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Loving Christ, Welcoming All

SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

May 17, 2026 11:00 am

GATHERING

Prayer Request Cards *(blue) are inside the Pew Card Holder. The ushers will collect the request cards before the Prelude. The* ***bold print*** *invites the people to read aloud and/or sing. An asterisk* ******* *invites the people to stand. Please sign the register in the pew pads.*

RECOGNITION OF GRADUATES AND SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHERS

GREETING AND ANNOUNCEMENTS — Rev. Derek Campbell

The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you all. *2 Thess. 3:18*

And also with you.

PRELUDE

SENTENCE OF SCRIPTURE — Ed McKinnon, Lector

PRAYER FOR THE DAY

....one God, now and forever. **Amen.**

***HYMN 475 Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing**

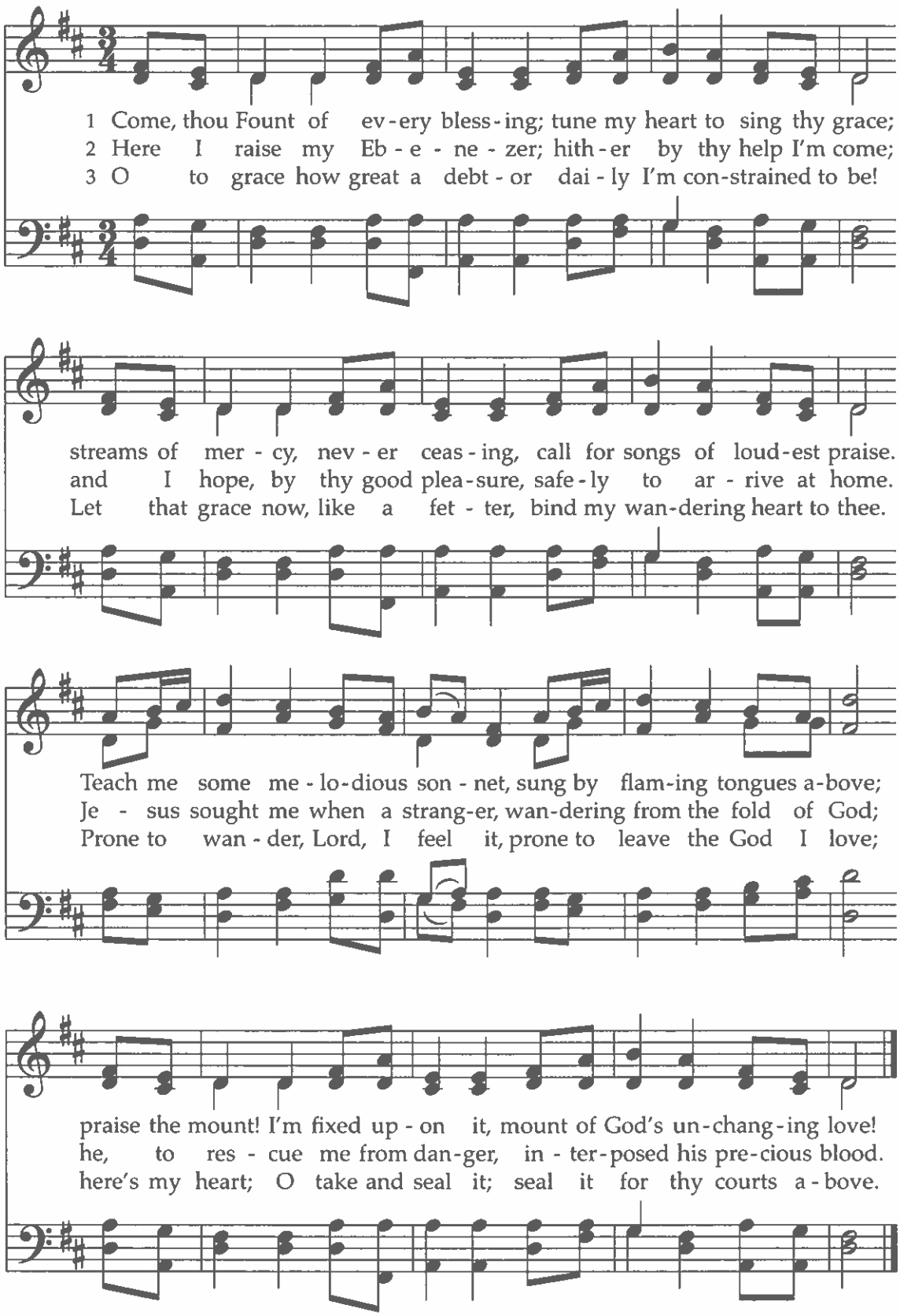
*CORPORATE PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Almighty God, you have raised Jesus from death to life, and crowned him Lord of all. We confess that we have not bowed before him, or acknowledged his rule in our lives. We have gone along with the ways of the world, and failed to give him glory. Forgive us, and raise us from sin, that we may be your faithful people, obeying the commands of our Lord Jesus Christ, who rules the world and is head of the church, his body.

PRIVATE TIME OF CONFESSION

*ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing 475



Written for Pentecost by a British Baptist pastor, this text is full of biblical terms like "Ebenezer" (1 Samuel 7:12), Hebrew for "a stone of help" set up to give thanks for God's assistance. The tune name honors hymnal compiler Asahel Nettleton, who probably did not compose it.

TEXT: Robert Robinson, 1758, alt.
MUSIC: Wyeth's *Repository of Sacred Music, Part Second,* 1813

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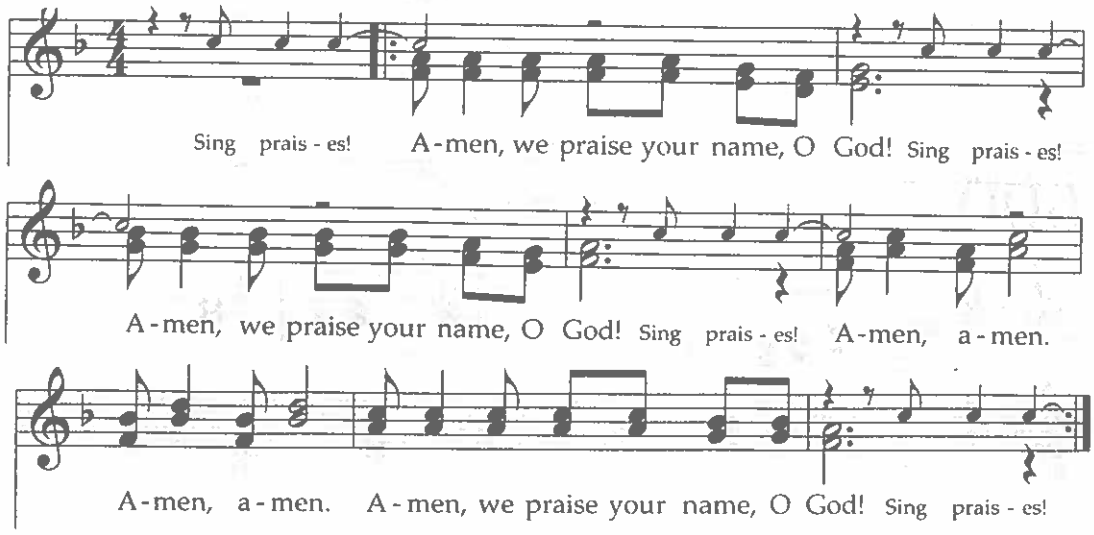
*RESPONSE



*THE PEACE

The peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.

And also with you. *(Greet one another with the words, "**Peace be with you.**")*

CHILDREN'S TIME — Susan Mough

WORD

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

PSALM READING — Psalm 145:1-13 — Lector

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GOSPEL READING — Matthew 6:9-13 — Lector

The Gospel of the Lord

Praise to you, O Christ

NEW TESTAMENT READING 2 Corinthians 1:12-22
The Word of the Lord
Thanks be to God

SERMON Rev. Derek Campbell

RESPONSE TO THE WORD

***HYMN 42 Your Faithfulness, O Lord, Is Sure**

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH: From the Heidelberg Catechism

Question: What does that little word "Amen" express?

Answer: "Amen" means: This shall truly and surely be! It is even more sure that God listens to my prayer than that I really desire what I pray for.

THE SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM *insert*

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE
....and so with the confidence of the children of God, let us pray.

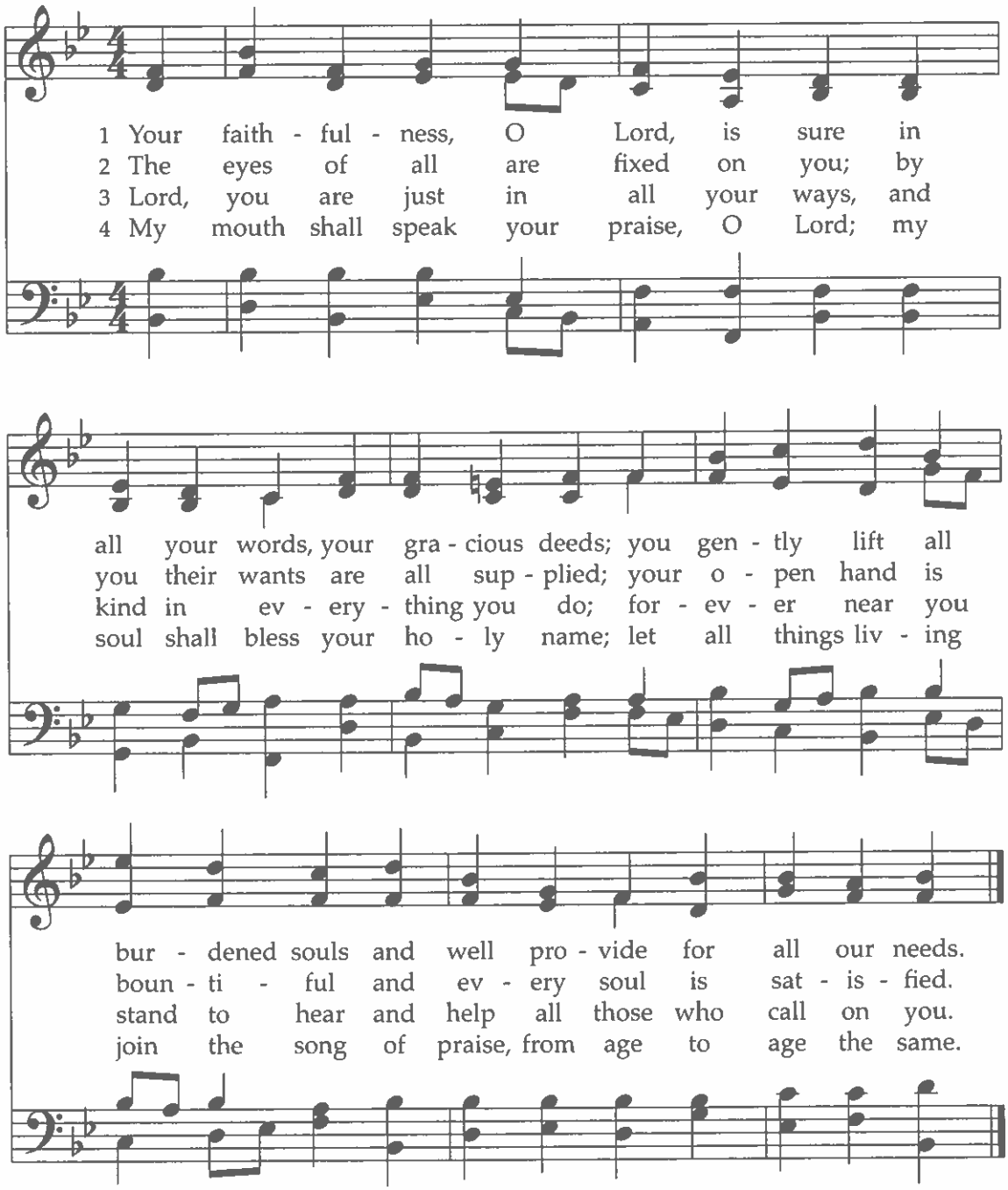
LORD'S PRAYER

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 sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen.

OFFERING
OFFERTORY The Lord's Prayer John Becker
The Chancel Choir

***DOXOLOGY-609**

Your Faithfulness, O Lord, Is Sure 42

(Psalm 145)

This paraphrase of verses from the latter part of Psalm 145 celebrates God's providential care for all creation, especially for those in any need or trouble. This anonymous German tune was apparently introduced to English hymnody by John Wesley in a 1742 music collection.

TEXT: Joy F. Patterson, 1989
MUSIC: *Musikalisches Handbuch,* 1690; harm. William Henry Havergal, 1847, alt.
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WINCHESTER NEW
LM

THE SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

May 17, 2026

PRESENTATION

There is one body and one Spirit, just as you were called to the one hope of your calling, **one Lord, one faith, one baptism, one God and Father of all, who is above all and through all and in all.**

ELDER

On behalf of the Session of the Latrobe Presbyterian Church, I present Tanner Paul McLaughlin, Raegan Lynn Lynch and Wrenn Ann Marie McLaughlin, grandchildren of Rose Marie Baird, to receive the Sacrament of Baptism.

DECLARATION OF INTENT

Putting your whole trust in the grace and love of Jesus Christ, Raegan, Tanner and Wrenn, do you desire to be baptized.
I do.

QUESTIONS TO THE SPONSORS

Will you, by your prayers and witness, help Raegan, Tanner and Wrenn to grow into the full stature of Christ?
I will.

QUESTION TO THE CONGREGATION

Do we, as members of the church of Jesus Christ, promise to guide and nurture Reagan, Tanner and Wrenn, by word and deed, with love and prayer? If so, please answer, we do.
We do.

Will we encourage them to know and follow Christ and to be a faithful member of his church? If so, please answer, we will
We will.

RENUNCIATIONS AND AFFIRMATIONS

Trusting in the gracious mercy of God, do you turn from the ways of sin and renounce evil and its power in the world?
I do.

Do you turn to Jesus Christ and accept him as your Lord and Savior, trusting in his grace and love?
I do.

Will you be Christ's faithful disciples, obeying his Word and showing his love.
I will with God's help.

*PROFESSION OF FAITH **(Apostles' Creed)**

And now with the whole church, let us confess our faith together:

Do you believe in God, the Father almighty?

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

Do you believe in Jesus Christ?

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.

Do you believe in the Holy Spirit?

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.

Please be seated

THANKSGIVING OVER THE WATER

The Lord be with you.
And also with you.
Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
It is right to give our thanks and praise.

THE BAPTISM

LAYING ON OF HANDS

WELCOME

Raegan Lynn Lynch, Tanner Paul McLaughlin and Wrenn Ann Marie McLaughlin have been received into the one holy catholic and apostolic church through baptism. God has made them a member of the household of God, to share with us in the priesthood of Christ. Let us stand and welcome the newly baptized.

*** With joy and thanksgiving**
we welcome you into Christ's church
to share with us in his ministry,
for we are all one in Christ.

*PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

The Lord be with you.
And also with you.
Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
It is right to give our thanks and praise.

SENDING

***HYMN 838 Standing on the Promises**
*CHARGE AND BLESSING
***CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE – HYMNAL 600**
POSTLUDE

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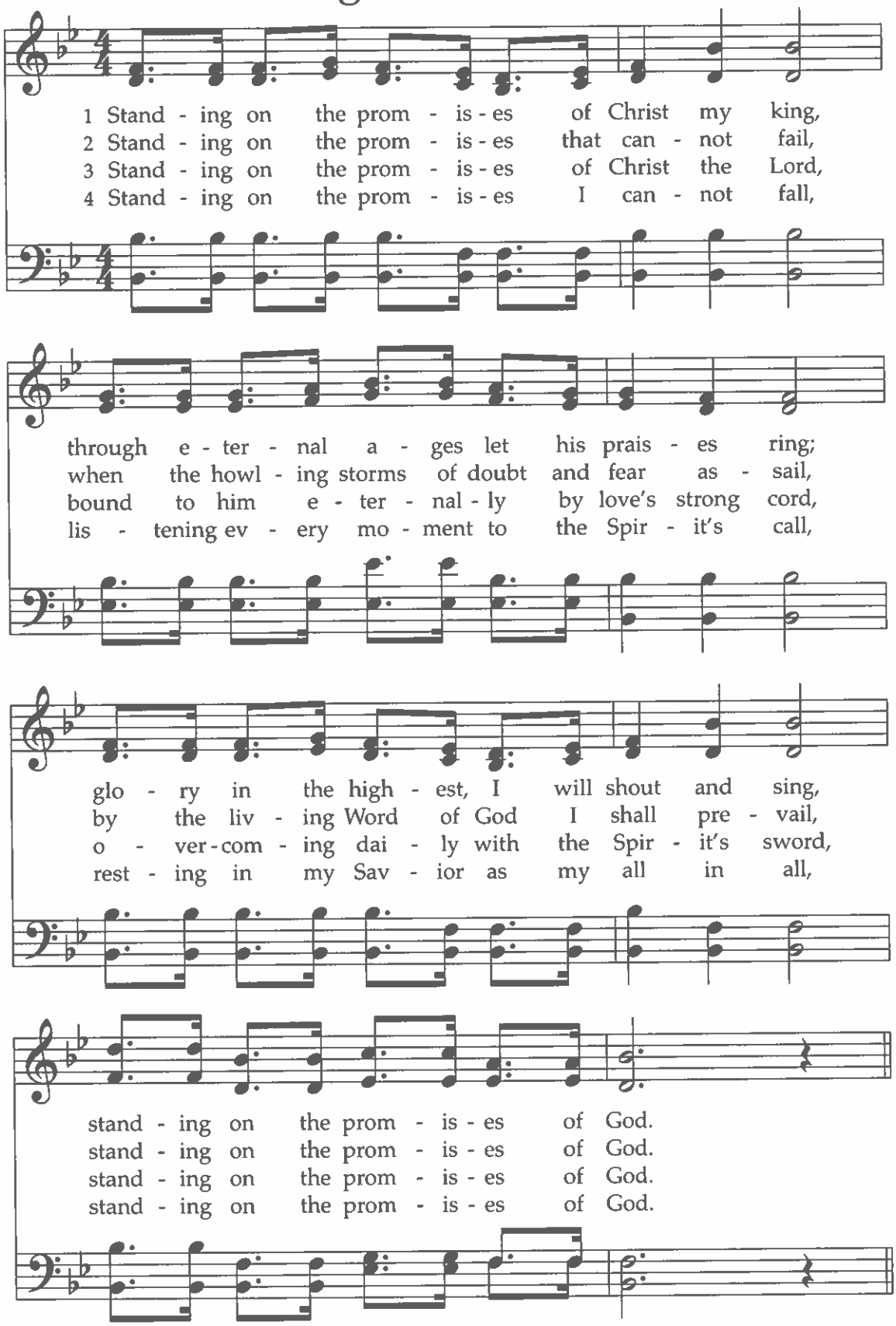
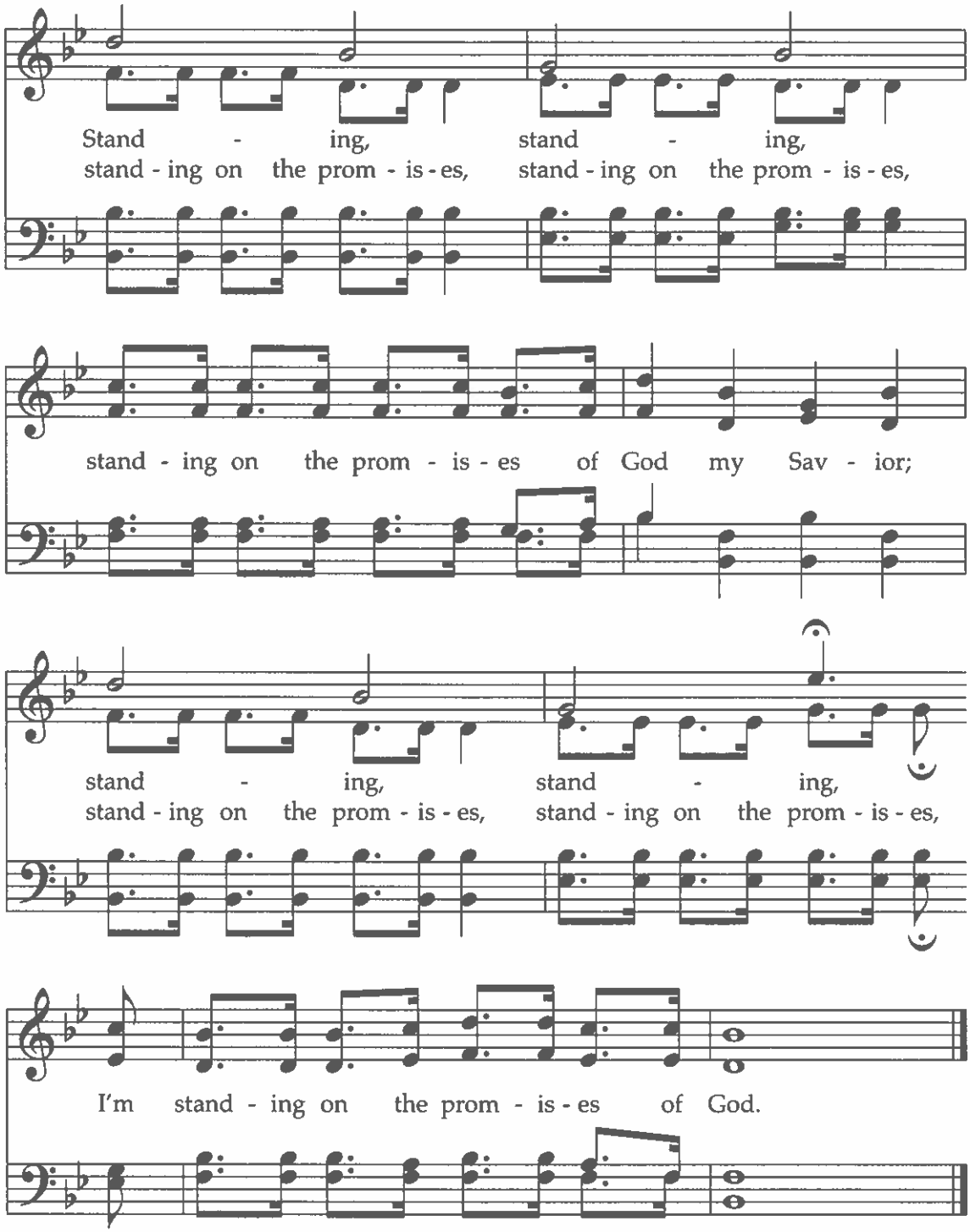
The **flowers** this morning are in **honor** of
Our Graduates
and
Sunday School Teachers

Our **Greeters** today are:
Larry Ruffner, Elder and **Sandi Wano** Deacon

838 Standing on the Promises

Perhaps because this hymn is so well known, its language sounds vaguely scriptural; but while there are various biblical uses of "stand" and "promise(s)," the two words are never combined. The confidence here is similar to that of "My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less" (see no. 353).

TEXT and MUSIC: R. Kelso Carter, 1886

PROMISES
11.11.11.9 with refrain

Refrain

Stand - ing, stand - ing,
stand - ing on the prom - is - es, stand - ing on the prom - is - es,
stand - ing on the prom - is - es of God my Sav - ior;
stand - ing, stand - ing,
stand - ing on the prom - is - es, stand - ing on the prom - is - es,
I'm stand - ing on the prom - is - es of God.

USHERS serving you today are members of **Team V:**
Deborah Irwin-Captain, Marge Buerger, Breanna Carini, Diana Kreiling, Lisa McCracken, Pat Speedy

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Today we honor our **Graduates**, you are cordially invited to a celebration in the Vogelsang Room following Worship.

Today is our **Hunger Fund** collection. Thank you for supporting this program.

May 24 is Pentecost. You are encouraged to wear red as this is the liturgical color for Pentecost. Following worship on Sunday, **May 24** you are cordially invited to fellowship together in the Vogelsang Room for the **Pentecost Tea**. Worship and Music is hosting this light luncheon.

This summer we will only have **one worship service Sunday mornings**. Summer worship will be at Unity Chapel beginning at 9:30 am. The summer worship schedule starts **May 31**. If anyone is in need of a ride to Unity Chapel, please contact the Church Office

Registration is available for the **Pine Springs Latrobe Summer Day Camp** to be held Monday, July 27 through Friday, July 31. Contact the Office for more details.

If you would like to **volunteer** at the **PS Day Camp** please make sure you have current clearances. For forms and help please contact the Office.

Next week is Deacon Sunday where one of our Deacons will lead in the Prayers of the People. Your donation supports the Deacon ministries here at LPC and our community.

Thanks to the generosity of the LPC congregation and other participating churches in the Redstone Presbytery, Pine Springs Camp will not have to purchase any **s'more ingredients** for the entire camping season. The collected ingredients from LPC were delivered to the Presbyterian Women's Spring Gathering at Pine Springs Camp on May 12th. There were 150 Hershey Bars, 24 boxes of graham crackers and 22 bags of marshmallows. Pine Springs Camp and the campers thank you.

If you would like to sponsor **pulpit flowers** in memory of or honor of someone or some special event, please contact the Office to ensure the day your want is available.

WEEKLY EVENTS

Monday **5/18**
7:00 pm ..... Session

Tuesday **5/19**
7:00 pm ..... AlAnon

Wednesday **5/20**
11:30 am ..... Property and Finance Investment Meeting

Thursday **5/21**
6:15 pm .....Men's Bible Study - Last

Sunday **5/24**
11:00 am ..... Worship
.....Pentecost Tea following Worship in Vogelsang Room

Nursery	Emily Shaffer and Becky Kienzle
PreK/Kindergarten	Liz McBroom and Sara Adams
Elementary	Laura Sweeney, Emily McMahen, Diana Adams and Lisa Orr
Youth	Steve and Jan Mills
Youth Sub.	Cindy Soltys, Nick Adams, Eric Mills and J.J. Sweeney
Adults	Rev. Campbell
Men's Bible Study	Matt Sweeney and Dave Auman
WOW	Michael Long and Cindy Soltys
W.O.V.E.N.	W.O.V.E.N. Various Leaders

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