

Sunday, November 16. 2025
Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time

GATHERING SONG

Lord of All Hopefulness



1. Lord of all hope - ful - ness, Lord of all joy,
2. Lord of all ea - ger - ness, Lord of all faith,
3. Lord of all kind - li - ness, Lord of all grace,
4. Lord of all gen - tle - ness, Lord of all calm,



Whose trust, e - ver child - like, no cares can de - stroy,
Whose strong hands were skilled at the plane and the lathe,
Your hands swift to wel - come, your arms to em - brace,
Whose voice is con - tent - ment, whose pres - ence is balm,



Be there at our wak - ing, and give us, we pray,
Be there at our la - bors, and give us, we pray,
Be there at our hom - ing, and give us, we pray,
Be there at our sleep - ing, and give us, we pray,



Your bliss in our hearts, Lord, at the break of the day.
Your strength in our hearts, Lord, at the noon of the day.
Your love in our hearts, Lord, at the eve of the day.
Your peace in our hearts, Lord, at the end of the day.

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RESPONSORIAL PSALM: Psalm 98

Refrain III

The Lord comes to the earth to
rule the earth with jus-tice. The Lord comes to the
earth to rule the earth with jus-tice.

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PREPARATION OF THE GIFTS.....The Lord Is Near

Michael Joncas

Refrain/Alternate Refrain: All

O the Lord is near to all who call on him; he is
*Alt. May the an-gels lead you in-to par-a-dise; may the
close to all who seek his face, slow to an-ger and
mar-tyrs come to wel-come you, and take you
full of com-pas-sion and a-bound-ing in mer-ci-ful
to the ho-ly cit-y, the new and e-ter-nal Je-
love.
ru-sa-lem. love. A - men.

1-3 to Verses Final

Verse 1: Cantor

1. The Lord is my light and my sal-va-tion, there is noth-ing at all I fear;
1. the Lord is the ref-uge of my life; of whom should I be a- fraid?

to Refrain

Verses 2, 3: Cantor

2. One thing I ask of the Lord; there is on - ly one
 3. For God will hide me in his house and con - ceal me in the

2. thing I seek: to dwell in the house of the
 3. shel-ter of his tent. E - ven now my head is held

2. Lord all the days of my life.
 3. high o - ver those who would see me fall.

to Refrain

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COMMUNION HYMN.....You Are Near

Refrain

O Lord I know you are near, stand-ing al - ways
 at my side. You guard me from the foe, and you
 lead me in ways ev - er - last-ing.

Verses

1. Lord, you have searched my heart, and you
 2. Where can I run from your love? If I
 3. You know my heart and its ways, you who
 4. Mar - vel - ous to me are your works; how pro -

know when I sit and when I stand. Your
 climb to the heav - ens you are there; if I
 formed me be - fore I was born in the
 found are your thoughts, my Lord. E - ven

hand is up - on me pro - tect - ing me from death,
 fly to the sun - rise or sail be - yond the sea,
 se - cret of dark - ness be - fore I saw the sun
 if I could count them, they num - ber as the stars,

D.C.

keep - ing me from harm.
 still I'd find you there.
 in my moth - er's womb.
 you would still be there.

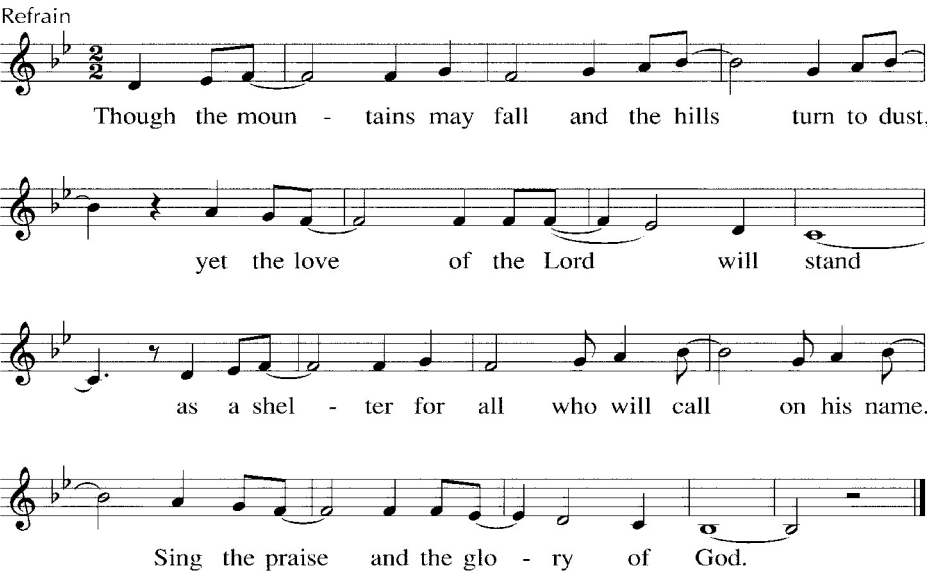
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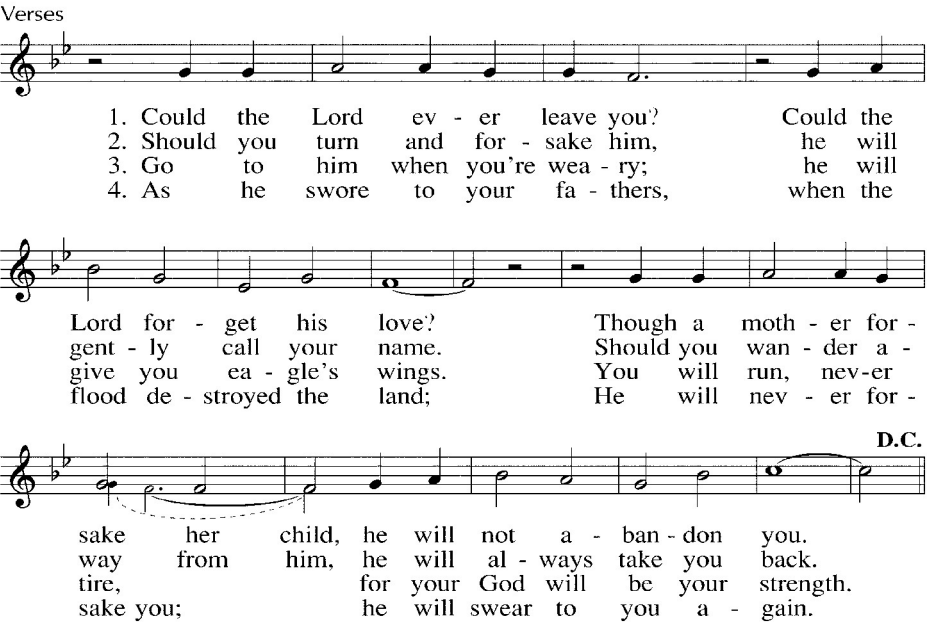
Though the Mountains May Fall

Refrain



Though the moun - tains may fall and the hills turn to dust,
yet the love of the Lord will stand
as a shel - ter for all who will call on his name.
Sing the praise and the glo - ry of God.

Verses



1. Could the Lord ev - er leave you? Could the
2. Should you turn and for - sake him, he will
3. Go to him when you're wea - ry; he will
4. As he swore to your fa - thers, when the
Lord for - get his love? Though a moth - er for -
gent - ly call your name. Should you wan - der a -
give you ea - gle's wings. You will run, nev - er
flood de - stroyed the land; He will nev - er for -
sake her child, he will not a - ban - don you.
way from him, he will al - ways take you back.
tire, for your God will be your strength.
sake you; he will swear to you a - gain.

Text: 1 Corinthians 12, 13; Mary Haugen, b.1950
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