

March 9th, 2025
The First Sunday in Lent

Opening Song: Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah

Lyrics: William Williams, 1700's; Translator: Peter Williams, 1700's; Tune: *CWM Rhondda*, by John Hughes, 1900's. Public domain.

1. Guide me, O thou great Jehovah,
pilgrim through this barren land.
I am weak, but thou art mighty;
hold me with thy powerful hand.
Bread of heaven, bread of heaven,
feed me til I want no more,
feed me til I want no more.

2. Open now the crystal fountain
whence the healing streams doth flow.
Let the fire and cloudy pillar
lead me all my journey through.
Strong Deliverer, strong Deliverer,
be thou still my strength and shield,
be thou still my strength and shield.

3. When I tread the verge of Jordan
bid my anxious fears subside.
Death of death and hell's destruction,
land me safe on Canaan's side.
Songs of praises, songs of praises
I will ever give to thee,
I will ever give to thee.

Song 1: It's Yours

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Oh my Lord, you have been good to me,
you've shown me mercy, oh.
Oh my Lord, your blood has cleansed me,
cast my sin into the sea,
cast my sin into the sea.
You've ransomed me.

My life is not my own (3 x's)
it's yours, it's yours, it's yours. (*repeat*)

I give my yes to you, you have my yes, you do.
I give my yes to you, you have my yes,
you do,
you do,
you do.

Song 2: God is For Us

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1. We won't fear the battle,
we won't fear the night;
we will walk the valley with you by our side.
You will go before us,
you will lead the way.
We have found a refuge - only you can save.

Chorus:

Sing with joy now -
our God is for us,
the Father's love is a strong and mighty fortress.
Raise your voice now -
no love is greater.
Who can stand against us if our God is for us.

2. Even when I stumble, even when I fall,
even when I turn back still your love is sure.
You will not abandon, you will not forsake,
you will cheer me onward with never ending grace.

Bridge:

Neither height nor depth can separate us.
Hell and death will not defeat us.
He who gave his Son to free us
holds me in his love.

Song: He Shall Reign

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1. Holy, holy, holy!
Our God is on the throne.
So firm is his foundation
no power can overthrow.

Chorus:
And he shall reign forever and ever.

2. One name outlasts the ages,
through time his truth revealed.
While kings may pass like shadows
our God is sovereign still.

Chorus:
And he shall reign forever and ever.
And he shall reign forever and ever.

Bridge:
To the Lamb upon the throne - hallelujah, hallelujah!
To the Lord forevermore - hallelujah, hallelujah!
(repeat)

3. The day I stand before him
what praise will fill my soul,
and there behold his glory
and praise him all the more.

Chorus:
And he shall reign forever and ever.
And he shall reign forever and ever.

Offering Song: Build My Life

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1. Worthy of every song we could ever sing,
worthy of all the praise we could ever bring,
worthy of every breath we could ever breathe,
we live for you.

2. Jesus, the name above every other name.
Jesus, the only one who could ever save.
Worthy of every breath we could ever breathe,
we live for you, we live for you.

Chorus:

Holy, there is no one like you,
there is none beside you.
Open up my eyes in wonder and
show me who you are and
fill me with your heart and
lead me in your love to those around me.

2. Jesus, the name above every other name;
Jesus, the only one who could ever save;
worthy of every breath we could ever breathe,
we live for you, we live for you.

(Chorus)

Bridge:

I will build my life upon your love,
it is a firm foundation.
I will put my trust in you alone
and I will not be shaken.

(Chorus)

Closing Song: Lift High the Cross

Words: George Kitchin, 1900's; Tune: *Crucifer*, by Sydney Nicholson, 1900's. Public domain.

Refrain:

Lift high the cross;
the love of Christ proclaim
till all the world adore his sacred name.

1. Come Christians, follow where our Captain trod,
our King victorious, Christ the Son of God.

[Refrain]

2. O Lord, once lifted on the glorious tree,
as thou hast promised draw the world to thee.

[Refrain]

3. So shall our song of triumph ever be:
praise to the Crucified for victory.

[Refrain]

Abide With Me

Lyrics: Henry Francis Lyte, 1800's; Tune: *Eventide*, by William Monk, 1800's. Public domain.

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, O abide with me.
Amen.