

## The Healing Christ

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Christ you gathered people to you,  
those who needed to be healed  
of tormented minds and bodies –  
burdens they had long concealed;  
by your strength their griefs were lifted,  
by their faith their lives made whole;  
they, rejoicing, told their stories  
healed in body, mind and soul.

2  
In these days of strife and tension  
people need your healing still:  
minds disturbed by nameless voices,  
bodies injured, wasted, ill .  
May they know you feel their weakness,  
bear their burdens, share their pain.  
Be their reassuring presence  
bringing healing once again.

3  
Lord we pray you, with your presence  
bless the people gathered here  
and to all in need of comfort  
be companion, ease their fear.  
Let the fellowship we offer  
be to each a source of health;  
make us partners in your healing—  
wholeness is our greatest wealth.