

Prelude: Be Still (The Fray)

Be still and know that I'm with you;
Be still and know that I am here.
Be still and know that I'm with you;
Be still, be still, and know.

When darkness comes upon you,
And covers you with fear and shame.
Be still and know that I'm with you
And I will say your name.

If terror falls upon your bed
And sleep no longer comes,
Remember all the words I said
Be still, be still, and know.

And when you go through the valley
And the shadow comes down from the hill,
If morning never comes to be,
Be still, be still, be still.

If you forget the way to go
And lose where you came from

If no one is standing beside you,
Be still and know I am.

Be still and know that I'm with you
Be still and know I am.

Gathering Song: Christ Before Us (Whitaker, SUO GAN/Welsh)

Christ before us, Christ beside us,

Christ to guide us all our days.

He to carry all our sorrows,

He to bear us perfect grace.

Jesus, Savior, friend and brother, intercessor, Son of God,

Save your people in our dying, and in rising, conquer death.

May we be for one another,

all that you would have us be.

May we live your law of kindness,

Love, compassion, charity.

Visit now this humble dwelling; dwell within this holy place.

God before us through the ages;

Christ beside us here today.

May we climb your holy mountain;

may we see your holy face!

Spirit lead us forth forever; guide and help us all our days.

Responsorial Psalm: Give Thanks to the Lord

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They who sailed the sea in ships,
Trading on the deep waters.
These who saw the works of the Lord,
And his wonders in the abyss.
His command raised up a storm wind,
They sank to the depths, their hearts melted away.

Give thanks to the Lord for he is good,
His love is everlasting.
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They cried to the Lord in distress,
From their straits he rescued them.
He hushed the storm and the billows of the sea were stilled.
They rejoiced that they were calmed,
He brought them to their desired haven.
Let them give thanks to the Lord our God!
Let them give thanks to the Lord!

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Preparation of Gifts: Stand By Me (Kendzia)

When the storms of life are raging,
Lord, stand by me.
When the current pulls me under,
Lord, stand by me.
When the rising waters toss me
Like a ship upon the sea,
You who rule the wind and water,
Lord, stand by me.

Stand by me,
Stand by me.
Lift me up from the restless sea.
When I am lost,
When love can't be found,
When no one cares,
Lord, stand by me.

In the midst of persecution,
Lord, stand by me.
When my enemies surround me,
Lord, stand by me.
When the tyrant wields his terror
And the armies wage their might,
When the darkness overwhelms me,
Lord, stand by me.

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Communion: Only in God (Talbot)

Only in God is my soul at rest,
In Him comes my salvation.
He only is my Rock,
My strength and my salvation.

My stronghold, my Savior;
I shall not be afraid at all.
My stronghold, my Savior;
I shall not be moved.

Only in God is found safety,
When the enemy pursues me.
Only in God is found glory,
When I am found meek and found lowly.

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My stronghold, my Savior;
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Sending Forth: How Can I Keep from Singing?

My life goes on in endless song
Above earth's lamentations,
I hear the real, though far-off hymn
That hails a new creation.

No storm can shake my inmost calm,
While to that rock I'm clinging.
Since love is lord of heaven and earth
How can I keep from singing?