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Our Father, thron'd in Heaven High

Martin Luther
(1483-1536)

Vater unser in Himmelreich

English version by
Henry S. Drinker*

For Two-part Chorus of Women's Voices
(a cappella)

Michael Praetorius
(1571-1621)

Edited by Arthur S. Talmadge

Moderato

Soprano *p* Our Fa-ther, — thron'd in Heav - en High, *mf* Our Fa-ther, thron'd in
Va - ter un - ser im Him - mel - reich, Va - ter un - ser im

Alto *mf* Ou Fa-ther, thron'd in Heav - en High, Our
Va - ter un - ser im Him - mel - reich, Va -

Heav - en High, — In need Thy peo - ple, In
Him - mel - reich, — der du uns al - le, der

Fa - ther, thron'd in Heav - en High, In need to Thee.
ter un - ser im Him - mel - reich, der du uns al -

need to Thee Thy peo - ple cry; Thou, who —
du uns al - le *mf* hei - ssest gleich *mf* Brü - der —

Thy peo - ple, In need to Thee Thy peo - ple cry, Thou, who as broth -
le hei - ssest, der du uns al - le hei - ssest gleich Brü - der sein und

as broth - ers count us all, We pray Thee hark - en
sein und dich ru - fen an, und willst das Be - ten

ers count all, We pray Thee, Lord,
dich ru - fen an, und willst das Be -

* Note:— Michael Praetorius made at least six settings of this text for two or three voices. Except for halving the time values, this edition makes no change in the music. A few of the German words have been modernized in spelling, and apostrophes added in accordance with present day practice. Mr. Henry S. Drinker kindly gave permission for the use of his English translation. Marks of tempo and dynamics are suggestions of the Editor. For some choirs it might be well to transpose the number either a half- or whole -tone higher. (A.S.T.)