

# Urban Abbey Liturgy of the Divine Hours

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# Introduction

The moments when we discover more of God, through the disclosures of His Spirit, are radically life-changing. We feel the wind of a different land upon our face.

Sometimes a gust of salty, bracing air, comes in like a gale and its cleansing power, scales away layers of the self.

Oft times a sweet and gentle zephyr wafts past and the fragrance of celestial blooms enchant us toward a place where the remains of age-old memories, from the birthing of the cosmos, whisper, “further in, higher up!”

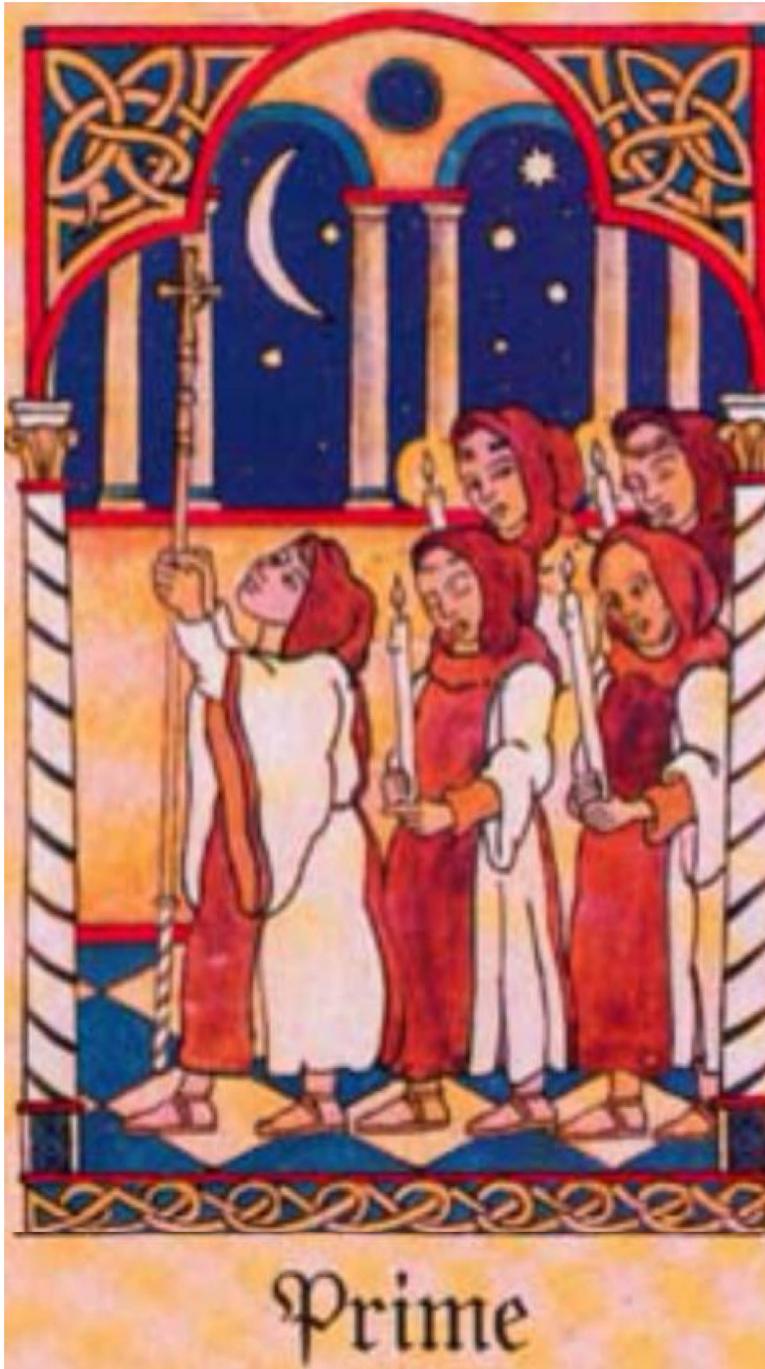
But, always, the wind blows where it lists, and no person can divine where it goes or whence it came from. But the wake of the wind is unmistakable on the restless sea of humanity - waves are stilled and strivings cease.

For dead hearts are resurrected.  
Forgotten faith is fired anew.  
Flagging hope is restored.  
Fervent love is birthed and  
Fragmented persons are made whole!

The purpose of our liturgies is to fashion sails for the souls of human creatures so they may catch the wind of the Spirit of God and be swept toward Jesus.



# We Rise to Greet the Day!



In the Name of Jesus

We engage in Lectio Divina  
and prayer.

To commemorate the  
resurrection of our LORD  
from the grave...

As His night became day!

# Monday: PRIME

## Greeting

Welcome to a fresh, new day of basking in the Providence and Grace of our God. We rise up to greet Father, Son and Holy Spirit as the day rises to greet the sun.

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

All: **Amen**

We lift up our hearts to you in the morning, Lord God.

All: **We lift up our heart to you.**

## Lectio Divina

We take this first half hour of our morning to copy the Scriptures.

## Prayer

Let us pray back to the Lord those things you have read in His word today.

## Song

**Come as You Are** by David Crowder p.57.

## Reflective Reading from Dachau

*"If I said, "Yes, I forgive, but I cannot forget," as though God, who twice a day washes all the sand on all the shores of all the world, could not wash such memories from my mind, then I know nothing of Calvary love." Amy Carmichael "If"*

All: **Thank You that Your providence and power not only send waves of water to wash our shores; but Your love sends waves of grace, through the blood of Jesus, to wash away our sin.**

## Benediction

"Unto God's gracious mercy and protection we commit you. The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord make His face to shine upon you, and be gracious unto you. The Lord lift up his countenance upon you, and give you peace, both now and evermore."



## Tuesday: PRIME

### Greeting

Welcome to a fresh, new day of basking in the providence and grace of our God.  
We rise up to greet Father, Son and Holy Spirit as the day rises to greet the sun.  
In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

All: **Amen**

We lift our hearts to You in the morning, Lord God.

All: **We lift our heart to You.**

### Lectio Divina

We take this first half hour of our morning to copy the Scriptures.

### Prayer

Let us pray back to the Lord those things you have read in His word today.

### Song

*Great is Thy Faithfulness* p. 58.

### Reflective Reading from Thomas Merton

*“Sometimes contemplatives think that the whole end and essence of their life is found in recollection and interior peace and the sense of the presence of God. They become attached to these things. But recollection is just as much a creature as an automobile. The sense of interior peace is no less created than a bottle of wine. The experimental “awareness” of the presence of God is just as truly a created thing as a glass of beer. The only difference is that recollection and interior peace and the sense of the presence of God are spiritual pleasures and the others are material. Attachment to spiritual things is therefore just as much an attachment as inordinate love of anything else. The imperfection may be more hidden and more subtle: but from a certain point of view that only makes it all the more harmful because it is not so easy to recognize.”*

*Thomas Merton in “Seeds of Contemplation”*

All: **Lord, may you, and not the feelings we enjoy from contemplation of you, be our true joy!**

### Benediction

“Christ, King of tenderness, Christ, King of love. Bind us with a bond of love through humility. A bond that cannot be broken because it is a blood bond. A bond that was created when each of us was washed in the blood of the Lamb. By your blood, and your blood alone, make us, your blood-bought people, one”



## Wednesday: PRIME

### Greeting

Welcome to a fresh, new day of basking in the providence and grace of our God. We rise up to greet Father, Son and Holy Spirit as the day rises to greet the sun.  
In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

All: **Amen**

We lift our hearts to you in the morning, Lord God.

All: **We lift our heart to you.**

### Lectio Divina

We take this first half hour of our morning to copy the Scriptures.

### PRAYER

Let us pray back to the Lord those things you have read in His word today.

### Song

*Man of Sorrows, What a Name!* p. 60.

### Reflective Reading Adapted from Saint Athanasius

Jesus grew up as a lad hearing the prophesies of His own death. Moses had proclaimed in a loud voice, *"You will see your life hanging before your eyes, and you will not believe."* (Deut 28:66). After Moses, the other prophets also witnessed, saying this: *"But I, as a gentle lamb led to the slaughter, knew it not. And they plotted wickedly against me saying, 'Come let us cast wood in his bread and efface him from the land of the living'."* (Jer 11:19). And again, *"They pierced my hands and my feet, they numbered all my bones, they divided my garments among them, and for my vesture, they cast lots"* (Ps 21:17-19). But, death in the air, taking place on wood, could be none other than the cross; in no other death are the hands and feet pierced, except on the cross. Since, by the sojourn of the Savior, all nations, everywhere have begun to recognize God, they did not even leave out this undeclared, for there is also mention of it in the holy letters, *"He will be,"* it says, *"the root of Jesse and he that rises to rule the nations, and in him will the nations hope"* (Is 11:10).

All **The prophets foretold what the world could not imagine - the death of the Darling of Heaven.  
We, your people, look back, so that we might look forward, to the future.  
We like the generations before us cannot imagine -  
life with you in its fullest. Maranatha! Come Lord Jesus!**

### Benediction

"Now may Jesus Christ, who conquered sin and overcame every temptation grant you deliverance from every evil. In His mercy may he keep you from sin as you wait in joyful hope for His soon return. For to Him alone belongs the kingdom, the power and the glory, now - and evermore"



## Thursday: PRIME

### Greeting

Welcome to a fresh, new day of basking in the providence and grace of our God. We rise up to greet Father, Son and Holy Spirit as the day rises to greet the sun.  
In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

All: **Amen**

We lift our hearts to you in the morning, Lord God.

All: **We lift our heart to you.**

### Lectio Divina

We take this first half hour of our morning to copy the Scriptures.

### PRAYER

Let us pray back to the Lord those things you have read in His word today.

### Song

*O For a Faith that Will Not Shrink* p. 61

### Reflective Reading from "Wild Goose of Iona"

*"We must boldly ask our Father: Where hearts that once held love are bare, and faith, in shreds, compounds the mess; where hymns and prayers no longer speak and former friends no longer bless; and when the church where some belonged no more their loyalty enthrones, the plea is made, 'If you are there, turn stumbling blocks to stepping stones.'  
Ah, God, You with the Maker's eye, can tell if all that's feared is real, and see if life is more than what we suffer, dread, despise and feel. If some by faith no longer stand nor hear the truth Your voice intones, stretch out Your hand to help Your folk from stumbling blocks to stepping stones."*

All: **O Lord, increase our faith.**

### Benediction

"When shadows grow thick and gloom rises within - God be thy hope.  
When aimless distractions and jaded boredom control - Christ be thy Life  
When anxiety, doubt, distress and fear overwhelm -Holy Spirit be thy Comforter."



## Friday: PRIME

### Greeting

Welcome to a fresh, new day of basking in the providence and grace of our God.

We rise up to greet Father, Son and Holy Spirit as the day rises to greet the sun.

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

All: **Amen**

We lift our hearts to you in the morning, Lord God.

All: **We lift our heart to you.**

### Lectio Divina

We take this first half hour of our morning to copy the Scriptures.

### Prayer

Let us pray back to the Lord those things you have read in His word today.

### Song

Here's My Heart, Lord p. 62

### Reflective Reading Adapted from Frederick Buechner

What is both Good and New about the Good News?

1. The wild claim that Jesus did not simply tell us that God loves us even in our wickedness and folly and wants us to love each other the same way and to love Him too; but that if we let Him, God will actually bring about this unprecedented transformation of our hearts Himself.
2. The mad insistence that Jesus lives on among us, not just as another haunting memory but as the outlandish, holy, and invisible power of God working not just through the sacraments but in countless hidden ways to make even slobs like us loving and whole...

All **O Holy Terror, Jesus Christ, invade us with your outlandish power!  
Change us, for we cannot change ourselves!**

### Benediction

“Now may Jesus Christ who conquered sin and overcame every temptation grant you deliverance from every evil. May He grant you peace in your day. In His mercy may he keep you from sin and protect you from anxiety as you wait in joyful hope for His soon return. For to Him alone belongs the kingdom, the power and the glory, now - and evermore”



## Saturday: PRIME

### Greeting

Welcome to a fresh, new day of basking in the providence and grace of our God.  
We rise up to greet Father, Son and Holy Spirit as the day rises to greet the sun.  
In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

All: **Amen**

We lift our hearts to you in the morning, Lord God.

All: **We lift our heart to you.**

### Lectio Divina

We take this first half hour of our morning to copy the Scriptures.

### PRAYER

Let us pray back to the Lord those things you have read in His word today.

### Song

Be Thou My Vision p. 51

### Reflective Reading Adapted from Howard Thurman

*There must be always, remaining in every person's life some place for the singing of angels, some place for that which in itself is breathlessly beautiful and, by an inherent prerogative, throws all the rest of life into a new and creative relatedness, something that gathers up in itself all the freshets of experience from drab and commonplace areas of living and glows in one bright white light of penetrating beauty and meaning - then passes. The commonplace is shot through with new glory; old burdens become lighter; deep and ancient wounds lose much of their old, old hurting. A crown is placed over our heads that for the rest of our lives we are trying to grow tall enough to wear. Despite all the crassness of life, despite all the hardness of life, despite all the harsh discords of life, life is saved by hearing the song of the angels, "Worthy are you to take the book and to break its seals; for You were slain, and purchased for God, with Your blood, people from every tribe and tongue and people and nation."*

All **O Holy Spirit, never allow our hearts to cease hearing that song of the angels that proclaims the glory of the Lamb who was slain and purchased us for our God!**

### Benediction

"May the Eternal God, who is the hope and joy of this generation go with you.  
As throughout the ages He has given men and women the power to seek Him,  
and in seeking Him to find Him. So May the Spirit of God grant you, children  
of God our Father, a more clear vision of God's truth, a greater faith in the Spirit's  
power and a more confident assurance of the Saviour's love."



# We Rejoice in the Word of the Lord



For the Sake of Jesus.

We do Psalms reading  
and  
seek illumination  
from the Spirit

To discern as earthed  
persons how to choose  
the Way of the Cross!

## Monday: TERCE

### Greeting

In the season between seasons of the Christian calendar, we begin each day by celebrating our Father -God of all grace, the Son- Lamb of God and Holy Spirit- our Guide into all Truth. In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

All: **Amen**

The God of all grace be with you!

All: **And also with you!**

### Theme Meditation

So much of our life seems to be devoid of events that can be labeled, “important.” The content and quality of our life will likely be determined by our responses to the ordinary. Let us see the Hand of God in the providences and circumstances of this day! Amen

### Reading of Psalms

You, O Lord have preserved the thoughts and prayers of your people throughout generations.

All: **Glory to you, O Lord!**

May we listen to their words and find within them the Light of Life

All: **And in the listening and living of these words might we shine as the light of the world.**

Give ear to the reading of God’s Word.

All: **We open our ears, Lord, help us to listen.**

A reading from the Psalms beginning in Psalm One and reading to Psalm Thirteen  
Your Word, O Lord, is Truth and Life!

All: **Thanks be to God**

### Song

*Be Thou My Vision* p. 51.

### Prayer

We call upon You, O God

All: **For You will answer us Lord**

Incline your ear to us

All: **Hear our speech**

Wondrously show your loving kindness.

All: **O, Savior of those who take refuge at your right hand.**

Let us pray back to the Lord the things we heard from His word this day!

### Benediction

“Now may the Lord lift up the light of His countenance upon you, and give you peace, in your going out and in your coming in; in your sitting down and your rising up; in your work and in your play; in your joy and in your sorrow, in your laughter and in your tears; until that day comes which is without dawn and without dark.” Amen.



## Tuesday: TERCE

### Greeting

In the season between seasons of the Christian calendar, we begin each day by celebrating our Father -Provider of all things, the Son- Savior to all who call on His name and Holy Spirit- our Comforter & Guide.

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

All: **Amen**

May the God who comes near be with you!

All: **And also with you!**

### Theme Meditation

*“A job is a vocation only if someone else calls you to do it for them rather than for yourself. And so our work can be a calling only if it is re-imagined as a mission of service to something beyond merely our own interests. Thinking of work mainly as a means of self-fulfillment and self-realization slowly crushes a person.”* Timothy Keller

### Reading of Psalms

The heavens declare Your glory, O Lord,

All: **And the sky above proclaims the work of Your hands!**

Day to day pours out speech and night to night reveals knowledge.

All: **There is no speech nor is there a language where your voice is not heard.  
We listen for your voice in this place, O God, our Maker and Sustainer.**

Give ear to the reading of God's Word.

All: **We open our ears, Lord, help us to listen.**

A reading from the Psalms beginning in Psalm One and reading to Psalm Twenty-Six to Psalm Thirty-Eight

In Your Word we see Light

All: **Thanks be to God**

### Song

*To Hear Your Voice* p. 54.

### Prayer

Let us pray back to the Lord those things you have read in His word today.

### Benediction

*“Father you are full of compassion, I commit and commend these to you. Be the Goal of their pilgrimage, and their Rest by the way. Let their souls take refuge from the crowding turmoil of worldly thoughts beneath the shadow of your wings; let their hearts, that sea of restless waves, find peace in you, O God. Amen.”* A prayer of St. Augustine.



## Wednesday: TERCE

### Greeting

In the season between seasons of the Christian calendar, we begin each day by celebrating our Father -who dwells in unapproachable light, the Son- our Refuge and Holy Spirit- our Strength  
In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

All: **Amen**

May the Father of lights with whom there is no variation or shadow due to change continue to bless you with every good and every perfect gift.

All: **And also bless you!**

### Theme Meditation

*“Satan, in case you want me then you will find me - in the Presence of God,  
and in that presence you cannot follow  
‘cos I’ll be resting in the Spirit of God,  
and there is no fellowship twixt darkness and light;  
and there is no compromise twixt wrong and right.  
I’m gonna keep my life bright!  
Satan you’re not forgotten,  
we’re out to get you, so tell me  
how does it feel?  
Have you seen Coventry- at the Cathedral?  
there is an angel, and you are under his heel.”*

Bill Davidson

### Reading of Psalms

The Word of God is creative and powerful,

All: **It does not return empty from that which he sends it to accomplish.**

Lord release your creative Word in us today,

All: **We long to be changed by the power of your Word through the Spirit!**

Give ear to the reading of God’s Word.

All: **We open our ears, Lord help us to listen.**

A reading from the Psalms beginning in Psalm Fifty-One and reading to Psalm Sixty-Three  
The Word of the Lord is recreating our hearts!

All: **Thanks be to God**

### Song

*Step by Step* p. 53

### Prayer

Let us pray back to the Lord those things you have read in His word today.

### Benediction

*“May the grace of Christ our Savior, and the Father’s boundless love, with the Holy Spirit’s favor,  
rest upon you from above. Thus may we abide in union, with each other and the Lord, and possess  
in sweet communion joys which earth cannot afford.” Amen*

A prayer of John Newton



## Thursday: TERCE

### Greeting

In the season between seasons of the Christian calendar, we begin each day by celebrating our Father -the Holy One, the Son- Bright & Morning Star and Holy Spirit- the one who assures our hearts! In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

All: **Amen**

May the presence of the God who is continually with you and holds your right hand be with you,

All: **And also with you!**

### Theme Meditation

*“Come, Lord, and speak to my heart. Communicate to it your holy will, and mercifully work within it both to will and to do according to your good pleasure.*

*Alas! how long shall my exile be prolonged?*

*When shall the veil be removed which separates time from eternity?*

*When shall I see that which I now believe? When shall I find what I seek?*

*When shall I possess what I love, which is you, O my God.*

*Grant, O Jesus, that these holy desires with which you now inspire me,*

*may be followed by that eternal happiness which I hope for from your infinite mercy.”*

*Amen*

*A prayer of Thomas a Kempis*

### Reading of Psalms

Lord, you guide us with your counsel and afterward you will receive us to glory.

All: **Whom have I in heaven but you? And there is nothing on earth that I desire besides you.**

Our flesh and our heart may fail,

All: **but God is the strength of my heart and my portion forever.**

Give ear to the reading of God’s Word.

All: **We open our ears, Lord help us to listen.**

A reading from the Psalms beginning in Psalm Seventy-six to Psalm Eighty-nine

This is the Word of the Lord

All: **Thanks be to God**

### Song

*None But Thee* p. 52.

### Prayer

Let us pray back to the Lord those things you have read in His word today.

### Benediction

*“Now may the Lord lift up the light of His countenance upon you, and give you peace, in your going out and in your coming in; in your sitting down and your rising up; in your work and in your play; in your joy and in your sorrow, in your laughter and in your tears, until that day comes which is without dawn and without dark.”* A prayer of Thomas Graham



## Friday: TERCE

### Greeting

In the season between seasons of the Christian calendar, we begin each day by celebrating our Father -the Unchanging One, the Son- from the Father's Side and Holy Spirit- the giver of Gifts! In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

All: **Amen**

May the God who breathes galaxies into being and knits babies together in their mother's womb be with you.

All: **And also with you!**

### Theme Meditation

*"There is no need for fret when faithfully turning to Him, if He leads us but slowly into His secret chambers. If He gives us increasing steadiness in the deeper sense of His presence, we can only quietly thank Him... For we cannot take Him by storm. The strong man must become a little child, not understanding but trusting the Father." C. S. Lewis*

### Reading of Psalms

Lord, you are the Vine

All: **and we are the branches.**

Restore our hearts in this hour,

All: **Remove the blocks of distraction and discouragement that make us fruitless.**

We are already clean because of the Word that you have spoken to us,

All: **we want to abide in you, help us Lord Jesus.**

Lord have mercy

All: **Christ have mercy**

Give ear to the reading of God's Word.

All: **We open our ears, Lord help us to listen.**

Lead: A reading from the Psalms beginning in Psalm One Hundred and One and reading to Psalm One Hundred and Thirteen

The Word of the Lord

All: Thanks be to God

### Song

*How Great is Our God* p. 55.

### Prayer

Let us pray back to the Lord those things you have read in His word today.

### Benediction

"May God grant you the grace to adore Him for who He is in Himself, apart from any consideration of the impact of His personhood upon your desires and your welfare. May the Spirit give you mercy to love Him alone, apart from the gifts. As you go out from this place, may the Son go with you and in your going may you walk with Him, journey beside Him, obey Him and love Him for who He is - friend of sinners, Lord of love."



## Saturday: TERCE

### Greeting

In the season between seasons of the Christian calendar, we begin each day by celebrating our Father -the Only Wise God, the Son- Lord Sabaoth-Lord of hosts and Holy Spirit- Breath of God. In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

All: **Amen**

May the God unto whom belong greatness and power and glory and majesty and the victory be with you

All: **And also with you!**

### Theme Meditation

*“The first barrier to meekness arises whenever we claim as our own what is really a gift of God. To live in meekness, we must try to remember that all we are, have, and can do is a gift. It is an act of arrogance to place ourselves at the center of being and doing. Only God belongs there”*

Susan Annette Muto

### Reading of Psalms

All that is in the heavens and in the earth is Yours.

All: **Yours is the kingdom, O Lord. You are exalted as head above all!  
Both riches and honor; come from you, and you rule over all.**

In your hand are power and might,

All: **and in your hand it is to make great and to give strength to all  
And now we thank you, our God, and praise Your glorious name.**

Give ear to the reading of God’s Word.

All: **We open our ears, Lord help us to listen.**

A reading from the Psalms beginning in Psalm One Hundred and Twenty-Six and reading to Psalm One Hundred and Thirty-Eight.

### Song

*The Gates* p. 56.

### Prayer

Let us pray back to the Lord those things you have read in His word today.

### Benediction

*“God be in your head and in your understanding*

*God be in your eyes and in your looking,*

*God be in your mouth and in your speaking*

*God be in your heart and in your thinking*

*God be at your end and at your departing” Amen*

*Sarum Primer 1558*



## We Cry Out on Behalf of the Human Family



For the Glory of Jesus,  
Lord Sabaoth

We listen to  
ancient poetry.

And petition for  
humanity-  
that this tossed  
and restless sea  
would find  
Rest in God, alone!

## Monday: SEXT

### Greeting

May the Spirit of the Lord God who has anointed us to bring Good News be with you

All: **And also with you!**

### Old Testament Reading

Open your hearts to receive the Word of the Lord

All: **We open our hearts to the Word of the Lord**

Please turn with me to the Old Testament passage for today, listed on pp. 46, 47.

All: **Glory to You, O Lord**

Read Old Testament passage.

The Word of the Lord

All: **Thanks be to God**

### Ancient Irish Poem

Blessing and brightness,  
Wisdom, thanksgiving,  
Great power and might  
To the King who rules over all.  
Glory and honor and goodwill,  
Praise and the sublime song of minstrels,  
Exceeding love from every heart  
To the King of heaven and earth.  
To the chosen Trinity has been joined  
Before all, after all, universal  
Blessing and everlasting blessing,  
Blessing everlasting and blessing.

### Prayer

The Lord has sent us to preach Good News to the poor;

All: **He has sent us to bind up the brokenhearted, to proclaim liberty to the captives, and the opening of the prison for those who are bound; to proclaim the year of the Lord's favor, and the day of vengeance of our God.**

Let us stand and cry out to the Lord for those who are brokenhearted, for those who have lost their liberty, for those who are captives, that they might find the Lord's favor.

(give plenty of time for corporate prayer for the world)

Let us kneel before the Lord and silently pray for our world.

(give plenty of time for silent, individual prayer for the world).

### Benediction

"We bless the lives of all whose lives have been touched by tragedy, whether by accident or a deliberate act - with the peace of the presence of God.

We bless all those who mourn - with the overshadowing of your love, with your light to lead them through this darkness, with your arms to carry them again into the light.

We bless those who bring comfort - with Your words and Your silences.

We bless all who are suffering harm -with the presence of Jesus Christ whose own suffering brought us life, here and for eternity." Amen

*adapted from John Birch*



## Tuesday: SEXT

### Greeting

May the God who abundantly pardons be with you

All: **And also with you!**

### Old Testament Reading

Open your hearts to receive the Word of the Lord

All: **We open our hearts to the Word of the Lord**

Please turn with me to the Old Testament Reading - for today, listed on pp. 46, 47.

All: **Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ!**

Read Old Testament Passage

The Word of the Lord

All: **Thanks be to God**

### Poem by Anna L. Waring

Wherever He may guide me,  
no want shall turn me back;  
My Shepherd is beside me,  
and nothing can I lack.  
His wisdom ever waketh,  
His sight is never dim.  
He knows the way He taketh  
and I will walk with Him.

### Prayer

Forgive us that we spend money on that which is not bread

All: **and our labor on that which does not satisfy**

Help us to listen diligently to you,

All: **to incline our ear and come to you, to hear that our souls may live.**

Your promise to us and to our world is this, O Lord:

All: **Seek the Lord while He may be found; call upon Him while He is near, let the wicked forsake his way and the unrighteous person their thoughts; let them return to the Lord that He may have compassion upon them, and to our God, for He will abundantly pardon**

Let us stand and cry out to the Lord for those who are brokenhearted, for those who have lost their liberty, for those who are captives, that they might find the Lord's favor.

(give plenty of time for corporate prayer for the world)

Let us kneel before the Lord and silently pray for our world.

(give plenty of time for silent, individual prayer for the world).

### Benediction

"We are moulded, each one of us, in the image of God,  
and within our souls there is a fingerprint none can erase.

We bless those who have no regard for anyone but self, who put no value on human life -  
with the ability to see their evil.

We bless nations and individuals who abuse and kill - with eyes to see their wickedness.

We bless those who are far from the love of God and far from the love of others -  
with the revelation of how precious are those for whom they have no love, and how precious  
are they who now bring tears to the eyes of God."

*adapted from John Birch*



## Wednesday: SEXT

### Greeting

May the God before whom the mountains quake be with you

All: **And also with you!**

### Old Testament Reading

Open your hearts to receive the Word of the Lord

All: **We open our hearts to the Word of the Lord**

Please turn with me to the Old Testament Reading for today, listed on pp. 46, 47.

All: **Glory to You, O Lord**

Read Old Testament Passage

The Word of the Lord

All: **Praise be to You, Lord Jesus, Savior of our souls!**

### Ancient Welsh Poem

Hail to you, glorious Lord! May church and chancel praise you,  
May chancel and church praise you, May plain and hillside praise you,  
May the three springs praise you, Two higher than the wind and one above the earth,  
May darkness and light praise you, The cedar and the sweet fruit tree.  
Abraham praised you, the founder of faith, May life everlasting praise you,  
May the birds and the bees praise you, May the regrowth and the grass praise you.  
Aaron and Moses praised you, May male and female praise you,  
May the seven days and the stars praise you, May the lower and upper air praise you,  
May books and letters praise you, May the fish in the river praise you,  
May thought and action praise you, May the sand and the earth praise you,  
May all the good things created praise you, And I too shall praise you, Lord of glory,  
Hail to you, glorious Lord!

### Prayer

From of old no one has heard or perceived by the ear

All: **no eye has seen a God besides you, who acts for those who wait for him.**

We confess that we have sinned, and in those sins we have been a long time

All: **And shall we be saved?**

Let us stand and cry out to the Lord for those who are brokenhearted, for those who have lost their liberty, for those who are captives, that they might find the Lord's favor.

Let us kneel before the Lord and silently pray for our world.

### Benediction

"God of wholeness, God of Grace, to you we bring our thanks and praise.

We bless a world that searches - with the presence of our God who is a lamp that shines.

We bless a world that is hungry - with the presence of our God who is the food that sustains.

We bless a world that suffers - with the presence of our God who is the hope of release.

We bless a world that is broken - with the presence of our God who is the one who restores.

We bless a world full of hate - with the presence of our God who is a love that forgives.

We bless a world that denies - with the presence of our God who is the truth that endures.

To this God we bring our thanks and praise, God of wholeness, God of grace."

*adapted from John Birch*



## Thursday SEXT

### Greeting

May the God who sits enthroned forever, who establishes his throne for justice and who judges the world with righteousness be with you

All: **And also with you!**

### Old Testament Reading

Open your hearts to receive the Word of the Lord

All: **We open our hearts to the Word of the Lord**

Please turn with me to the passage for today, listed on pp. 46, 47.

All: **Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ!**

Read Old Testament Passage

The Word of the Lord

All: **Thanks be to God**

### Ancient Welsh Poem: Praise to the Trinity

I praise the threefold Trinity as God,  
Who is One and Three, A single power in unity,  
His attributes a single mystery, One God to praise.  
Great King, I praise you, Great your glory.  
Your praise is true; I am the one who praises you.  
Poetry's welfare Is in Elohim's care.  
Hail to you, O Christ, Father, Son,  
And Holy Ghost, Our Adonai

### Prayer

The Lord is a stronghold for the oppressed

All: **a stronghold in times of trouble**

And those who know your name and put their trust in you,

All: **for you, O Lord, have not forsaken those who seek you.**

For the need shall not always be forgotten,

All: **and the hope of the poor shall not perish forever.**

Arise, O Lord! Let not humans prevail;

All: **let the nations be judged before you!**

Put them in fear, O Lord!

All: **Let the nations know that they are but human.**

Let us stand and cry out to the Lord for those who are brokenhearted, for those who have lost their liberty, for those who are captives, that they might find the Lord's favor.

(give plenty of time for corporate prayer for the world)

Let us kneel before the Lord and silently pray for our world.

(give plenty of time for silent, individual prayer for the world).

### Benediction

Bless the hands that bring wholeness to lives blighted by sickness.

Bless the saints who in sad and desperate places bring a sense of hopefulness.

Bless the Christians facing daily opposition showing a faithful witness.

Bless the generosity of the rich and powerful for the gift of thoughtfulness.

Bless the peacemakers working in conditions that are often hazardous.

Bless the politicians whether good or bad for decisions affecting all of us.

Bless our words and actions as we carry your light into places shrouded in darkness.

Bless your children whoever they might be with the warmth of your love and grace.

*adapted from John Birch*



## Friday: SEXT

### Greeting

May the God whose splendor and majesty are before him; whose strength and beauty are in his sanctuary be with you.

All: **And also with you!**

### Old Testament Reading

Open your hearts to receive the Word of the Lord

All: **We open our hearts to the Word of the Lord**

Please turn with me to the Old Testament Reading for today, listed on pp. 46, 47.

All: **Glory to You, O Lord**

Read Old Testament Reading

The Word of the Lord

All: **Praise be to You, Lord Jesus, Savior of our souls!**

### Ancient Welsh Poem: Praise to God

In the name of the Lord, mine to praise, of great praise,  
I shall praise God, great the triumph of His love,  
God who defended us, God who made us, God who saved us,  
God our hope, perfect and honorable, beautiful His blessing.  
We are in God's power, God above, Trinity's king,  
God proved himself our liberation by his suffering,  
God came to be imprisoned in humility. Wise Lord, who will free us by Judgment Day,  
Who will lead us to the feast through his mercy and sanctity,  
In Paradise, in pure release from the burden of sin,  
Who will bring us salvation through penance and the five wounds.  
Terrible grief, God defended us when He took on flesh.  
Man would be lost if the perfect rite had not redeemed him.  
Through the cross, bloodstained, came salvation to the world.  
Christ, strong Shepherd, His honor shall not fail.

### Prayer

Sing to the Lord, bless His name,

All: **tell of his salvation from day to day.**

Declare His glory among the nations,

All: **His marvelous works among the peoples!**

Let us stand and cry out to the Lord for those who are brokenhearted, for those who have lost their liberty, for those who are captives, that they might find the Lord's favor.

Let us kneel before the Lord and silently pray for our world.

### Benediction

" Lord of heaven and earth we bless all nations and peoples, all faiths and no faith - with the revelation of yourself.

We bless all those who are suffering - with the revelation of yourself.

We bless all who are refugees - with the revelation of yourself,

We bless all who are powerful - with the revelation of yourself,

We bless all those who are powerless - with the revelation of yourself,

We bless ordinary people in their everyday lives - with the revelation of yourself

That this world might reflect your love and your glory."

*adapted from John Birch*



## Saturday: SEXT

### Greeting

May the Lord who goes out like a mighty man, like a man of war who stirs up his zeal be with you  
All: **And also with you!**

### Old Testament Reading

Open your hearts to receive the Word of the Lord  
All: **We open our hearts to the Word of the Lord**  
Please turn with me to the Old Testament Reading for today, listed on pp. 46, 47.  
All: **Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ!**  
Read Old Testament Passage  
The Word of the Lord  
All: **Thanks be to God**

### Ancient Welsh Poem: From “The Broom of Devotion”

O holy Jesus, Gentle friend, Morning star, Midday sun adorned, Brilliant flame of righteousness, Life everlasting and eternity, Fountain ever-new, ever-living, ever-lasting, Heart's desire of Patriarchs, Longing of prophets, Master of Apostles and disciples, Giver of the Law, Prince of the New Testament, Judge of doom, Son of the merciful Father without mother in heaven, Son of the true virgin Mary, without father on earth, True and loving brother,  
Give, grant, and impart to me your holy grace and your Holy Spirit, to protect and preserve me from all my sins, present and future, and to kindle in me all righteousness and to establish me in that righteousness to the end of my life. And may you receive me at my life's end into heaven in the unity of the Patriarchs and prophets, in the unity of Apostles and disciples, in the unity of angels and archangels, in the unity which excels every unity, that is, in the unity of the holy and exalted Trinity, Father, Son and Holy Ghost, for I have nothing unless I have it according to the words of Paul the Apostle: “who shall deliver me from the body of this death of sin? Thanks be to God!”

### Prayer

The Lord will lead the blind in a way that they do not know  
All: **in paths that they have not known. He will guide them.**  
God will turn the darkness before them into light,  
All: **the rough places into level ground.**  
These are the things God does,  
All: **He does not forsake them.**  
But those who trust in carved idols and say to metal images, “You are our gods”  
All: **are turned back and utterly put to shame.**  
Let us stand and cry out to the Lord for those who are brokenhearted, for those who have lost their liberty, for those who are captives, that they might find the Lord's favor.  
(give plenty of time for corporate prayer for the world)  
Let us kneel before the Lord and silently pray for our world.  
(give plenty of time for silent, individual prayer for the world).

### Benediction

“God of mercy who is God of war, whose arm is not shortened,  
We bless boys and girls whose childhood has been stolen in the cause of war, prostitution, slavery and greed - with restoration, healing, family and love of God.”

*adapted from John Birch*



## We Intercede on Behalf of the Church of Thunder Bay



In the fellowship of Jesus,  
We read Psalms  
together

And pray for the unity  
of the Christian Family

and the needs of our  
Sisters and Brothers  
around the city.

## Monday: NONES

### Greeting

May the spiritual Rock who is Christ, be with you

All: **And also with you!**

Open your hearts to receive the Word of the Lord with power and conviction through His Spirit.

All: **We open our hearts to the Word of the Lord**

### Reading of the Psalms

Give ear to the reading of God's Word

All: **Open our ears, Lord, help us to listen.**

A reading from Psalm Fourteen and reading to Psalm Twenty-Five  
Your Word, O Lord, is Truth and Life

All: **Thanks be to God**

### Song

*My All in Thee* p. 63.

### Prayer

We call upon You, O God

All: **For You will answer us, Lord**

Incline your ear to us

All: **Hear our hearts and souls through the words we offer.**

Let us pray for the churches in Thunder Bay, the prayer of Paul the apostle for his beloved churches.

We pray for the Church of Thunder Bay, Paul's prayer for Ephesus

All: **"Our glorious Father, the God of our Lord Jesus Christ. Grant the Church of Thunder Bay the Spirit of wisdom and revelation so that we may know You better. We pray that the eyes of our hearts may be enlightened in order that we may know the hope to which You have called us, the riches of Your glorious inheritance in the saints and Your incomparably great power for all of us in Thunder Bay who believe. Amen.**

We will now pray the specific requests that we have received from the churches of Thunder Bay.

### Benediction

We praise You, O God, we acknowledge You to be the Lord.

All of the earth will one day worship You, the Father everlasting.

We bless the Church of Thunder Bay - with a sense of your presence and peace this day.

As they go forth carrying seed, may they return in joy with sheaves of Your ripe harvest.



## Tuesday: NONES

### Greeting

May Jesus Christ, the God-man who was continually betrayed and denied, and then given over to death, be with you

All: **And also with you!**

Open your hearts to receive the Word of the Lord with power and conviction through His Spirit.

All: **We open our hearts to the Spirit, to be taught through His Word.**

### Reading of the Psalms

Give ear to the reading of God's Word

All: **Open our ears, Lord, help us to listen.**

A reading from Psalm Thirty-Nine and reading to Psalm Fifty  
Your Word, O Lord, is Truth and Life

All: **Thanks be to God**

### Song

*I Will be Still* p. 66.

### Prayer

We cry out to you, Our only Lord

All: **For You are full of mercy**

Incline your ear to us

All: **Christ have mercy! Lord have mercy! Christ have mercy!**

Let us pray for the churches in Thunder Bay, the prayer of Paul the apostle for his beloved church.

We pray for the Church of Thunder Bay, Paul's prayer for Colosse

All **We will not cease praying and asking God to fill us with the knowledge of His will through all spiritual wisdom and understanding. We pray this in order that the Church of Thunder Bay may live a life worthy of the Lord and may please Him in every way, bearing fruit in every good work, growing in the knowledge of the Lord and being strengthened with all power according to His glorious might. So that we may have great endurance and patience and joyfully give thanks to the Father who has qualified us to share in the inheritance of the saints in the kingdom of light. Amen**

We will now pray the specific requests that we have received from the churches of Thunder Bay.

### Benediction

Holy, holy, holy, Lord God of Sabaoth!

Heaven and earth are replenished by the majesty of Your glory.

We bless the Church of Thunder Bay- to be replenished with the glory presence of God: to lead and guide,

to comfort and strengthen

to prepare and equip

for every good work, in Jesus' Great and Holy Name!



## Wednesday: NONES

### Greeting

May the Holy Spirit, who sovereignly and wisely arranges all things in the church be with you.

All: **and also with you.**

Open your hearts to receive the Word of the Lord with power and conviction through His Spirit.

All: **We open our hearts to the Spirit, to be taught through His Word.**

### Reading of the Psalms

Give ear to the reading of God's Word

All: **Open our ears, Lord, help us to listen.**

A reading from Psalm Sixty-four and reading to Psalm Seventy-five.

The Spirit takes our hearts and makes them alive to this God's true Word

All: **Thanks be to God**

### Song

*All Who Hear* p. 65.

### Prayer

We call upon You, O God

All: **For you alone rule and reign over this cosmos**

Incline your ear to us

All: **Stoop down this day, and make us great, by answering these our prayers!**

Let us pray for the churches in Thunder Bay, the prayer of Paul the apostle for his beloved church.

We pray for the Church of Thunder Bay, Paul's prayer for Philippi

All **And this is our prayer for the Church of Thunder Bay: that our love may abound more and more in knowledge and depth of insight so that we may be able to discern what is best and may be pure and blameless until the day of Christ, filled with the fruit of righteousness that comes through Jesus Christ – the glory and praise of God. Amen.**

We will now pray the specific requests that we have received from the churches of Thunder Bay.

### Benediction

We praise you, O God!

The Holy Church throughout all the world acknowledge you to be their only true God!

We bless the Church of Thunder Bay with a passion to be

wholly set apart to You

to Your purposes

to Your principles

to Your practices

all of which flow from the centre of Your Being

which is pure love, beyond human comprehension,

but shown to us in the outstretched arms of Jesus

hanging on a cruel cross for our sin. Amen



## Thursday: NONES

### Greeting

May the Father, whose heart is all of love, be with you,

All: **and also with you.**

Open your hearts to receive the Word of the Lord with power and conviction through His Spirit.

All: **We open our hearts to the Spirit, to be taught through His Word.**

### Reading of the Psalms

Give ear to the reading of God's Word

All: **Open our ears, Lord, help us to listen.**

A reading from Psalm Ninety and reading to Psalm One Hundred

The Son shed His very own blood that we might read these living words today!

All: **Thanks be to God**

### Song

*Our Father* p. 64.

### Prayer

We call upon You, O God

All: **For You are our only hope**

Incline your ear to us

All: **As we pray, grant us also the ability to live into these prayers of ours.**

Let us pray for the churches in Thunder Bay, the prayer of Paul the apostle for his beloved church.

We pray for the Church of Thunder Bay, Paul's prayer for Thessalonica

All **We constantly pray for the Church of Thunder Bay that God would count us worthy of His calling and that by His power He may fulfill every good purpose of ours and every act prompted by our faith. We pray this so that the name of our Lord Jesus may be glorified in You and You in him according to the grace of our God and the Lord Jesus Christ. Amen.**

We will now pray the specific requests that we have received from the churches of Thunder Bay.

### Benediction

God, You are

Father of tender compassion  
Son who is Faithful and True  
Spirit of comfort and grace.

We bless the Church of Thunder Bay

with a love that reflects the beauty of your own perfect love,  
with a vision of you that becomes more clear by the day,  
with a hope that is indomitable  
with a faith that continues to grow, beyond mustard seed to fill the whole earth!



## Friday: NONES

### Greeting

May our generous God, who gives gifts to the church, be with you,

All: **and also with you.**

Open your hearts to receive the Word of the Lord with power and conviction through His Spirit.

All: **We open our hearts to the Spirit, to be taught through His Word.**

### Reading of the Psalms

Give ear to the reading of God's Word

All: **Open our ears, Lord, help us to listen.**

A reading from Psalm One Hundred and Fourteen and reading to Psalm One Hundred and Twenty-five

Many brothers and sisters, throughout the ages, gave their lives that we might have this text in our hands today and read the Word of the Lord,

All: **We remember them, and Your preserving of this, Your Word, with thanks!**

### Song

*One Thirst* p.67.

### Prayer

We call upon You, O God

All: **For You are our sufficiency in all things!**

Incline your ear to us

All: **For you are more than enough, and if we have but a glimpse of Your presence - we shall truly live!**

Let us pray for the churches in Thunder Bay, the prayer of Paul the apostle for his beloved church.

We pray for the Church of Thunder Bay, Paul's prayer for Ephesus

All: **"Our glorious Father, the God of our Lord Jesus Christ. Grant the Church of Thunder Bay the Spirit of wisdom and revelation so that we may know You better. We pray that the eyes of our hearts may be enlightened in order that we may know the hope to which You have called us, the riches of Your glorious inheritance in the saints and Your incomparably great power for all of us in Thunder Bay who believe. Amen.**

We will now pray the specific requests that we have received from the churches of Thunder Bay.

### Benediction

Lord, our God, You have redeemed us with Your own, precious blood.

We bless the Church of Thunder Bay

with Your presence to govern and lift them up,

with Your wisdom to grant them understanding

with Your mercy to forgive their sins

with Your strategic brilliance to make them discerning

leaders in Your kingdom Amen.



## Saturday: NONES

### Greeting

May God our Father who watches over all the down-trodden and afflicted be with you,

All: **and also with you.**

Open your hearts to receive the Word of the Lord with power and conviction through His Spirit.

All: **We open our hearts to the Spirit, to be taught through His Word.**

### Reading of the Psalms

Give ear to the reading of God's Word

All: **Open our ears, Lord, help us to listen.**

A reading from Psalm One Hundred and Thirty-Nine and reading to Psalm One Hundred and Fifty.

Many languish never having seen Your face or heard your Word.

All: **Thanks be to God for the Word of the Lord - that feeds our souls!**

### Song

*All the Poor and Powerless* p.74.

### Prayer

We call upon You, O God

All: **For You see the suffering and sorrow of our world**

Incline your ear to us

All: **For you are Father to the fatherless, riches to the poor, power to the weak and wisdom to the teachable. We ask for your kingdom to come near.**

Let us pray for the churches in Thunder Bay, the prayer of Paul the apostle for his beloved church.

We pray for the Church of Thunder Bay, Paul's prayer for Colosse

All: **We will not cease praying and asking God to fill us with the knowledge of His will through all spiritual wisdom and understanding. We pray this in order that the Church of Thunder Bay may live a life worthy of the Lord and may please Him in every way, bearing fruit in every good work, growing in the knowledge of the Lord and being strengthened with all power according to His glorious might. So that we may have great endurance and patience and joyfully give thanks to the Father who has qualified us to share in the inheritance of the saints in the kingdom of light. Amen**

We will now pray the specific requests that we have received from the churches of Thunder Bay.

### Benediction

Great King and Ruler of this cosmos, and of worlds beyond our knowing,

Who sun, moon and starry host praise,

We beseech blessing upon the Church of Thunder Bay, Your beloved children.

We bless them with the presence of the renewing Spirit who brings springs in their desert land of lost hopes, the refreshing showers -promise of tomorrow, the joy of resurrection life, the presence of the Son who exists beyond time and brings eternity into our present, a taste of Kingdom glory-now, heaven on earth!



# We Pour Out Our Hearts: On behalf of the City of Thunder Bay



Through the Redemption  
of Jesus

We proclaim the Nicene  
Creed

And pray for the peace  
and flourishing of all  
peoples in this great city  
that God has made.

## Monday: Vespers

### Greeting

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

All: **Amen.**

But you, O Lord, are a shield about me,

All: **my glory and the lifter of my head.**

The Lord our shield and our glory be with you.

All: **And also with you.**

May the Glorious Spirit of God, sent by the Father, give aid to your witness.

All: **May He aid you as well!**

### Confession of Our Faith: Nicene Creed

All: **We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty,  
maker of heaven and earth, of all that is seen and unseen.  
We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten  
of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God,  
begotten, not made, one in Being with the Father. Through Him all things were made.  
For us and for our salvation He came down from heaven;  
By the power of the Holy Spirit He was born of the virgin Mary, and became man.  
For our sake He was crucified under Pontius Pilate; He suffered, died and was buried.  
On the third day He rose again in fulfillment of 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.  
We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,  
who proceeds from the Father and the Son.  
With the Father and the Son He is worshipped and glorified.  
He was spoken through the prophets.  
We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.  
We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.  
We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come.**

### Song

*This is Amazing Grace* p. 69.

### New Testament Lesson

Please turn with me to the New Testament passage listed on pp. 48, 49.

All: **Glory to you, O Lord**

Read the New Testament Passage

This is the Word of the Lord

All: Thanks be to God.

### Prayers for the City

Let us kneel before the Lord, our God, our Maker and pray, together, for our city

All: Lord hear our prayers!

### Benediction

“May the Sent and Sending God of Mission, bless you with the wisdom, diligence and perseverance to work with excellence in your vocational calling, through which you show the world the glory of God!” Amen



## Tuesday: Vespers

### Greeting

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

All: **Amen.**

But let all who take refuge in You, rejoice; let them ever sing for joy,

All: **and spread Your protection over them, that those who love Your name may exult in You.**

The Lord who blesses the righteous and covers them with favor be with you.

All: **And also with you.**

May the Comforter sent by the Father, give aid to your witness.

All: **May He aid you as well!**

### Confession of Our Faith: Nicene Creed

All: **We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty,  
maker of heaven and earth, of all that is seen and unseen.**

**We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten  
of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God,  
begotten, not made, one in Being with the Father. Through Him all things were made.  
For us and for our salvation He came down from heaven;**

**By the power of the Holy Spirit He was born of the virgin Mary, and became man.**

**For our sake He was crucified under Pontius Pilate; He suffered, died and was buried.**

**On the third day He rose again in fulfillment of 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.**

**We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,  
who proceeds from the Father and the Son.**

**With the Father and the Son He is worshipped and glorified.**

**He was spoken through the prophets.**

**We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.**

**We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.**

**We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come.**

### Song

*My Beloved* p.70.

### New Testament Lesson

Please turn with me to the New Testament passage listed on pp. 48, 49.

All: **Glory to you, O Lord**

Read the New Testament Passage

This is the Word of the Lord

All: Thanks be to God.

### Prayers for the City

Let us kneel before the Lord, our God, our Maker and pray, together, for our city

All: Lord hear our prayers!

### Benediction

May the Sent and Sending God of Mission, bless you with fresh ways to share His love  
and His good news with your family members and friends. May His presence upon  
you be the sweet smell of life to them. Amen.



## Wednesday: Vespers

### Greeting

May the Lord who is King forever and ever, days without end, be with you.

All: **And also with you!**

Arise, O Lord, you hear the desire of the afflicted;

All: **You will strengthen their heart;**

You will incline your ear to do justice to the fatherless and the oppressed

All: **so that humans who are of the earth may strike terror no more.**

May the Spirit of all Truth, sent by Jesus, give aid to your witness.

All: **May He aid you as well!**

### Confession of Our Faith: Nicene Creed

All: **We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty,**

**maker of heaven and earth, of all that is seen and unseen.**

**We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, one in Being with the Father. Through Him all things were made.**

**For us and for our salvation He came down from heaven;**

**By the power of the Holy Spirit He was born of the virgin Mary, and became man.**

**For our sake He was crucified under Pontius Pilate; He suffered, died and was buried.**

**On the third day He rose again in fulfillment of 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.**

**We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son.**

**With the Father and the Son He is worshipped and glorified.**

**He was spoken through the prophets.**

**We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.**

**We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.**

**We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come.**

### Song

Revival p.7, 72..

### New Testament Lesson

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All: **Glory to you, O Lord**

Read the New Testament Passage

This is the Word of the Lord

All: Thanks be to God.

### Prayers for the City

Let us kneel before the Lord, our God, our Maker and pray, together, for our city

All: Lord hear our prayers!

### Benediction

May the Sent and Sending God of Mission, bless you with compassion for all those you encounter each day who are in some way afflicted.

May He give you the words, resources and sacrificial giving to bless and care for these, in Jesus Name.



## Thursday: Vespers

### Greeting

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

All: **Amen.**

Save, O Lord, for the godly one is gone;

All: **for the faithful have vanished from among the children of humankind.**

The Lord who saves utterly and fully be with you.

All: **And also with you.**

May the Spirit of Truth and Power, give aid to your witness.

All: **May He aid you as well!**

### Confession of Our Faith: Nicene Creed

All: **We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty,**

**maker of heaven and earth, of all that is seen and unseen.**

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**He was spoken through the prophets.**

**We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.**

**We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.**

**We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come.**

### Song

*Where Feet May Fail* p. 73.

### New Testament Lesson

Please turn with me to the New Testament passage listed on pp. 48, 49..

All: **Glory to you, O Lord**

Read the New Testament Passage

This is the Word of the Lord

All: Thanks be to God.

### Prayers for the City

Let us kneel before the Lord, our God, our Maker and pray, together, for our city

All: Lord hear our prayers!

### Benediction

May the God of mission help you to think of Thunder Bay often - by day and by night, in your business and even in your diversions. May He not allow you to leave our city alone until you have poured out all the love, compassion, mercy and grace that God has granted His followers for this city. Amen.



## Friday: Vespers

### Greeting

May the God who hears the prayer of the widow and fatherless be with you.

All: **And also with you!**

He raises the poor from the dust, and lifts the needy from the ash heap

All: **to make them sit with princes, with the princes of His people.**

He gives the barren woman a home,

All: **making her the joyous mother of children.**

May the Spirit who raised Jesus from the dead give aid to your witness.

All: **May He aid you as well!**

### Confession of Our Faith: Nicene Creed

All: **We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty,  
maker of heaven and earth, of all that is seen and unseen.  
We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten  
of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God,  
begotten, not made, one in Being with the Father. Through Him all things were made.  
For us and for our salvation He came down from heaven;  
By the power of the Holy Spirit He was born of the virgin Mary, and became man.  
For our sake He was crucified under Pontius Pilate; He suffered, died and was buried.  
On the third day He rose again in fulfillment of 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.  
We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,  
who proceeds from the Father and the Son.  
With the Father and the Son He is worshipped and glorified.  
He was spoken through the prophets.  
We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.  
We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.  
We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come.**

### Song

*Hearts, Minds and Doors* p. 74.

### New Testament Lesson

Please turn with me to the New Testament passage listed on pp. 48, 49..

All: **Glory to you, O Lord**

Read the New Testament Passage

This is the Word of the Lord

All: Thanks be to God.

### Prayers for the City

Let us kneel before the Lord, our God, our Maker and pray, together, for our city

All: Lord hear our prayers!

### Benediction

May the God of mission breathe love into lives ruled by fear, soften hearts that are hardened by pride, whisper gently to those bound by chains and sow peace where conflict divides. Amen.



## Saturday: Vespers

### Greeting

May the God who dwells in unapproachable light be with you.

All: **And also with you!**

You are the light of the world,

All: **a city set on a hill cannot be hid.**

You are the salt of the earth,

All: **but if the salt has lost its savor, how will it grow salty again?**

May the Spirit who raised Jesus from the dead give aid to your witness.

All: **May He aid you as well!**

### Confession of Our Faith: Nicene Creed

All: **We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty,**

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**of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God,**

**begotten, not made, one in Being with the Father. Through Him all things were made.**

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**and His kingdom will have no end.**

**We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,**

**who proceeds from the Father and the Son.**

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**He was spoken through the prophets.**

**We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.**

**We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.**

**We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come.**

### Song

*God of Justice* p. 75.

### New Testament Lesson

Please read John 1

All: **Glory to you, O Lord**

Read John 1

This is the Word of the Lord

All: Thanks be to God.

### Prayers for the City

Let us kneel before the Lord, our God, our Maker and pray, together, for our city

All: Lord hear our prayers!

### Benediction

May the Sent and Sending God of Mission, grant you to shine into the shadows of this city with the Light of the knowledge of His glory. May He forgive you for all the times you have emotionally detached from this city and fan into flame a fresh love. Amen.



# We Prepare to Sleep in the Arms of God



In the Peace of Jesus

Together,  
We end our Day

Singing the Lord's Song  
As exiles  
In a strange land-

We pray,  
Confess our Sins  
and Read Scripture.

## Monday: COMPLINE

### Greeting

The Sacred Three to save, to shield, to surround the heath, the home this night and every night

All: **give us grace to know and trust you.**

Search us, O God, and know our hearts. Test us and know our thoughts.

All: **See if there is any wicked way in us, and lead us in the way eternal.**

### Confession of Our Sins

All: **O, Father, O Son, O Holy Spirit, forgive me my sins.**

**O, only-begotten Son of the heavenly Father, forgive.**

**O, God, Who is One, O God who is True, O God who is First,**

**O, God, who is one substance, O God only Mighty,**

**In three Persons, truly Merciful- forgive. Amen**

O, God of Life, this night, O, darken not Thy Light.

O, God of Life, this night, close not Thy gladness to my sight.

Keep your people, Lord, in the arms of Your embrace.

Shelter them under Your wings.

Be their light in darkness. Be their hope in distress. Be their calm in anxiety

Be their strength in weakness. Be their comfort in pain. Be their song in the night.

All: **Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit; as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen. Alleluia, Alleluia!**

### Scripture Reading

Psalm 4:1-8

Lord, You are in the midst of us, and we are called by your name

All: **Do not forsake your people, O Lord, our God.**

### Prayers for Others

Pray silently now those things that God has laid on your heart throughout the day or you have committed to pray for.

Silent Prayer

Pray aloud, together, words to praise Father, Son, Holy Spirit for the gift of this day.

### Song

*The Compline Song* p. 76.

In peace will I lie down, for it is You, O Lord,

All: **You alone who makes me to rest secure.**

Be it on your beloved arm,

All: **O, God of grace, that I in peace shall awake.**

### Collect

Be the peace of the Spirit ours this night

Be the peace of the Son ours this night

Be the peace of the Father ours this night

The peace of all peace, be ours this night

All: **in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.**



## Tuesday: COMPLINE

### Greeting

The LORD Almighty grant us a peaceful night and a perfect end. Amen  
Our help is in the Name of the Lord;

All: **the maker of heaven and earth.**

### Confession of Our Sins

All: **Our Heavenly Father, who loves us perfectly,  
We have sinned against you through our own fault,  
in thought, and word and deed, and in what we have left undone.  
For the sake of your Son our Lord Jesus Christ, forgive us all our offenses:  
and grant that we may serve you in newness of life,  
to the glory of your Name. Amen**

May the Almighty God grant us forgiveness of all our sins, and the grace  
and comfort of the Holy Spirit. Amen

### Prayer

O Christ, Son of the living God, may Your holy angels guard our sleep,  
May they watch over us as we rest and hover around our beds.  
May the virtue of our daily work hallow our nightly prayers.  
May our sleep be deep and soft so our work be fresh and hard

All: **I will lie down and sleep in peace. For You, alone, Lord, make me dwell in safety.**

Our dear ones, O God, bless Thou and keep in every place where they are.

All: **Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit; as it was in the beginning,  
is now, and will be forever. Amen. Alleluia, Alleluia!**

### Scripture Reading

Psalm 31:1-5

Your Word is sweeter than the honeycomb to our lips

All: **We live off the sweetness of Your life, Lord Jesus.**

### Prayers for Others

Pray silently now those things that God has laid on your heart throughout the day or  
you have committed to pray for.

Silent Prayer

Pray aloud, together, words to praise Father, Son, Holy Spirit for the gift of this day.

### Song

*Christ Be Beside Me* p. 77.

Into Your hands, O LORD, I commend my spirit.

All: **For You hide me in the shadow of Your wing.**

### Collect

Christ without sin, Christ of wounds, we are placing our souls and our bodies under  
Thy guarding this night. Christ of the poor, Christ of tears. Thy cross be our shielding  
this night. O, Thou, Son of tears, of the wounds of the piercing.

All: **I am going now into the sleep: O be it in Thy dear arms keep, O God of grace  
that I shall awake. Amen.**



## Wednesday: COMPLINE

### Greeting

The Holy Spirit who is able to gentle every stormy wind and soothe every angry wave

All: **grant us peace.**

Lord, our hearts are restless like tides of the sea, an unending cycle of falling and faulting

All: **Remind us that there is no condemnation to those who are in Christ Jesus who walk not after the flesh but after the Spirit.**

### Confession of Our Sins

O King and Father, your Son died and was raised up in power. Now enable us to die to our sin in repentance so we may rise to new life in Him. We confess to you:

All: **Lord, though you should guide us, we inform ourselves;**

**though you should rule us, we control ourselves;**

**though you should fulfill us, we console ourselves.**

**We think your truth too high, your will too hard,**

**Your power too remote, your love too free. But they are not!**

**And without them, we are of all people most miserable.**

**Please heal our confused minds with your word, heal our divided wills with your law,**

**heal our troubled consciences with your love, heal our anxious hearts with your presence,**

**all for the sake of your Son, who loved us and gave himself for us. Amen.**

All: **Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit; as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen. Alleluia, Alleluia!**

### Scripture Reading

Psalm 91:1-16

O God, and Spirit and Jesu, and Three, from the crown of my head,

O Trinity to the soles of my feet mine offering be. Come I unto Thee, O Jesu, my King,

All: **O Jesu, do Thou be my sheltering.**

### Prayers for Others

Pray silently now those things that God has laid on your heart throughout the day or you have committed to pray for.

Silent Prayer

Pray aloud, together, words to praise Father, Son, Holy Spirit for the gift of this day.

### Song

*Abide with Me I* p. 78.

Whoever has chosen to make the shelter of the Most High their dwelling place

All: **will stay in His over-shadowing.**

He alone is my refuge, my place of safety

All: **He is my God and I am trusting Him.**

### Collect

Visit this place, O Lord, and drive far from it all snares of the enemy; let your holy angels dwell with us to preserve us in peace; and let your blessing be upon us always; through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.



## Thursday: COMPLINE

### Greeting

The LORD Almighty rest your weary soul with the deep sleep that comes only to the trusting.  
We often do not know what to do;

All: **but our eyes are upon You.**

### Confession of Our Sins

All: **Almighty and most merciful Father, we are thankful that your mercy is higher than the heavens, wider than our wanderings, deeper than all our sin. Forgive our careless attitudes toward your purposes, our refusal to cease from speaking wickedly and shaking the finger at others, our envy of those who have more than we have, our obsession with creating a life of constant pleasure, our indifference to the treasures of heaven, our neglect of your wise and gracious law. Help us to change our way of life so that we may desire what is good, love what you love, and do what you command through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**  
May the Almighty God grant us forgiveness of all our sins, and the grace and comfort of the Holy Spirit. Amen

### Prayer

Calm us, O Lord, as You stilled the storm.

All: **Still me, O Lord, keep me from harm.**

Let all the tumult within me cease

All: **Enfold me, Lord, in Your peace. Amen**

### Scripture Reading

Psalms 90:1-18

Lord, you are in the midst of us, and we are called by your name.

All: **Do not forsake us, hold fast to us, never depart from us, for we need You, O Lord, our God!**

### Prayers for Others

Pray silently now those things that God has laid on your heart throughout the day or you have committed to pray for.

Silent Prayer

Pray aloud, together, words to praise Father, Son, Holy Spirit for the gift of this day.

### Song

Jesus Loves Me p. 79.

Thou, Lord and God of power, shield and sustain us this night.

All: **I will lie down this night with God, and God will lie down with me.**

**I will lie down this night with Christ, and Christ will lie down with me.**

**I will lie down this night with Holy Spirit, and Holy Spirit will lie down with me.**

**God and Christ and Spirit be laying down with me.**

### Collect

Be our light in the darkness, O Lord, and in your great mercy, defend us from all perils and dangers of this night; for the love of your only Son, our Saviour, Jesus Christ.  
Amen.



## Friday: COMPLINE

### Greeting

Find rest, O my soul, in God alone: my hope comes from Him.

All: **Come I, this night, to the Father, Come I, this night, to the Son,  
Come I, this night to the Holy Spirit, powerful:  
Come I, to Thee, Jesus.  
Jesus, shelter me.**

### Confession of Our Sins

O Saviour help us. We confess to you:

All: **I am slow to learn, prone to forget, and weak to climb;  
I am in the foothills when I should be on the heights;  
I am pained by my graceless heart, my prayerless days, my poverty of love,  
my sloth in the heavenly race, my sullied conscience, my wasted hours, my unspent chances,  
I am blind while the light surrounds me; take the scales from my eyes,  
Grind to dust my heart of unbelief.  
Make it my highest joy to study you, meditate on you, gaze on you  
Sit like Mary at your feet, lean like John on your breast,  
Appeal like Peter to your love, count like Paul all things but dung.  
I believe, help my unbelief. Amen.**

Be strong and take heart, all who hope in God. For his love and forgiveness are great!

All: **Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit; as it was in the beginning,  
is now, and will be forever. Amen. Alleluia, Alleluia!**

### Scripture Reading

Psalm 134:1-3

I will lie down and sleep

All: **I will wake again because the Lord sustains me.**

By day the Lord directs His love; at night His song is with us - a prayer to the God of our lives.

All: **May God be in my sleep; may Christ be in my dreams. May the Spirit be in my repose,  
in my thoughts, in my heart. In my soul, always, may the Sacred Three dwell.**

### Prayers for Others

Pray silently now those things that God has laid on your heart throughout the day or you have committed to pray for.

Silent Prayer

Pray aloud, together, words to praise Father, Son, Holy Spirit for the gift of this day.

### Song

*Abide with Me II* p. 80.

The Son of God be shielding us from harm.

All: **The Son of God be shielding us from ill.**

The Son of God be shielding us with power.

All: **The Son of God be shielding us with might - Lord have mercy!**

### Collect

Look down, O Lord, from your heavenly throne, and illumine this night with your celestial brightness; that by night as by day your people may glorify your holy Name; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.



## Saturday: COMPLINE

### Greeting

The Immortal, Invisible, God only Wise, grant us peace in His arms. Amen.

We have quieted and stilled our souls

All: **like well-weaned children. We hope in the Lord, now and forever more.**

### Confession of Our Sins

All: **Lord Jesus, I have sinned times without number, and been guilty of pride and unbelief, and of neglect to seek you in my daily life. My sins and shortcomings present me with a list of accusations, but I thank you that they will not stand against me, for all have been laid on Christ. Deliver me from every evil habit, every interest of former sins, everything that dims the brightness of your grace in me, everything that prevents me taking delight in you. Amen.**

May the Almighty God grant us forgiveness of all our sins, and the grace and comfort of the Holy Spirit. Amen

### Prayer

Lighten our darkness, Lord.

All: **Let the Light of Your presence dispel the shadows of night.**

### Scripture Reading

Psalm 4:1-8

I am placing my soul and my body

All: **in Thy safe-keeping this night, O God.**

The Three who would defend my cause

All: **by keeping me this night from harm.**

### Prayers for Others

Pray silently now those things that God has laid on your heart throughout the day or you have committed to pray for.

Silent Prayer

Pray aloud, together, words to praise Father, Son, Holy Spirit for the gift of this day.

### Song

*Compline Song* p. 76.

Jesus says, "Come to me, all who labor and are heavy-laden, and I will give you rest.

Take my yoke upon you

Learn from me;

For I am gentle and lowly in heart, and you will find rest for your souls.

For my yoke is easy and my burden is light."

All: **We rest our souls in you as we take your yoke upon our shoulders and as we learn from you!**

### Collect

We give you thanks, O God, for revealing Your Son,

Jesus Christ to us by the light of His resurrection:

Grant that as we sing your glory at the close of this day, our joy may abound

In the morning as we celebrate the Paschal mystery; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.



# Old Testament Readings

WEEK	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
1	Gen 1-3	Gen 4-6	Gen 7-9	Gen 10-12	Gen 13-16	Gen 17, 18
2	Gen 19-21	Gen 22,2 3	Gen 24	Gen 25, 26	Gen 27, 28	Gen 29, 30
3	Gen 31, 32	Gen 33-35	Gen 36, 37	Gen 38-40	Gen 41	Gen 42-43
4	Gen 44, 45	Gen 46-48	Gen 49- Ex1	Ex 2-4	Ex 5-7	Ex 8-9
5	Ex 10-12	Ex 13-15	Ex 16-18	Ex 19-21	Ex 22-24	Ex 25, 26
6	Ex 27, 28	Ex 29-30	Ex 31-33	Ex 34, 35	Ex 36, 37	Ex 38, 39
7	Ex 40-Lev 3	Lev 4-6	Lev 7-8	Lev 9-11	Lev 12, 13	Lev 14, 15
8	Lev 16-18	Lev 19-21	Lev 22, 23	Lev 24, 25	Lev 26, 27	Num 1, 2
9	Num 3	Num 4, 5	Num 6	Num 7	Num 8-10	Num 11-13
10	Num 14, 15	Num 16, 17	Num 18-20	Num 21-22	Num 23-25	Num 26, 27
11	Num 28-30	Num 31	Num 32	Num 33, 34	Num 35, 36	Deut 1, 2
12	Deut 3, 4	Deut 5-7	Deut 8-10	Deut 11-13	Deut 14-16	Deut 17-20
13	Deut 21-23	Deut 24-27	Deut 28	Deut 29-31	Deut 32-33	Dt 34- Jo 3
14	Josh 4-6	Josh 7-9	Josh 10-12	Josh 13, 14	Josh 15,16	Josh 17,18
15	Josh 19,20	Josh 21-22	Josh 23- Ju 1	Judg 2-4	Judg 5-6	Judg 7,8
16	Judg 9,10	Judg 11-13	Judg 14-17	Judg 18, 19	Judg 20, 21	Ruth 1-4
17	1Sam 1-3	1Sam 4-7	1Sam 8-10	1Sam 11-13	1Sam 14, 15	1 Sam 16-17
18	1 Sam 18,19	1 Sam 20-22	1 Sam 23, 24	1 Sam 25-27	1 Sam 28-31	2 Sam 1-2
19	2 Sam 3-5	2 Sam 6-9	2 Sam 10-12	2 Sam 13, 14	2 Sam 15-17	2 Sam 18, 19
20	2 Sam 20, 21	2 Sam 22, 23	2 Sa24-1Ki 1	1 Ki 2-3	1Ki 4-6	1 Ki 7
21	1 Ki 8	1 Ki 9, 10	1 Ki 11, 12	1 Ki 13-14	1 Ki 15, 16	1 Ki 17-19
22	1 Ki 20, 21	1 Ki22-2Ki 1	2 Ki 2, 3	2 Ki 4-5	2 Ki 6-8	2 Ki 9, 10
23	2 Ki 11-13	2 Ki 14-16	2 Ki 17, 18	2 Ki 19-21	2 Ki 22-24	2 Ki-Ch1
24	1Chr 2-3	1Chr 4-5	1Chr 6	1Chr 7-8	1 Chr 9, 10	1 Chr 11-12
25	1 Chr 13-15	1 Chr 16-18	1 Chr 19-22	1 Chr 23,24	1 Chr 25,26	1 Chr 27-29
26	2 Chr 1-4	2 Chr 5-7	2 Chr 8-11	2 Chr 12-16	2 Chr 17-19	2 Chr 20-23



WEEK	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
27	2 Chr 24-26	2 Chr 27-29	2Chr 30-32	2Chr 33-35	2 Chr 36-#z	Ez 2-3
28	Ez 4-7	Ez 8,9	Ez 10-Neh 2	Neh 3-5	Neh 6	Neh 7
29	Neh 8, 9	Neh 10-11	Neh 12, 13	Est 1-4	Est 5-9	Est 10-Job 4
30	Job 5-7	Job 8-10	Job 11-13	Job 14-16	Job 17-19	Job 20, 21
31	Job 22 -25	Job 26-29	Job 30, 31	Job 32, 33	Job 34-36	Job 37-38
32	Job 39-41	Job 42	Prov 1,2	Prov 3,4	Prov 5	Prov 6, 7
33	Prov 8, 9	Prov 10, 11	Prov 12, 13	Prov 14, 15	Prov 16, 17	Prov 18, 19
34	Prov 20, 21	Prov 22, 23	Prov 24, 25	Prov 26, 27	Prov 28, 29	Prov 30, 31
35	Eccl 1,2	Ecc 3,4	Ecc 5,6	Ecc 7,8	Ecc 9, 10	Ecc 11, 12
36	Songs 1,2	Songs 3,4	Songs 5	Isa 1	Isa 2-5	Isa 6, 7
37	Isa 8, 9	Isa 10, 11	Isa 12, 13	Isa 14, 15	Isa 16-18	Isa 19, 20
38	Isa 21, 22	Isa 23, 24	Isa 25, 26	Isa 27, 28	Isa 29, 30	Isa 30, 31
39	Isa 32, 33	Isa 34, 35	Isa 36, 37	Isa 38, 39	Isa 40, 41	Isa 42, 43
40	Isa 44, 45	Isa 46, 47	Isa 48, 49	Isa 50, 51	Isa 52, 53	Isa 54, 55
41	Isa 56, 57	Isa 58, 59	Isa 60, 61	Isa 62, 63	Isa 64, 65	Isa 66
42	Jer 1, 2	Jer 3, 4	Jer 5, 6	Jer 7, 8	Jer 9, 10	Jer 11, 12
43	Jer 13, 14	Jer 15, 16	Jer 17, 18	Jer 19, 20	Jer 21, 22	Jer 23, 24
44	Jer 25, 26	Jer 27, 28	Jer 29, 30	Jer 31, 32	Jer 33, 34	Jer 35, 36
45	Jer 37-39	Jer 40, 41	Jer 42-44	Jer 45-47	Jer 48	Jer 49-50
46	Jer 51	Jer 52-Lam2	Lam 3	Lam 4-Ez 1	Ezek 2-5	Ezek 6-9
47	Ezek 10-12	Ezek 13-15	Ezek 16	Ezek 17-19	Ezek 20,21	Ezek 22, 23
48	Ezek 24-26	Ezek 27-29	Ezek 30-32	Ezek 33-35	Ezek 36, 37	Ezek 38, 39
49	Ezek 40, 41	Ezek 42-44	Ezek 45-47	Ez. 48-Dan1	Dan 2-3	Dan 4-5
50	Dan 6-8	Dan 9-10	Dan11-Ho1	Ho 2-6	Ho 7-11	Ho12-Jo1
51	Jo 2-Am1	Amos 2-5	Am6-Ob 1	Jon1-Mi2	Micah 3-7	Nah1-Hab1
52	Hab2-Ze2	Zep3-Zec1	Zech 2-6	Zech 7-10	Zech 11-14	Mal 1-4



# New Testament Readings

WEEK	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI
1	Mark 1	Mark 2	Mark 3	Mark 4	Mark 5
2	Mark 6	Mark 7	Mark 8	Mark 9	Mark 10
3	Mark 11	Mark 12	Mark 13	Mark 14	Mark 15
4	mark 16	Acts 1	Acts 2	Acts 3	Acts 4
5	Acts 5	Acts 6	Acts 7	Acts 8	Acts 9
6	Acts 10	Acts 11	Acts 12	Acts 13	Acts 14
7	Acts 15	Acts 16	Acts 17	Acts 18	Acts 19
8	Acts 20	Acts 21	Acts 22	Acts 23	Acts 24
9	Acts 25	Acts 26	Acts 27	Acts 28	Heb 1
10	Heb 2	Heb 3	Heb 4	Heb 5	Heb 6
11	Heb 7	Heb 8	Heb 9	Heb 10	Heb 11
12	Heb 12	Heb 13	Gal 1	Gal 2	Gal 3
13	Gal 4	Gal 5	Gal 6	James 1	James 2
14	james 3	James 4	James 5	Matt 1	Matt 2
15	Matt 3	Matt 4	Matt 5	Matt 6	Matt 7
16	Matt 8	Matt 9	Matt 10	Matt 11	Matt 12
17	Matt 13	Matt 14	Matt 15	Matt 16	Matt 17
18	Matt 18	Matt 19	Matt 20	Matt 21	Matt 22
19	Matt 23	Matt 24	Matt 25	Matt 26	Matt 27
20	Matt 28	Romans 1	Romans 2	Romans 3	Romans 4
21	Romans 5	Romans 6	Romans 7	Romans 8	Romans 9
22	Romans 10	Romans 11	Romans 12	Romans 13	Romans 14
23	Romans 15	Romans 16	Eph 1	Eph 2	Eph 3
24	Eph 4	Eph 5	Eph 6	Phil 1	Phil 2
25	Phil 3	Phil 4	Col 1	Col 2	Col 3
26	Col 4	Philemon 1	Luke 1	Luke 2	Luke 3



WEEK	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI
27	Luke 4	Luke 5	Luke 6	Luke 7	Luke 8
28	Luke 9	Luke 10	Luke 11	Luke 12	Luke 13
29	Luke 14	Luke 15	Luke 16	Luke 17	Luke 18
30	Luke 19	Luke 20	Luke 21	Luke 22	Luke 23
31	Luke 24	1 Cor 1	1 Cor 2	1 Cor 3	1 Cor 4
32	1 Cor 5	1 Cor 6	1 Cor 7	1 Cor 8	1 Cor 9
33	1 Cor 10	1 Cor 11	1 Cor 12	1 Cor 13	1 Cor 14
34	1 Cor 15	1 Cor 16	2 Cor 1	2 Cor 2	2 Cor 3
35	2 Cor 4	2 Cor 5	2 Cor 6	2 Cor 7	2 Cor 8
36	2 Cor 9	2 Cor 10	2 Cor 11	2 Cor 12	2 Cor 13
37	1 Tim 1	1 Tim 2	1 Tim 3	1 Tim 4	1 Tim 5
38	1 Tim 6	2 Tim 1	2 Tim 2	2 Tim 3	2 Tim 4
39	Titus 1	Titus 2	Titus 3	1 John 1	1 John 2
40	1 John 3	1 John 4	1 John 5	2 John 1	3 John 1
41	1 Pet 1	1 Pet 2	1 Pet 3	1 Pet 4	1 pet 5
42	John 1	John 2	John 3	John 4	John 5
43	John 6	John 7	John 8	John 9	John 10
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# Songs

Shout joyfully to God, all the earth!  
Sing the glory of His name;  
Make His praise glorious.  
Say to God, “How awesome are your works!  
Because of the greatness of your power  
your enemies will give feigned obedience to you.  
All the earth will worship you,  
And will sing praises to you;  
They will sing praises to your name.” Ps 66:1-4

God be gracious to us and bless us  
And cause His face to shine upon us-  
That your way may be known on the earth,  
Your salvation among all nations.  
Let the peoples praise you, O God;  
Let all the peoples praise you.  
Let the nations be glad and sing for joy;  
For you will judge the peoples with uprightness  
And guide the nations on the earth.  
Let the peoples praise you.  
The earth has yielded its produce;  
God, our God, blesses us.  
God blesses us.  
That all the ends of the earth may fear him! Ps 67



# Be Thou Our Vision

Ancient Irish Text Mary Byrne 1880-1931

Versified by Eleanor Hull 1860-1935

## Verse One

Be Thou my vision, O Lord of my heart;  
Naught be all else to me save that Thou art,  
Thou my best thought, by day or by night,  
Waking or sleeping, Thy presence my light.

## Verse Two

Be Thou my wisdom, be Thou my true word;  
I ever with Thee and Thou with me, Lord;  
Thou my great Father, I Thy true son;  
Thou in me dwelling, and I with the one.

## Verse Three

Be Thou my buckler, my sword for the fight;  
Be Thou my dignity, Thou my delight  
Thou my soul's shelter, Thou my high tower;  
Raise Thou me heav'nward, O power of my power

## Verse Four

Riches I heed not, nor man's empty praise;  
Thou my inheritance, now and always;  
Thou and Thou only, first in my heart,  
High King of heaven, my treasure Thou art.

## Verse Five

High King of heaven, when vict'ry is won  
May I reach heav'n's joys, O bright heav'n's sun!  
Heart of my own heart, whatever behfall,  
Still be my vision, O Ruler of all.



# None but Thee

Young Oceans

## Verse One

Jesus, mighty King of Heaven  
Thou, O Lord, our guide shall be  
Thy commission we rely on  
We will follow none but Thee

## Verse Two

As an emblem of Thy passion  
And Thy victory o'er the grave  
We who know Thy great salvation  
Are baptized now beneath the wave

## CHORUS

Fall on us, O Holy Lord!  
Our hearts, Oh King, are only Yours  
By your grace we live, and we,  
Will follow none but Thee  
Will follow none but Thee

## Verse Three

Fearless of the world's despising  
We the ancient path pursue  
Buried with our Lord and rising  
To a life divinely new

## Verse Four

Sin shall never be our master  
Captives of Thy blessed grace  
Offering our lives hereafter  
We resolve to seek Thy face



# Step by Step

Jason Ingram, Rory Noland and Paul Mabury

## Verse One

Oh God, You are my God  
And I will ever praise you  
Oh God, You are my God  
And I will ever praise you

## Verse Two

I will seek You in the morning  
And I will learn to walk in Your ways  
And step by step You'll lead me  
And I will follow You all of my days

## CHORUS

I will follow You all of my days,  
Oh, I will follow You all of my days  
And step by step You'll lead me  
And I will follow You all of my days.



# To Hear Your Voice

Young Oceans

## Verse One

I hear the voice of revelation  
The Spirit calls in Jesus' name.  
O Lord of heaven, I embrace Thee  
And in Your presence, I remain.

## Verse Two

Take now these fears and reservations  
Bury them deep within the fire.  
Grant me a holy desperation  
And be the source of my desire.

## CHORUS

For You Lord, my soul waits.  
I'll cry out with endless praise.  
Day by day,  
I long to hear your voice.  
I long to hear your voice.

## Verse Three

I choose to walk beside You Jesus,  
Show me the true and narrow Way.  
Defend my heart when I am weary.  
And draw me home if I should stray.

## Verse Four

Thou art the Author of salvation.  
O Lord, it's written and its told.  
Your blessed words, our invitation  
"Come to me, all ye weary souls."

## BRIDGE

Pour out Your Spirit like the rain.  
Teach me to dance with You again.  
And like a child I'm unashamed.  
I'll be a fool for You,  
Yes, I'll be a fool for You.



# How Great is Our God!

Chris Tomlin, Jesse Reeves and Ed Cash

## Verse One

The splendor of the King,  
Clothed in majesty.  
Let all the earth rejoice.  
All the earth rejoice.

## Verse Two

He wraps Himself in light.  
And darkness tries to hide.  
It trembles at His voice.  
Trembles at His voice.

## CHORUS

How great is our God, sing with me.  
How great is our God. And all will see,  
How great, how great is our God.

## Verse Three

Age to Age, He stands.  
And time is in His hands.  
Beginning and the end.  
Beginning and the end.

## BRIDGE

Name above all names.  
Worthy of our praise.  
My heart will sing,  
“How great is our God!”

## Verse Four

The Godhead, Three in One.  
Father, Spirit, Son.  
Lion and the Lamb.  
Lion and the Lamb.



# The Gates

Young Oceans

## Verse One

Did You say, 'Seek, you will surely find'?  
I am searching, Lord turn Your eyes to mine.  
But I'm weary, pacing at these gates.  
Jesus come, come now, don't delay!

## Verse Two

Like a child, ever faithful may I be.  
This I ask, God of mercy, hear my plea.  
I have wandered with a soul impure.  
For this scorn, Father, send a cure.

## REFRAIN I

I come to You, my one and only.  
I promise not to turn my eyes again.  
And yes, I know we're but a breath.  
But, I wanna taste and see and feel.  
You nonetheless.  
The years, they keep on turning.  
And I'm battered, but I'm burning  
for you Lord.

## REFRAIN II

I want to wake and feel your glory.  
I want to speak in tongues of  
angels to You, Lord.  
I want to sing a song eternal.  
I want to trample on the curses  
of the earth,

## REFRAIN III

I want to call upon Your healing.  
I want to see the sick and weary be made new,  
I want to swim inside the blessings.  
I want to swim inside the blessings of the Lord.

## Verse Three

Have my heart, dry and dusty though it be;  
And these lungs; tired from calling out to Thee.  
Will You come now and make Your home?  
May we drink the cup of life and overflow.



# Come As You Are

David Crowder, Ben Glover, Matt Maher

## Verse One

Come out of sadness, From wherever you've been.  
Come broken hearted, Let rescue begin.  
Come find your mercy, Oh sinner, come kneel.  
Earth has no sorrow that heaven can't heal.  
Earth has no sorrow that heaven can't heal.

## CHORUS

So lay down your burdens, Lay down your shame.  
All who are broken, Lift up your face.  
Oh wanderer come home, You're not too far.  
So lay down your hurt, Lay down your heart,  
Come as you are !

## Verse Two

There's hope for the hopeless, And all those who've strayed.  
Come sit at the table, Come taste the grace.  
There's rest for the weary, Rest that endures.  
Earth has no sorrow that heaven can't cure.

## Bridge

Come as you are; Come as you are.  
Fall in his arms; Come as you are.

## Verse Four

There's joy for the morning, Oh sinner be still.  
Earth has no sorrow that heaven can't heal.  
Earth has no sorrow that heaven can't heal.



# Great is Thy Faithfulness

Thomas Chisolm

## Verse One

Great is Thy Faithfulness, O God my Father.  
There is no shadow of turning with Thee.  
Thou changest not, Thy compassions they fail not;  
As Thou has been, Thou forever wilt be.

## CHORUS

Great is Thy faithfulness, Great is Thy faithfulness  
Morning by morning new mercies I see  
All I have needed, Thy hand hath provided  
Great is Thy faithfulness, Lord unto me!

## Verse Two

Summer and winter and springtime and harvest  
Sun, moon and stars in their courses above,  
Join with all nature in manifold witness  
To Thy great faithfulness, mercy and love.

## Verse Three

Pardon for sin, and a peace that endureth,  
Thine own dear presence - to cheer and to guide.  
Strength for today and bright hope for tomorrow.  
Blessings all mine, with ten thousand beside.



# Be Still, My Soul!

Catherine vonSchiegel 1697

Translator: Jane Borthwick 813-1897

## Verse One

Be still my soul! The Lord is on thy side;  
Bear patiently the cross of grief or pain;  
Leave to thy God to order and provide,  
In every change He faithful will remain.  
Be still, my soul! thy best, thy heavenly Friend  
Thru' thorny ways leads to a joyful end.

## Verse Two

Be still, my soul! thy God doth undertake  
To guide the future as He has the past.  
Thy hope, thy confidence, let nothing shake.  
All now mysterious shall be bright at last.  
Be still, my soul! the waves and winds still know  
His voice who ruled them while He dwelt below.

## Verse Three

Be still, my soul! the hour is hast'ning on  
When we shall be, forever with the Lord,  
When disappointment, grief and fear are gone,  
Sorrow forgot, love's purest joys restored.  
Be still, my soul! When change and tears are past  
All safe and blessed we shall meet at last.



# Man of Sorrows

Philip Paul Bliss 1838-1876

## Verse One

“Man of Sorrows,” what a name,  
For the Son of God, who came.  
Ruined sinners to reclaim!  
Alleluia, what a Saviour.

## Verse Two

Bearing shame and scoffing rude,  
In my place condemned He stood.  
Sealed my pardon, with His blood.  
Alleluia, what a Saviour.

## Verse Three

Guilty, vile and helpless, we;  
Spotless Lamb of God was He;  
“Full atonement!” - can it be?  
Alleluia, what a Saviour.

## Verse Four

Lifted up, was He to die.  
“It is finished” was His cry;  
Now in heaven - exalted, high!  
Alleluia, what a Saviour

## Verse Five

When He comes, our glorious King,  
All His ransomed home to bring.  
Then anew this song, we'll sing,  
Alleluia, what a Saviour!



# O For a Faith that Will Not Shrink

William Bathurst 1796-1877

## Verse One

O, for a faith that will not shrink,  
Tho' press'd by many-a foe.  
That will not tremble on the brink,  
Of poverty or woe.

## Verse Two

That will not murmur nor complain,  
Wherever it has trod.  
But, in the hour of grief or pain,  
Can lean upon its God.

## Verse Three

A faith that shines more bright and clear  
When tempests rage without.  
That, when in danger knows no fear.  
In darkness, feels no doubt.

## Verse Four

Lord, give me such a faith as this  
And then, what-e'er may come,  
I'll taste e'en here the hallowed bliss  
Of an eternal home.



# Here's My Heart, Lord

Chris Tomlin, Jason Ingram, Louie Giglio

## Chorus

Here's my heart Lord, Here's my heart Lord.  
Here's my heart Lord, Speak what is true.

## Verse One

'Cause I am found, I am Yours,  
I am loved, I'm made pure,  
I have life, I can breathe,  
I am healed, I am free.

## Verse Two

'Cause You are strong, You are sure,  
You are life, You endure,  
You are good, always true,  
You are light breaking through.

## Bridge

Here's my life Lord,  
Here's my life Lord.

## Verse Three

You are more than enough,  
You are here, You are love,  
You are hope, You are grace,  
You're all I have, You're everything.



# My All, in Thee

Young Oceans

## Verse One

When gracious Lord, when shall it be,  
That earth will find her all in Thee?  
The fullness of Thy promise, prove.  
Seal me with Thy eternal love.

## Verse Two

Thee, only Thee, I'm faint to find.  
I cast the world and sin behind.  
O, my Redeemer, hear this plea  
And let me find my all in Thee.

## CHORUS

Show me Your Way, my Love, my Lord.  
Draw me to grace, so strong and sure.  
I run to Your mercy, where I am free  
Let me find my all in Thee.

## Verse Three

Lord, I am blind, be Thou my sight.  
Lord, I am weak, be Thou my might.  
A Helper of the helpless, be  
And let me find my all in Thee.

## Verse Four

Please mend my soul, my frame, my life.  
A contrite heart, Thou won't despise.  
Take now this pain and misery,  
And let me find my all in Thee.



# Our Father

Bethel Music

Our Father in Heaven,  
Hallowed be Your name.  
Your Kingdom come quickly  
Your will be done the same.

On earth as it is in Heaven.  
Let Heaven come to  
Earth as it is in Heaven.  
Let Heaven come!

(Let Heaven come, Let Heaven come)

Yours is the Kingdom,  
Yours is the power,  
Yours is the glory forever, amen

Yours is the Kingdom,  
Yours is the power,  
Yours is the glory forever, amen



# All Who Hear

Young Oceans

## Verse One

A desert voice calls out  
Lend him your ear, your heart.  
Though we are scattered stones,  
We're not alone.

## Verse Two

So we, the road, prepare  
For heaven's eternal heir.  
At last, our Saviour's near.

## CHORUS I

Let all, who hear, make way.  
And may these hearts  
Prepare, a place

## Verse Three

What is this grace Divine?  
That earth and sky align  
With leveled souls laid bare,

## CHORUS II

Let all who hear, make way.  
And may these hearts  
Prepare a place.  
For "God with us"  
Will come to save!  
And surely He shall comfort those He loves.  
And so we wait.



# I Will be Still

Young Oceans

## Verse One

Though the earth give way,  
Though the mountains fall to the sea,  
Though its waters roar, I will cling to Thee

## Verse Two

Though the nations rage,  
And creation yearns for the Lord,  
Though the earth may melt; I'm forever Yours.

## PRELUDE

There is no fear; As I look upon You.

## CHORUS

I will be still, I will be still.  
And know, And know You are God.

## BRIDGE

Forever my Refuge, Forever my Strength.  
Forever my Helper, Forever my Friend.



# One Thirst

Bethel Music

## Verse One

You say to us, "Seek Your face."  
Our hearts reply, "Your face we seek."  
Come teach us Lord, reveal Your ways.  
Anoint us for the greater things.

## CHORUS

We have gathered with one thirst and hunger.  
We're here to drink of glory and wonder,  
Here to cry out.  
Come and fill this place!  
Come and fill this place!

## Verse Two

Our single wish, our sole desire  
To gaze upon Your beauty, God.  
We will not rest, nor will we cease  
'Till with our eyes, Your face we see.

## Bridge

We wait for You to come  
and show Your glory here today.  
We wait for You to come  
and show Your glory here today.

Alleluia, Come!  
Alleluia, Come!



# All the Poor and Powerless

All Sons & Daughters

## Verse One

All the poor and powerless  
And all the lost and lonely  
All the theives will come confess  
And know that You are holy,  
And know that You are holy.

## CHORUS I

And all will sing out,  
“Hallelujah!”  
And we will cry out,  
“Hallelujah!”

## Verse Two

All the hearts who are content,  
And all who feel unworthy,  
All who hurt with nothing left  
Will know that You are Holy!

## BRIDGE

Shout it!  
Go on and scream it from the mountains.  
Go and tell it to the masses.  
That He is God.

## CHORUS II

We will sing out,  
“Hallelujah!”  
And we will cry out,  
“Hallelujah!”



# This is Amazing Grace

Phil Wickham

## Verse One

Who breaks the power of sin and darkness?  
Whose love is mighty and so much stronger?  
The King of Glory, the King above all kings!  
Who shakes the whole earth with holy thunder?  
And leaves us breathless in awe and wonder?  
The King of glory, the King above all kings!

## CHORUS

This is amazing grace; This is unfailing love.  
That You would take my place,  
That You would bear my cross.  
You lay down Your life; That I would be set free.  
Oh, Jesus, I sing for,  
All that You've done for me.

## Verse Two

Who brings our chaos back into order?  
Who makes the orphan a son and daughter?  
The King of glory, the King above all kings.  
Who rules the nations with truth and justice?  
Shines like the sun in all of its brilliance?  
The King of glory, the King above all kings.

## Bridge

Worthy is the Lamb who was slain  
Worthy is the King who conquered the grave (x3)  
Worthy is the Lamb who was slain  
Worthy, worthy, worthy  
Oh.



# My Beloved

Broken Together Music

## Verse One

Those who were hurt,  
Those who were broken,  
Those who were blind,  
You are mine.  
Those unloved,  
Those untouched,  
Those unclean.

## CHORUS

Remember, here I am broken for you.  
You are my beloved, and I am well pleased.  
Here I am, poured out for you.  
You are my beloved and I am well pleased with you.

## Verse Two

To those who were hurt,  
To those who were broken,  
To those who were blind.  
I am yours.  
To those unloved,  
To those untouched,  
To those unclean.

## BRIDGE

Remember Christ,  
Christ has died,  
Christ did rise  
And He's coming again.



# Revival

Robin Mark

## Pre-CHORUS

I hear the voice of one calling,  
“Prepare ye, prepare ye the Way of the Lord.”  
I hear the voice of one calling  
I hear the voice of one calling,  
“Prepare ye, prepare ye, the Way of the Lord.  
And make His paths straight,  
Make His paths straight in the wilderness  
And let Your light shine,  
Let your light shine in the darkness.  
And let Your rain fall, let Your rain fall in the desert.”

## Verse One

Sure as gold is precious and the honey sweet,  
So, You love this city and You love these streets!  
Ev’ry child out playing by its own front door,  
Ev’ry baby laying on the bedroom floor  
I feel it in my spirit, feel it in my bones,  
You’re gonna send revival, bring ’em all back home.

## CHORUS I

I can hear that thunder in the distance,  
Like a train on the edge of the town,  
I can feel the brooding of Your Spirit,  
Lay your burdens down, Lay your burdens down.

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# Revival cont....

Robin Mark

## Verse Two

From the preacher preaching when the well is dry,  
To the lost soul reaching for a higher high.  
From the young man working through his hopes and fears  
To the widow walking through the vale of tears.  
Ev'ry man and woman; ev'ry old and young,  
Ev'ry father's daughter, ev'ry mother's son.  
I feel it in my spirit, feel it in my bones,  
You're gonna send revival, bring 'em all back home.

## CHORUS II

Revive us, revive us, revive us with Your fire.



# Where Feet May Fail

Matt Crocker, Joel Houston, Salomon Lighthelm

## Verse One

You call me out upon the waters,  
The great unknown where feet may fail.  
And, there, I find You in the mystery.  
In oceans deep my faith will stand.

## CHORUS

And, I will call upon Your name,  
And keep my eyes above the waves.  
When oceans rise, my soul will rest in Your embrace.  
For I am Yours; and You are mine.

## Verse Two

Your grace abounds in deepest waters,  
Your sovereign hand will be my guide.  
Where feet may fail and fear surrounds me,  
You've never failed and You won't start now.

## Verse Three

Spirit lead me where my trust is without borders.  
Let me walk upon the waters  
Wherever You would call me.  
Take me deeper than my feet could ever wander.  
And my faith will be made stronger  
In the presence of my Saviour.



# Hearts, Minds and Doors

Broken Together

## Verse One

Spirit, open our heart, come and break it apart.  
Move in our soul, the broken made whole.  
Spirit, open up our heart.

## Verse Two

Father, open our mind, we long for Your sight.  
Help us to see, all around is Your glory.  
Father, open up our mind.

## CHORUS I

We believe in God the Father,  
We believe in His Son, the Christ.  
We believe in the Holy Spirit - they are the vision, they are the light.  
We believe in the church, the communion of saints.  
Christ died and rised to forgive our mistakes.  
Through this broken and fallen world.  
We open our hearts, open our minds, open our doors.

## Verse Three

We open our doors, make way for the Lord.  
We hunger for you, make all us sinners new  
We hunger for you, make all us sinners new  
We will open up the door.

## Bridge

We cry glory, we cry glory,  
to the Father and Son and the Spirit in One  
Glory is never ending, glory. Amen.  
We cry glory, we cry glory  
to the Father and Son and the Spirit in One  
Glory, never ending, glory. Amen.



# God of Justice

Tim Hughes

God of Justice, Saviour to all  
Came to rescue the weak and the poor.  
Chose to serve and not be served.  
Jesus, You have called us  
Freely we've received  
Now freely we will give.

We must go, live to feed the hungry.  
Stand beside the broken.  
We must go.  
Stepping forward, keep us from just singing  
Move us into action.  
We must go.

To act justly everyday.  
Loving mercy in every way.  
Walking humbly before You, God.  
You have shown us what You require  
Freely we've received  
Now freely we will give.

Fill us up and send us out.  
Fill us up and send us out.  
Fill us up and send us out, Lord.



# The Compline Song

Broken Together Music

## Verse One

Christ with me sleeping, Christ with me waking.  
Christ with me watching, by day and by night.  
Christ with me sleeping, Christ with me waking  
Christ with me watching, by day and by night.

## CHORUS I

Keep me as the apple of your eye,  
Hide me from the shadow of the night.  
Where, where, O, death, is your victory?  
Where, where, O, death, is your sting?  
Christ holds the key,  
So we may sleep, in the peace of a Father's arms.

## Verse Two

God in me protecting,  
Jesus in me directing,  
The Spirit in me strengthening,  
Forever You shall be.  
God in me protecting,  
Jesus in me directing,  
The Spirit in me strengthening,  
Forever You shall be.

## CHORUS II

Keep me as the apple of Your eye,  
Hide me from the shadow of the night.  
Peace of all peace, be mine this night  
Peace of all peace, be mine this night.  
Christ holds our hearts,  
So we may sleep in the peace of a Father's arms.  
Sleep, sleep in peace in our Father's arms



# Christ Be Beside Me

St. Patrick

## Verse One

Christ be beside me.  
Christ be before me.  
Christ be behind me, King of my heart.  
Christ be within me.  
Christ be below me.  
Christ be above me, never to part.

## Verse Two

Christ on my right hand.  
Christ on my left hand.  
Christ all around me,  
Shield in strife.  
Christ in my sleeping.  
Christ in my sitting.  
Christ in my rising;  
Light of my life.

## Verse Three

Christ be in all hearts thinking about me.  
Christ be in all tongues telling of me.  
Christ be the vision in eyes that see me,  
In ears that hear me.  
Christ ever be.



# Abide With Me

Henry Francis Lyte

## Verse One

Abide with me; fast falls the eventide:  
The darkness deepens; Lord, with me abide;  
When other helpers, fail and comforts flee,  
Help of the helpless, oh, abide with me.

## Verse Two

Swift to its close ebbs out life's little day;  
Earth's joys grow dim, its glories pass away;  
Change and decay in all around I see—  
O Thou who changest not, abide with me.

## Verse Three

I need Thy presence every passing hour;  
What but Thy grace can foil the tempter's pow'r?  
Who, like Thyself, my guide and stay can be?  
Through cloud and sunshine, Lord, abide with me.

## Verse Four

I fear no foe, with Thee at hand to bless;  
Ills have no weight, and tears no bitterness;  
Where is death's sting? Where, grave, thy victory?  
I triumph still, if Thou abide with me.

## Verse Five

Hold Thou Thy cross before my closing eyes;  
Shine through the gloom and point me to the skies;  
Heav'n's morning breaks, and earth's vain shadows flee;  
In life, in death, O Lord, abide with me.



# Jesus Loves Me

## Verse One

Jesus loves me, this I know  
For the Bible tells me so  
Little ones to Him belong  
We are weak, but He is strong

## CHORUS

Yes Jesus loves me,  
Yes Jesus loves me,  
Yes Jesus loves me,  
The Bible tells me so

## Verse Two

Jesus loves me, He who died  
Heaven's gates to open wide.  
If I love Him when I die  
He will take me home on high.



# Abide With Me II

Matt Redman

## Verse One

I have a home, eternal home.  
But for now, I walk this broken world  
You've walked it first, You know our pain.  
But You show hope can rise again, up from the grave.

## CHORUS

Abide with me, Abide with me.  
Don't let me fall, and don't let go.  
Walk with me and never leave.  
Ever close, God abide with me.

## Verse Two

There in the night,  
Gethsemane before the cross  
Before the nails, overwhelmed,  
Alone, You prayed.  
You met us in our suffering and bore our shame.

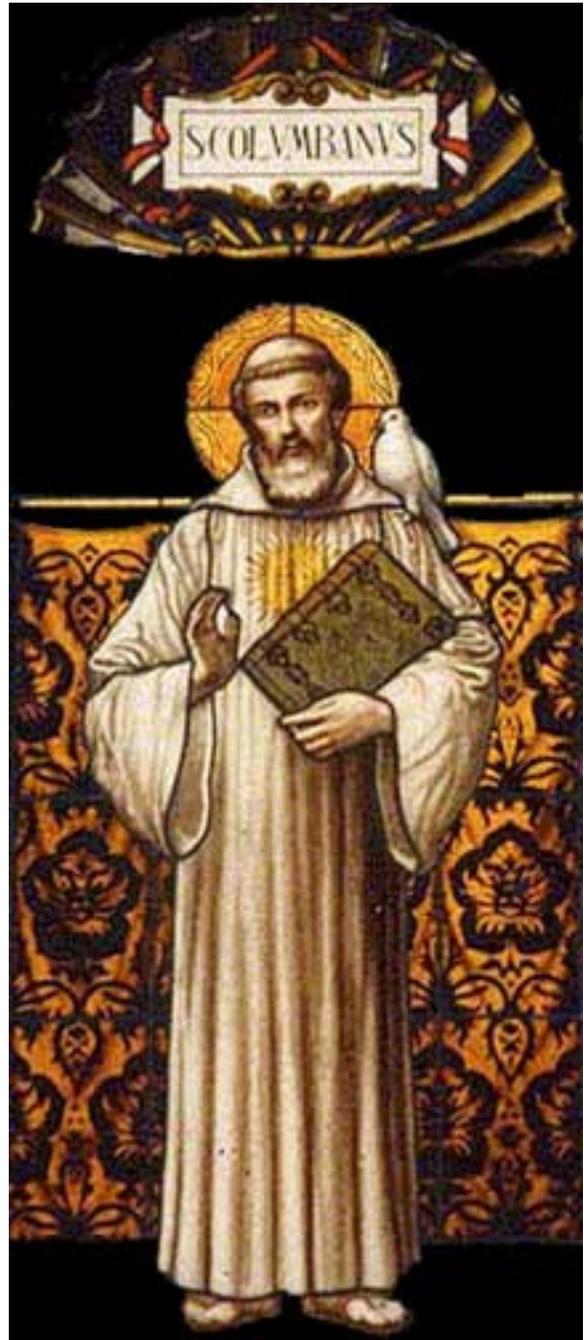
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O love that will not ever let me go!  
Love that will not ever let me go!  
You never let me go!  
Love that will not ever let me go!  
And up ahead, eternity.  
We'll weep no more- and sing for joy  
Abide with me!



# The Prayer of Columbanus

Grant, O Lord,  
that the light of your love  
may never be dimmed  
within us.  
Let it shine forth  
from our warmed hearts  
to comfort others.  
In times of peace  
and in seasons of adversity,  
and in bright beams  
of your goodness and love,  
May we come at last  
to the vision of your glory;  
through Christ our Lord.  
Amen



Here at Urban Abbey, we follow the Rule of Columbanus (550-615).