



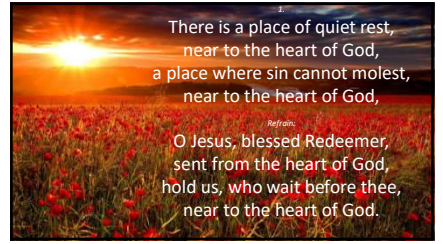
Gathered together  
to  
worship God

February 26, 2017



There is a place  
of quiet rest

Hymnal #5  
words and music by  
Cleland B. McAfee  
1901



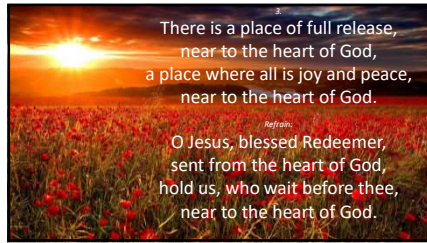
There is a place of quiet rest,  
near to the heart of God,  
a place where sin cannot molest,  
near to the heart of God,

*Refrain:*  
O Jesus, blessed Redeemer,  
sent from the heart of God,  
hold us, who wait before thee,  
near to the heart of God.



There is a place of comfort sweet,  
near to the heart of God,  
a place where we our Savior meet,  
near to the heart of God.

*Refrain:*  
O Jesus, blessed Redeemer,  
sent from the heart of God,  
hold us, who wait before thee,  
near to the heart of God.



There is a place of full release,  
near to the heart of God,  
a place where all is joy and peace,  
near to the heart of God.

*Refrain:*  
O Jesus, blessed Redeemer,  
sent from the heart of God,  
hold us, who wait before thee,  
near to the heart of God.



Announcements



Prelude  
"Moderato"  
by Théodore Dubois

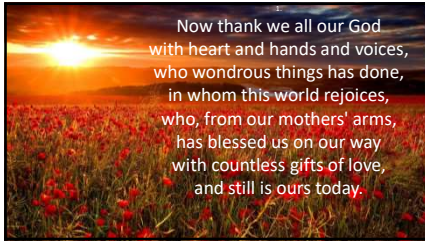


Call to Worship  
Isaiah 49:8-16a  
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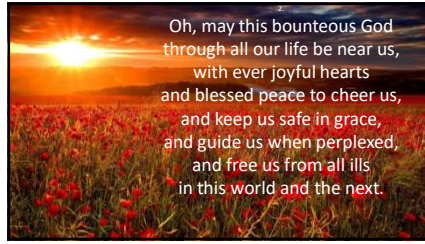


Now thank we  
all our God

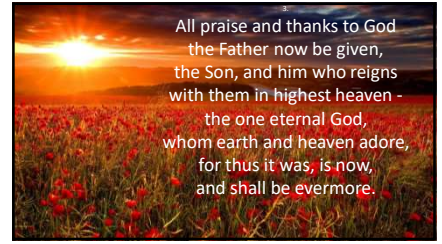
Hymnal #86  
words by Martin Rinckart, 1636  
music by Johann Crüger, 1647



Now thank we all our God  
with heart and hands and voices,  
who wondrous things has done,  
in whom this world rejoices,  
who, from our mothers' arms,  
has blessed us on our way  
with countless gifts of love,  
and still is ours today.



Oh, may this bounteous God  
through all our life be near us,  
with ever joyful hearts  
and blessed peace to cheer us,  
and keep us safe in grace,  
and guide us when perplexed,  
and free us from all ills  
in this world and the next.



All praise and thanks to God  
the Father now be given,  
the Son, and him who reigns  
with them in highest heaven -  
the one eternal God,  
whom earth and heaven adore,  
for thus it was, is now,  
and shall be evermore.



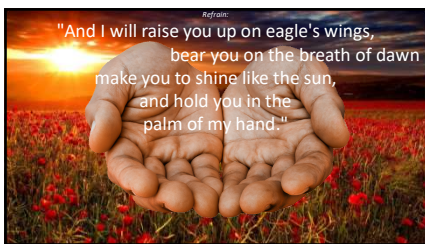
Opening Prayer



Hands on



And I will raise you up  
Hymn #596 - refrain  
text based on Psalm 91  
by Michael Joncas  
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*Refrain:*  
"And I will raise you up on eagle's wings,  
bear you on the breath of dawn  
make you to shine like the sun,  
and hold you in the  
palm of my hand."



Returning our  
Tithes and Offerings  
1 Corinthians 4:1-5  
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