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John Hewett (1824-1886)

O thou who dost to man accord

Bridehead, by Arthur Troyte (1811-1857)

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[♩=72]

Soprano [Air]

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Tenor

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Bass

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6. With cleansèd hearts to pray aright,
 And find acceptance in thy sight,
 Be this our lowly prayer.

8. That, when our Easter morn we hail
 Its mystic feast we may not fail
 To keep with conscience clear.

7. 'This thou hast blest this solemn fast;
 So may its days by us be passed
 In self control severe,

9. O blessèd Trinity, bestow
 Thy pardoning grace on us below,
 And shield us evermore;

10. Until, within thy courts above,
 We see thy face, and sing thy love,
 And with thy saints adore.