The Three Advents: past, present and future; history, mystery, majesty

Creator of the stars of night,
The people's everlasting light,
Redeemer, Saviour of us all,
O hear your servants when they call.

As once through Mary's flesh you came, To save us from our sin and shame, So now, Redeemer, by your grace, Come heal again our fallen race.

And when on that last judgement day,
We rise to glory from decay,
Then come again, O Saviour blest,
And bring to us eternal rest