

641 When in Our Music God Is Glorified

1 When in our mu - sic God is glo - ri - fied,
 2 How of - ten, mak - ing mu - sic, we have found
 3 So has the church, in lit - ur - gy and song,
 4 And did not Je - sus sing a psalm that night
 5 Let ev - ery in - stru - ment be tuned for praise!

and ad - o - ra - tion leaves no room for pride,
 a new di - men - sion in the world of sound,
 in faith and love, through cen - tu - ries of wrong,
 when ut - most e - vil strove a - gainst the light?
 Let all re - joice who have a voice to raise!

it is as though the whole cre - a - tion cried:
 as wor - ship moved us to a more pro - found
 borne wit - ness to the truth in ev - ery tongue:
 Then let us sing, for whom he won the fight:
 And may God give us faith to sing al - ways:

1-4 Al - le - lu - ia! 5 Al - le - lu - ia!

Guitar chords do not correspond with keyboard harmony.

Glory Be to the Father

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The musical score consists of four staves of music in common time (indicated by '4') and a key signature of one flat (indicated by a 'b'). The music is divided into four sections by vertical bar lines. The lyrics are integrated into the music, appearing below the notes. The first section starts with a dotted half note followed by a quarter note, then a series of eighth notes. The second section begins with a half note followed by a dotted half note. The third section starts with a half note followed by a dotted half note. The fourth section starts with a half note followed by a dotted half note.

Glo - ry be to the Fa - ther, and to the

Son, and to the Ho - ly Ghost; as it was in the be -

gin - ning, is now, and ev - er shall be,

world with - out end. A - men, a - men.

There Is a Balm in Gilead 792

Refrain

There is a balm in Gil-e-ad to make the wound-ed whole;

Fine

there is a balm in Gil-e-ad to heal the sin-sick soul.

- 1 Some-times I feel dis-cour-aged, and think my work's in vain, but
- 2 Don't ev - er feel dis-cour-aged, for Je-sus is your friend, and
- 3 If you can-not preach like Pe - ter, if you can-not pray like Paul, you can

to Refrain

then the Ho-ly Spir - it re-vives my soul a - gain.
if you lack for knowl-edge, he'll not re-fuse to lend.
tell the love of Je - sus and say, "He died for all."

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724 O Jesus, I Have Promised

1 O Je - sus, I have prom - ised to serve thee to the end;
 2 O let me feel thee near me! The world is ev - er near:
 3 O let me hear thee speak - ing in ac - cents clear and still,
 4 O Je - sus, thou hast prom - ised to all who fol - low thee

be thou for - ev - er near me, my Mas - ter and my friend;
 I see the sights that daz - zle; the tempt - ing sounds I hear.
 a - bove the storms of pas - sion, the mur - murs of self - will;
 that where thou art in glo - ry there shall thy ser - vant be.

I shall not fear the bat - tle if thou art by my side,
 My foes are ev - er near me, a - round me and with - in;
 O speak to re - as - sure me, to has - ten or con - trol;
 And, Je - sus, I have prom - ised to serve thee to the end;

nor wan - der from the path - way if thou wilt be my guide.
 but, Je - sus, draw thou near - er and shield my soul from sin.
 O speak, and make me lis - ten, thou guard - ian of my soul.
 O give me grace to fol - low, my Mas - ter and my friend.



Thanks for joining us today!

March 16, 2025

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Sunday, March 16, 2025
Second Sunday in Lent

Gathering Music
Prayer Concerns
Welcome and Announcements
The Passing of the Peace

Pastor: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Introit: *Sing Out a Joyful Song in Praise*

Prelude

Call to Worship (from Psalm 46)

Liturgist: God is our refuge and strength, a very present help in trouble.

People: Therefore we will not fear, though the earth should change.

Liturgist: There is a river whose streams make glad the city of God

People: God is in the midst of the city; God will help when morning dawns. The Lord of hosts is with us! The God of Jacob is our refuge.

Hymn: *When in Our Music God is Glorified* #641

Call to Confession
Prayer of Confession (all)

O God, out of your fullness we have all received grace upon grace, for you are patient and full of mercy and generous to all who call upon you. Today we confess our brokenness, our failings and our sin. Too often we have turned away from your kindness and hardened our hearts against the suffering of others. Holy God, take our indifference and transform us with your passionate love. Take our rebellion and make us new people by your Spirit of grace. Take our lives and renew us, in your great mercy. Gracious God, hear now our silent prayers....

Silent Prayer

Kyrie (choral)

Assurance of Pardon

Glory Be to the Father / Gloria Patri

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Prayer of Illumination

Reading from the Epistle: Philippians 3:17-4:1

p. 1070-71, *pew Bible*

Reading from the Psalter: Psalm 27

pp. 493, *pew Bible*

The Word Proclaimed Through Music

My Hope is Built on Nothing Less

Reading from the Gospel Luke 13: 31-35

p. 951, *pew Bible*

Sermon: From the Frying Pan Into the Fire

*Hymn of Response: *There is a Balm in Gilead* #792

Choral Call to Prayer O Lord Hear Our Prayer

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer

Call for the Offering

Offertory

*Sung Response (as ushers bring the offering forward):

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise Christ, all people here below; praise Holy Spirit evermore; praise Triune God whom we adore. Amen.

(Doxology)

Prayer of Dedication

Sending Song: *O Jesus, I Have Promised* #724

Benediction

Choral Benediction Response: *Sevenfold Amen*

Postlude