

WEEKLY SCHEDULE OF EVENTS—WEEK OF NOVEMBER 3, 2024

<u>TODAY</u>	
8:00a	Pre-Service Prayer—B106
8:30a	Morning Worship—Sanctuary <i>Nursery—Building B Preschool Wing</i>
9:45a	Sunday School, Adult and Youth Bible Fellowships Connections Class—A200 <i>Nursery—Building B Preschool Wing</i>
11:00a	Morning Worship—Sanctuary <i>Nursery—Building B Preschool Wing</i>
3:30p	<i>Chimes of Joy—B102; Tinnabulation Handbells—Asbury University</i>
4:30p	World Mission Team Meeting—B107
4:45p	<i>Heaven's Harmony</i> B100; <i>Youth Choir</i> B101 <i>Sanctuary Choir—Sanctuary</i>
5:00p	<i>Christmas Choir—Sanctuary</i>
5:30p	Pre-Service Prayer—B106
6:00p	All Church Social—Thanksgiving Dinner

<u>MONDAY</u>	
10:00a	Ladies' Bible Study—Metcalf home, 20 Veterans Drive
7:00p	Leviticus Bible Study—Francis Asbury Society

<u>TUESDAY</u>	
6:30a	Men's Prayer Meeting—A200 No youth prayer breakfast
9:00a	Ladies' Prayer Meeting—A200
9:30a	Ladies' Bible Study—B203
6:15p	<i>WeBelieve</i> Handbell Choir—Sanctuary
7:30p	<i>Blessings</i> Handbell Choir—Sanctuary

<u>WEDNESDAY</u>	
12:00n	Prayer & Fasting—Sanctuary
4:45p	Bible Quizzing—B104
6:00p	FMY (Free Methodist Youth)—Building C (Dinner 6:30p) <i>Young Musicians—B100; Friendship Company—B101</i>
6:30p	Financial Peace University
7:00p	Adult Prayer Meeting—B200/201 Grace for Grief—B106 CLC (Christian Life Club) 2 yrs. old - 5th grade 2 yrs. - K: Building B Preschool Wing 1st - 5th grade: A100 Wing Nursery/Childcare—Building B Preschool Wing

<u>THURSDAY</u>	
10:00a	<i>Common Threads</i> Prayer Shawl Ministry—B107

<u>FRIDAY</u>	
10:00a	Moms Pray & Play—Building C

SATURDAY



LARGE PRINT

LARGE PRINT SONG SHEETS AND WORSHIP INSERTS are available at the foyer Welcome Desk each Sunday for your use. As the hymnal words get smaller, pick up a copy!

Mission Possible — Dos and Don'ts
Mark 14:22-31; Luke 22:54-62

Pastor Dwight

VIDEO RECORDINGS OF ALL MESSAGES ARE AVAILABLE AT WILMOREFMC.ORG



PRAYER SEEKING SALVATION: *Lord Jesus, I know I have sinned against You. I believe that You died for me, and I place my trust in You. Forgive my sins and save me from the judgment to come. Help me to turn from my sin and live a life wholly devoted to You.*

PRAYER SEEKING SANCTIFICATION: *Lord Jesus, I recognize my need for holiness. Purify me of all that is unlike You, fill me with Your Holy Spirit until I am totally Yours, and set me apart for Your purposes from this day forward.*

If you seek or have found salvation or sanctification today, please let a member of the pastoral staff know. We're here to help you on your journey with Jesus.

MISSION: IMPOSSIBLE

WILMORE
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A COMMUNITY THAT REFLECTS JESUS' VISION AND VALUES
NOVEMBER 3, 2024
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WELCOME TO WORSHIP AT WPMC!

If you are “new,” this is for you!

COMPLETING THE WELCOME CARD allows us to welcome you personally. Please fill it out and drop it off at the Welcome Center. The attendant there will give you a nice gift.

THE WORSHIP GUIDE in this folder leads through the service. We try to use elements, liturgy and music from a variety of Christian traditions to help lead people of all ages, stages, and tastes into God’s presence. Worship is, by nature, participatory, so please join in prayer, word, giving, and song, and respond to the voice of the Holy Spirit however He leads.

NURSERY for children up to 2 years is available all morning in the Pre-school Complex, Building B.

CHILDREN’S WORSHIP JR. (CWJR, age 2 and 3) is available all year for both morning worship services in the Pre-school Complex, Building B.

CHILDREN’S WORSHIP (CW, age 4 through grade 3) After the Children’s Time, children are escorted by CW Staff to room B205. Following 8:30 worship, children ages 4 through Kindergarten will be checked into their Sunday School room, B207. Children in grades 1-3 will be taken to their Sunday School classrooms, A100 and A106. Following 11:00 worship, parents must pick up their children from room B205.

HEARING ASSISTANCE DEVICES are available at the back of the Sanctuary.

WHEELCHAIR SEATING is readily available in the center aisle or an usher will be glad to remove a sanctuary chair for your convenience.

PRAYER FOCUS: Let’s pray for the elections this week, that the Lord might bless us with better leaders at every level than we deserve.

WORLD MISSION FOCUS—PARAGUAY: Andy and Lizet Bowen train missionaries in the Guarani language and Paraguayan culture and lead the WGM team in Paraguay. Pray for their three sons: Lucas, Timothy, and Joseph.

HOME MISSION FOCUS: Pray for the Wilmore-Highbridge Community Center, the director Koby Miller, and all who receive help with utility payments.

YOUTH MINISTRY FOCUS: Entering November seems to be a yearly reminder to be thankful! Take some time today or this week as a family to give thanks to the Lord for how He has blessed you.

NURSERY:

	TODAY / THIS WEEK	NEXT WEEK
8:30 Worship	B Arnold/J Bowers/J Li/A Miller	M Dietrich/J Evans/C Rumble C Shafer
Sunday School	L Branan/LA Roberge	T Kidwell/S Wiggam
11:00 Worship	S Branan/BK McMillen/E Padgett F Shingledecker	D Raymond/E Walsh/J Walsh
6:00 Worship	No nursery--Thanksgiving Dinner	B Bowers/J Bowers/C Maynard
Wed. Evening	M Dargan/S Joiner	A Diddle/R Zent

• MONDAY MORNING WOMEN’S BIBLE STUDY AT METCALFS begins a study of the book of James (led via video by Margaret Feinberg) tomorrow, November 4. We invite you to join us for these five weeks leading up to the Christmas holidays. We meet at 10:00a—11:30a, 20 Veterans Dr.



LADIES’ NIGHT OUT: All ladies are invited to join us for food, fellowship and laughter tomorrow night, November 4, 6:00p at Panera at Brannon Crossing. We look forward to seeing you! Bring a friend, the more the merrier! Questions? Call or text Ginny Proctor at 859-553-9784.

• WEDNESDAY NOON FASTING AND PRAYER, November 6. Please join us in the sanctuary to fast and pray for our nation and Israel.

• PRIME TIMERS NOVEMBER LUNCH: All those age 60 or better are invited to the Prime Timers lunch Thursday, November 7, 12:00n, in Building C. Ted Moon will bring devotions followed by a presentation by Don Cummings portraying Father John Dyer. Meal provided by the planning team.

• PLUMBLINE: Please submit information regarding your ministry for the December / January issue to Vanessa Wagler by November 10. Her email address is: ykwagler20@gmail.com.

• ASBURY UNIVERSITY SHUTTLE! If you are a university student in need of a ride to church, the church van will pick you up at 9:30a in front of the Administration building on Macklem Dr. for Sunday School, and will return to the AU campus following the 11:00a worship service.

• KALAS VILLAGE RESIDENTS! A church van will pick up residents at the Kalas Community Center, Sundays at 8:10a, returning after SS/ABF hour.

• THE OAKDALE WORK DAY has been postponed due to circumstances at the school. Stay tuned for the rescheduled date.



POINSETTIA ORDERS DUE NOVEMBER 6!

Will you help decorate the sanctuary with poinsettias this Christmas? Stop by the Welcome Desk to pick up an order form and more information.



Men's Breakfast For All Men Young & Not So Young:

Saturday, November 16, 8:00a
Comfort Inn—south end of Nicholasville

LOST AND FOUND:

Please check the lost and found tables in Building C to claim your treasures. Many items are missing their owners.



VAN FUND UPDATE: We have raised \$31,500 so far toward our goal of \$100,000 to purchase 2 “gently used” vans. Thank you for your giving! To contribute, mark your offering, “Van Fund.”

All-Church Thanksgiving Dinner

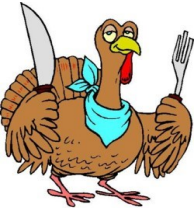
Tonight! * 6:00p * Building C

The church will provide Turkey, Dressing, Gravy, Potatoes and Drinks

Please bring

TWO (2) *generously-sized* dishes:

1. Vegetable or Salad and
2. Bread or Dessert

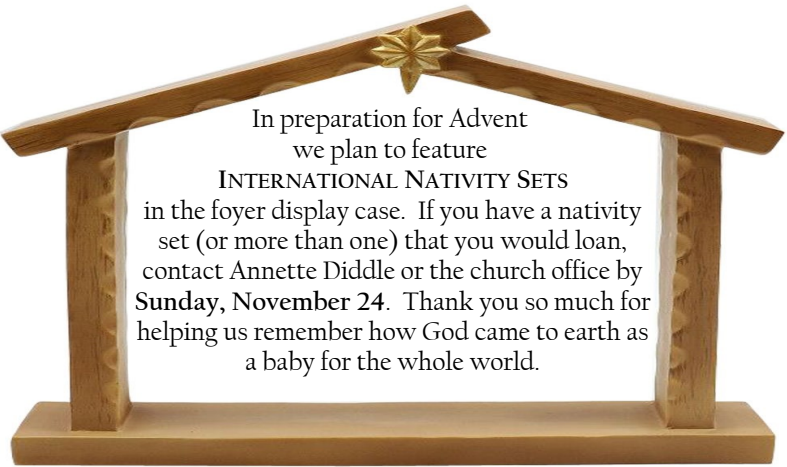


An Offering Will Be Taken at our Thanksgiving dinner to benefit the good work of the Wilmore High Bridge Community Service Center, especially over the holiday season. Please come prepared to give generously.



LADIES: Don't forget to sign up for the Fall Ladies Retreat due TODAY! Information at the Welcome Center.

ELECTRONIC GIVING: A friendly reminder that if you give to WPMC (or anywhere else, really) electronically using a credit card, there are usually charges assessed that take away part of your gift. If you give using a debit card or checking account, fees don't typically apply, so please consider your method of giving for everyone's benefit.



In preparation for Advent we plan to feature INTERNATIONAL NATIVITY SETS in the foyer display case. If you have a nativity set (or more than one) that you would loan, contact Annette Diddle or the church office by Sunday, November 24. Thank you so much for helping us remember how God came to earth as a baby for the whole world.



NOVEMBER FOOD ITEM:
INSTANT OATMEAL PACKETS

Our Food for Kids program is in full swing! Each Wednesday night our teens assemble bags of food that is distributed by our schools to families in need of help over the weekends. Drop off food donations in the foyer basket.

JESSAMINE COUNTY COMMUNITY BAND VETERANS DAY CONCERT
Monday, November 11, 7:30p, Municipal Center, Wilmore

CALL TO PRAYER

Hymnal 63

Psalm 136 (stanza 1)

Give thanks to the Lord for He is so good, His mercy endures forever.

Give thanks to the Lord for He is so good, His mercy endures forever.

To Him alone who does mighty wonders,

Who by His understanding made the heavens.

Give thanks to the Lord for He is so good, His mercy endures forever

(CCLI Member)

PRAYER

Pastor Daryl

GOD'S WORD TO US

Leader: The Word of God for the people of God.

All: Thanks be to God.

CHILDREN'S TIME:

Cheryl Schell

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

For a complete list, check the Worship Folder or www.wilmorefmc.org

WORSHIP IN GIVING

Every day, but especially today, as we come to the Lord's Table, we remember that our God is a giving God. If we're becoming more like Him, we should be giving people; we should be more giving today than we were yesterday and last year. And of course a giving spirit is not only about money...it's about the way we look at life and responsibilities and family and love.



MUSIC MINISTRY

*Ring Joyfully
Chimes of Joy*

Susan E. Geschke

MESSAGE

Mission Possible - Dos and Don'ts

Pastor Dwight

HOLY COMMUNION

POSTLUDE

Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah (Hymnal 51)

arr. Paul Manz

WORSHIP GUIDE

God is so glad you've set aside this time to worship Him. He inhabits the praise of His people. As we gather, please take a moment to ask God to prepare us for worship—to open our ears and minds to His voice and to freely apply His word to our hearts and lives. Please also take a moment now to silence all electronic devices so that the Lord might have opportunity to freely speak to all.

GATHERING

In Christ Alone

arr. Jason Payne

Soldiers of Christ, Arise (Hymnal 478)

arr. Don Hustad

CALL TO WORSHIP

A Contemporary Affirmation of Faith

We believe in Jesus Christ the Lord,
Who came in flesh to dwell among us,
Who died on the cross to free us from sin,
Who rose from the dead to give us life and hope,
Who reigns in heaven at the right hand of God,
Who comes one day soon to judge and bring justice and victory.

We believe in God, the Father,
Who created and sustains the universe,
Who rules over the destinies of all peoples and nations,
Who raised His Son Jesus from the dead,
Who desires all people to be saved.

We believe in the Holy Spirit,
Who is God Himself, present in His people, the Church,
Who moves His Church to faith and obedience,
Who assists and guides all those whom He renews,
Who purifies the hearts of His own.

We believe God has made us His people,
To invite others to follow Jesus,
To encourage one another to deeper faith in Him,
To proclaim forgiveness of sins and hope,
To meet the daily tasks of life with love and purpose,
To suffer joyfully for the cause of right,
To the ends of the earth, To the end of the age,
To the praise of His glory. Amen.

SONGS OF THANKSGIVING

Hymnal 557

In Thanksgiving, Let Us Praise Him

Hymnal 58

This Is My Father's World

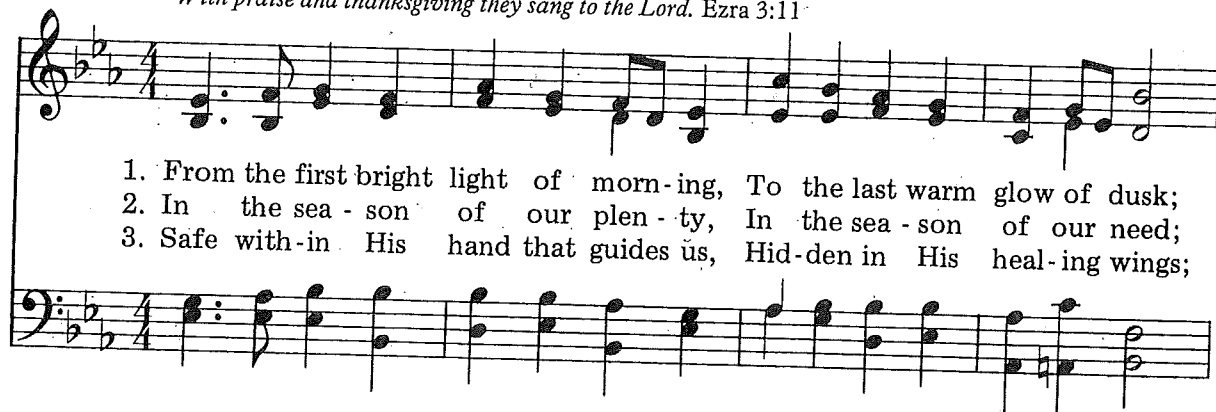
Hymnal 563

Count Your Blessings

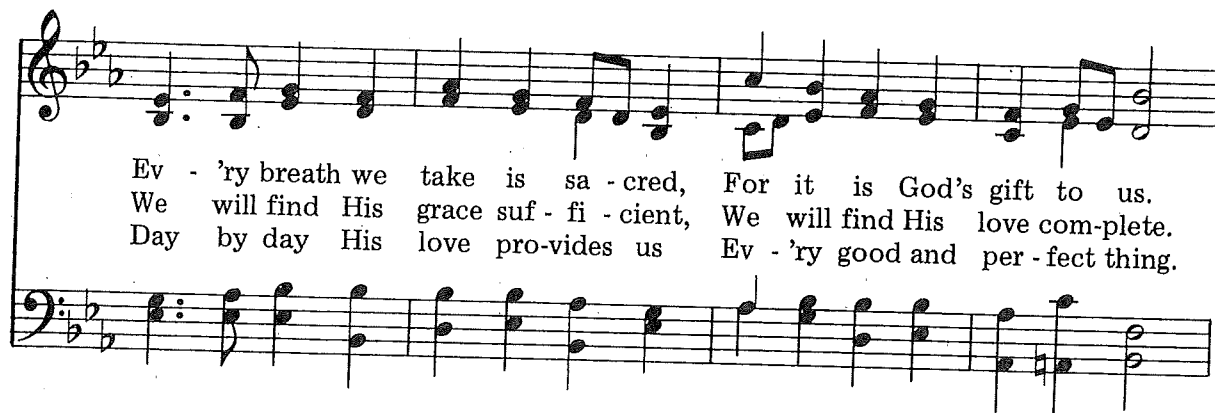
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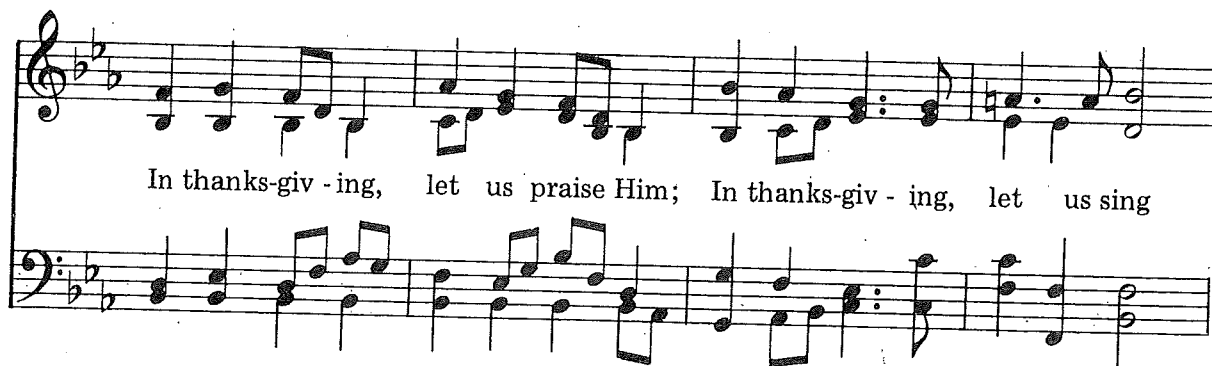
With praise and thanksgiving they sang to the Lord. Ezra 3:11



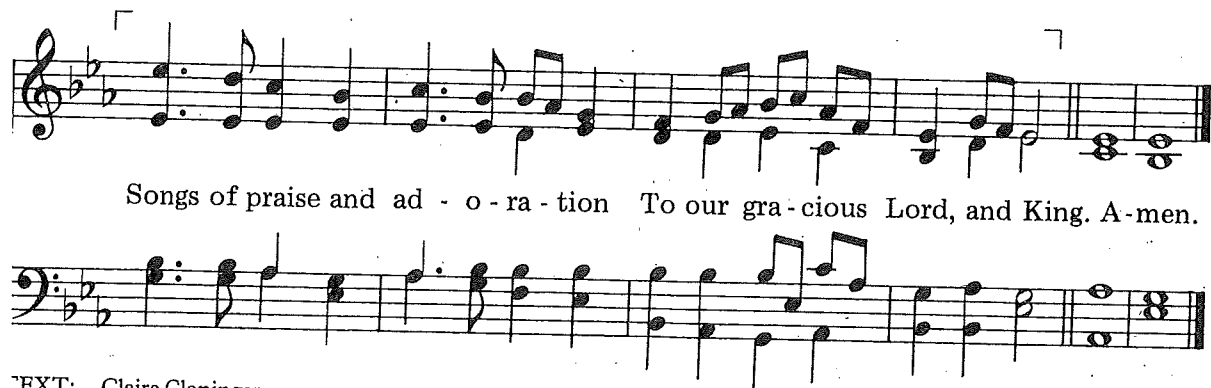
1. From the first bright light of morn-ing, To the last warm glow of dusk;
 2. In the sea-son of our plen-ty, In the sea-son of our need;
 3. Safe with-in His hand that guides us, Hid-den in His heal-ing wings;



Ev - 'ry breath we take is sa - cred, For it is God's gift to us.
 We will find His grace suf - fi - cient, We will find His love com-plete.
 Day by day His love pro-vides us Ev - 'ry good and per - fect thing.



In thanks-giv - ing, let us praise Him; In thanks-giv - ing, let us sing



Songs of praise and ad - o - ra - tion To our gra - cious Lord, and King. A-men.

TEXT: Claire Cloninger
 MUSIC: Franz Joseph Haydn

AUSTRIAN HYMN
 8.7.8.7.D.

A higher setting may be found at No. 278; Alternate tune: BEECHER at No. 92

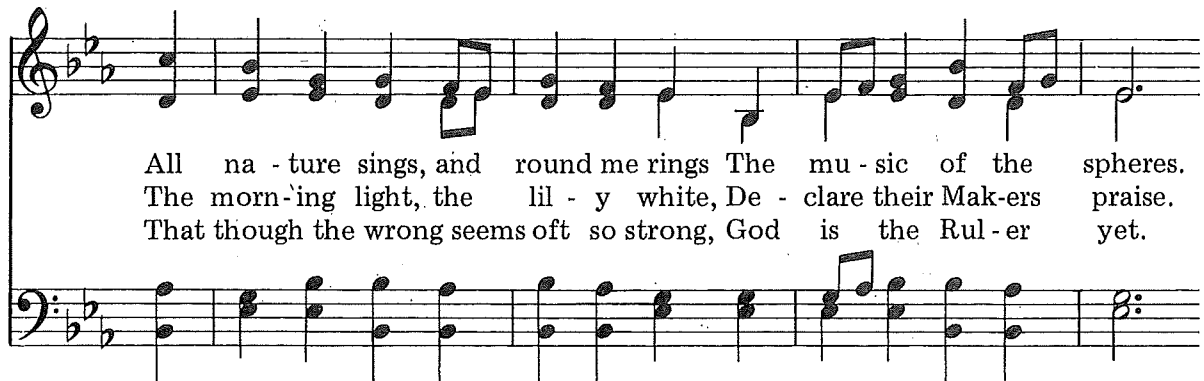
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This Is My Father's World 58

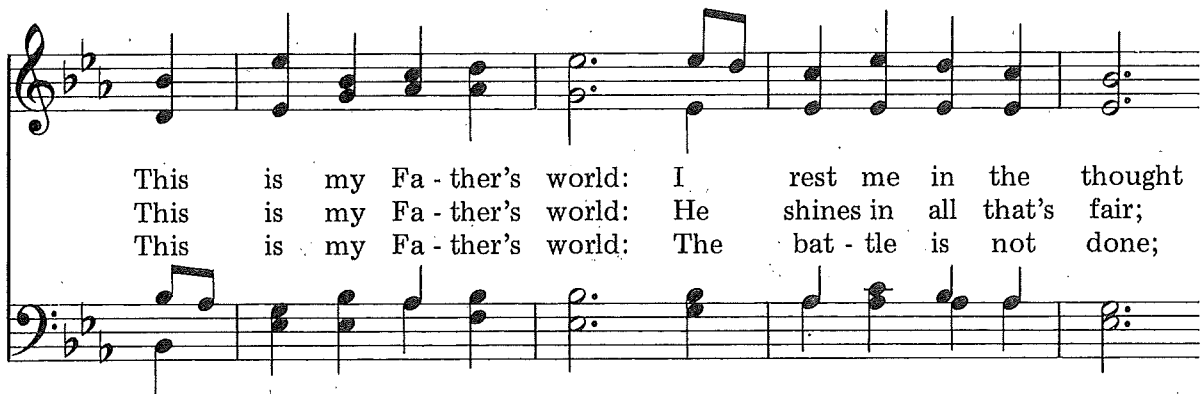
The world is Mine, and all that is in it. Ps. 50:12



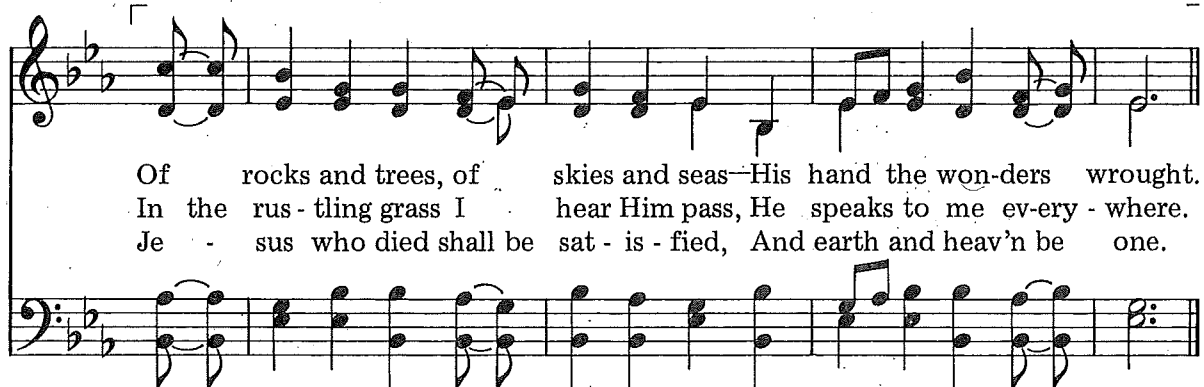
1. This is my Fa - ther's world, And to my lis - tening ears
 2. This is my Fa - ther's world, The birds their car - ols raise,
 3. This is my Fa - ther's world, O let me ne'er for - get



All na - ture sings, and round me rings The mu - sic of the spheres.
 The morn - ing light, the lil - y white, De - clare their Mak - ers praise.
 That though the wrong seems oft so strong, God is the Rul - er yet.



This is my Fa - ther's world: I rest me in the thought
 This is my Fa - ther's world: He shines in all that's fair;
 This is my Fa - ther's world: The bat - tle is not done;



Of rocks and trees, of skies and seas—His hand the won - ders wrought.
 In the rus - tling grass I hear Him pass, He speaks to me ev - ery - where.
 Je - sus who died shall be sat - is - fied, And earth and heav'n be one.

563 Count Your Blessings

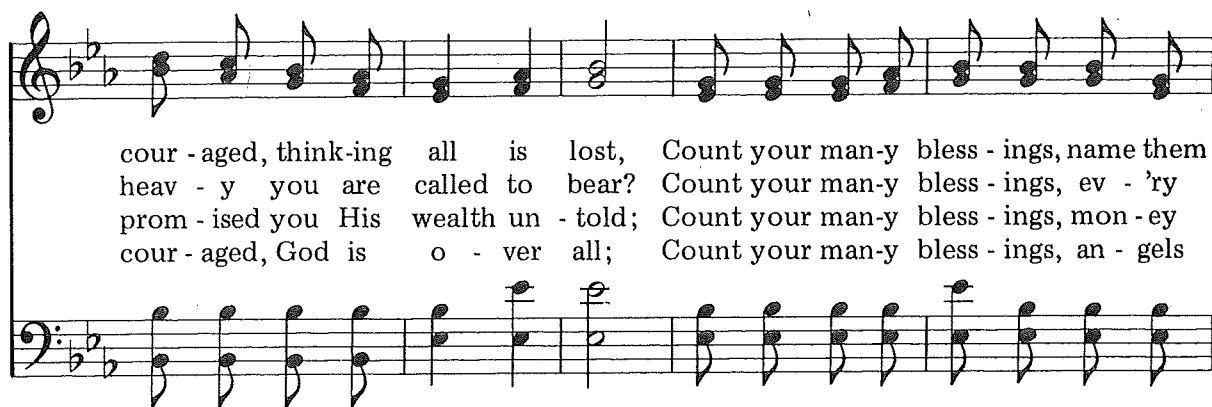
Many, O Lord my God, are the wonders You have done. Ps. 40:5

The musical score is written for a single melodic line in 2/4 time, featuring a treble and a bass staff. The key signature has two flats (B-flat and E-flat). The melody is composed of eighth and quarter notes, with a final measure containing a whole note. The lyrics are printed below the staff, aligned with the notes.

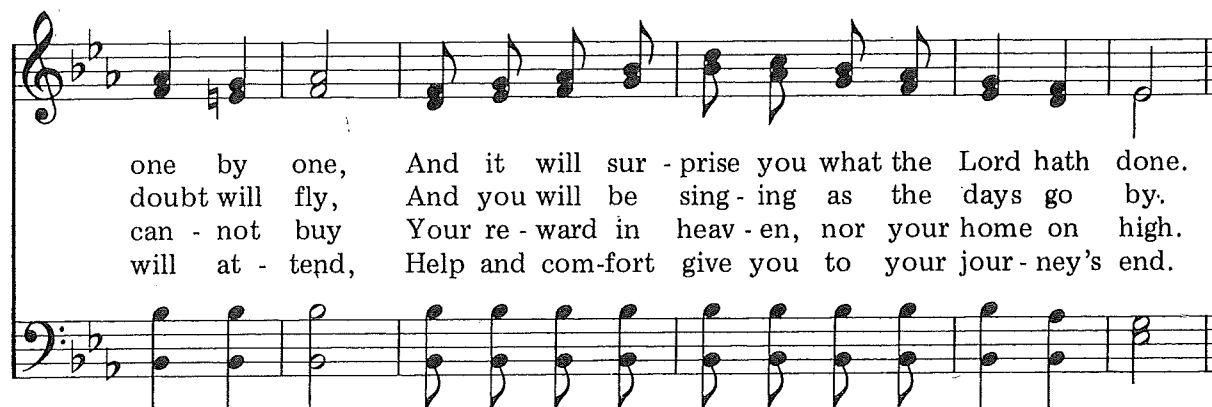
1. When up-on life's bil-lows you are tem - pest tossed, When you are dis -
2. Are you ev- er bur-dened with a load of care? Does the cross seem
3. When you look at oth - ers with their lands and gold, Think that Christ has
4. So, a - mid the con-flict, wheth-er great or small, Do not be dis-

TEXT: Johnson Oatman, Jr.
MUSIC: Edwin O. Excell

BLESSINGS
11.11.11.11. with Refrain

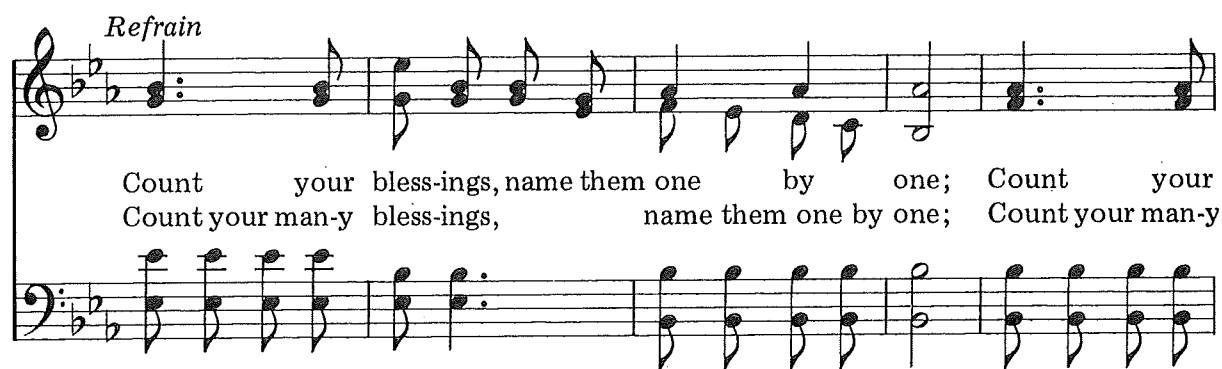


cour - aged, think - ing all is lost, Count your man - y bless - ings, name them
 heav - y you are called to bear? Count your man - y bless - ings, ev - 'ry
 prom - ised you His wealth un - told; Count your man - y bless - ings, mon - ey
 cour - aged, God is o - ver all; Count your man - y bless - ings, an - gels

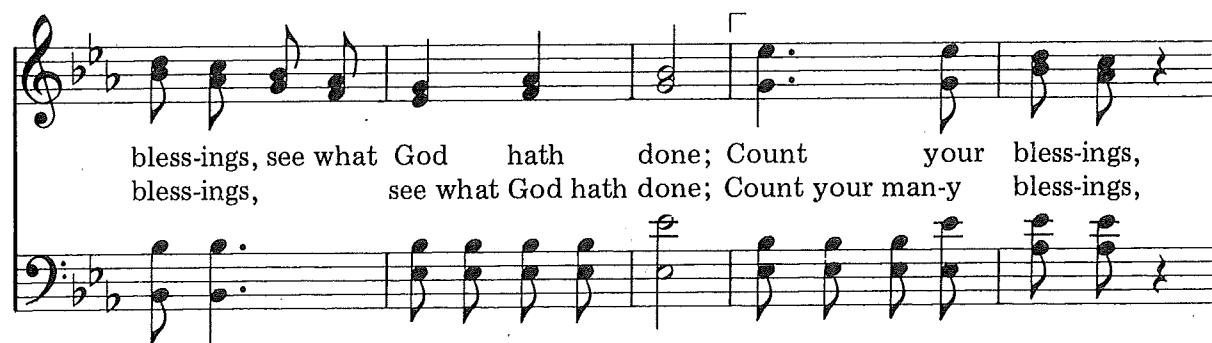


one by one, And it will sur - prise you what the Lord hath done.
 doubt will fly, And you will be sing - ing as the days go by.
 can - not buy Your re - ward in heav - en, nor your home on high.
 will at - tend, Help and com - fort give you to your jour - ney's end.

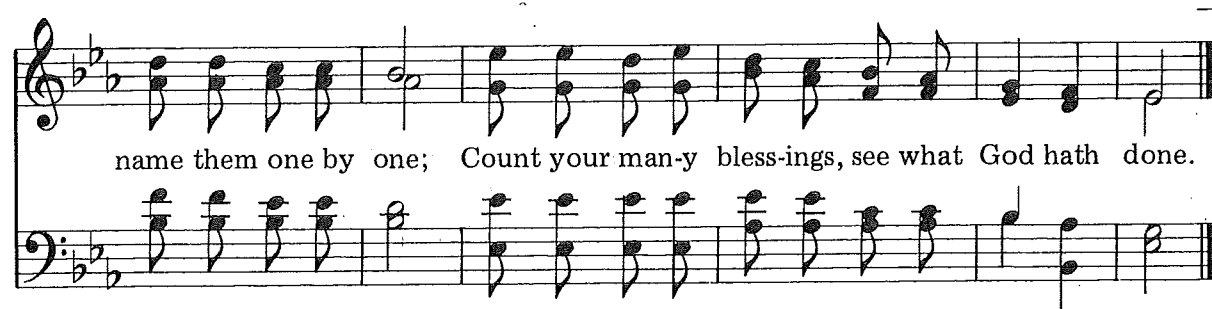
Refrain



Count your bless - ings, name them one by one; Count your
 Count your man - y bless - ings, name them one by one; Count your man - y



bless - ings, see what God hath done; Count your bless - ings,
 bless - ings, see what God hath done; Count your man - y bless - ings,



name them one by one; Count your man - y bless - ings, see what God hath done.

Communion Liturgy

Invitation:

*You who truly and earnestly repent of your sins,
who live in love and peace with your neighbors, and who intend to lead a new life,
following the commandments of God and walking in His holy ways,
draw near with faith, and take this holy sacrament to your comfort;
and humbly kneeling, make your honest confession to Almighty God.*

General Confession:

**Almighty God, Father of our Lord Jesus Christ,
maker of all things, judge of all people,
we confess that we have sinned, and we are deeply grieved
as we remember the wickedness of our past lives.
We have sinned against You, Your holiness and love,
and we deserve only Your indignation and anger.**

**We sincerely repent, and we are genuinely sorry
for all wrongdoing and every failure to do the things we should.
Our hearts are grieved, and we acknowledge that we are hopeless
without Your grace.**

**Have mercy upon us. Have mercy upon us, most merciful Father,
for the sake of Your son, our Savior, Jesus Christ, who died for us.
Forgive us. Cleanse us.**

**Give us strength to serve and please You in newness of life,
And to honor and praise Your name, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

Lord's Prayer:

**Our Father which art in heaven, Hallowed be Thy name.
Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done in earth, as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread.
And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors.
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil:
For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.**

Collect:

*O Almighty God, our Heavenly Father, who with great mercy
has promised forgiveness to all who turn to You
with hearty repentance and true faith, have mercy upon us,
pardon and deliver us from our sins, make us strong and faithful in all goodness
and bring us to everlasting life, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.*

Prayer For Inner Cleansing:

**Almighty God, unto whom all hearts are open,
all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid:
cleanse the thoughts of our hearts, by the inspiration of the Holy Spirit,
that we may perfectly love You and worthily magnify Your holy name,
through Christ our Lord. Amen.**