

Open My Eyes, That I May See

1. Open my eyes, that I may see glimpses of truth thou hast for me; place in my hands the wonderful key that shall unclasp and set me free. Silently now I wait for thee, ready, my God, thy will to see. Open my eyes, illumine me, Spirit divine!

2. Open my ears, that I may hear voices of truth thou sendest clear; and while the wave-notes fall on my ear, everything false will disappear. Silently now I wait for thee, ready, my God, thy will to see. Open my ears, illumine me, Spirit divine!

3. Open my mouth, and let me bear gladly the warm truth everywhere; open my heart and let me prepare love with thy children thus to share. Silently now I wait for thee, ready, my God, thy will to see. Open my heart, illumine me, Spirit divine!

*The United Methodist Hymnal Number 454
Text: Clara H. Scott, 1841-1897
Music: Clara H. Scott, 1841-1897
Tune: OPEN MY EYES, Meter: 88.98 with Refrain*

Pass Me Not, O Gentle Savior

1. Pass me not, O gentle Savior, hear my humble cry; while on others thou art calling, do not pass me by.
Refrain:
Savior, Savior, hear my humble cry; while on others thou art calling, do not pass me by.

2. Let me at thy throne of mercy find a sweet relief, kneeling there in deep contrition; help my unbelief.
(Refrain)

3. Trusting only in thy merit, would I seek thy face; heal my wounded, broken spirit, save me by thy grace.
(Refrain)

4. Thou the spring of all my comfort, more than life to me, whom have I on earth beside thee? Whom in heaven but thee?
(Refrain)

*The United Methodist Hymnal Number 130
Text: Civilla D. Martin
Music: W. Stillman Martin
Tune: MARTIN, Meter: CM with Refrain*

Hymn of St. Patrick “Christ Be Beside Me”

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.

Christ on my right hand,
Christ on my left hand,
Christ all around me, shield in the strife.
Christ in my sleeping, Christ in my sitting,
Christ in my rising, light of my life.

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

*Text: St. Patrick's Breastplate, adapted by James Quinn
Music: Gaelic trad. melody
Tune: BUNESSAN, Meter: 55.54 D*

The 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 trespasses as we forgive those who trespass 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

The United Methodist Hymnal #895

Leaning on the Everlasting Arms

1. What a fellowship, what a joy divine,
leaning on the everlasting arms;
what a blessedness, what a peace is mine,
leaning on the everlasting arms.

Refrain:
Leaning, leaning,
safe and secure from all alarms;
leaning, leaning,
leaning on the everlasting arms.

2. O how sweet to walk in this pilgrim way,
leaning on the everlasting arms;
O how bright the path grows from day to day,
leaning on the everlasting arms.

Leaning on the Everlasting Arms (continued)

(Refrain)
3. What have I to dread, what have I to fear,

leaning on the everlasting arms?
I have blessed peace with my Lord so near,
leaning on the everlasting arms.
(Refrain)

*The United Methodist Hymnal Number 133
Text: Elisha A. Hoffman
Music: Anthony J. Showalter
Tune: SHOWALTER, Meter: 10 9.10 9 with Refrain*

Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
praise him, all creatures here below;
praise him above, ye heavenly host;
praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.
Amen.

*The United Methodist Hymnal #95
Text: Thomas Ken
Music: Attr. to Louis Bourgeois*

O Jesus, I Have Promised

1. O Jesus, I have promised to serve thee to the end; be thou forever near me, my Master and my friend. I shall not fear the battle if thou art by my side, nor wander from the pathway if thou wilt be my guide.

2. O let me feel thee near me! The world is ever near; I see the sights that dazzle, the tempting sounds I hear; my foes are ever near me, around me and within; but Jesus, draw thou nearer, and shield my soul from sin.

3. O let me hear thee speaking in accents clear and still, above the storms of passion, the murmurs of self-will. O speak to reassure me, to hasten or control; O speak, and make me listen, thou guardian of my soul.

4. O Jesus, thou hast promised to all who follow thee that where thou art in glory there shall thy servant be. And Jesus, I have promised to serve thee to the end; O give me grace to follow, my Master and my Friend.holy

*The United Methodist Hymnal Number 396
Text: John E. Bode, 1816-1874
Music: Arthur H. Mann, 1850-1929
Tune: ANGEL'S STORY, Meter:*