



*"Butterfly on Coneflower" by S. Lett*

# Welcome

***It's Music Sunday!  
Let's pay tribute to God with beautiful  
songs and prayers.***



**August 24th, 2025**

**Prayers, Hymns, and Songs Bulletin**

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*This is Music Sunday!  
It is said,  
"Singing is Praying  
Twice".*

*"Orange Flower"  
By  
N. Carroll*



### **Commissioning: Sent Forth**

**Sent forth by God's blessing,  
Our true faith confessing,  
The people of God  
From this dwelling must leave.  
God's grace did invite us,  
God's love shall unite us  
To work for the kingdom  
And answer its call.**

### **Benediction: Go Now in Peace**

**Go now in peace, never be afraid.  
God will go with you each hour of ev'ry day.  
Go now in faith, steadfast, strong and true.  
Know He will guide you in all you do.**

**Go now in love, and show you believe,  
Reach out to others so all the world can see.  
God will be there watching from above.  
Go now in peace, in faith, and in love.**

### **May God's Sheltering Wings**

**May God's sheltering wings  
His gathering wings  
Protect you  
May God's nurturing arms  
His cradling arms  
Sustain you  
And hold you in His love,  
And hold you in His love.**







## **How Great Thou Art**

**Oh Lord my God,  
when I in awesome wonder  
consider all  
the worlds Thy hands have made.**

**I see the stars, I hear the rolling thunder.  
Thy power throughout the universe displayed**

**Then sings my soul, my savior God to Thee  
How great Thou art, How great Thou art  
Then sings my soul, my savior God to Thee  
How great Thou art,  
How great Thou art**

**When Christ shall come  
With shout of acclamation  
And take me home  
What joy shall fill my heart  
Then I shall bow  
In humble admiration  
And then proclaim  
My God how great Thou art**



**Then sings soul, my savior God to Thee  
How great Thou art, How great Thou art  
Then sings my soul, my Savior God to Thee  
How great Thou art, How great Thou art  
How great Thou art,**

**How great Thou art**

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## **Psalm 100 Make a Joyful Noise**

### **Chorus:**

**Make a joyful noise all the earth!  
Worship your God with gladness.  
Make a joyful noise all the earth!  
Come to this place with a song!**

Know that your God has made you.  
Know it's to God we belong.  
And come to this place  
with joyfulness and praise.  
Worship your God with a song!

### **Chorus:**

**Make a joyful noise all the earth!  
Worship your God with gladness.  
Make a joyful noise all the earth!  
Come to this place with a song!**

Enter these gates thanks-giving.  
Enter these courts with praise.  
Sing thanks to God  
and bless the Holy Name.  
Worship your God with a song.

### **Chorus:**

**Make a joyful noise all the earth!  
Worship your God with gladness.  
Make a joyful noise all the earth!  
Come to this place with a song!**

Ages through endless ages,  
Seasons of endless years,  
the love of our Maker ever shall endure  
Worship your God with a song!

**Repeat Chorus and End.**

## In Christ Alone



### Oh Happy Day!

Oh happy day (oh happy day)  
Oh happy day (oh happy day)  
When Jesus washed  
(when Jesus washed)  
When Jesus washed  
(when Jesus washed)  
Jesus washed (when Jesus washed)  
He washed my sins away  
(oh happy day)

Oh happy day (oh happy day)  
Oh happy day (oh happy day)  
Oh happy day (oh happy day)  
Oh when He washed  
(when Jesus washed)  
When Jesus washed  
(when Jesus washed)  
Oh when He washed  
(when Jesus washed)  
He washed my sins away.

# You Raise Me Up

Call to Worship: Leigh Sinclair, St. David's U.C., Beaumont and Leduc, Alta

Come gather in this sanctuary of worship.  
**We come to have the Spirit unify and strengthen  
our faith.**

Come sing and share in worship.  
**We come to worship God, who gifted us with melody and  
senses.**

Come this day, which God has made, to worship and be  
renewed.

**We come grateful for each day God has made, because in  
each of these days, we can worship and be renewed.**



## Come In, Come In, Sit Down

**Chorus:**

**Come in, come in and sit down,  
you are a part of the family.  
We are lost and we are found,  
and we are a part of the family.**

You know the reason why you came,  
yet no reason can explain;  
So, share in the laughter and cry in the pain,  
for we are a part of the family.

**Chorus:**

**Come in, come in and sit down,  
you are a part of the family.  
We are lost and we are found,  
and we are a part of the family.**

There's rest for the weary and health for us all;  
there's a yoke that is easy,  
and a burden that's small.

So come in and worship and answer the call,  
for we are a part of the family.

**Repeat Chorus and End**



## **Prayer of Confession: Just As I Am, V2 & V3**

**Just as I am, poor, wretched, blind,  
Sight, riches, healing of the mind,  
Yea, all I need, in Thee to find,  
O Lamb of God, I come, I come.**

**Just as I am though tossed about  
With many conflicts, many doubts,  
Fights and fears, within, without,  
O Lamb of God, I come, I come.**



## **Assurance of Pardon:**

**L: Cradle me in Your arms, cherish  
and comfort me.**

**P: O Jesus, source of healing love,  
in Your presence, I am free.**



## **Links for Music Videos:**

In Christ Alone: <https://youtu.be/E-H-rh1rZog>

Amazing Grace/My Chains Are Gone:  
<https://youtu.be/Obp-9BEZe1c>

Jesus Loves Me: <https://youtu.be/vAaQS0poL-Q>

You Raise Me Up: <https://youtu.be/sRrOxdhteTQ>

O Happy Day: <https://youtu.be/z-4mtA6Z88k>

How Great Thou Art: <https://youtu.be/dnvg0Otupul>

## **Luke 13:10-17 (The Message) Healing on the Sabbath**

**He was teaching in one of the meeting places on the Sabbath. There was a woman present, so twisted and bent over with arthritis that she couldn't even look up. She had been afflicted with this for eighteen years.**

**When Jesus saw her, He called her over. "Woman, you're free!" He laid hands on her and suddenly she was standing straight and tall, giving glory to God.**

**The meeting-place president, furious because Jesus had healed on the Sabbath, said to the congregation,**

**"Six days have been defined as workdays. Come on one of the six if you want to be healed, but not on the seventh, the Sabbath."**

**But Jesus shot back,  
"You frauds! Each Sabbath every one of you regularly unties your cow or donkey from its stall, leads it out for water, and thinks nothing of it. So why isn't it all right for me to untie this daughter of Abraham and lead her from the stall where Satan has had her tied these eighteen years?"**

**When He put it that way, His critics were left looking quite silly and red-faced.**

**The congregation was delighted and cheered him on.**

# Psalm 100 (The Message)

On your feet now,  
Applaud God!  
Bring a gift of laughter  
Sing yourselves into his presence.

Know this:  
God is God,  
and God, **God**.  
He made us;  
We didn't make Him.  
We're His people,  
His well-tended sheep.

Enter with the password:  
"Thank you!"  
Make yourselves at home,  
Talking praise.  
Thank him.  
Worship him.  
For God is sheer beauty,  
All-generous in love

Loyal always.

## Amazing Grace, My Chains are Gone

Verse 1:

Amazing grace how sweet the sound  
That saved a wretch like me  
I once was lost but now I'm found  
Was blind but now I see

Verse 2:

Tw'as grace that taught my heart to fear  
And grace my fears relieved  
How precious did that grace appear  
The hour I first believed

Chorus

Verse 3:

The Lord has promised good to me  
His word my hope secures  
He will my shield and portion be  
As long as life endures

Chorus

Verse 4:

The earth shall soon dissolve like snow  
The sun forbear to shine  
But God who called me here below  
Will be forever mine  
Will be forever mine  
You are forever mine

Chorus

**Offering Prayer:  
Praise God to Whom  
All Blessings Flow**

**Praise God from  
whom all blessings  
flow;  
Praise God, all  
creatures high and  
low;  
Give thanks to God in  
love made known;  
Creator, Word, and  
Spirit, One.**



**“Eastern Tiger Swallowtail Butterfly”  
By  
J. Witmer**

## **Jesus Loves Me**

**Jesus loves me, this I know  
for the Bible tells me so;  
little ones to Him belong,  
in His love we shall be strong.**

**Yes, Jesus loves me!  
Yes, Jesus loves me!  
Yes, Jesus loves me!  
The Bible tells me so.**



## **Children’s Prayer:**

**Dear God:**

**Thank you for giving us the gift of our talents. Please help  
us discover them through our whole lives and share them  
with others.**

**We are singing a lot today and we know this makes You  
happy. We are happy to sing praises to You. Some of us  
sing well. For others, not so much. But all of us are called  
to praise You with our voices and instruments.  
So we will sing, make harmony, dance, and make noise, all  
to honour You!**

**This is our prayer to You today. Amen.**

## **Lord’s Prayer: VU 959**

**Our Father, in heaven, Hallowed be Your name  
Your kingdom come, Your will be done  
On earth as in Heaven**

**Give us today our daily bread, Forgive us our sins  
As we forgive, those who sin against us.**

**Save us, from the time of trial, And deliver us from evil.  
For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are Yours  
Now and forever. Amen.**