



LENT

2025

March 5 — April 6

THE INTRODUCTORY RITES

Hymns begin on p. 9 of the Worship Aid

ENTRANCE HYMN

see hymn board

*the final verse contains the antiphon text from the Roman Missal, called the *Introit, the Doxology (Glory be)*, is traditionally sung after the Introit

SIGN OF THE CROSS AND GREETING

☩: In the name of the ☩ Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit:

☩: **Amen.**

☩: The Lord be with you.

☩: **And with your spirit.**

PENITENTIAL ACT — CONFITEOR

I confess to almighty God, and to you my brothers and sisters, that I have greatly sinned, in my thoughts and in my words, in what I have done, and in what I have failed to do (*strike breast three times*) through my fault, through my fault, through my most grievous fault; therefore, I ask the blessed Mary ever-Virgin, all the angels and saints, and you, my brothers and sisters, to pray for me to the Lord, our God.

KYRIE

Chant

Priest/Deacon/Other Minister All respond Priest/Deacon/Other Minister

Ký - ri - e, e - lé - i - son. Ký - ri - e, e - lé - i - son. Chris - te, e - lé - i - son.

All respond Priest/Deacon/Other Minister All respond

Chris - te, e - lé - i - son. Ký - ri - e, e - lé - i - son. Ký - ri - e, e - lé - i - son.

COLLECT

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

FIRST READING

Ash Wednesday—March 5

1st Sunday of Lent — March 9

2nd Sunday of Lent — March 16

3rd Sunday of Lent — March 23

4th Sunday of Lent — March 30

5th Sunday of Lent — April 6

Joel 2:12-18

Deuteronomy 26:4-10

Genesis 15:5-12, 17-18

Exodus 3:1-8a, 13-15

Joshua 5:9a, 10-12

Isaiah 43:16-21

RESPONSORIAL PSALMS

Ash Wednesday—March 5

Psalm 51

Refrain

Be mer-ci-ful, O Lord, for we have sinned; be
mer-ci-ful, O Lord, for we have sinned.

The musical notation is in treble clef with a key signature of one flat (Bb) and a time signature of 3/4. It consists of two staves of music. The first staff contains the first line of the refrain, and the second staff contains the second line. The lyrics are written below the notes.

1st Sunday of Lent — March 9

Psalm 91

Refrain

Be with me, Lord, when I am in trou-ble, be
with me, Lord, I pray.

The musical notation is in treble clef with a key signature of one sharp (F#) and a time signature of 3/4. It consists of two staves of music. The first staff contains the first line of the refrain, and the second staff contains the second line. The lyrics are written below the notes.

2nd Sunday of Lent — March 16

Psalm 27

The Lord is my light, the Lord is my light,
the Lord is my light and my sal - va - tion.

The musical notation is in treble clef with a key signature of one flat (Bb) and a time signature of 3/2. It consists of two staves of music. The first staff contains the first line, and the second staff contains the second line. The lyrics are written below the notes.

3rd Sunday of Lent — March 23

Psalm 103

The Lord is kind and mer-ci-ful, the Lord is kind and mer-ci-ful.

MH

The musical notation is in treble clef with a key signature of two sharps (F# and C#) and a time signature of 3/4. It consists of one staff of music. The lyrics are written below the notes. The initials 'MH' are in the upper right corner.

4th Sunday of Lent — March 30

Psalm 34

Refrain

Taste and see, taste and see the good - ness of the

The musical notation is in treble clef with a key signature of one flat (Bb) and a time signature of common time (C). It consists of one staff of music. The lyrics are written below the notes.

Lord. O taste and see, taste and see the
good - ness of the Lord, of the Lord.

Text: Psalm 34; James E. Moore, Jr., b.1951
Tune: James E. Moore, Jr., b.1951
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5th Sunday of Lent – April 6 Psalm 126

The Lord has done great things for us; we are filled with
joy, we are filled with joy.

Text: Verses, *The Abbey Psalms and Canticles*, © 2018, 2010, United States Conference of Catholic Bishops, Washington, DC
refrain, *Lectionary for Mass*, © 1969, 1981, 1997, ICEL
Music: Tony Alonso, © 2012, GIA Publications, Inc.

SECOND READING

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|-------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Ash Wednesday—March 5 | 2 Corinthians 5:20-6:2 |
| 1st Sunday of Lent – March 9 | Romans 10:8-13 |
| 2nd Sunday of Lent – March 16 | Philippians 3:17 - 4:1 |
| 3rd Sunday of Lent – March 23 | 1 Corinthians 10:1-6, 10-12 |
| 4th Sunday of Lent – March 30 | 2 Corinthians 5:17-21 |
| 5th Sunday of Lent – April 6 | Philippians 3:8-14 |

LENTEN GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Glo - ry to you, Word of God, Lord Je - sus Christ!
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Music: *Mass of Joy and Peace*, Tony E. Alonso, © 2010, GIA Publications, Inc.

GOSPEL

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|-------------------------------|----------------------|
| Ash Wednesday—March 5 | Matthew 6:1-6, 16-18 |
| 1st Sunday of Lent – March 9 | Luke 4:1-13 |
| 2nd Sunday of Lent – March 16 | Luke 9:28b-36 |
| 3rd Sunday of Lent – March 23 | Luke 13:1-9 |

4th Sunday of Lent — March 30
5th Sunday of Lent — April 6

Luke 15:1-3, 11-32
John 8:1-11

HOMILY

NICENE CREED *there is no recitation of the Creed on Ash Wednesday*

I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible.

I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages. God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father; through him all things were made. For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven, *(all bow)* and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man. *(end bow)*

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets.

I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church.

I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.

BLESSING AND DISTRIBUTION OF ASHES *March 5 only!*

GENERAL INTERCESSIONS

☩ ...we pray to the Lord:

☩ **Lord, hear our prayer.**

THE LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

OFFERTORY *see hymn board*

☩ Pray brothers and sisters... to the almighty Father

☩ **May the Lord accept the sacrifice at your hands, for the praise and glory of His name, for our good and the good of all His holy Church.**

PREFACE DIALOGUE

☩ The Lord be with you.

☩ **And with your spirit.**

☩ Lift up your hearts.

☩ **We lift them up to the Lord.**

☩ Let us give thanks ...

☩ **It is right and just.**

SANCTUS (HOLY, HOLY, HOLY)

Ho - ly, Ho - ly, Ho - ly Lord God of hosts.
Heav - en and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho -
san - na in the high - est, ho - san - na in the
high - est. Bless - ed is he, bless - ed is he who
comes in the name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the
high - est, ho - san - na in the high - est. Ho - san - na in the
high - est, ho - san - na in the high - est.

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MYSTERY OF FAITH

Save us, Sav - ior of the world for by your
Cross and Res - ur - rec - tion you have set us free.

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AMEN

A - men, a - men, a - men, a -
men. A - men, a - men, a - men, a - men.

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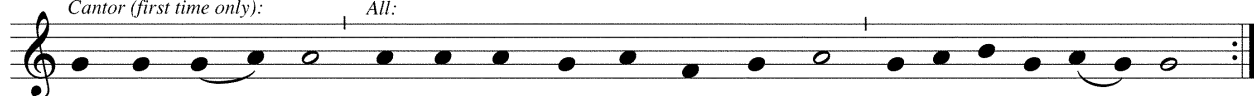
THE COMMUNION RITE

LORD'S PRAYER


SIGN OF PEACE

AGNUS DEI (LAMB OF GOD)

Cantor (first time only): | *All:*



A-gnus De - i, qui tol-lis pec-ca - ta mun-di: mi-se-re-re no - bis.



A-gnus De - i, qui tol-lis pec-ca - ta mun-di: do-na no-bis pa - cem.

Music: Agnus Dei XVIII, Vatican Edition; acc. by Robert J. Batastini

Pronunciation guide: ah-NYOOS DEH-ee, kwee TAW-lees peh-KAH-tah MOON-dee: mee-seh-REH-reh NAW-bees. (2x)

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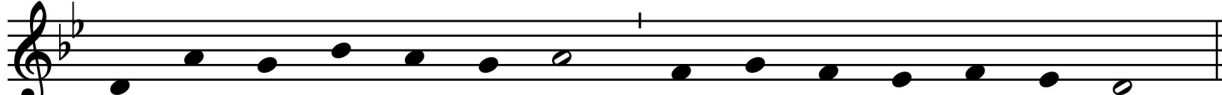
COMMUNION ANTIPHON

The cantor or choir will start by singing the Communion Antiphon. The text is provided. Following the song, please join in singing the Congregational Refrain.

Ash Wednesday—March 5

He who meditates day and night on the law of the Lord shall bear fruit in due season. — Psalm 1:2-3

Congregational Refrain



We pon-der your law, O Lord, and your law is my de-light.

1st Sunday of Lent — March 9

He will overshadow you with his pinions, and you will find refuge under his wings. His faithfulness will encompass you like a shield.—Ps. 91:4

Congregational Refrain



For you, O Lord, are my ref - uge.

2nd Sunday of Lent — March 16

Tell no one about the vision you have seen until the Son of Man has risen from the dead. — Matthew 17:5

Congregational Refrain



This is my be - lov - ed Son, lis - ten to him.

3rd Sunday of Lent — March 23

The sparrow has found herself a home, and the turtle dove a nest in which to lay her young: at your altars, O LORD of hosts, my King and my God! Blessed are they who dwell in your house, they shall praise you for ever and ever. — Ps. 84:4-5

Congregational Refrain



Bless - ed are they who dwell in your house.

4th Sunday of Lent — March 30

My son, you should rejoice; for your brother who was dead has come back to life; he was lost and he has been found. — Luke 15:32

Congregational Refrain



Re - joyce in the Lord; ex - ult, all you peo - ple.

5th Sunday of Lent — April 6

Woman, has no one condemned you? No one, Lord. Neither do I condemn you; go and do not sin again. — John 8:10-11

Congregational Refrain



In you, O Lord, I take ref - uge.

COMMUNION HYMNS *see hymn board*

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

CONCLUDING RITE

FINAL BLESSING AND DISMISSAL

PRAYER TO ST. MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL *see back of the Worship Aid*

RECESSIONAL *see hymn board*

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Again We Keep This Solemn Fast

1

You are merciful to all, O Lord, and despise nothing that you have made. You overlook people's sins, to bring them to repentance, and you spare them, for you are the Lord our God. — *Wisdom 11:24,25,27 (Introit for Ash Wednesday)*



1. A - gain we__ keep this__ sol - emn fast, A
2. More spar - ing,__ there - fore,__ let us make the
Introit: To__ all, your__ mer - cy__ you've dis - played, dis -
Dox. We__ pray, O__ bles - sed__ Three - in - One, Our



gift of faith from a - ges past, These for - ty__ days, that
words we speak, the food we take, Our sleep, our__ laugh - ter
-pis - ing none that you have made. The sins of__ men__ you
God while end - less a - ges run, that this our__ Lent of



year__ by year, Bid con - trite hearts to Christ draw near.
ev' - ry sense learn peacethrough ho - ly pen - i - tence.
ne'er re - call, For you are God and Lord of all.
for - ty days, May bring us growth and bring you praise.

Text: vs. 1-2,4 *Ex more doci mystico*, attr. St. Gregory the Great c.504-604, tr. (c)1975, Peter J. Scagnelli, pub. WLP
vs. 3: *Miserere omnium, Domine*, Wis. 11:24-25,27, Introit for Ash Wednesday, Greg Heislman (c) 2020,
adapated Joseph Guardino, b. 1982

Tune: ERHALT UNS HERR LM; *Giestliche Lieder*, 1543, harm. J.S. Bach 1685-1750

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Lord, Who Throughout These Forty Days

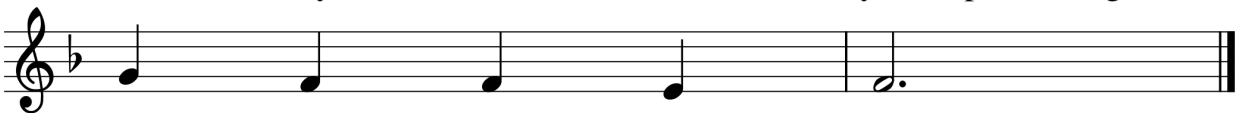
When he calls on me, I will answer him; I will deliver him and give him glory, I will grant him length of days. —Ps. 91:15-16 (*Introit for the 1st Sunday of Lent*)



1. Lord, who through - out these for - ty days for
 2. As you with Sa - tan did con - tend, and
 Introit: I hast - en to the res - cue of The
 Dox: All praise to God the Fa - ther be, and



us did fast and pray, teach us with you to mournour sins, and
 did the vic-t'ry win, O give us strength in you to fight, in
 one who calls my name, Full years of life be - stow-ing then up -
 to his on - ly Son, Who with the Ho - ly Spi - rit reign, The



close by you to stay.
 you to con - quer sin.
 -on the ver - y same.
 Bless - ed Three in One.

Text: Ps 91: 15, 16, 1; Invocabit me; Introit, Lent 1; and Dox. adapt. Luke Massery & Clayton Orr © 2022.

3

Jesus, the Very Thought of You

Of you my heart has spoken: Seek his face. It is your face, O Lord, that I seek; hide not your face from me.—Ps. 27:8-9 (*Introit for the 2nd Sunday of Lent*)



1. Je - sus, the ver - y thought of you
 2. No voice can sing, no heart can frame,
 Introit: To you my heart has spok - en thus:
 Dox. All glo - ry to the Fa - ther, Son,



1. Fills us with sweet de - light;
 2. Nor can the mind re - call
 3. "Your coun - ten - ance I'll see."
 4. And Spi - rit, One in Three:



1. But sweet - er far your face to view
 2. A sweet - er sound than your blest name,
 3. In your face all my long - ing is;
 4. As was, and is, and shall be so



1. and rest with - in your light.
 2. O Sa - vior of us all!
 3. O turn it not from me.
 4. through all e - ter - ni - ty.

Text: vs. 1-2 *Jesu dulcis memoria*, attr. to St. Bernard of Clairvaux c.1090-1153 tr. Edward Caswall, 1814-1878, alt.
 vs. 3 *Tibi dixit cor meum*, Ps. 27:8-9; Introit for Lent II; adapted Clayton Orr (c) 2020
 Tune: ST. AGNES CM, John Bacchu Dykes, 1823-1876

Again We Keep This Solemn Fast

4

My eyes are always on the Lord, for he rescues my feet from the snare. Turn to me and have mercy on me, for I am alone and poor.. — *Ps. 25:15-16 (Introit for the 3rd Sunday of Lent)*



1. My eyes are al - ways on the Lord, for
 2. Praise Fa - ther, Son, and Ho - ly Ghost, Most



he will res - cue me; From snares re - lease, Lord
 Bless - ed Trin - i - ty; From days of yore, to



turn to me, have mer - cy, hear my plea. For
 pre-sent hour, when time shall cease to be. My



I am poor, a - lone and lost, do not a - ban-don
 eyes are al - ways on the Lord, for he will res - cue

me; To you O Lord I lift my soul, spare
me; From snares re - lease, Lord turn to me, have
me in - dig - ni - ty.
mer - cy, hear my plea.

Text: Psalm 25: 15, 16, 1, 2; *Oculi mei*; Introit, Lent 3; adapted Greg Heislman, © 2014, 2020.
Tune: KINGSFOLD, CMD

4

Jerusalem, My Happy Home

Rejoice, Jerusalem, and all who love her. Be joyful, all who were in mourning; exult and be satisfied at her consoling breast. *Isaiah 66: 11-10 (Introit for the 4th Sunday of Lent)*

1. Je - ru - sa - lem, my hap - py home, when
2. Your saints are crowned with glo - ry great; they
Introit: Re - joice, Je - ru - sal - em, re - joice, and
Dox. All praise to God the Fa - ther be, and
1. shall I with you be? When shall my sor - rows
2. see God face to face; They tri - umph still they
3. ga - ther all a - round. Re - joice, all who in
4. to his on - ly Son, Who with the Ho - ly
1. have an end? Your joys, when shall I see?
2. still re - joice in that most ho - ly place.
3. sor - row dwell, your glad - ness now a - bound.
4. Spi - rit reign, the bless - ed Three in One.

Text: vs. 1-2 Joseph Bromehead, 1747-1826, alt. vs. 3 *Laetare Jerusalem*; Isaiah 66:10-11, Introit for Lent IV, adapted Greg Heislman (c) 2020
Tune: LAND OF REST; 19th C. American folk hymn; harm. Richard Proulx, 1937-2010

O Sacred Head, Surrounded

5

Give me justice, O God, and plead my cause against a nation that is faithless. From the deceitful and cunning rescue me, for you, O God, are my strength. — *Ps. 42:1-2 (Introit for the 5th Sunday of Lent)*



1. O Sac-red Head, sur - round - ed By crown of pierc-ing thorn!
Introit Judge me, O God of jus - tice, And plead my right-eous cause



1. O bleed-ing Head, so wound - ed, Re - viled and put_ to scorn!
2. A - gainst a god-less na - tion, Who break and scorn your laws.



1. No come-li - ness or beau - ty Your wound-ed face be - trays,
2. Save me from the de - ceit - ful, And from the hid-den snare,



1. Yet an - gel hosts a - dore you, And trem-ble as they gaze.
2. For you are all my cour - age, My hope a - gainst des - pair.

Text: vs. 1 *Salve caput cruentatum*; attr. St. Bernard of Clairvaux, c.1090-1153, tr, Henry W. Baker, 1821-1877
vs. 2 *Judica me, Deus*; Ps. 43:1-2 Introits for Lent V adapt. Clayton Orr © 2020.
Tune: PASSION CHORALE, 7676D, Hans Leo Hassler, 1601, harm J.S. Bach, 1675-1750

Refrain *for Ash Wednesday only*

Ash Wednesday: Sign us with ash - es, mer - ci - ful God,
 Chil - dren of dust, as to dust we re - turn. Sign us with
 ash - es, mer - ci - ful God; Mark us and make us your
 own. *To verses* || *Last time*
 own, mark us and make us your own.

Refrain *for the remainder of Lent*

Lent Communion: Feed us and guide us, mer - ci - ful God,
 Light, when the shad - ows of life cloud our view. Feed us and
 guide us, mer - ci - ful God, Peo - ple who hun - ger for
 you. *To verses* || *Last time*
 you, peo - ple who hun - ger for you.

Verses

1. Sure-ly, you a - lone can save us.	You pay our price with
2. Sure-ly, you a - lone up - hold us.	You give us strength for
3. Sure-ly, you a - lone can heal us.	Yours is the will to
4. Sure-ly, you a - lone can free us.	You break the bonds of
5. Sure-ly, you a - lone re - fine us.	You give us grace for
6. Sure-ly, you a - lone re - deem us.	You fill our dust with



pre - cious blood. Reach - ing through your great com -
 all our needs. Shield - ing with a fa - ther's
 make us whole. Sooth - ing with a moth - er's
 guilt and sin. Brac - ing, till we walk up -
 lives made new, Forg - ing, through your fire and
 ho - ly breath. Burst - ing from the grave in



pas - sion, You lift up your peo - ple with love.
 fa - vor, You bless us with par - don and peace.
 kind - ness, The con - trite of heart you con - sole.
 right - ly, You bol - ster our hope once a - gain.
 ra - diance, A sac - ri - fice wor - thy for you.
 glo - ry, You rise from the ash - es of death.

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 Tune: INDIGO, LM with refrain; Tony E. Alonso, b.1980, © 2009, GIA Publications, Inc.

O God, Our Help in Ages Past

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ST. ANNE



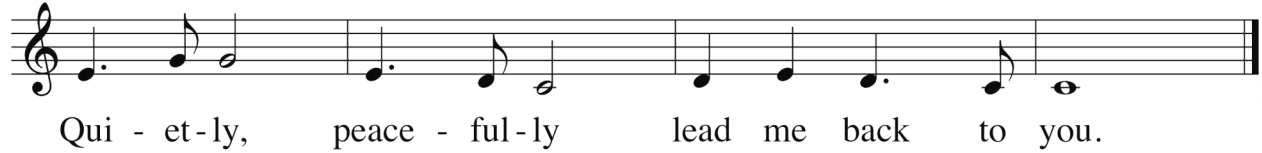
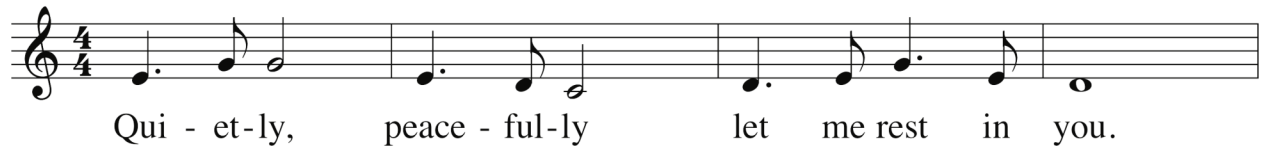
1. O God, our Help in a - ges past, Our Hope for years to come,
2. Be - fore the hills in or - der stood, Or earth re - ceived her frame,
3. A thou - sand a - ges in thy sight Are like an eve - ning gone;
4. Time, like an ev - er - roll - ing stream, Soon bears us all a - way;
5. O God, our Help in a - ges past, Our Hope for years to come,



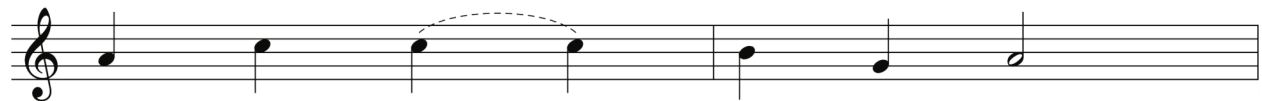
1. Our Shel - ter from the storm - y blast, And our e - ter - nal Home.
2. From ev - er - last - ing thou art God, To end - less years the same.
3. Short as the watch that ends the night Be - fore the ris - ing sun.
4. We fly for - got - ten, as a dream Dies at the o - p'ning day.
5. Be thou our Guard while life shall last, And our e - ter - nal Home.

Text: CM; Psalm 90, adapted by Isaac Watts, 1674-1748. Music: William Croft, 1678-1727.

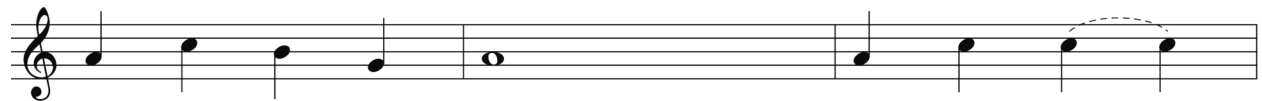
Refrain



Verses



1. In my weak - ness I have strayed,
2. Breathe your law deep in me,
3. Save me from my self - ish ways,
4. Lov - ing wis - dom, you a - lone
5. Hap - py is the heart that's free,
6. In the night I call to you;
7. Heal - ing grace, take my pain,



drift - ing far from you.	In your good - ness
plant it in my soul.	Let your jus - tice
keep me from my pride.	By your grace,
know all I can be.	You, the hope my
choos - ing life with you.	Break the chains that
can you hear me cry?	Sad and fear - ful,
guard me night and day.	Show - er me

D.C.



stead - y me,	light my path to you.
be my song,	kind - ness be my goal.
bring me home,	safe - ly by your side.
spir - it seeks,	come and set me free.
bind my soul,	let me walk with you.
still I plead:	do not pass me by.
with your love,	wash my tears a - way.

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Tune: Antonin Dvořák, 1841–1904; adapt. by Lori True, b.1961, © 2007, GIA Publications, Inc.

Were I the Perfect Child of God

9



1. Were I the per - fect child of God Whose
2. Yet God, who knows me first and last, Who's
3. Then sprin - kle wa - ter on my brow As,



faith was deep and love was broad,
seen my best, my worst, my past,
in this place, I make my vow



Not doubt - ful, guilt - y, worn or flawed, I'd
Has shown his love in - tense and vast By
To own and love my Sav - ior now And



glad - ly fol - low Je - sus. But I'm the child of
meet - ing me in Je - sus. For Christ, though killed at
give my - self to Je - sus. God grant me what I



what I've been, Es - tranged by much I've done and seen,
Cal - va - ry By sins like mine and folk like me,
still re - quire That I, in oth - ers, might in - spire



A - fraid to show the love I mean, Un -
Has ris'n, for - giv'n and set me free, Made
The hid - den hope, the deep de - sire To



fit to fol - low Je - sus.
fit to fol - low Je - sus.
love and fol - low Je - sus.

Refrain



Change our hearts this time, your word says it can be. Change our
 minds this time, your life could make us free. We are the peo-
 - ple your call set a-part, Lord, this time change our
 hearts. hearts. This time change our hearts. This time
 change our minds. This time change our hearts, change our hearts.

Verse 1



1. Brought by your hand to the edge of our dreams, one foot in
 1. par-a-dise, one in the waste; drawn by your prom-is-es,
 1. still we are lured by the shad-ows and the chains we leave be-hind. But

Verses 2, 3



2. Now as we watch you stretch out your hands, of-f'ring a - bun - dan -
 3. Show us the way that leads to your side, o - ver the moun-tains -



2. ces, — full - ness of joy. Your milk and hon - ey seem dis - tant, un -
 3. — and sands of the soul. Be for us man - na, — wa - ter from



2. real, when we have bread and wa - ter in our hands. But
 3. stone, — light which says we nev - er walk a - lone. And

Beyond the Days



Be - yond the days of hope and mys - t'ry we



see a light of faith re - newed, and in our long - ing



we thirst for guid - ance to walk with you day by day.



day, to walk with you day by day. 1. For - ty days and
 2. Not on bread a -
 3. In your hands, O
 4. On our Lent - en



1. nights, you guide the steps of our jour - ney. May your
 2. lone are we to walk on this jour - ney. Speak the
 3. God, we feel the touch of your guid - ance. Keep us
 4. path we see the dawn of a new day. Be our



1. pres - ence be felt in the whis - per of your voice.
 2. words that give life to the yearn - ings of our hearts.
 3. safe in your care: may your gen - tle - ness be there.
 4. vi - sion of hope; be the prom - ise of our lives.

Verse 1

1. You who dwell in the shel-ter of the Lord, who a - bide in his

1. shad-ow for life, say to the Lord: "My ref-uge, my rock in whom I trust!"

to Refrain

Refrain

And he will raise you up on ea - gle's wings, bear you on the

breath of dawn, make you to shine like the

sun, and hold you in the palm of his hand.

to Verses (last time to Coda) ⊕

⊕ Coda

And hold you, hold you in the palm of his hand.

Verse 2

2. The snare of the fowl-er will nev-er cap-ture you, and fam-ine will bring

2. you no fear: un-der his wings your ref-uge, his faith-ful-ness your shield.

to Refrain

Verse 3

3. You need not fear the ter-ror of the night, nor the ar-row that flies by

3. day; though thou-sands fall a - bout you, near you it shall not come.

to Refrain

Verse 4

4. For to his an-gels he's giv-en a com-mand to
 4. guard you in all of your ways; up - on their hands they will
 4. bear you up, lest you dash your foot a-gainst a stone.

to Refrain

Lord, Who Throughout these Forty Days

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1. Lord, who through-out these for - ty days, For us did fast and
 2. As you with Sa - tan did con-tend, And did the vic - t'ry
 3. As you did hun - ger bear and thirst, So teach us, gra-cious
 4. And through these days of pen - i - tence, And through your Pas-sion-
 5. A - bide with us that when this life Of suf - fer - ing is

1. pray, Teach us with you to mourn our sins, And close by you to stay.
 2. win, O give us strength in you to fight, In you to con-quer sin.
 3. Lord, To die to self, and al - ways live By your most ho - ly word.
 4. tide, For - ev - er - more, in life and death, O Lord, with us a - bide.
 5. past, An Ea-ster of un - end - ing joy We may at - tain at last!

Text: CM; Claudia F. Hernaman, 1838–1898, alt. Music: *The Whole Psalmes in Foure Partes*, 1563, alt.

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Transform Us As You, Transfigured



1. Trans - form us as you, trans - fig - ured,
 2. Trans - form us as you, trans - fig - ured,
 3. Trans - form us as you, trans - fig - ured,



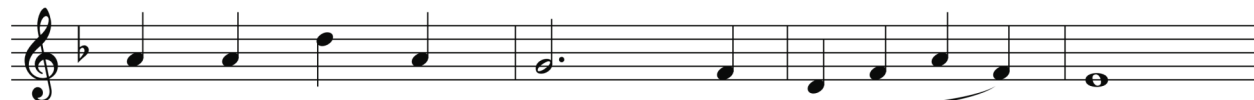
Stood a - part on Ta - bor's height.
 Once spoke with those ho - ly ones.
 Would not stay with - in a shrine.



Lead us up our sa - cred moun - tains,
 We, sur - round - ed by the wit - ness
 Keep us from our great temp - ta - tion—



Search us with re - veal - ing light.
 Of those saints whose work is done,
 Time and truth we quick - ly bind.



Lift us from where we have fall - en,
 Live in this world as your Bod - y,
 Lead us down those dai - ly path - ways



Full of ques - tions, filled with fright.
 Cho - sen daugh - ters, cho - sen sons.
 Where our love is not con - fined.

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 Tune: PICARDY, 8 7 8 7 8 7; French carol

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Christ Be Our Light



Verses
 1. Long-ing for light, — we wait in dark - ness. Long-ing for
 2. Long-ing for peace, — our world is trou - bled. Long-ing for



1. truth, _____ we turn to you. Make us your own, _____
 2. hope, _____ man - y de - spair. Your word a - lone _____



1. your ho - ly peo - ple, light for the world to see.
 2. has pow'r to save us. Make us your liv - ing voice.

Refrain



Christ, be our light! Shine in our hearts. Shine through the dark - ness.



Christ, be our light! Shine in your church gath - ered to - day.

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Amazing Grace

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1. A - maz - ing grace! How sweet the sound That saved *a
 2. 'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear, And grace my
 3. The Lord has prom - ised good to me, His word my
 4. Through man - y dan - gers, toils, and snares, I have al -
 5. When we've been there ten thou - sand years, Bright shin - ing



1. wretch like me! I once was lost, but
 2. fears re - lieved; How pre - cious did that
 3. hope se - cures; He will my shield and
 4. read - y come; 'Tis grace has brought me
 5. as the sun, We've no less days to



1. now am found, Was blind but now I see.
 2. grace ap - pear The hour I first be - lieved!
 3. por - tion be As long as life en - dures.
 4. safe thus far, And grace will lead me home.
 5. sing God's praise Than when we'd first be - gun.

*Alternate text: "and set me free!"

Text: CM; verses 1-4, John Newton, 1725-1807; verse 5, anon., fr. *A Collection of Sacred Ballads*, 1790.
 Music: *Columbian Harmony*, 1829.

Refrain

On - ly this I want: but to know the Lord,
and to bear his cross, so to wear the crown he wore.

Verses

1. All but this is loss, worth-less ref-use to me,
2. I will run the race; I will fight the good fight,
3. Let your heart be glad, al - ways glad in the Lord,

1. for to gain the Lord is to gain ___ all I need.
2. so to win the prize of the king-dom of my Lord.
3. so to shine like stars in the dark-ness of the night.

to Refrain

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How love - ly is Your dwel - ling place, O Lord of
My thir - sty soul pants long - ing - ly, yea faints, Your
Lord God of Hosts, hear now my pray'r; O Ja - cob's
For in Your courts, one day ex - cels a thou - sand
For God the Lord is sun and sheild: he'll grace and
To Fa - ther, Son and Ho - ly Ghost shall we give

Hosts, to me! The ta - ber - na - cles
courts to see: My ve - ry heart and
God, give ear. See God, our sheild, look
else - where in. The House of God shall
glo - ry give; And will with - hold no
end - less praise: As once was, is now,



of Your grace, how plea - sant, Lord, they be!
 flesh cry out to You, e - ter - nal - ly.
 on the face of your a - noint - ed dear.
 I pre - fer than to the tents of sin.
 good from them that do up - right - ly live.
 and shall be un - til the End of Days.

Text: Ps. 84: 1-2, 8-11; Communion for 15th Sunday in Ordinary Time
 Scottish Psalter, 1650 alt. Joseph Guardino (1982 -)
 Tune: ST. COLUMBA CM, Irish Traditional

The Glory of These Forty Days

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ERHALT UNS, HERR



1. The glo - ry of these for - ty days We cel - e -
 2. A - lone and fast - ing Mo - ses saw The lov - ing
 3. So Dan - iel trained his mys - tic sight, De - liv - ered
 4. Then grant that we like them be true, Con - sumed in
 5. O Fa - ther, Son, and Spir - it blest, To you be



1. brate with songs of praise; For Christ, by whom all
 2. God who gave the law; And to E - li - jah,
 3. from the li - ons' might; And John, the Bride - groom's
 4. fast and pray'r with you; Our spir - its strength - en
 5. ev - 'ry pray'r ad - dressed; Who are in three - fold



1. things were made, Him - self has fast - ed and has prayed.
 2. fast - ing, came The steeds and char - i - ots of flame.
 3. friend, be - came The her - ald of Mes - si - ah's name.
 4. with your grace, And give us joy to see your face.
 5. Name a - dored, From age to age the on - ly Lord.

Text: LM; *Clarum decus jejunii*; St. Gregory the Great, ca. 540-604; tr. fr. the *English Hymnal*, 1906;
 Maurice F. Bell, 1862-1947, alt. Music: J. Klug's *Geistliche Lieder*, Wittenberg, 1543;
 adapt. by Johann Sebastian Bach, 1685-1750, alt.

Want to Walk as a Child of the Light



1. I want to walk as a child of the light.
 2. I want to see the bright-ness of God.
 3. I'm look - ing for the com - ing of Christ.



I want to fol - low Je - sus.
 I want to look at Je - sus.
 I want to be with Je - sus.



God set the stars to give light to the world. The
 Clear sun of right-eous-ness shine on my path. And
 When we have run with pa-tience the race, We



star of my life is Je - sus.
 show me the way to the Fa - ther.
 shall know the joy of Je - sus.



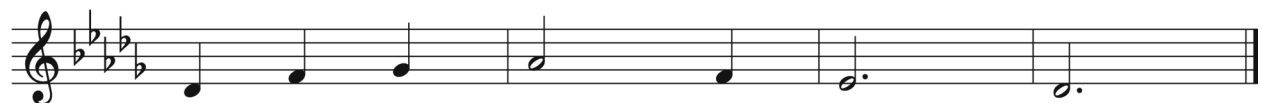
In him there is no dark - ness at all. The



night and the day are both a - like. The



Lamb is the light of the cit - y of God.



Shine in my heart, Lord Je - sus.

Text: Ephesians 5:8-10, Revelation 21:23, John 12:46, 1 John 1:5, Hebrews 12:1; Kathleen Thomerson, b.1934, © 1970, 1975, Celebration
 Tune: HOUSTON, 10 7 10 8 9 9 10 7; Kathleen Thomerson, b.1934, © 1970, 1975, Celebration

Jerusalem, My Destiny

Refrain

I have fixed my eyes on your hills, Je - ru - sa - lem, my
des - ti - ny! Though I can - not see the end for me, I
can - not turn a - way. We have set our hearts for the
way; this jour - ney is our des - ti - ny. Let no one walk a -
lone. The jour - ney makes us one.

Verses

1. Oth - er spir - its, less - er gods, have court - ed me with lies.
2. See, I leave the past be - hind; a new land calls to me.
3. In my thirst, you let me drink the wa - ters of your life.
4. All the worlds I have not seen you o - pen to my view.
5. To the tombs I went to mourn the hope I thought was gone.

D.C.

Here a - mong you I have found a truth which bids me rise.
Here a - mong you now I find a glimpse of what might be.
Here a - mong you I have met the sa - viour, Je - sus Christ.
Here a - mong you I have found a vi - sion, bright and new.
Here a - mong you I a - woke to un - ex - pect - ed dawn.

Text: Rory Cooney, b.1952
Tune: Rory Cooney, b.1952
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PRAYER TO ST. MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL
recited after the Final Blessing

St. Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle, be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him we humbly pray; and do thou, O Prince of the Heavenly host, by the power of God, cast into hell Satan and all the evil spirits who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.

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