

WEEKLY SCHEDULE OF EVENTS—WEEK OF FEBRUARY 4, 2024

- TODAY**
- 8:00a Pre-Service Prayer—B106
 - 8:30a **Morning Worship**—Sanctuary
 - Nursery—Building B Preschool Wing
 - 9:45a Sunday School, Adult and Youth Bible Fellowships
 - Nursery—Building B Preschool Wing
 - 11:00a **Morning Worship**—Sanctuary
 - Nursery—Building B Preschool Wing
 - 2:45p FM Youth depart for Winter Jam / Lexington
 - 3:30p Chimes of Joy—B102; No Tinnabulation Handbells
 - 4:45p Heaven’s Harmony B100; Youth Choir B101
 - Sanctuary Choir—Sanctuary
 - 5:30p Pre-Service Prayer—B106
 - 6:00p All church social — Italian Night @ Building C

- MONDAY**
- 10:00a Ladies’ Bible Study at Metcalfs, 20 Veterans Drive
 - (contact Judy Metcalf for Zoom link / 859-858-4063)

- TUESDAY**
- 6:30a Men’s Prayer Meeting—A200
 - 7:15a Youth Prayer Breakfast—C
 - 9:00a Ladies’ Prayer Meeting—A200
 - 6:15p WeBelieve Handbell Choir—Sanctuary
 - 7:30p Blessings Handbell Choir—Sanctuary

- WEDNESDAY**
- 12:00n Prayer & Fasting—Sanctuary
 - 4:45p Bible Quizzing—B104
 - 6:00p FMY (Free Methodist Youth)—Building C (Dinner 6:30p)
 - 6:15p Young Musicians—B100; Friendship Company—B101
 - 7:00p Adult Prayer Meeting—B200/201
 - Grace for Grief—B202
 - 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

THURSDAY

- FRIDAY**
- 10a-12n Moms Pray & Play—Building C

- SATURDAY**
- 9a-4p Blue Grass Open Bible Quiz Competition — WFMC

HAZARDOUS WEATHER PLAN: Schedule changes for church events can be found in the news feed on the front page of the church website and also on local TV news, typically one hour prior to service times.



Red Letter News: Truth
John 18:28-38

Pastor Daryl

VIDEO AND PRINT 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.

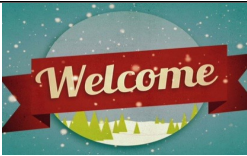
If you seek or have found salvation or sanctification today, please let a member of the pastoral staff know. We’re here to help you on your journey.



Red Letter News

WILMORE
FREE METHODIST CHURCH

A COMMUNITY THAT REFLECTS JESUS’ VISION AND VALUES
FEBRUARY 4, 2024



WELCOME TO WORSHIP AT WFMCI!
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 A102. Following worship, parents of children ages 4 through Kindergarten must pick up their children from room A102. Children in grades 1-3 will be taken to their Sunday School classroom. Following 11:00 worship, parents must pick up their children from A102 downstairs.

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 Superintendent Search Team, who is working toward identifying a new conference leader. Let’s pray also for the growing tensions with Iran and the increasing instability of the Middle East.

WORLD MISSION FOCUS—EUROPE: Josh & Rachelle Neal are based in Germany where Rachelle is GEM’s VP of Europe. Josh provides business coaching and resources. Pray for their children: Kayla, Briana, and Titus.

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: The Bible Quiz meet this month is on home turf. Come and support our quizzers on Saturday. It is truly a wonderful gift to hide God’s Word in your heart.

NURSERY:		
	TODAY/THIS WEEK	NEXT WEEK
8:30 Worship	B Arnold/J Bowers/L Branan S Branan	M Dietrich/J Evans/C Rumble C Shafer
Sunday School	N Coffee/A Dotterweich	T Kidwell/S Wiggam
11:00 Worship	BK McMillen/E Padgett F Shingledecker	D Raymond/E Walsh/J Walsh
6:00 Worship	All Church Social-no nursery	B Bowers/J Bowers/E Cannon C Maynard
Wed. Evening	M Dargan/M Henderson	A Diddle/R Zent

• TODAY WE WELCOME Interim Superintendent Herb Coates to our 11:00a worship service. In July, Herb retired as pastor of the Mattis Avenue FMC in Champaign, IL and then accepted this position lasting through our annual conference. Thank you, Supt Coates, for guiding our conferences and churches in this time when we’re in-between leaders.

• 2023 YEAR-END GIVING STATEMENTS can be picked up in the foyer. Thank you for your faithful giving to the Lord’s work.

• LADIES, YOU ARE INVITED to join us for food, fun, and fellowship on Monday, February 5, at 6:00p at Culver’s in Nicholasville (N Main St). We’d love to see you! Questions? Text Ginny Proctor at 859-553-9784.

• PRAYER FOR OUR NATION AND FAMILIES: You are invited Thursday night, Feb. 8, 7:00p to pray for our nation and unsaved family members. Hosted by Margaret Dargan, 191 Academy Dr., Wilmore. All are welcome!

• GIDEON SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 11. Next Sunday we welcome Gideon Sonny Fenton from Anderson County, KY, presenting briefly in each morning worship service. Sonny will also offer an elective class on the ministry of the Gideons during the education hour, 9:45 - 10:45a in room B105. All are welcome!



CELEBRATING THE OUTPOURING
Give thanks for what God has done!
Thursday, February 8, 7:00-8:30p
Hughes Auditorium – AU campus
God moved during the Outpouring last February 2023, and He continues to move in miraculous ways in Wilmore and around the world. Please join the university on February 8 for an evening of worship and celebration.



VBS: June 3-7
Quiz Nationals: June 24-28
Teen Camp: July 8-14
Kids Camp: July 15-18

ATTENTION ALL KNITTERS CROCHETERS
(and anyone who wants to learn how!)

The Common Threads Prayer Shawl / Blanket ministry begins again, Thursday, February 8, in B107, 10:00a-12:00n. We provide the yarn and make gifts for our church family to give away to those hurting. Come join our fellowship, tea, and a snack, and word of prayer as we meet weekly. We welcome newcomers and would be happy to show you how to make simple items that mean so much. We were all beginners once, so don’t be shy!

Prayer Shawl Ministry



spaghetti, pizza, your families’ favorite Italian shareable, and also include a dessert (Italian cream cake, cannolis, Italian lemon cookies, or a sweet treat you enjoy).

ASH WEDNESDAY WORSHIP
February 14 7:00p Sanctuary

ASH WEDNESDAY marks the beginning of the Christian season of Lent, a time of preparation for receiving or reaffirming baptism at Easter. Lent can also be a time for Christ-followers to think about life’s choices and directions and our own mortality, serving as something of a wake-up call. Some choose this time to make special donations to charities or take part in service opportunities as a way to grow closer to God.

Come and worship as we observe Ash Wednesday. Our youth and adults will worship together, the children (CLC) will have their own service.

Ash Wednesday

COME AND WATCH OUR BIBLE QUIZZERS in competition this Saturday, February 10!

9:00 a.m. - Devotions and worship—Sanctuary
9:30 a.m.-3:30 p.m. - Thirty-minute rounds of team and individual tournament quizzing

Encourage our teams as they quiz with churches from neighboring states. Schedules and room locations will be provided for you.

FEBRUARY FOOD ITEM: CANNED PASTA (Ravioli, Spaghetti & Meatballs)

Each weekend, 80 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. Each month, we collect one item that is needed for the bags. Thank you for helping support our kids!

NEW SOUTH CONFERENCE
YOUNG ADULT RETREAT
February 23-25, 2024
Cost: \$25 per person
Speakers: Dennis & Denise Adams

Questions? Contact Kelly Winter @859-935-5109. The registration deadline is February 18.

GOD'S WORD TO US

John 18:28-38

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

The gospel of Mark tells us that: "Jesus sat down opposite the temple treasury and began observing how the people were putting money into the treasury; and many rich people were putting in large sums. A poor widow came and put in two small copper coins, which amount to a cent. Calling His disciples to Him, He said to them, 'Truly I say to you, this poor widow put in more than all the contributors to the treasury; for they all put in out of their surplus, but she, out of her poverty, put in all she owned, all she had to live on.'" May our hearts reflect the devotion of the widow in all the ways we give to the Lord.



MUSIC MINISTRY

Michael W. Smith, *arr.* Tom Fettke

Anthem

Sanctuary Choir

DOXOLOGY*

Hymnal 758 (BULA)

Praise God from Whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all creatures here below;

Praise Him above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, Praise Father, Son,

Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

MESSAGE

Pastor Daryl

Red Letter News: Truth

HOLY COMMUNION

POSTLUDE

Anthony Giamanco

Toccata Regale

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 My Heart There Rings a Melody (Hymnal 514)

arr. Carol Tornquist

Sunshine in My Soul (Hymnal 499)

arr. Mary McDonald

Mark Schell, piano

Tallis' Canon (Hymnal 54)

arr. Margaret Tucker

It Is Well with My Soul (Hymnal 493)

arr. Bill Ingram

We Believe Handbell Choir

CALL TO WORSHIP

Nicene Creed

All: We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father; through Him all things were made. For us and for our salvation He came down from heaven, was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary and became truly human. For our sake He was crucified under Pontius Pilate; He suffered death and was buried. On the third day He rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and His kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets.

We believe in one holy Christian and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

SONGS OF THANKSGIVING AND PRAISE

Hymnal 11

My Tribute

Hymnal 59

I Sing the Mighty Power of God

Insert

Mighty to Save

CALL TO PRAYER

Hymnal 335

Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus

Turn your eyes upon Jesus, look full in His wonderful face,

And the things of earth will grow strangely dim in the light of His glory and grace.

(CCLI Member)

11 My Tribute

Not to us, O Lord . . . but to Your name be the glory. Ps. 115:1

How can I say thanks for the things You have done for me— Things

The first system of musical notation for 'My Tribute' is in G major (one sharp) and 4/4 time. It consists of a treble and bass staff. The melody in the treble staff begins with a half note G4, followed by quarter notes A4, B4, and C5. The bass line starts with a half note G2, followed by quarter notes A2, B2, and C3. The lyrics 'How can I say thanks for the things You have done for me— Things' are written below the staff.

so un - de - served, yet You give to prove Your love for me? The voic-es

The second system of musical notation continues the melody and bass line. The treble staff has a half note D5, followed by quarter notes E5, F5, and G5. The bass line has a half note D2, followed by quarter notes E2, F2, and G2. The lyrics 'so un - de - served, yet You give to prove Your love for me? The voic-es' are written below the staff.

of a mil - lion an - gels could not ex - press my grat - i - tude— All

The third system of musical notation continues the melody and bass line. The treble staff has a half note A5, followed by quarter notes B5, C6, and D6. The bass line has a half note A1, followed by quarter notes B1, C2, and D2. The lyrics 'of a mil - lion an - gels could not ex - press my grat - i - tude— All' are written below the staff.

that I am and ev - er hope to be, I owe it all to Thee. To

The fourth system of musical notation continues the melody and bass line. The treble staff has a half note E6, followed by quarter notes F6, G6, and A6. The bass line has a half note E1, followed by quarter notes F1, G1, and A1. The lyrics 'that I am and ev - er hope to be, I owe it all to Thee. To' are written below the staff.

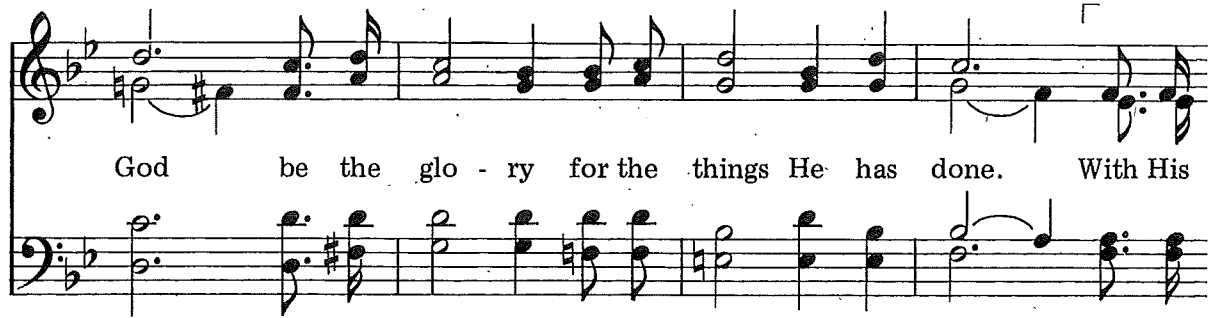
Refrain

God be the glo - ry, To God be the glo - ry; To

The fifth system of musical notation is the refrain. It begins with a treble staff and a bass staff. The treble staff has a half note G4, followed by quarter notes A4, B4, and C5. The bass line has a half note G2, followed by quarter notes A2, B2, and C3. The lyrics 'God be the glo - ry, To God be the glo - ry; To' are written below the staff.

TEXT and MUSIC: Andraé Crouch

MY TRIBUTE
Irregular meter



God be the glo - ry for the things He has done. With His

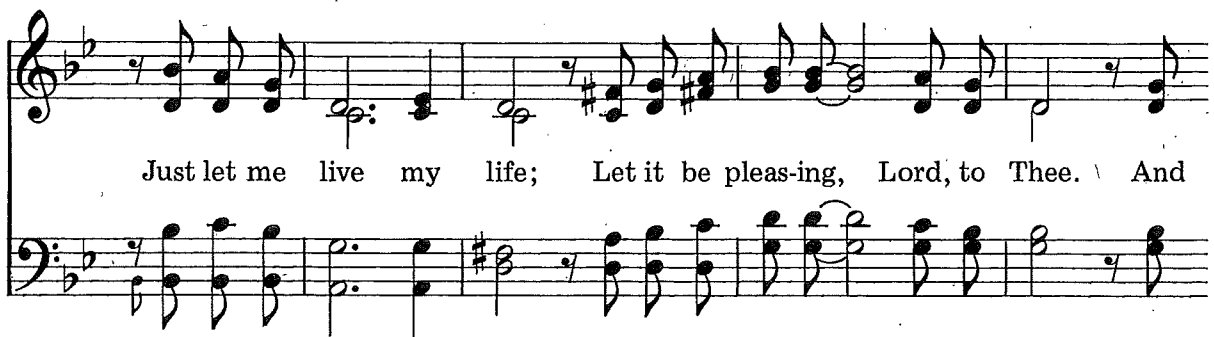


blood He has saved me; With His pow'r He has raised me; To

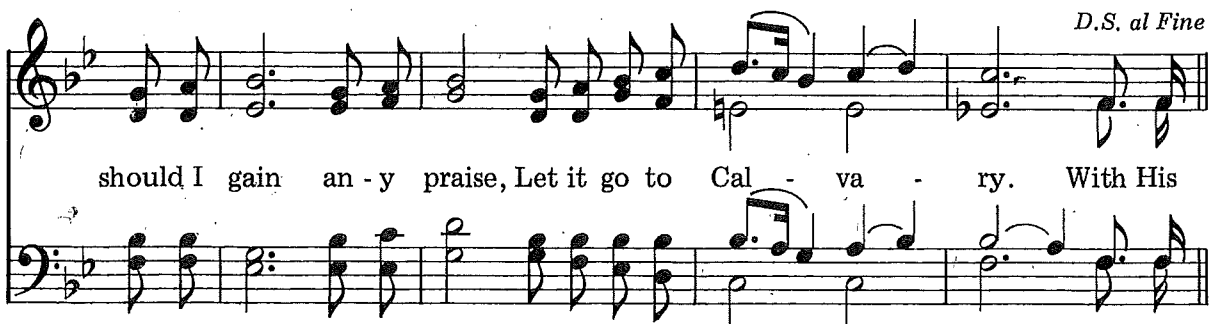


God be the glo - ry For the things He has done. *Fine*

*On introduction, hold 4 beats.



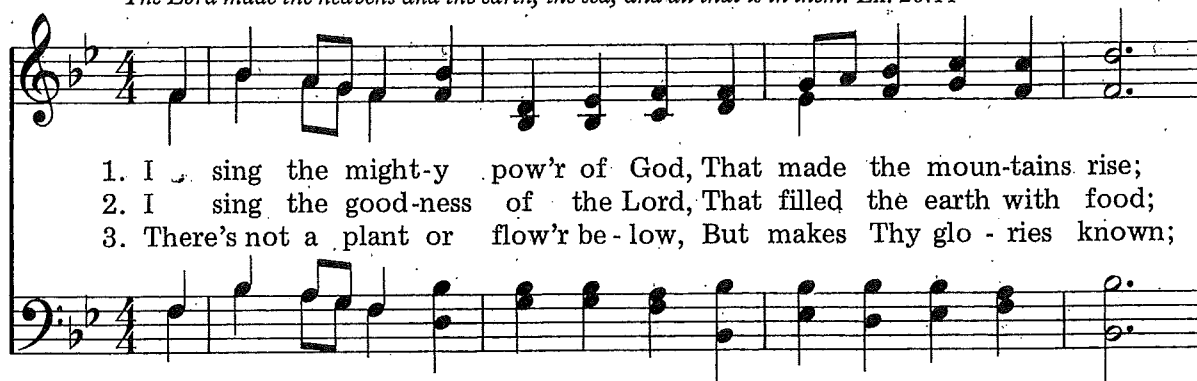
Just let me live my life; Let it be pleas-ing, Lord, to Thee. And



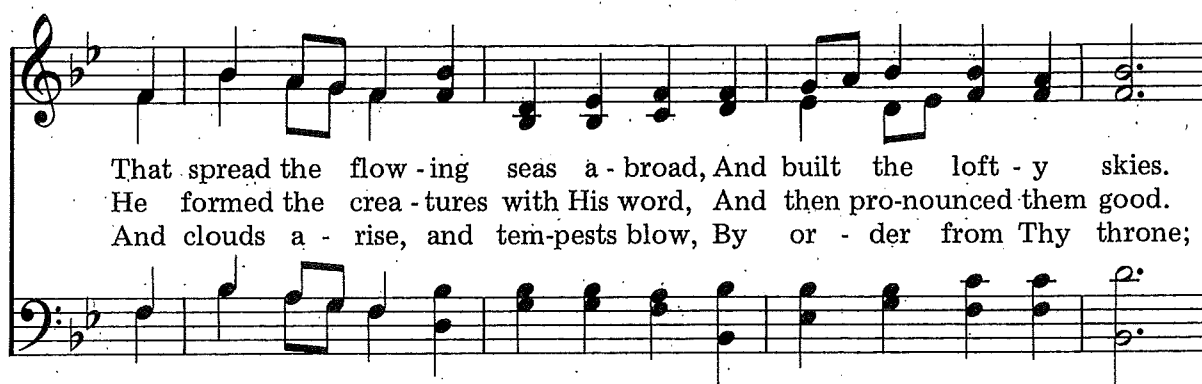
should I gain an - y praise, Let it go to Cal - va - ry. With His *D.S. al Fine*

59 I Sing the Mighty Power of God

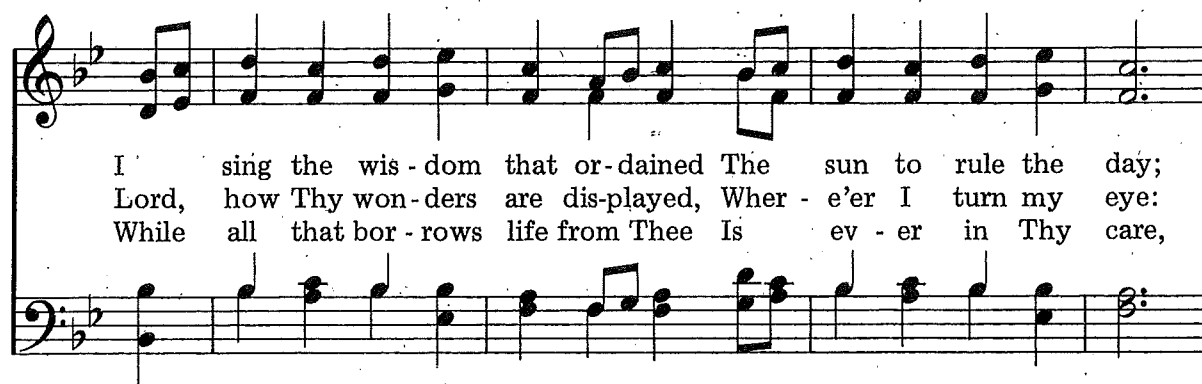
The Lord made the heavens and the earth, the sea, and all that is in them. Ex. 20:11



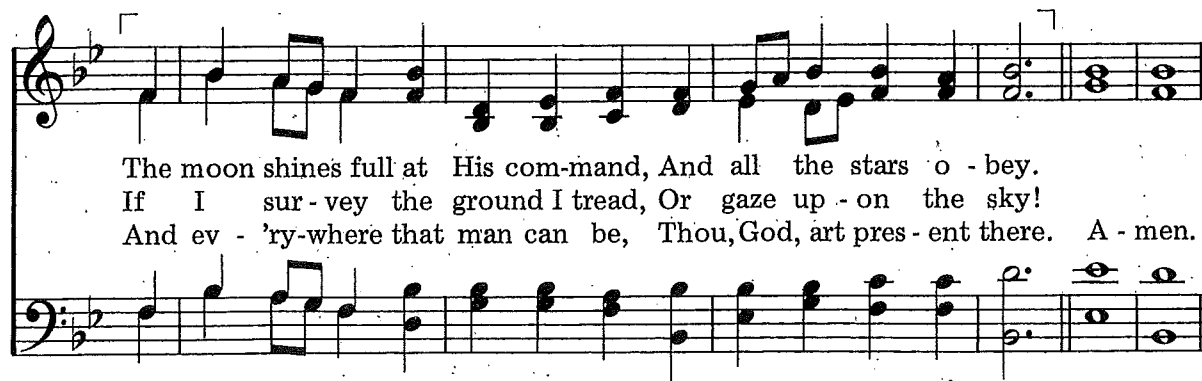
1. I sing the might-y pow'r of God, That made the moun-tains rise;
 2. I sing the good-ness of the Lord, That filled the earth with food;
 3. There's not a plant or flow'r be-low, But makes Thy glo-ries known;



That spread the flow-ing seas a-broad, And built the loft-y skies.
 He formed the crea-tures with His word, And then pro-nounced them good.
 And clouds a-rise, and tem-pests blow, By or-der from Thy throne;



I sing the wis-dom that or-dained The sun to rule the day;
 Lord, how Thy won-ders are dis-played, Wher-e'er I turn my eye:
 While all that bor-rows life from Thee Is ev-er in Thy care,



The moon shines full at His com-mand, And all the stars o-bey.
 If I sur-vey the ground I tread, Or gaze up-on the sky!
 And ev-'ry-where that man can be, Thou, God, art pres-ent there. A-men.

TEXT: Isaac Watts, altered

MUSIC: From *Gesangbuch der Herzogl, Württemberg*, 1784;

Last stanza harmonization and choral ending by Dick Bolks

A lower setting may be found at No. 174.

ELLACOMBE
C.M.D.

Mighty To Save

Words and Music by
Reuben Morgan and Ben Fielding

♩ = 74



1. ♪ Ev - 'ry - one needs com - pas - sion, love that's nev - er fail -
2. So take me as You find me, all my fears and fail -



ing. Let mer - cy fall on me. ♪ Ev - 'ry - one needs for - give -
ures. ♪ Fill my life a - gain. I give my life to fol -



ness, the kind - ness of a Sav - iour. The
low, ev - 'ry - thing I be - lieve in. Now



Hope of na - tions.
I sur - ren - der.



Sav - iour, He can move the moun - tains. My God is might - y to save. He is



14

F#m

E

A

E

might - y to save. For - ev - er, Au - thor of Sal - va - tion. He rose and

This system contains measures 14, 15, and 16. The melody is in treble clef with a key signature of two sharps (F# and C#). The bass line is in bass clef with the same key signature. Chords F#m, E, and A are indicated above the staff. The lyrics are: 'might - y to save. For - ev - er, Au - thor of Sal - va - tion. He rose and'.

17

D

A

F#m

E

con - quered the grave. Je - sus con - quered the grave.

This system contains measures 17, 18, and 19. The melody is in treble clef with a key signature of two sharps. The bass line is in bass clef with the same key signature. Chords D, A, F#m, and E are indicated above the staff. The lyrics are: 'con - quered the grave. Je - sus con - quered the grave.'

31

D

A

E

F#m

Shine your light, and let the whole world see. We're sing - ing

This system contains measures 31, 32, and 33. The melody is in treble clef with a key signature of two sharps. The bass line is in bass clef with the same key signature. Chords D, A, E, and F#m are indicated above the staff. The lyrics are: 'Shine your light, and let the whole world see. We're sing - ing'.

33

D

A

E

D.S. al Coda

for the glo - ry of the ris - en King.

This system contains measures 34, 35, and 36. The melody is in treble clef with a key signature of two sharps. The bass line is in bass clef with the same key signature. Chords D, A, and E are indicated above the staff. The lyrics are: 'for the glo - ry of the ris - en King.'