## **Let Us Receive Your Mercy**

## Refrain:

Let us receive your mercy, O God, in the midst of your people. Pour your mercy on us. Pour your mercy on us.

1.

Cantors: Our world has crumbled to dust and ash:

AII: Kyrie, Kyrie eleison.

Cantors: Our eyes are swollen with tears.

All: Kyrie, Kyrie eleison. *Refrain* 

2.

Cantors: Parched and dry, we cry out to you:

AII: Kyrie, Kyrie eleison.

Cantors: We gasp for the breath of life.

All: Kyrie, Kyrie eleison. *Refrain* 

3.

Cantors: Our trust is seared by flames and fear:

AII: Kyrie, Kyrie eleison.

Cantors: Why hide your face from us?

All: Kyrie, Kyrie eleison. *Refrain* 

4.

Cantors: With broken hearts we search for you:

AII: Kyrie, Kyrie eleison.

Cantors: Grant us the peace of your mercy.

AII: Kyrie, Kyrie eleison. Refrain

5.

Cantors: Let your love cast out our fear:

AII: Kyrie, Kyrie eleison.

Cantors: You, God, have loved us first:

AII: Kyrie, Kyrie eleison. *Refrain* 

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Cantors: Lead us all to your embrace:

AII: Kyrie, Kyrie eleison.

Cantors: Give us your Spirit of love.

All: Kyrie, Kyrie eleison. *Refrain* 

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