



First Presbyterian Church of Athens

In response to God’s grace, the mission of First Presbyterian Church is to create a community where people seek the truth of the Gospel of Jesus Christ, rejoice in worship, and go forth sharing the love of Christ with Athens and the world!

October 5, 2025
8:45 and 11:00 a.m.
World Communion Sunday

GATHERING IN THE NAME OF GOD

Welcome to all who are worshipping with us. As we enter a holy space this morning, please silence your cell phone.

Greeting

This is the day the Lord has made; **let us rejoice and be glad in it!**

Psalm 118:24

Prelude

Morning Has Broken

Robert Powell

Words of Welcome

Song of Gathering

All who hunger, gather gladly; holy manna is our bread.
Come from wilderness and wandering.
Here, in truth we will be fed.
You that yearn for days of fullness, all around us is our food.
Taste and see the grace eternal. Taste and see that God is good.

HOLY MANNA

Call to Worship

Come to the table of mercy.
We come to be fed on the bread of life.
We do not live by bread alone,
But by the Word of God.
Jesus is the Word of God and the Bread of Life.
We come into Jesus’ presence with thanksgiving.

***Hymn 469**

Morning Has Broken

BUNESSAN

*Call to Confession

***Prayer of Confession**

Holy God, you have created us in your image, protected and nourished us, and called us into your work of justice. Yet while we profess these truths, we forget who we are and whose we are.
We put our trust in ourselves, in material goods, and in worldly powers instead of trusting you. We prioritize our comfort over our neighbor’s needs. Call us back to you, God. Forgive us our failings, and direct us back onto the path you would have us tread.

***Silent Prayer**

Lord, have mercy. **Amen.**

***Assurance of Pardon**

**Those who are able please stand.*

Please sign and pass the Fellowship Pad, making note of new and old friends, check in on Facebook, and follow us on Instagram (firstpresathensga).

Morning Has Broken is a 20th-century text written specifically for this tune, which was named for a small village on the Isle of Mull, off the west coast of Scotland. The repeated use of “new” and “first” show that each morning is a re-creation of the promise of the original day.

At "The Peace," worshipers are invited to greet each other by saying, "The peace of Christ be with you," and responding, "And also with you."

Children are invited to remain in the Sanctuary on Communion Sundays.

Lay Readers:
8:45 a.m. Karen Burg
11:00 a.m. Dan Nadenicek

Bread of the World in Mercy Broken is a prayer divided into two halves, the first addressing Christ, and the second a series of petitions. The tune comes from the tradition of Reformed psalmody.



You may mail your check, set up an automatic payment of your estimate of giving through your bank, or donate online using this QR code or at firstpresathens.org/giving. Thank you for your generosity.

*Congregational Response

Hymn 579

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen.

*The Peace

Since God has forgiven us in Christ, let us forgive one another. The peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.
And also with you.

HEARING THE WORD OF GOD

Prayer for Illumination

TALLIS' CANON

Eternal light, shine in my heart; eternal hope, lift up my eyes; eternal power, be my support; eternal wisdom, make me wise.

First Lesson John 6:47-51, page 975

This is the Word of God for the people of God. **Thanks be to God.**

Second Lesson Exodus 16:1-18, page 62

This is the Word of God for the people of God. **Thanks be to God.**

Sermon

Enough for Today

Dr. Ryan Baer

RESPONDING TO THE WORD OF GOD

*Hymn 502 *Bread of the World in Mercy Broken* RENDEZ À DIEU

*Affirmation of Faith

The Apostles' Creed

**I believe in God the Father almighty,
Maker of heaven and earth.
And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord;
who was conceived by the Holy Ghost,
born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell;
the third day he rose again from the dead;
he ascended into heaven,
and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty;
from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.
I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church;
the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins;
the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.**

Presentation of Our Tithes and Offerings

8:45 Offertory

Rendez à Dieu

James Biery

11:00 Offertory

Shepherd of Souls

Alfred V. Fedak

Shepherd of souls, refresh and bless thy chosen pilgrim flock with manna from the wilderness, with water from the rock. We would not live by bread alone, but by thy word of grace, in strength of which we travel to our abiding place. Be known to us in breaking bread, but do not then depart; Savior, abide with us, and spread thy table in our heart. Lord, sup with us in love divine, thy body and thy blood, that living bread, that heavenly wine, be our immortal food. Thy body and thy blood be our immortal food.

*Doxology

Hymn 592

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
praise him, all creatures here below;
praise him above, ye heavenly host;
praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

*Prayer of Dedication

Sacrament of Holy Communion

Invitation to the Lord's Table

The Great Thanksgiving

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

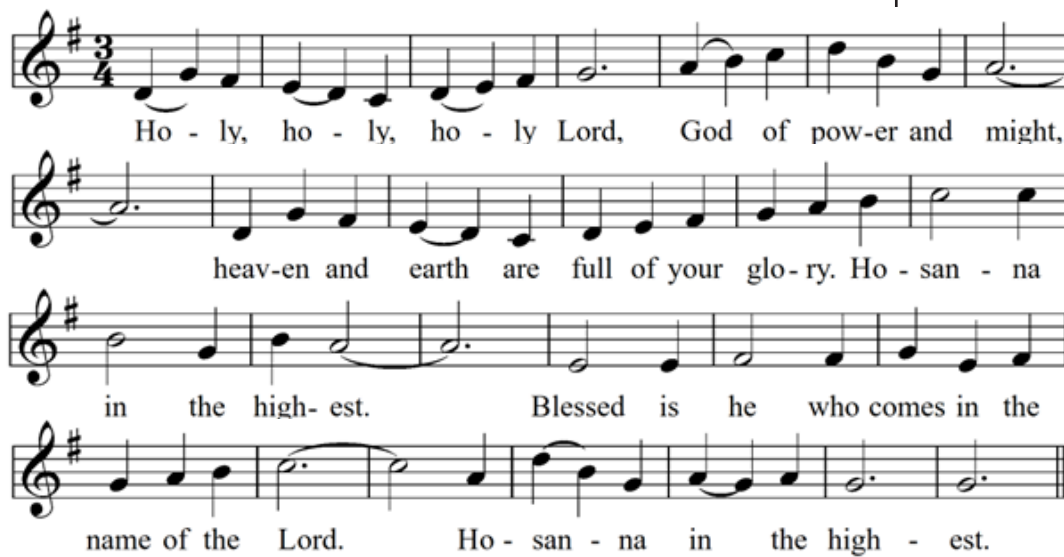
We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise...

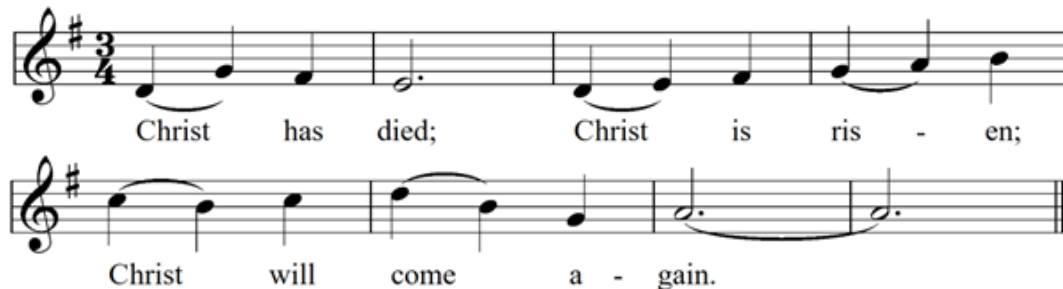
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Sanctus



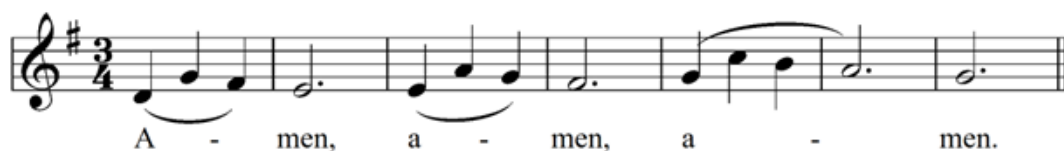
Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow-er and might,
heav-en and earth are full of your glo-ry. Ho - san - na
in the high- est. Blessed is he who comes in the
name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

Memorial Acclamation



Christ has died; Christ is ris - en;
Christ will come a - gain.

The Great Amen



A - men, a - men, a - men.

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on 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.

Breaking of the Bread and Giving of the Cup

Communion of the People

Prayer after Communion

SENDING IN THE NAME OF GOD

Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah is one of the most well-known Welsh hymns, due to its popular tune, the name of which means “Rhondda Valley,” a former coal-mining area in South Wales. The text of pilgrimage is based on Hebrew Scripture.

*Hymn 281

Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah

CWM RHODDA

*Charge and Benediction

*Congregational Response

Hymn 535

Go with us, Lord, and guide the way
through this and every coming day,
that in your Spirit strong and true
our lives may be our gift to you

Postlude

Praeludium in G

Dietrich Buxtehude

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Nurseries for children 4 years old and younger, available from 8:30 a.m. to 12:10 p.m., are located next to the Children’s Ministry Suite and are accessible down the stairs in the Atrium and through the glass door.

A special word of welcome to our guests: thank you for joining us for worship this morning. Please fill out the Fellowship Pad so that we may be in touch. We are delighted you are here and look forward to seeing you again.

Children’s Church is an important developmental time for children, but there are times when children remaining in worship, watching and learning from their parents, is even more valuable. Children are invited to remain in the sanctuary on Communion Sundays.

NOTES ON THE SERVICE

WORSHIP LEADERS

Dr. Ryan Baer, Senior Pastor
The Rev. Whitney Booth Lockard, Associate Pastor
Dr. John Coble, Director of Music and Organist

Lay Readers

8:45 a.m. Karen Burg
11:00 a.m. Dan Nadenicek

USHERS

8:45 a.m. John Simpson (head), Carl Bergman
11:00 a.m. Jimbo LaBoon (head),
Emily LaBoon, Larry Baer

SUNDAY MORNING MANAGER

Justin Winstanley

AUDIOVISUAL TECHNICIAN

Bryan Owens

FLOWERS

The Sanctuary flowers are given to the glory of God and in memory of Mrs. Susie Mendenhall by the Mendenhall family.

OCTOBER FLOWER TEAM

Greta Covington (chair),
Judy Burch, Sydney Jackson, Wanda Neislar,
Leslye Queen, Judy Scanlon

TO AID IN WORSHIP

If you need to leave the sanctuary during the service, a live video feed is available in the Atrium, on Facebook, and YouTube.

Available in the Narthex or from an usher:

- Personal hearing receivers usable anywhere in the sanctuary
- Large-print hymnals, Bibles, bulletins, and hymnsheets
- Sermons from the previous six weeks

CONGREGATIONAL CARE

Prayer requests can be submitted to the church office, 706-543-4338, by the Prayer Request link on our church website (firstpresathens.org) or on the prayer cards in the Fellowship Pads.

AthHalf Pre-Race Service
October 12, 6:30 a.m.

Invite your racing friends and supporters to our informal worship at 6:30 a.m. in the Atrium. Due to the race there will be no 8:45 a.m. service on October 12.

THIS WEEK

Sunday, October 5 – Food Sunday, Peace & Global Witness Offering, World Communion Sunday

- 8:45 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. Services, Dr. Ryan Baer preaching
- 9:45 a.m. Sunday School
- 12:15 p.m. Mission & Outreach Commission Meeting, Moses Waddel Room
- 4:00 p.m. Cherub Choir Rehearsal, Room 203
- 4:00 p.m. St. Andrews Choir Rehearsal, Room 202
- 4:45 p.m. Youth Choir Rehearsal, Room 202
- 5:30 p.m. Youth Group, The PIT

Monday, October 6

- 2:00 p.m. Circle Two, Staff Conference Room
- 5:30 p.m. Handbell Choir Rehearsal, Handbell Choir Room

Tuesday, October 7

- 2:00 p.m. Circle 3/4
- 7:00 p.m. Circle 6, Home of Ann Dunn

Wednesday, October 8

- 9:15 a.m. Circle 7, Presbyterian Village Athens
- 4:30 p.m. Shakespeare and Friends Class, Staff Conference Room
- 6:30 p.m. Chancel Choir Rehearsal, Room 202

Thursday, October 9

- 9:05 a.m. Weekday School Chapel, Children's Ministry Suite
- 2:00 p.m. Mellows, Wesley Woods (Talmadge Place)
- 4:30 p.m. Matthew 25 Resource Pantry, The PIT

Sunday, October 12 – AthHalf Pre-Race Worship Service, One Service at 11:00 a.m., Family Promise Host Weeks Begin

- 6:30 a.m. AthHalf Pre-Race Service, Atrium
- 9:45 a.m. Sunday School
- 11:00 a.m. Worship Service, The Rev. Margaret Davis preaching
- 12:15 p.m. Young Adult Brunch

Peace & Global Witness Offering Today, October 5

World Communion Sunday marks the day we receive a special offering for Peace and Global Witness. Your gift will enable the church to promote the Peace of Christ by addressing systems of conflict and injustice across the world. Twenty-five percent will stay locally to aid Athens Justice Coalition of Care, which operates under the Family Counseling Service to create a network of wrap around accountability, support, education, and employment services for individuals involved in the legal system. Mid councils retain an additional 25% for ministries of peace and reconciliation. The remaining 50% is used by the Presbyterian Mission Agency to advocate for peace and justice in cultures of violence, including our own, through collaborative projects of education and Christian witness.

Please note your gift to FPC is for "Peace & Global Witness." If you are making your contribution through FPC website, please select "General Fund" under "Select a Fund," and in the optional memo write "Peace & Global Witness."

Young Adult Brunch

This month's outing will be on **Sunday, October 12** following the 11:00 a.m. worship service. We'll meet up in the Atrium after worship and walk somewhere nearby for a meal and fellowship. Please e-mail Rev. Whitney Booth Lockard (whitney@firstpresathens.org) if you plan to join – all are welcome!

Volunteers Needed for the FPC Resource Pantry!

The Matthew 25 (M25) Commission launched our “Resource Pantry” to create relationships with and support our neighbors in the Bethel Midtown community last fall. Because their needs have not diminished, we will hold fall 2025 pantry distributions of such items as toilet paper, paper towels, batteries, lotion, cleaning products, aluminum foil, laundry soap etc., from 4:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. on eight consecutive **Thursdays through November 20**. The M25 Commission seeks three volunteers for each of those Thursdays from 4:00 to 6:00 p.m. to help with set up, clean up, and to assist with the distribution of the pantry items. Please access the sign up at tinyurl.com/FPCResourcePantry2025 if you would like to volunteer.

We are excited to hold those pantry distributions again this year and welcome all to join us.

Family Promise Host Weeks October 12-26

FPC will be the host church for Family Promise from October 12 – 26. Volunteers directly impact and assist the families by helping provide a meal, giving a \$25 donation (to First Pres with Family Promise in memo) to purchase groceries or rideshare gift cards, driving the families to job interviews or medical appointments (using the Family Promise van), or helping on Saturday with a children’s activity at the Day Center (located at 205 Bray St.) as part of our Go Forth volunteer initiative.

To volunteer, please sign up at tinyurl.com/FPAVolunteer. If you have questions, please contact the Family Promise Coordinators, Susan Boatwright at boatwright.susan@gmail.com or Jean Bock at bockjean@gmail.com

Go Forth - FPC Day of Service Saturday, October 25

Join us for this morning of church-wide service to and with our neighbors all around Athens! We’ve got several different sites to choose from, with projects for children, youth, and adults at all ability levels. Please sign up in advance for your preferred project/worksites. Note that start/end times vary from site to site – see details and sign up at tinyurl.com/goforth2025 and please reach out to Rev. Whitney Booth Lockard (whitney@firstpresathens.org) with any questions.

We will gather in the FPC Fellowship Hall at 8:30 a.m. for breakfast and prayer together before breaking into our groups to “go forth” to share the love of Christ with our neighbors, partnering with our neighbors to serve all over town!

John Coble Organ Recital

Sunday, October 25, 3:00 p.m., Sanctuary

Join us on October 25, 3:00 p.m. as Dr. John Coble will perform a recital in memory of Dr. Raymond Martin. The program will include music by

J.S. Bach, Dan Locklair, Felix Mendelssohn, and Louis Vierne.

A reception in the Atrium will follow. The recital is presented as part of the Wayne F. Middendorf Memorial Concert Series and is free and open to the public.

Dr. Martin was the father of Jean Martin-Williams. He was a graduate of the Juilliard School of Music and Union Theological Seminary, and was a distinguished organist and church musician, serving on the faculty of Agnes Scott College for 37 years.

He also served as organist/choirmaster at Peachtree Presbyterian Church and The Lutheran Church of the Redeemer in Atlanta.

Roof Construction Update

First Presbyterian Church will start replacing the roof of our Sanctuary tomorrow, October 6, and is projected to finish by Friday, October 17 or earlier depending on weather. This will have an impact on our parking capacity as the upper parking deck will be blocked for the duration of the project. More information about the project and its impacts on FPC, Church Office, and Weekday School, can be found at firstpresathens.org.

Please reach out to Paulo Santos at paulo@firstpresathens.org if you have any questions.

Recommendations for Elders

The Nominations and Elections Committee encourages your participation in the process for nominating Elders. Elders should be persons of faith, dedication, and good judgment. Their manner of life should be a demonstration of the Christian Gospel, both within the church and in the world at large.

Please e-mail your suggestions to Ethelyn Simpson, Chair of the Nominations and Elections Committee, at simpsonen@bellsouth.net. You can also fill out the form in the website (www.firstpresathens.org).

Current Elders: (*Not eligible for recommendation*)

CLASS OF 2026

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Karen Phillips
Ethelyn Simpson
Jeffrey Trapnell
Pat Tritt
John Turner
Pat Waldrip

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Susan Baldwin
Bill Bushnell
Amy Cowsert
Matt Crim
Jay Holloway
Tom Lane
Joan Pinson
Paige Simmons

CLASS OF 2028

Stephen Brooks
Courtney Dantzler
Shannon Ferguson
Edward W. (Ned) Phares
Holly Sheats
Lawton Stephens
Madeline Van Dyck
John Webster

I prayerfully recommend the following for Elder:

Name	Reasons	
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Members of the Nominations and Elections Committee are Ethelyn Simpson (Chair), Jay Holloway (Vice-Chair), Jeanne Nadenicek, Leslye Queen, and Patrick Sheridan.

EDUCATION – FAITH FORMATION

SUNDAYS FOR CHILDREN AND YOUTH

*Director of Children and Youth Ministries: Hannah Knight
Interns: Morgan Cassidy, Devon Smith
Nursery Coordinator: Rita Raines*

Children and Worship, 8:45 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.

All children are welcome to remain in worship with their families every Sunday. Children's bulletins, Bibles, Busy Bags, and books are available at the children's tables located in the Narthex and on both sides of the choir loft.

Nursery Play, 8:30 a.m. – 12:15 p.m.

Children's Playroom • Infants – 4 Year Olds

Little ones are invited to Nursery Play during worship and Sunday school. Children will enjoy playtime, Bible stories, and a light snack with church friends.

Children's Church, 11:00 a.m. Worship Service

Children, Pre-K – 2nd Grade are invited to Children's Church after the passing of The Peace. We will continue worshipping together in the Children's Ministry Suite by listening to God's Word, praying to God, and responding through art and worship.

**No Children's Church on the first Sunday of the month, Communion Sunday. All children are invited to remain in the sanctuary on this special Sunday to take part in worship and Communion with family.*

**For any questions, please contact Hannah at
hannah@firstpresathens.org.**

Children and Youth Ministries – Sunday School Godly Play (4 years-2nd grade) Explorers (3rd-5th grade) Youth (6th-12th grade)

Children's Sunday School meets in the Children's Ministry Suite each Sunday starting at 9:45am. Our younger kiddos will be participating in **Godly Play**—an interactive, hands-on, reflective method of learning about God by modeling Bible stories and responding. Our **Explorers Class** is for our 3rd-5th graders and is new this year! This group will spend time learning more about Bible basics and hear the stories of God's people, following the Narrative Lectionary text.

Youth Sunday School meets in the PIT and kicks off each Sunday with donuts & fellowship at 9:45am! We use the Living the Word curriculum from Spirit & Truth Publishing— it directly follows the Narrative Lectionary Text each week. There is time for games, intentional discussion, and hearing the sacred stories of old!

Youth Group (5:30-7:00 p.m.)

Sunday night youth group is a safe space for youth to come as they are! We will split into middle and high school groups, eat a yummy meal, and finish the evening as a large group. There will be games, Bible study, creative response time, and lots of laughs as we spend intentional time together. The theme for this year is "Back to Basics"— we will spend time learning more about key Biblical figures, hearing the stories of old, and diving deeper into prayer. As Jesus reminds us— He is the vine and we are the branches (John 15)! There is value in abiding in the One who knows and loves us fully. Come join us— all are welcome!

SUNDAY SCHOOL FOR ADULTS

9:45-10:40 a.m.

IN PERSON

Bible Basics • Moses Waddel Room

Bible Basics is an intergenerational class that, as the name suggests, focuses on the Bible. This fall, the class is studying the gospel of Luke. If you interested in grappling with questions about this ancient text, please join us in Moses Waddel Room.

*Contacts: David Dantzler (jdaviddantzler@gmail.com)
and Elaine Johnson (elaine@firstpresathens.org)*

Builders • Room 301

This class is a space for anyone navigating the complexities of family life, relationships with children and youth, or careers. Our time together will offer a blend of fellowship, mutual support, Bible study, and service.
*Contacts: Dr. Ryan Baer (ryan@firstpresathens.org) or
Rev. Whitney Booth Lockard (whitney@firstpresathens.org)*

HYBRID (in person and over Zoom)

Del Dunn Sunday School Class • Room 308

An in-depth study and discussion of scripture, offering a collegial environment and welcoming all who seek to enrich their understanding of the Bible and its application to our daily lives. We'll begin this year

with "Good & Evil." This eight-lesson study guide explores challenges to our faith journey and suggests O.T and N.T. passages to help us deal with them.

Coordinator: Jerry Rogers (jrogerswtw@aol.com)

Zoom ID: 380 330 5940, PW: 245449

New Voices • Room 310

The New Voices class is a discussion based class. Our goal is to create joy through art, food, music, prayer, scripture, class led discussion, community and inclusion. We're starting with Karen Armstrong's book, "St. Paul, The Misunderstood Apostle." Themes for this study: The reality of sin, The love of God, Effective grace, Salvation, Prayers in real life.

Led by: Lewis Hudgins (lewisahudgins@gmail.com)

Zoom ID: 674 533 8902

Wayne F. Middendorf Men's Bible Class Bride's Room, Tinsley Stern

The class features open and honest discussion in a nonjudgmental atmosphere about various aspects of Christianity. This year, the class will have a study and discussion of the course *Jesus and His Jewish Influences*, by Dr. Jodi Magness, professor at UNC Chapel Hill.

Contacts: Ian Hardin (ianhardin1@gmail.com)

Zoom ID: 883 5159 0923

Morning Has Broken

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BUNESSAN. 5.5.5.4 D

Eleanor Farjeon, 1931

Gaelic melody
Arr. Dale Grotenhuis, 1985

C Am Dm G Dm G C

1. Morn-ing has bro - ken Like the first morn - ing, Black-bird has
2. Sweet the rain's new fall Sun - lit from heav - en, Like the first
3. Mine is the sun - light! Mine is the morn - ing Born of the

Em Am Em F G C Am F C

spo - ken Like the first bird. Praise for the sing - ing! Praise for the
dew - fall On the first grass. Praise for the sweet - ness Of the wet
one light E - den saw play! Praise with e - la - tion, Praise ev - ery

Am G C G Am Dm G7 C

morn - ing! Praise for them, spring - ing Fresh from the Word!
gar - den, Sprung in com - plete - ness Where God's feet pass.
morn - ing, God's re - cre - a - tion Of the new day!

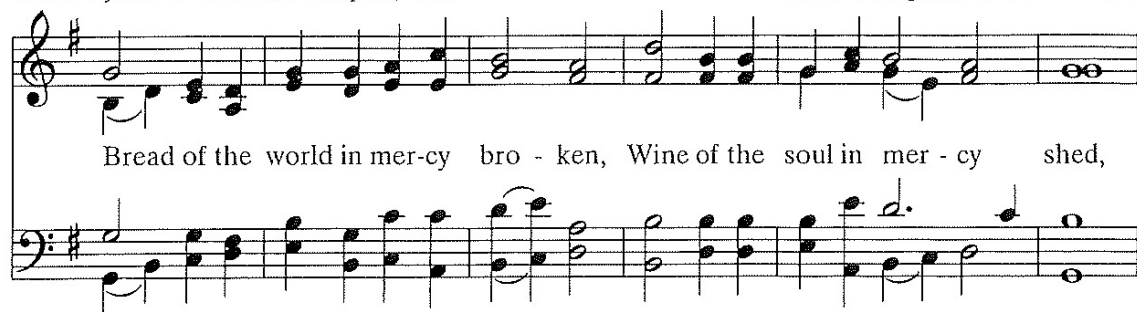
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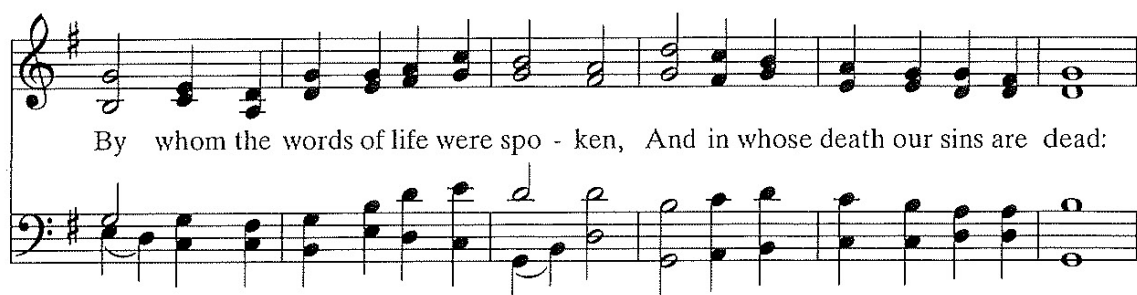
Reginald Heber (1783–1826)

As in *Hymns Written and Adapted*, 1827

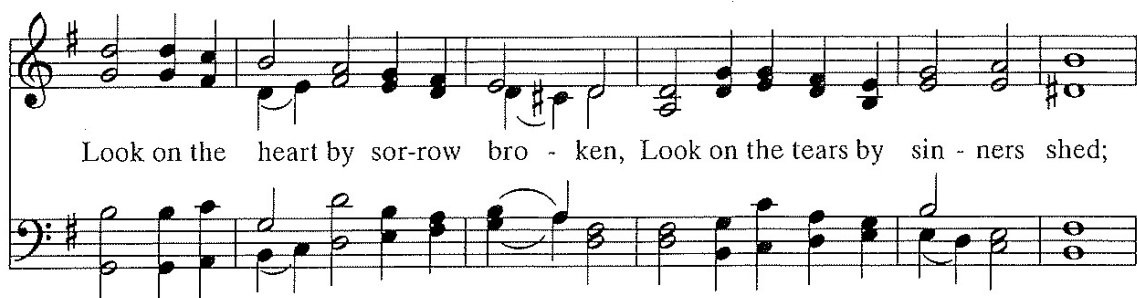
Louis Bourgeois, 1543; rev. 1551



Bread of the world in mer-cy bro - ken, Wine of the soul in mer - cy shed,



By whom the words of life were spo - ken, And in whose death our sins are dead:



Look on the heart by sor-row bro - ken, Look on the tears by sin - ners shed;



And be Thy feast to us the to - ken That by Thy grace our souls are fed.

Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah

CWM RHONDDA 8.7.8.7.8.7.7

William Williams, 1745

Stanza 1 trans. Peter Williams, 1771

Stanzas 2-3 trans. William Williams, 1772

John Hughes, 1907

1. Guide me, O Thou great Je - ho - vah, Pil - grim through this
 2. O - pen now the crys - tal foun - tain, Whence the heal - ing
 3. When I tread the verge of Jor - dan, Bid my anx - ious

bar - ren land; I am weak, but Thou art might - y; Hold me
 stream doth flow; Let the fire and cloud - y pil - lar Lead me
 fears sub - side; Death of death, and hell's de - struction, Land me

with Thy power - ful hand; Bread of heav - en, bread of heav - en,
 all my jour - ney through; Strong de - liv - erer, strong de - liv - erer,
 safe on Ca - naan's side; Songs of prais - es, songs of prais - es

Feed me till I want no more, Feed me till I want no more.
 Be Thou still my strength and shield, Be Thou still my strength and shield.
 I will ev - er give to Thee, I will ev - er give to Thee.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH SESSION

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