

WEEKLY SCHEDULE OF EVENTS—WEEK OF AUGUST 17, 2025

TODAY

- 8:00a Pre-Service Prayer—B106
- 8:30a Morning Worship Service—Sanctuary  
Nursery—Building B Preschool Wing
- 9:45a All Church SS Promotion Potluck Breakfast — Building C
- 11:00a Morning Worship Service—Sanctuary  
Nursery—Building B Preschool Wing
- 4:30p World Mission Team Meeting —B107
- 6:00p Evening Worship
- 7:15p Sidewalk Social
- High School Senior Seminar—C204
- 9-11th Grade Boys @ Ed & Sharon Bryson, 205 Hillbrook Dr, Nich.

MONDAY

TUESDAY

- 6:30a Men’s Prayer Meeting—A200
- 7:15a Youth Prayer Breakfast—C
- 9:00a Ladies’ Prayer Meeting—A200
- 6:00p GriefShare—B101

WEDNESDAY

- 6:00p Parent/Youth Paperwork Potluck—Building C
- 7:00p Adult Prayer Meeting—B201
- Summer Fun Children’s Ministry, ages 4 - 5th grade
- Nursery/Childcare—Building B Preschool Wing

THURSDAY

FRIDAY

SATURDAY

- SUMMER IS THE SEASON for new folk moving to town and visiting our church. Please take the initiative to greet unfamiliar faces around you. Moving to a new place and church is difficult—let’s do all we can to ease their transition. That’s what Jesus would do.
- CLASSIFIED ADS: We are experimenting with a moderated classified ad section of [www.wilmorefmc.org](http://www.wilmorefmc.org) (lower, right sidebar) where church attendees and local community persons can advertise things for sale or free, housing needs, items lost and found, etc. Check it out!



As a convenience to our church family, a large, white cabinet, located across from the office complex on the wall next to the kitchen, functions as a “drop off/ pick up” center, called, “The Spot!”

Feel free to leave items there for someone to pick up, but please be sure to notify the recipient when you leave an item.

Faith and Finance - Shepherds and Sheep  
Ezekiel 34:1-16

Pastor Daryl

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ARE AVAILABLE AT [WILMOREFMC.ORG](http://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.



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A COMMUNITY THAT REFLECTS JESUS’ VISION AND VALUES  
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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 foyer 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 worship, parents of 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 our students in these first days of school, that they would gladly receive truth while also guarding their hearts and minds against falsehoods.

**WORLD MISSION FOCUS—Europe:** Josh and Rachelle Neal are based in Frankfurt, Germany where Rachelle serves as GEM’s VP for Europe. Josh is active in evangelism and discipleship. Pray for their children, Kayla, Briana, and Titus.

**HOME MISSION FOCUS:** Pray for Oakdale Christian Academy, students, faculty, and staff. Pray that the rest of the summer will be restful for all and pray that the new school year begins well.

**YOUTH MINISTRY FOCUS:** School has begun! Keep students and teachers in your prayers as the school year starts. Transitions are underway, new situations are surfacing, and activities and schedules are changing. Pray for a great school year for all.

**NURSERY:**

	<u>TODAY/THIS WEEK</u>	<u>NEXT WEEK</u>
8:30 Worship	T Dobie/L Evans/E Randall B Wagler	D Flanigan/A Montoya/J Montoya Z Stiger
Sunday School	SS Potluck Breakfast	K Diddle/H Miller
11:00 Worship	L Barbosa/M Ramos/G Schumacher	E Maynard/M Miller
6:00 Worship	B Bowers/C McGlothlin A Warnock	Baptism — no nursery
Wed. Evening	S Joiner/D Zhao	A Allen/P Probst

- **CONGRATULATIONS TO BEN & MEGAN (KIDWELL) VARGASE** who were married August 2, 2025.
- **CHOIR SIGN-UPS** for children and youth are at the top of the stairs in Building B. Check out the choirs’ descriptions on today’s insert.
- **CHILDREN, YOUTH, TEACHERS, PARENTS AND GRANDPARENTS:** Be sure to pick up a prayer card and bracelet for yourself, your children and/or youth or grandchildren. Let’s get this school year off to a good start!
- **TEENS AND PARENTS OF TEENS—PLEASE NOTE:** This Wednesday, August 20th, is the *Parent Paperwork Potluck*, 6:00—8:00p (parents do not need to stay the whole time). Mark your calendars for this day to join us in the gym at 6:00p with a potluck dish—drinks and dessert provided. You will be able to meet leaders, fill out necessary school year paperwork, and sign up to help with different ministries.
- **LADIES: YOU ARE WELCOME** to celebrate the gift of a new life with Hope McFall on Saturday August 30 in the C202 Hospitality Room, 1:00-2:00p. Please bring only diapers as a gift for the baby and scripture prayer blessings for Alex & Hope McFall.

**INTENTIONAL PRAYER...FOR THE WHOLE PERSON:  
A Prayer Training & Discussion Class**

Would you like to learn more about praying into situations such as:

- \*\* Discovering who you truly are in Christ.
- \*\* Having God’s exchange of peace, love, and acceptance, where previously you had rejection.
- \*\* Praying (for yourself and others) for healing in Jesus (physical, emotional, spiritual needs).

The WPMC Prayer Team offers a nine-week class to address these and other topics with a combination of teaching, discussion and prayer.

Tuesdays, September 2—October 28 6:30-8:30p Room B203

Sponsored by the WPMC Prayer Team

Co-led by Lee Taylor and Joyce Underwood.



**MEMBERSHIP CLASS:** Mark your calendar for the next Membership Class, a 3-week, Wednesday evening seminar September 10, 17 and 24, 7:00p in room A200. If you’re interested, write “Membership” on your Welcome Card. The class gives an introduction to our denomination, our local church, and our beliefs. Come and investigate - no commitment required to take the class.



**NSC KIDS RETREAT** September 5-7, 2025  
Eagle Ridge Retreat Center, Bowling Green, KY  
Ages 3rd—6th grade  
Deadline to sign up is August 18! (tomorrow)  
Contact Cheryl Schell (cschell@wfmc.net) to sign up for the retreat. For more details pick up a retreat flyer at the Welcome Desk.

**Evening Worship Tonight**

Testimonies  
On Your Mark study — Pastor Daryl  
Sidewalk Social

**Bible Quiz Team Kick Off Meeting  
August 24 Room B104**

For youth in grades 6 through 12

Interested in seeing what Bible Quizzing is all about? Join us for our season kick off meeting 4:30p for new quizzers, and 5:00p for returning quizzers. Practice begins August 27 at 4:55.

Questions? Contact Kevin Crabtree at: [wfmcbq@gmail.com](mailto:wfmcbq@gmail.com)



**ANNUAL BAPTISM AT  
Jessamine CREEK  
Next Sunday, August 24, 6:00p**

If you have received Christ and would like to be baptized, write “Baptism” on your Welcome Card and a pastor will contact you.



**LARGE PRINT SONG COPIES** available at the Welcome Center.  
Feel free to stop by and pick a copy up every Sunday.



**SUPER SUNDAY SEPTEMBER  
SPECTACULAR SALAD SOCIAL!  
SEPTEMBER 7, 6:00 p.m.**

Bring your favorite (family-size) salad to share...whatever sort of salad you like: Tuna, Green, Chicken, Jello, Fruit, Ham, Pasta, Chocolate...

Bring whatever you want and label it “salad.”  
The church will supply drinks and a variety of crackers.  
Let’s enjoy fellowship with one another!



**AUGUST ITEM: RAMEN NOODLES**  
Each weekend, 70 bags of nonperishable foods are provided for Jessamine County kids that attend Wilmore Elementary, Jessamine Early Learning Village, Head Start, West Jessamine Middle, and Providence School.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

For a complete list, check the Worship Folder or [www.wilmorefmc.org](http://www.wilmorefmc.org)

WORSHIP IN GIVING

Lord, help us to see as You see, economically. Help us to remember not to compare our wealth to our next-door neighbors, but to the 1/5th of the world’s population who live on less than one dollar a day. Help us rightly determine our needs from our wants, and then make decisions about how we invest the money You’ve entrusted to us in ways that please You.



MUSIC MINISTRY

Ada Blenkhorn & J. Howard Entwisle

Keep on the Sunny Side of Life

Don Zent, soloist; Rose Evans, Carolyn Hale, Erin McLaughlin, trio

Brandon Burke, guitar; Hannah Miller, bass; Mark Schell, piano

MESSAGE

Faith and Finance - Shepherds and Sheep

Pastor Daryl

POSTLUDE

Praise Him! Praise Him! (Hymnal 106)

arr. Marilyn Arison

🔊 Help for the hearing impaired is available. See an usher for assistance.

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

‘Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus (Hymnal 350)

On Jordan’s Stormy Banks (Hymnal 552)

Come, Every One Who Is Thirsty (Notebook C27)

arr. Jay Rouse

arr. Mark Hayes

arr. Victor Labenske

SONGS OF THE LORD’S FAITHFUL GUIDANCE AND PROTECTION

Hymnal 457

Hymnal 462

Hymnal 466

Insert

I Will Sing of the Mercies of the Lord

Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us (stanzas 1, 2, 4)

Jesus, Lover of My Soul

Speak, O Lord

CALL TO PRAYER

Hymnal 435

What a Friend We Have in Jesus (stanza 1)

What a Friend we have in Jesus, all our sins and griefs to bear!

What a privilege to carry everything to God in prayer!

O what peace we often forfeit, O what needless pain we bear,

All because we do not carry everything to God in prayer!

(CCLI Member)

PRAYER

Pastor Caitlin

GOD’S WORD TO US

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

All: Thanks be to God.

Ezekiel 34:1-16

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# I Will Sing of the Mercies 457

*I will sing of the Lord's great love forever. Ps. 89:1*

*Unison*

I will sing of the mer-cies of the Lord for - ev - er, I will

sing, I will sing, I will sing of the mer-cies of the

*Fine*

Lord. With my mouth will I make known Thy

faith - ful - ness, Thy faith - ful - ness, With my mouth will I make

*D.C. al Fine*

known Thy faith - ful - ness to all gen - er - a - tions. I will

TEXT: Psalm 89:1

MUSIC: James H. Fillmore; arranged by Lee Herrington

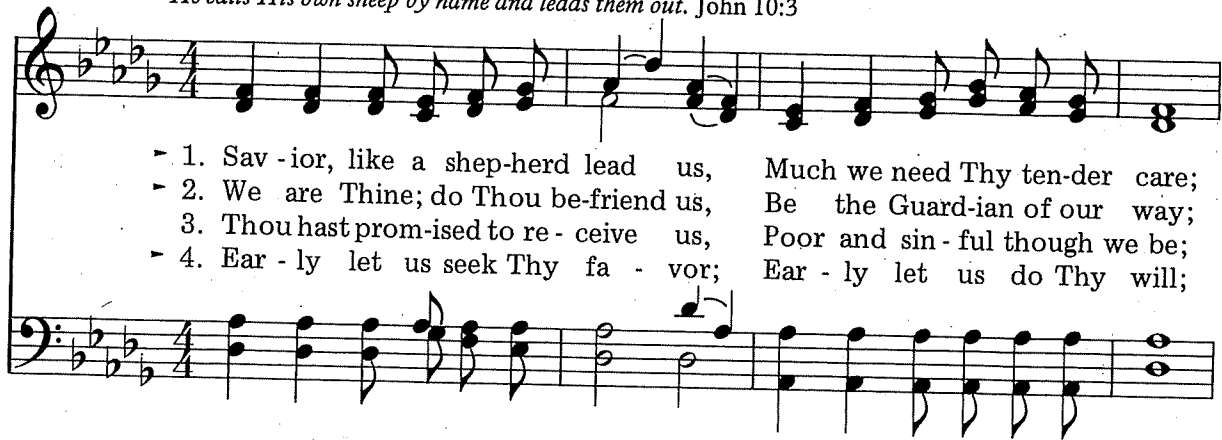
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# 462 Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us

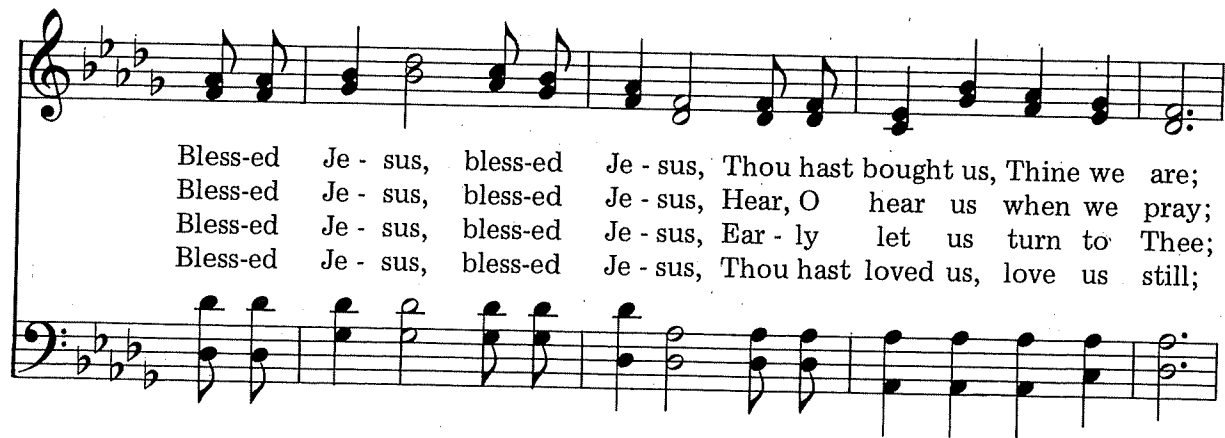
*He calls His own sheep by name and leads them out. John 10:3*



- 1. Sav - ior, like a shep - herd lead us, Much we need Thy ten - der care;  
 - 2. We are Thine; do Thou be - friend us, Be the Guard - ian of our way;  
 3. Thou hast prom - ised to re - ceive us, Poor and sin - ful though we be;  
 - 4. Ear - ly let us seek Thy fa - vor; Ear - ly let us do Thy will;



In Thy pleas - ant pas - tures feed us, For our use Thy folds pre - pare:  
 Keep Thy flock, from sin de - fend us, Seek us when we go a - stray:  
 Thou hast mer - cy to re - lieve us, Grace to cleanse, and pow'r to free:  
 Bless - ed Lord and on - ly Sav - ior, With Thy love our bos - oms fill:



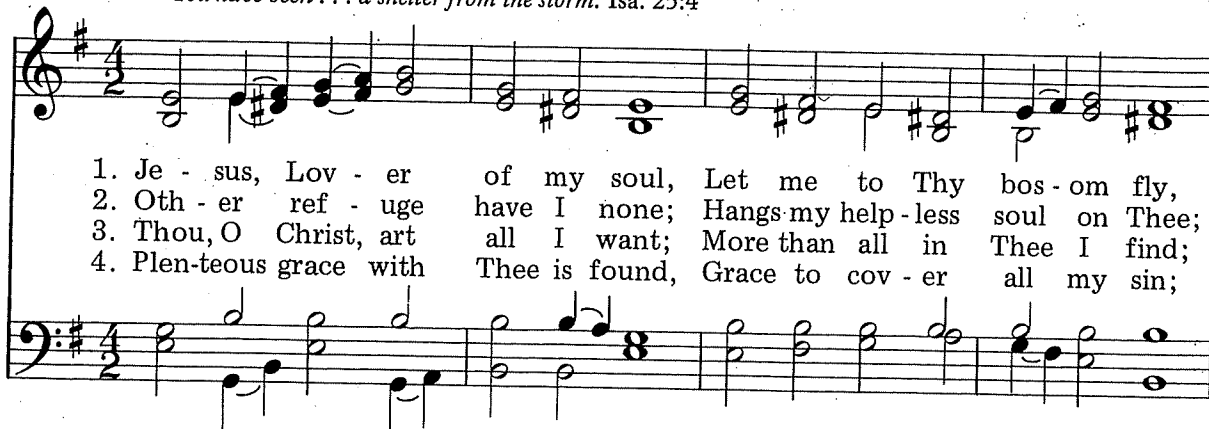
Bless - ed Je - sus, bless - ed Je - sus, Thou hast bought us, Thine we are;  
 Bless - ed Je - sus, bless - ed Je - sus, Hear, O hear us when we pray;  
 Bless - ed Je - sus, bless - ed Je - sus, Ear - ly let us turn to Thee;  
 Bless - ed Je - sus, bless - ed Je - sus, Thou hast loved us, love us still;



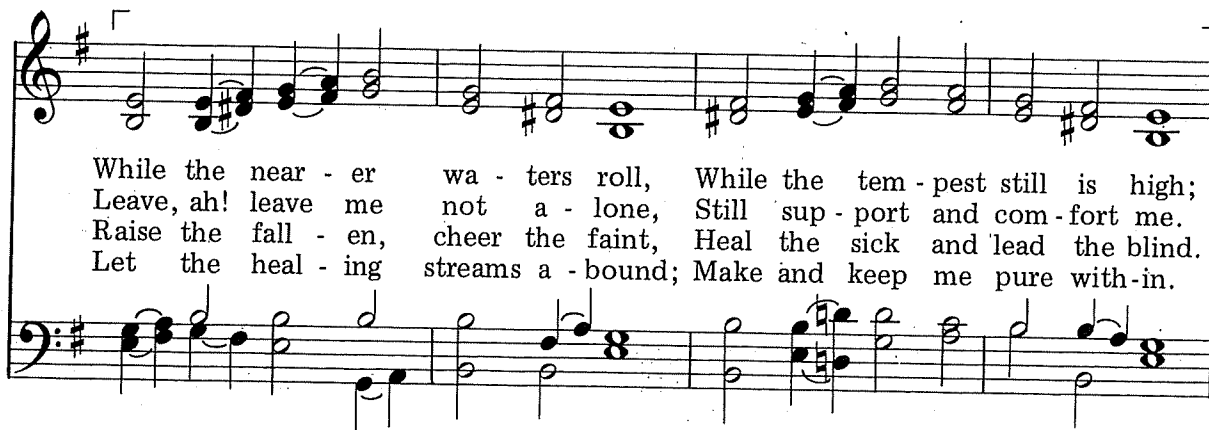
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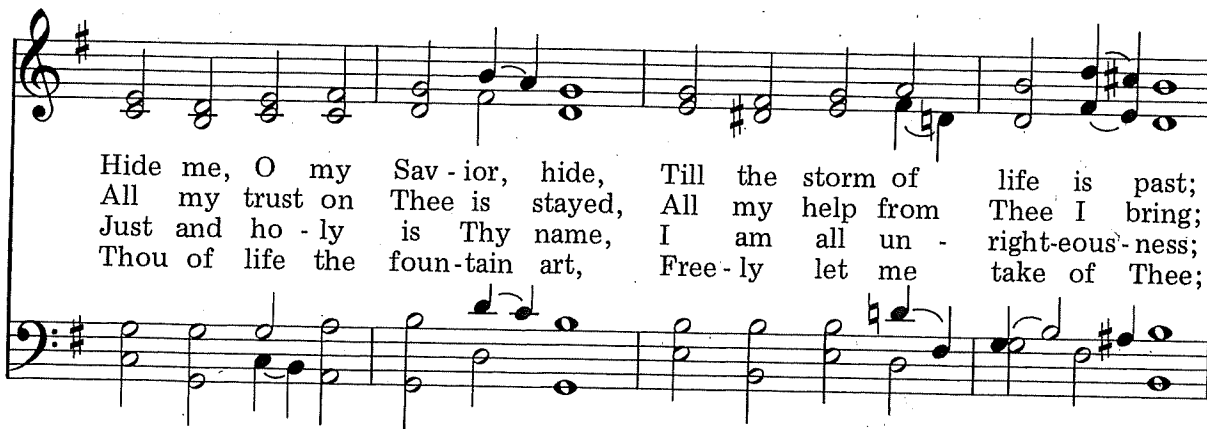
*You have been . . . a shelter from the storm. Isa. 25:4*



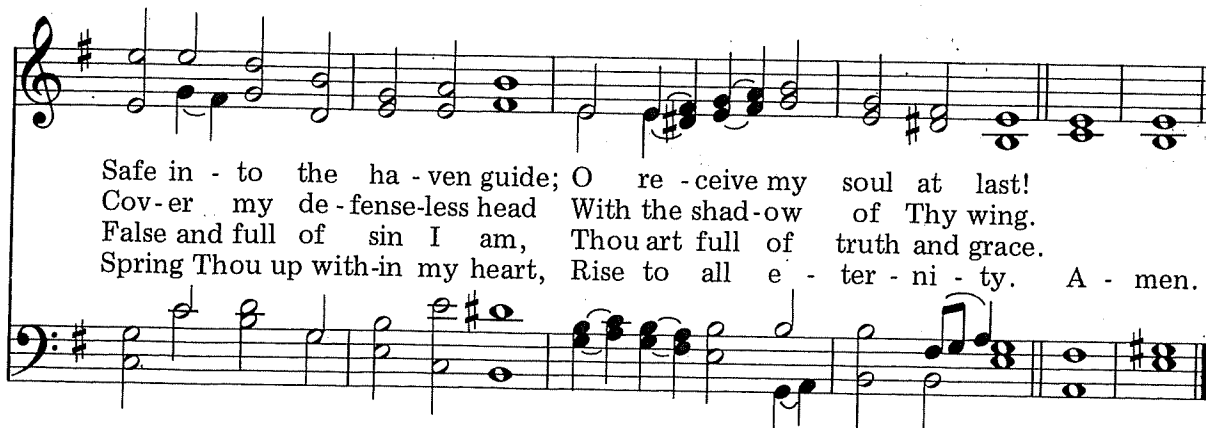
1. Je - sus, Lov - er of my soul, Let me to Thy bos - om fly,  
 2. Oth - er ref - uge have I none; Hangs my help - less soul on Thee;  
 3. Thou, O Christ, art all I want; More than all in Thee I find;  
 4. Plen-teous grace with Thee is found, Grace to cov - er all my sin;



While the near - er wa - ters roll, While the tem - pest still is high;  
 Leave, ah! leave me not a - lone, Still sup - port and com - fort me.  
 Raise the fall - en, cheer the faint, Heal the sick and lead the blind.  
 Let the heal - ing streams a - bound; Make and keep me pure with-in.



Hide me, O my Sav - ior, hide, Till the storm of life is past;  
 All my trust on Thee is stayed, All my help from Thee I bring;  
 Just and ho - ly is Thy name, I am all un - right-eous-ness;  
 Thou of life the foun-tain art, Free-ly let me take of Thee;



Safe in - to the ha - ven guide; O re - ceive my soul at last!  
 Cov - er my de - fense-less head With the shad - ow of Thy wing.  
 False and full of sin I am, Thou art full of truth and grace.  
 Spring Thou up with-in my heart, Rise to all e - ter - ni - ty. A - men.

# Speak O Lord

Words and Music by  
Keith Getty and Stuart Townend

## VERSE

F/A G/B C<sup>2</sup> F C F C

1. Speak, O Lord, as we come to You to re - ceive the food of Your  
2. Teach us Lord full o - be - di - ence, ho - ly rev - er - ence, true hu -  
3. Speak, O Lord, and re - new our minds; Help us grasp the heights of Your

4 Am G/B F/A G/B C<sup>2</sup> F C

ho - ly word. Take Your truth, plant it deep in us; Shape and  
-mil - i - ty. Test our thoughts and our at - ti - tudes in the  
plans for us. Truths un - changed from the dawn of time, that will

7 F C/E F G C C/E G G/F C/E

fash - ion us in Your like - ness, that the light of Christ might be  
ra - di - ance of Your pu - ri - ty. Cause our faith to rise, cause our  
e - cho down through e - ter - ni - ty. And by grace we'll stand on Your

10  $G^{sus}/F$   $G^9/F$   $C^2/E$   $G$   $G/F$   $C/E$   $Am$   $G^{sus}$   $G$   $F/A$   $G/B$   $C^2$

seen to-day in our acts of love and our deeds of faith. Speak, O Lord, and ful -  
 eyes to see Your ma - jes - tic love and au - thor - i - ty. Words of pow'r that can  
 prom - is-es; And by faith we'll walk as You walk with us. Speak, O Lord, till Your

14  $F$   $C$   $F$   $C/E$   $F$   $G^{sus}$   $G$   $C$

-fill in us all Your pur - pos - es, for Your glo - ry.  
 nev - er fail; Let their truth pre-vail o - ver un - be - lief.  
 church is built and the earth is filled with Your glo - ry.

17  $F^2$   $C^2/E$   $F^2$   $G^{sus}$   $G$   $C$