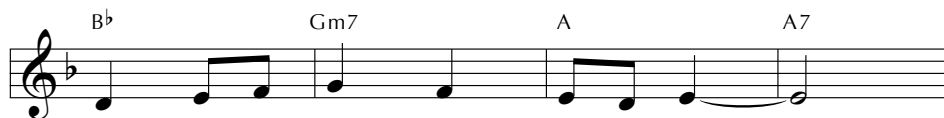


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Refrain

There is a long-ing in our hearts, O Lord, for



you to re - veal your - self to us.



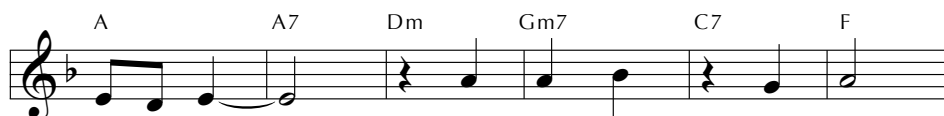
There is a long-ing in our hearts for love we



on - ly find in you, our God.

Leader or All

1 For	jus - tice,	for	free - dom,	for	mer - cy:
2 For	wis - dom,	for	cour - age,	for	com - fort:
3 For	heal - ing,	for	whole-ness,	for	new life:
4 Lord	save us,	take	pit - y,	Light	in our



hear our	prayer.	In	sor - row,	in	grief:
hear our	prayer.	In	weak - ness,	in	fear:
hear our	prayer.	In	sick - ness,	in	death:
dark -	ness.	We	call you;	we	wait:



be near; hear our prayer, O God.

to Refrain

The refrain that frames this sung prayer describes why we pray, and the stanzas indicate what we pray for. These requests are not for possessions but for qualities and conditions we hope for in the world around us, and they emerge from the changing circumstances of our lives.