

In memory of the 49 people killed in Orlando, Florida, and for the families and loved ones of all those who have lost their lives because of hate, intolerance, and violence.

Prayer for the Innocents

A Prayer of Hope and Love

for Handbells (3, 4, 5, or 6 octaves) with optional Handchimes (3, 4, 5, or 6 octaves)

Handbells used: 37, 48, 59, 63

(If chimes are used, G₃, 4, 5, and 6 bells are not needed.)

optional

Handchimes used: 27, 29, 34

optional

PERFORMANCE NOTES:

3-octave ensembles should omit notes in ().

4-octave ensembles should omit notes in [].

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Molto espressivo ♩ = ca. 76

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Musical notation for measures 7-9. Measure 7 includes dynamic marking *mf* and LV. Measure 8 includes measure number 8. Measure 9 includes dynamic marking *mp* and LV. A right-hand (R) part is indicated above measure 9.

Musical notation for measures 10-12. Each measure (10, 11, 12) includes the dynamic marking LV.

Musical notation for measures 13-15. Measure 13 includes LV. Measure 14 includes LV. Measure 15 includes LV and the marking *cresc.*

16 *rit.* 17 * *mf a tempo* 18 LV LV

19 LV 20 LV 21 LV

22 LV 23 (•) LV 24 (•) LV *rit.*

*5 and 6-octave ensembles may double the melody an octave higher.

Prayerfully ♩ = ca. 66

25 26 27 28

p
R

29 30 31

mp

Tempo I

32 33 34

f LV

LV

*

35 36 37

LV

LV

LV