

Reformation Hymn

“FLEX ORCHESTRA” GUIDE

WHAT IS IT?

The “Flex Orchestra” allows any smaller combination of instruments to play along with the arrangement. Rather than orchestrating for particular instruments, this version is orchestrated for instrument *ranges*. The accompanying score is written in concert pitch.

As far as individual parts are concerned, we have included a transposed part for any common orchestral instrument which may be used in that range (see the list included below). We also included “range options” (or octaves) on appropriate parts, which can be used in case that particular part goes slightly out of range for the instrument. This will be especially true on the High Range part.

INSTRUMENT GUIDE

High Range Suggested Instruments:

Piccolo, Flute, Oboe, Violin
Piccolo Trumpet, Soprano Sax
Eb-Clarinet
Piccolo Trumpet in A

Transposition Key:

C
Bb
Eb
A

Mid-High Range Suggested Instruments:

Oboe, Violin
Clarinet, Trumpet
English Horn
Alto Sax
Clarinet in A
Alto Flute

Transposition Key:

C
Bb
F
Eb
A
G

Mid Range Suggested Instruments:

Viola, Cello
Clarinet, Trumpet, Flugelhorn, Tenor Sax
French Horn, English Horn
Alto Sax

Transposition Key:

C
Bb
F
Eb

Low Range Suggested Instruments:

Bassoon, Trombone, Euphonium,
Baritone (B.C.), Cello
Bass Clarinet, Tenor Sax, Baritone (T.C.)
French Horn
Baritone Sax

Transposition Key:

C
Bb
F
Eb

Contra Range Suggested Instruments:

Double Bass, Contrabassoon, Tuba
Contrabass Clarinet, Bass Sax

Transposition Key:

C
Bb