, says the Lord of Hosts.

Be-hold, he shall come, says the Lord of Hosts.