

## Christ Be Our Light

### Notes:

- In the verses, try to sing each line in one breath, **not** breathing at the comma
- Try to hold the final word of each verse for 5 beats
- In the refrain, hold the last word of each line for 2 beats so you can breathe on the 3rd
- Hold the final word of the refrain (to-day) for 6 beats

Longing for light, we wait in darkness  
Longing for truth, we turn to You.  
Make us Your own, Your holy people  
Light for the world to see.

### Refrain

**Christ, be our light!**  
**Shine in our hearts.**  
**Shine through the darkness.**  
**Christ, be our light!**  
**Shine in Your church gathered today.**

Longing for peace, our world is troubled  
Longing for hope, many despair.  
Your word alone has pow'r to save us.  
Make us your living voice.

**Christ, be our light!**  
**Shine in our hearts.**  
**Shine through the darkness.**  
**Christ, be our light!**  
**Shine in Your church gathered today.**

Longing for food, many are hungry  
Longing for water, many still thirst.  
Make us Your bread, broken for others  
Shared until all are fed.

**Christ, be our light!**  
**Shine in our hearts.**  
**Shine through the darkness.**  
**Christ, be our light!**  
**Shine in Your church gathered today.**

Longing for shelter, many are homeless  
Longing for warmth, many are cold.  
Make us Your building, sheltering others  
Walls made of living stone.

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**Shine through the darkness.**  
**Christ, be our light!**  
**Shine in Your church gathered today.**

Many the gifts, many the people  
Many the hearts that yearn to belong.  
Let us be servants to one another  
Making Your kingdom come.

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