



Welcome to all!

*Our mission at ILC: To thank, praise, honor and serve our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ as we **GATHER** and worship, **GROW** in the Word, and **SERVE** God by serving people.*

Information for Visitors ...

A special welcome to guests and visitors! May our time together be a blessing to you.

Coffee & Fellowship is available in the Gather Room each Sunday between services.

A **Nursery** is available from 8:30am-11:30am for children through age 4. It is located at the bottom of the grand staircase just outside the Gather Room.

Children's bulletins are available from the ushers.

Elevator is located through the basement and the ushers' room in the sanctuary.

Sunday School is at 9:30am and all ages are welcome. Adult classes meet in the Conference Room, Parlor, and Grow Room.

Red Worship Attendance pads are passed during the offering. Please take a moment to register your attendance. Visitors, please let us know if we can be of service to you.

Worship Times 8:30am & 10:30am

HOLY COMMUNION

The sacrament is celebrated at all worship services every Sunday. All are welcome, believing that our Lord is present offering grace and forgiveness. During our **8:30am service** you will commune by intinction, meaning you may dip the wafer in either the wine or grape juice or drink from the common cup. **Our 10:30am service** you will be ushered forward to kneel at the railing. Please leave chalice on the railing.

Gluten-free wafers and/or white grape juice are available at all services.

Please Turn Off All Cell Phones & Pagers

Thank You!!

PRELUDE

WELCOME: Pastor Candice Combs

ANNOUNCEMENTS

BRIEF ORDER FOR CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

A: Blessed be the holy Trinity, ☩ one God, who forgives all our sin, whose mercy endures forever.

C: Amen.

A: Seeking reconciliation with God and neighbor, let us remember the gift of baptism and confess our sin. God of mercy,

C: We confess that we have sinned against you, against one another, and against the earth entrusted to our care. We are worried and distracted by many things, and we fail to love you above all else. We store up treasures for ourselves and turn away from our neighbors in need. Forgive us, that we may live in the freedom of your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.

P: When we were laid low by sin and guilt, God made us alive together with Christ, forgiving us ☩ all our trespasses by taking our sins to the cross. For freedom Christ has set us free: rejoice in this good news!

C: Amen.

GATHERING SONG: *Take My Life, That I May Be*

ELW 685

A: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

C: And also with you.

Glory Be to God in Heaven



1 Glo-ry be to God in heav - en; peace, good-will to all the earth.
2 Glo-ry be to Christ for - ev - er, Lamb of God and Lord of love.
3 Ho - ly One we now ac-claim you; Lord a - lone, to you we call;



Might-y God of all cre - a - tion, Fa - ther of sur - pass - ing worth:
Son of God and gra-cious Sav - ior, you have come from heav'n a - bove;
Ho - ly One in faith we name you, throned on high, yet near to all:



we ex - alt you, we a - dore you, we lift high our thanks and praise.
on the cross you died to save us; now you reign at God's right hand.
Je - sus Christ, with God the Spir - it, in the Fa - ther's splen - dor bright.



Saints and an - gels bow be - fore you; here on earth our songs we raise.
Hear our prayer; re - store, for - give us; in your prom - ise firm we stand.
For the peace that we in - her - it, glo - ry be to God on high!

PRAYER OF THE DAY

A: The Lord be with you.

C: And also with you.

A: O God, overflowing with mercy and compassion, you lead back to yourself all those who go astray. Preserve your people in your loving care, that we may reject whatever is contrary to you and may follow all things that sustain our life in your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

C: Amen.

First Reading: Exodus 32:7-14

While Moses is on Mount Sinai, the people grow restless and make a golden calf to worship. Today's reading shows Moses as the mediator between an angry God and a sinful people. Moses reminds God that the Israelites are God's own people and boldly asks mercy for them.

⁷The LORD said to Moses, "Go down at once! Your people, whom you brought up out of the land of Egypt, have acted perversely; ⁸they have been quick to turn aside from the way that I commanded them; they have cast for themselves an image of a calf, and have worshiped it and sacrificed to it, and said, 'These are your gods, O Israel, who brought you up out of the land of Egypt!' " ⁹The LORD said to Moses, "I have seen this people, how stiff-necked they are. ¹⁰Now let me alone, so that my wrath may burn hot against

them and I may consume them; and of you I will make a great nation.”¹¹ But Moses implored the LORD his God, and said, “O LORD, why does your wrath burn hot against your people, whom you brought out of the land of Egypt with great power and with a mighty hand?¹² Why should the Egyptians say, ‘It was with evil intent that he brought them out to kill them in the mountains, and to consume them from the face of the earth’? Turn from your fierce wrath; change your mind and do not bring disaster on your people.¹³ Remember Abraham, Isaac, and Israel, your servants, how you swore to them by your own self, saying to them, ‘I will multiply your descendants like the stars of heaven, and all this land that I have promised I will give to your descendants, and they shall inherit it forever.’”¹⁴ And the LORD changed his mind about the disaster that he planned to bring on his people.

A: Word of God, Word of Life

C: Thanks be to God.

Psalm 51:1-10 (read responsively)

¹Have mercy on me, O God, according to your steadfast love; according to your abundant mercy blot out my transgressions.

²**Wash me thoroughly from my iniquity, and cleanse me from my sin.**

³For I know my transgressions, and my sin is ever before me.

⁴**Against you, you alone, have I sinned, and done what is evil in your sight, so that you are justified in your sentence and blameless when you pass judgment.**

⁵Indeed, I was born guilty, a sinner when my mother conceived me.

⁶**You desire truth in the inward being; therefore teach me wisdom in my secret heart.**

⁷Purge me with hyssop, and I shall be clean; wash me, and I shall be whiter than snow.

⁸**Let me hear joy and gladness; let the bones that you have crushed rejoice.**

⁹Hide your face from my sins, and blot out all my iniquities.

¹⁰**Create in me a clean heart, O God, and put a new and right spirit within me.**

Second Reading: 1 Timothy 1:12-17

The letters to Timothy are called the Pastoral Epistles because they contain advice especially intended for leaders in the church. Here the mercy shown to Paul, who once persecuted the church, is cited as evidence that even the most unworthy may become witnesses to the grace of God.

¹²I am grateful to Christ Jesus our Lord, who has strengthened me, because he judged me faithful and appointed me to his service,¹³ even though I was formerly a blasphemer, a persecutor, and a man of violence. But I received mercy because I had acted ignorantly in

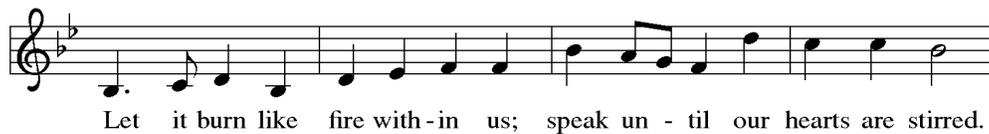
unbelief, ¹⁴and the grace of our Lord overflowed for me with the faith and love that are in Christ Jesus. ¹⁵The saying is sure and worthy of full acceptance, that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners—of whom I am the foremost. ¹⁶But for that very reason I received mercy, so that in me, as the foremost, Jesus Christ might display the utmost patience, making me an example to those who would come to believe in him for eternal life. ¹⁷To the King of the ages, immortal, invisible, the only God, be honor and glory forever and ever.

A: Word of God, Word of Life

C: Thanks be to God.

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION



P: The holy gospel according to Luke the 15th chapter

C: Glory to you, O Lord

GOSPEL: Luke 15:1-10

Jesus tells two stories that suggest a curious connection between the lost being found and sinners repenting. God takes the initiative to find sinners, each of whom is so precious to God that his or her recovery brings joy in heaven.

¹Now all the tax collectors and sinners were coming near to listen to [Jesus.] ²And the Pharisees and the scribes were grumbling and saying, “This fellow welcomes sinners and eats with them.” ³So he told them this parable: ⁴“Which one of you, having a hundred sheep and losing one of them, does not leave the ninety-nine in the wilderness and go after the one that is lost until he finds it? ⁵When he has found it, he lays it on his

shoulders and rejoices. ⁶And when he comes home, he calls together his friends and neighbors, saying to them, ‘Rejoice with me, for I have found my sheep that was lost.’ ⁷Just so, I tell you, there will be more joy in heaven over one sinner who repents than over ninety-nine righteous persons who need no repentance. ⁸“Or what woman having ten silver coins, if she loses one of them, does not light a lamp, sweep the house, and search carefully until she finds it? ⁹When she has found it, she calls together her friends and neighbors, saying, ‘Rejoice with me, for I have found the coin that I had lost.’ ¹⁰Just so, I tell you, there is joy in the presence of the angels of God over one sinner who repents.”

P: The gospel of the Lord

C: Praise to you, O Christ.

SERMON

HYMN OF THE DAY: *We Come to You for Healing, Lord*

ELW 617

APOSTLES CREED

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come to judge the living and the dead.

**I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting.
Amen.**

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

A: Lord in your Mercy

C: Hear our prayer

PEACE

A: The peace of Christ be with you always.

C: And also with you.

OFFERING

OFFERTORY

(Gather, Grow, Serve)

OFFERTORY PRAYER

P: Blessed are you, O God, maker of all things. Through your goodness you have blessed us with these gifts: our selves, our time, and our possessions. Use us, and what we have gathered, in feeding the world with your love, through the one who gave himself for us, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

C: Amen.

GREAT THANKSGIVING

P: The Lord be with you

C: And also with you

P: Lift up your hearts.

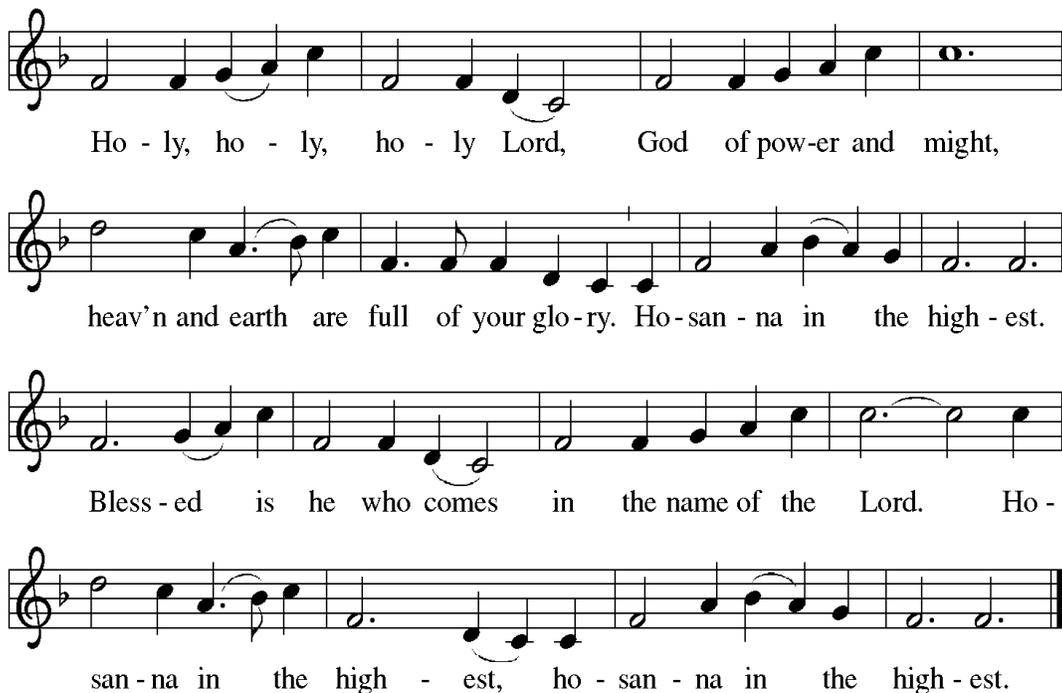
C: We lift them to the Lord.

P: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God

C: It is right to give our thanks and praise.

PREFACE

RESPONSE



Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow-er and might,
heav'n and earth are full of your glo-ry. Ho-san - na in the high - est.
Bless - ed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho -
san - na in the high - est, ho - san - na in the high - est.

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

LORD'S PRAYER

C: Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. Lead us not into temptation, and deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever and forever. Amen.

SONGS DURING COMMUNION



1 O Lamb of God, you bear the sin of all the world a - way;
2 O Lamb of God, you bear the sin of all the world a - way;
3 O Lamb of God, you bear the sin of all the world a - way;



you suf-fered death our lives to save: have mer-cy now, we pray.
you set us free from guilt and grave: have mer-cy now, we pray.
e - ter-nal peace with God you made: give us your peace, we pray.

Precious Lord, Take My Hand

ELW 773

Rock of Ages, Cleft for Me

ELW 623

We Praise You, O God

ELW 870

P: May the body and blood of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ bless you and keep you in God's grace.

C: Amen

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

P: Let us pray.

O God, in this holy communion you have welcomed us into your presence, nourished us with words of mercy, and fed us at your table. Amid the cares of this life, strengthen us to love you with all our heart, serve our neighbors with a willing spirit, and honor the earth you have made; through Christ our Lord.

C: Amen.

BLESSING

P: The Lord bless you and keep you; the Lord's face shine on you and be gracious; + the Lord look on you with favor and give you peace.

C: Amen.

SENDING SONG

Stand Up, Stand Up for Jesus

1 Stand up, stand up for Je - sus, as sol - diers of the cross,
2 Stand up, stand up for Je - sus; the trum - pet call o - bey;
3 Stand up, stand up for Je - sus, stand in his strength a - lone;
4 Stand up, stand up for Je - sus, the strife will not be long;

lift high his roy - al ban - ner; it must not suf - fer loss.
stand forth in might - y con - flict in this his glo - rious day.
the arm of flesh will fail you, you dare not trust your own.
this day the din of bat - tle, the next the vic - tor's song.

From vic - t'ry un - to vic - t'ry his ar - my he shall lead,
Let all his faith - ful serve him a - gainst un - num - bered foes;
Put on the gos - pel ar - mor; each piece put on with prayer.
The sol - diers, o - ver - com - ing, their crown of life shall see,

till ev - 'ry foe is van - quished and Christ is Lord in - deed.
let cour - age rise with dan - ger, and strength to strength op - pose.
Where du - ty calls or dan - ger, be nev - er want - ing there.
and with the King of glo - ry shall reign e - ter - nal - ly.

DISMISSAL

A: Go in peace. Serve the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

GATHER and Worship

Please pray for these ILC members:

Elois Sakewitz	Wendy Weiss	Vernette Fuchs	Billie Becker
Vernice Krueger	Wilbert Becker	Donna Cearley	H.L. Weiss
Charles Tawater	Fred Scott	Judy Tawater	Donald Wolf
Donna Getz	Joann Damstrom	Robert Boehm	Randa Nowotny
Cyndi Motloch			

Please also pray for these friends & extended family members:

Seth Munk	Brianna Bonnet	Suzanne Gautney	Martin Samuelson
Rodney Reed	Evelyn Wuensce	Jennifer Rankin	Kenneth Warren
Eryn Emken	Irene Michna	Ike Eickbusch	John Ward
Calen Stewart	Karen Benavidez	Beverly Kuchar	Bobbi Klein

In our time of loss, we pray for: The family of Carol Fletcher whose mother, Dehlia Parsons passed away Monday, September 9.

This Week's Gatherings:

Sun.	Service in the Parish Hall w/Sotaria	8:30am
	Service in the Sanctuary	10:30am
	Senior Member Dinner & Fair-Trade Day – Parish Hall	12:00pm
	Domino Group – Gather Room	2:00pm
Mon.	Men's Basketball	8:00pm
Tues.	UP – Gather Room	9:00am-3:00pm
	Church Council Meeting – Conference Room	7:00pm
Wed.	Men's Breakfast – Parish Hall	6:30am
	Quilter's – Gather Room	8:30am
	UP – Parlor	9:00am-3:00pm
	Sotaria Rehearsal – Parish Hall	6:00pm
Thurs.	UP – Gather Room	9:00am-3:00pm
Sat.	Financial Stewardship Class – Gather Room	9:00am-10:30am
Sun.	Service in the Parish Hall w/Sotaria	8:30am
	Aaron Farrow Mission Presentation – Gather Room	9:30am
	Service in the Sanctuary	10:30am

GROW in the Word

Bible Studies this week:

Youth Sunday School	9:30am
Adult Sunday School	9:30am
Monday Crafters Circle – Candy Hansen’s Studio Workroom	9:00am

SERVE God by Serving People

Council Member & Elder Duty for September – Kenneth Adix is responsible this month for locking up the facility. Please contact him at 512-844-1004 if you have any special facility needs. Elders this month are Kelly Knobloch (512-989-7796) and Garry Sjolander (512-799-1143) early service and Steve Barczy (512-657-2021) late service **Please contact them if you would like to assist with worship in August or go to <http://bit.ly/ILCsignup> to sign up yourself.** If you are a visitor and need any assistance, an elder can help you! You can identify an elder by a person wearing a large red nametag.

“Yellow Brick House” Food Pantry continues to be open weekly: We ask that you prayerfully consider helping with this ministry through the offering plate or by supplying any of the following items: mac n’cheese, peanut butter, Jumex/Kern juices in “coke cans,” brownie mix, mayonnaise, canned chili, canned salmon, canned ranch style beans, instant au gratin/scalloped potatoes, Little Debbie (“fancy cakes” -white, zebra, chocolate chip), 2 lb. and 4 lb. sacks of white sugar.

Call Committee Nominations: if you wish to nominate yourself or another person to serve as a Committee member, the nomination deadline has been extended through **today**. Either give the name and birth date (with year of birth) to a Council member, or email your nomination to jean@ilcpville.org. The date of the congregational meeting to elect the Call Committee is Sunday, September 29 at 12:00pm.

All Congregational Dinner honoring Immanuel’s senior members is today in the Parish Hall at 12:00pm. Church Council and WELCA are sponsoring the baked potato lunch which is being prepared by the youth. Our theme is music and we will sing favorite hymns. Those under 70 years of age are asked to bring a dessert. This will also be Fair Trade Day.

"First Bibles for Every Stage" We promise at baptism to place the Bible in our child's hands. Parents, please join Pastor Candice on Sunday, October 6 at 9:30am in the Chapel and learn how we will place the scripture in your child's hands at our Bible Presentation at both Sunday October 13 services. To RSVP, please email Melissa Parry at melissap@ilcpville.org.

Bible Presentation will be Sunday, October 13 at both services. Beginner Bibles will be presented to any children in Pre-K and Student Bibles for any children 2nd grade or older that have not already received a Bible from ILC.

Sunday Mornings during the 9:30am Sunday School hour we will have 7th and 8th grade Confirmation classes. We will meet in the Youth Room by the gym for breakfast and then have class!

ILC is Hiring! ILC is seeking a full-time Building Maintenance Technician. Excellent pay and benefits package, flexible schedule, and paid time off. Please email Mel Sjolander at melissas@ilcpville.org for more information, or to submit a resume.

Financial Stewardship Workshop: this workshop is free for all members of ILC, as well as parents of ILDS students. It will be in the Gather Room on Saturday, September 21 from 9:00-10:30am. Please contact chris@prosperitypicnic.com if you have any questions about the workshop ahead of time, or see Mel Sjolander in the front office

Bulletin Reminder: announcements for the bulletin are due by Wednesday afternoon. They should give the pertinent information and details about the activity but should also be formatted to fit into the bulletin using no more than five lines. You may write your request out and put in the church "In Box" or send your requests to candyk@ilcpville.org.

Philip Barragan has resigned from Church Council. Please join us in thanking him for his service. If you are interested in filling this vacancy please contact Kevin Kluge at kdluge@hotmail.com. The Council will consider interested individuals at their September meeting. The selected individual will serve from September 2019 through January 2020 and will be eligible to run for election at the annual meeting in January.

"Let's Keep in Touch" The Visitation Ministry here at ILC is asking for your help with "keeping in touch" with our members who find it challenging to attend church services. Can you stop by for an occasional visit, send a card, make a phone call, or drop off a Sunday bulletin? If you can help with this outreach ministry, please contact Sharion Tanner at 512-990-9645.

Last Sunday's Worship Attendance: Early: 149 Late: 104

Serving Today September 15

Organists: Joy Arnhamn and Vernagene Mott

Acolytes: Alyssa King & **1 needed** (10:30)

September Elders: Kelly Knobloch (early) Steve Barczy (late)

Assisting Minister: Chris Rankin

Readers: Annyce Bohls (8:30) Kenneth Adix (10:30)

Communion Assts: Randy Appelhans, Kelly Knobloch, Annyce Bohls & **1 needed** (8:30)

Kenneth Adix & Jean Gifford (10:30)

Chapel Assts: Jean Gifford (8:30) Marilyn Lorfing (10:30)

Ushers: Randy Appelhans, Annyce Bohls, Kelly Knobloch & **1 needed** (8:30)

Erik Hendrickson & Barczy Family (10:30)

Children's Message: Puppets (8:30) Debbie Wiederhold (10:30)

Console/Projectionist: Kelby Sladek (8:30) Charles Kleen (10:30)

Coffee Maker: Kristin Adix

Altar Guild: Peggy Parker (8:30) Candy, Lori, and Mike Hansen (10:30)

Serving Next Week September 22

Organists: Joy Arnhamn and Vernagene Mott

Acolytes: Alysa King & Addison Villegas (10:30)

September Elders: Garry Sjolander (early) Steve Barczy (late)

Assisting Minister: Candy Hansen

Readers: Ron Diemeke (8:30) Barbara Bohls (10:30)

Communion Assts: Ken & Amy Singer, Melissa Sjolander, & Sebastian Hamilton (8:30)

Jean Gifford & Grace Lin (10:30)

Chapel Assts: Jean Gifford (8:30) Marilyn Lorfing (10:30)

Ushers: Ken & Amy Singer, Melissa Sjolander, & Sebastian Hamilton (8:30) Barbara

Bohls & Barczy Family (10:30)

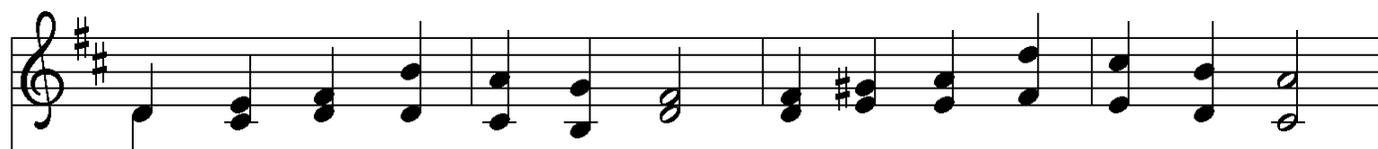
Children's Message: Vicki Lovett (8:30) Melissa Malinowski (10:30)

Console/Projectionist: Martin Jakubowsky (8:30) Matthew Krieg (10:30)

Coffee Maker: Kristin Adix

Altar Guild: Lou Smith (8:30) Candy, Lori, and Mike Hansen (10:30)

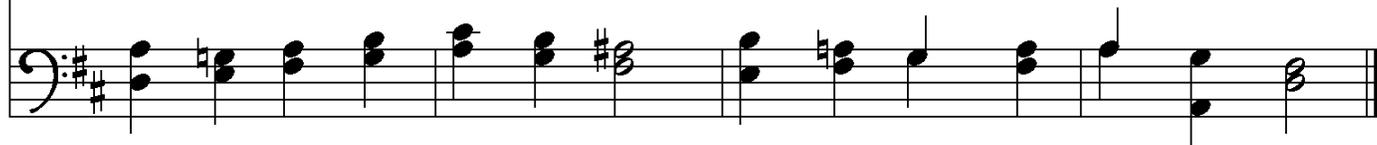
Take My Life, That I May Be



- 1 Take my life, that I may be con - se - crat - ed, Lord, to thee;
- 2 Take my hands and let them move at the im - pulse of thy love;
- 3 Take my voice and let me sing al - ways, on - ly, for my King;
- 4 Take my sil - ver and my gold, not a mite would I with - hold;



- take my mo - ments and my days; let them flow in cease - less praise.
take my feet and let them be swift and beau - ti - ful for thee.
take my lips and let them be filled with mes - sag - es from thee.
take my in - tel - lect, and use ev - 'ry pow'r as thou shalt choose.



- 5 Take my will and make it thine;
it shall be no longer mine.
Take my heart, it is thine own;
it shall be thy royal throne.

- 6 Take my love; my Lord, I pour
at thy feet its treasure store;
take myself, and I will be
ever, only, all for thee.

Text: Frances R. Havergal, 1836–1879, alt.
Music: PATMOS, William H. Havergal, 1793–1870

We Come to You for Healing, Lord

1 We come to you for heal - ing, Lord, of
 2 As once you walked through an - cient streets and
 3 You touch us through phy - si - cians' skills, through
 4 When nights are long with wake - ful - ness, through
 5 We come to you, O lov - ing Lord, in

bod - y, mind, and soul, and pray that by your
 reached toward those in pain, come, ris - en Christ, a -
 nurs - es' gifts of care, and through the love of
 days when strength runs low, grant us your gift of
 our dis - tress and pain, in trust that through our

Spir - it's touch we may a - gain be whole.
 mong us still with pow'r to heal a - gain.
 faith - ful friends who lift our lives in prayer.
 pa - tience, Lord, your calm - ing peace to know.
 nights and days your grace will heal, sus - tain.

Text: Herman G. Stuempfle Jr., b. 1923
 Music: MARTYRDOM, Hugh Wilson, 1764-1824
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Rock of Ages, Cleft for Me

1 Rock of A - ges, cleft for me, let me hide my - self in thee;
 2 Not the la - bors of my hands can ful - fill thy law's de - mands;
 3 Noth - ing in my hand I bring; sim - ply to thy cross I cling.
 4 While I draw this fleet - ing breath, when mine eye - lids close in death,

let the wa - ter and the blood, from thy riv - en side which flowed,
 could my zeal no res - pite know, could my tears for - ev - er flow,
 Na - ked, come to thee for dress; help - less, look to thee for grace;
 when I soar to worlds un - known, see thee on thy judg - ment throne,

be of sin the dou - ble cure; cleanse me from its guilt and pow'r.
 all for sin could not a - tone; thou must save, and thou a - lone.
 foul, I to the foun - tain fly; wash me, Sav - ior, or I die.
 Rock of A - ges, cleft for me, let me hide my - self in thee.

Text: Augustus M. Toplady, 1740-1778
 Music: TOPLADY, Thomas Hastings, 1784-1872

We Praise You, O God

1 We praise you, O God, our re - deem - er, cre - a - tor;
2 We wor - ship you, God of our fa - thers and mo - thers;
3 With voic - es u - nit - ed our prais - es we of - fer

in grate - ful de - vo - tion our trib - ute we bring.
through tri - al and tem - pest our guide you have been.
and glad - ly our songs of thanks - giv - ing we raise.

We lay it be - fore you; we kneel and a - dore you;
When per - ils o'er - take us, you will not for - sake us,
With you, Lord, be - side us, your strong arm will guide us.

we bless your ho - ly name; glad prais - es we sing.
and with your help, O Lord, our strug - gles we win.
To you, our great re - deem - er, for - ev - er be praise!

Text: Julia C. Cory, 1882-1963
Music: KREMSER, A. Valerius, *Nederlandsch Gedenckclanck*, 1626