

MAYFLOWER

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

COMMUNION SUNDAY

MARCH 1, 2026



ORDER OF WORSHIP

Bold text or music score indicates congregational response.

Prayer request cards may be placed in the offering and will be added to our prayer list.

As you enter the sanctuary quietly, we invite you to prepare your hearts for worship.

Please silence all devices and be present with us.

If you need to step out, the service is live-streamed in the Chapel.

PRELUDE

Fugue on B-A-C-H, Op. 60 No. 1
by Robert Schumann

Julia Brown

WELCOME

Rev. Ruth Bell Olsson and Rev. Kent Dobson

INTROIT

Jesu, Grant Me This, I Pray
by Orlando Gibbons

Chancel Choir

Jesu, grant me this, I pray, ever in thy heart to stay;
let me evermore abide, hidden in thy wounded side.

CALL TO WORSHIP Psalm 121

Rev. Bell Olsson

Leader: I lift up my eyes to the hills—from where will my help come?

People: My help comes from God, who made heaven and earth.

Leader: God will not let your foot be moved; God who keeps you will not slumber.

People: God who keeps Israel will neither slumber nor sleep.

Leader: God is your keeper; God is your shade and your right hand.

People: The sun shall not strike you by day, nor the moon by night.

Leader: God will keep you from all evil; God will keep your life.

People: God will keep your going out and your coming in from this time on and forevermore.

ALL: Come let us worship!

HYMN 24 (stand as you are able) *The God of Abraham Praise*

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OPENING PRAYER

Rev. Bell Olsson

Leader: Holy One, you told Abram and Sarai in the days of old to leave their country. You had a new land to show them. You said you would make them a great nation and that you would bless them, and make their name great, so that they would be a blessing.

People: As heirs of this blessing, as children blessed by you, may we be a blessing. Amen.

GLORIA PATRI (remain standing)

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.

ANTHEM

Rise and Shine (Trad.)

3s to 1st Grade Choir

My God is so great, so strong and so mighty! Children of the Lord
So rise and shine, and give God the glory! Children of the Lord

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

Rachael Cooley

SCRIPTURE READING

John 3:1-17

Chris Yates

PEW BIBLE, PAGE 751

Leader: The Word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God!

SERMON

Born of Water and Spirit

Rev. Dobson

HYMN 359 (stand as you are able)

Blessed Assurance

ASSURANCE

OFFERTORY PRAYER

Rev. Bell Olsson

OFFERTORY ANTHEM

Open Our Eyes
by Will C. Macfarlane

Chancel Choir

Open our eyes, O loving and compassionate Jesus, that we may behold Thee, walking beside us in our sorrow. Thou hast made death glorious and triumphant; For through its portals we enter into the presence of the Living God. Open our eyes, O loving and compassionate Jesus, That we may see to follow Thee, Jesus our Savior and Redeemer. Amen.

DOXOLOGY (stand as you are able)

**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.**

SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

SHARING COMMUNION

We practice an open table and all are welcome to participate. The feast is for everyone. The ushers will come forward to release you by rows. Take the bread and eat it; take the cup and drink it. You may deposit the cups in the baskets provided. Please return to your seat by the side aisles. You are also welcome to take the elements to your seat and partake when you are ready. If you would like the elements brought to you, signal an usher. Our sacramental elements are gluten free bread and grape juice.

COMMUNION ANTHEM *In This Moment of Remembrance* by Dale Wood

Chancel Choir

In this moment of remembrance, the sacrament is spread;
Here we celebrate Christ's presence through the wine and broken bread.
At this table of communion, in the light shed from above, we are sheltered in his mercy and surrounded by his love.
There is healing and forgiveness, there is strength as we partake;
Here we know the Savior's promise that he never will forsake.
"Take and do this in remembrance," are the words our Savior said; and we join now in his presence through the wine and broken bread. Take and do this in remembrance of me.

CALL TO PRAYER (sung by all)

Rev. Bell Olsson

The musical score is written for voice and piano. It consists of two systems. The first system is for the Cantor, with a treble clef and a key signature of one sharp (F#). The lyrics are: "Come now, and dwell with us Lord Christ Je - sus". The second system is for the choir, with a treble clef and a key signature of one sharp. The lyrics are: "Hear our prayer and be with us al - ways." The piano accompaniment is in the bass clef with a key signature of one sharp. The music is in a simple, hymn-like style with a steady rhythm.

Music by Anthony Crossland

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.

Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil:

For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

PASSING OF THE PEACE (stand as you are able)

Rev. Dobson

Greeting: The peace of Christ be with you.

Response: **And also with you.**

HYMN 45 (remain standing)

There's a Wideness in God's Mercy

IN BABILONE

BENEDICTION

Rev. Bell Olsson and Rev. Dobson

POSTLUDE

Prélude, Op. 29, No. 1

Dr. Brown

by Gabriel Pierné

Please join us for coffee and cookies in the Atrium after the service.

ALL ARE WELCOME!

If you would like to provide cookies for the Sunday reception,
please email Rachael@MayflowerChurch.org

CONGREGATIONAL MEETING TODAY | FOLLOWING MORNING WORSHIP



The Associate Pastor Search Committee is pleased to invite members to a Congregational Meeting following the service today. At this time, the committee will formally recommend that Mayflower Church extend a call to Rev. Kent Dobson to serve as our Associate Pastor and will ask for a congregational vote.

If you have any questions, please reach out to any member of the Search Committee.

Respectfully, Susan Laffrey and Dale DeHaan, Co-Chairs;
Harold Montgomery; Chelsea Newton; Patty Sienstra; Justin Starnes; Betsy Willey; and Steve Armfield, serving as an Advisor to the committee.

LENTEN OUTREACH

FILL THE BASKETS FOR HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS AT **NEW CITY KIDS**

For our **Lenten Outreach**, we are collecting 19 mini fridges and filling 20 laundry baskets with items that the graduating senior students at our outreach partner organization, New City Kids, can take with them as they prepare for college. See below for the list of items to purchase. Take a tab from the board in the Atrium or go on to the Amazon Wish List. Items can be shipped to the church (please mark them as purchased). A donation box will also be available in the Atrium.

New City Kids mission is to walk with a child from age six to nineteen and be an advocate, family, teacher, and mentor to that child. They strive to set these children on a path of life transformation that will carry them forward for the rest of their lives. They offer two key programs, including: After School Center and Teen Life Internship. These programs complement and support one another. Learn more at newcitykids.org/grandrapids. New City Kids students will join us in leading worship at **Midweek Chapel on March 25**.



- case of mini Starry cans
- case of mini Coke cans
- Trident gum variety pack
- Takis variety pack (chips)
- Frito-Lay Cool & Tangy variety pack
- Nissin Hot & Spicy Chicken Bowls
- Nissin Cup O Noodles, chicken flavor
- Velveeta Shells & Cheese Bowls
- 6-pack casual crew socks
- 2 standard pillows
- deodorant
- bodywash
- body lotion
- 4 spiral notebooks
- 1 power strip
- 3 mini magnetic page bookmarks
- 1 Dial hand soap
- 2 washcloths
- 2 bath towels
- 1 manicure set
- 1 set of index cards
- 1 pencil pouch
- 1 throw blanket
- 1 Tide laundry detergent Pods
- 1 set of sticky notes
- 1 travel hand sanitizer
- 1 pack of highlighters-various colors
- 1 pair of sunglasses
- mini dorm room fridge



Scan for
Amazon List



New City Kids
loving kids for change

Weekly Calendar

**Words in italics denote partnering organizations that meet at Mayflower.*

Today, March 1

9am | New Members' Class

10:30am | Communion Sunday

11:30am | Congregational Meeting

5pm | Elevate

THIS WEEK

2 Women's Bible Study | 9:30am
Women's Bible Study | 5pm
Men's Bible Study | 5pm
Lent by Candlelight | 6:30pm

3 Breakfast Club | 6:30am
Men's Bible Study | 8am
Needlepoint & Stitching | 10am
*Cub Scouts** | 6pm

4 *Garden Club** | 9:30am
Priscilla Circle | 11am
Ukrainian Egg Design Class | 1pm
Midweek | 4:30pm
Mayflower Bells | 6:30pm
*Al-Anon** | 7pm
Chancel Choir | 7:30pm

5 *Women's City Club** | 9:30am
Women's Bible Study | 10am
*Boy Scouts** | 6:30pm

6 Men's Bible Study | 7am

8 New Members' Class | 9am
Morning Worship | 10:30am
Elevate | 5pm

"FINDING AMERICA" CONCERT



MONDAYS
AT
MAYFLOWER

SUNDAY | MARCH 15 | 3PM

Mondays at Mayflower special concert in
collaboration with Grand Valley Piano Chamber Series:
"Finding America", Sunday, March 15

2:15pm pre-concert conversation, 3pm concert

Kimia Ghaderi, violin; David Lau, viola; Pablo Mahave-Veglia, cello;
and Sookkyung Cho, piano play music of
Paul Hindemith, Ernő Dohnányi, and Rebecca Clarke.



FREE AND OPEN TO ALL. RECEPTION FOLLOWING THE CONCERT.

Praises and Prayers

If you would like to receive prayer, or make note of someone to be added to the weekly Prayer List, please contact the church office to be included on the list (616.459.6255 or office@mayflowerchurch.org.) Prayer Cards are also in the pews and collected during Sunday morning services.

PRAISE FOR THOSE WHO CELEBRATE

We celebrate with **Greg and Kay Scott** on the birth of their grandson, Carson Paul Scott, born on Feb. 24.

We celebrate **with our confirmands** who became our newest church members.

PRAY FOR OUR CHURCH FAMILY

Rusty Petshauer is recovering from an illness and would like prayers for her strength and recovery. (2/24)

Chuck Henry has moved to a care facility and would appreciate prayers for this transition. (2/10)

PRAY FOR THOSE WHO MOURN

We mourn with the family of **Virginia Joan Fleser**, who passed on Feb 12. The family will have a memorial service at River Rock Church Mar. 8 at 3pm. Visitation at 2pm. (2/17)

We mourn with the **Schutt family** in the passing of **Kateri's** father, Tim Klein of Frankfort, MI. (2/10)

Julie Cornetet, friend of **Courtenay and Doug Oosterman**, passed away peacefully on Jan. 12. Please pray for her husband Ron and family as they mourn her passing. (2/4)

Please pray for the family of **Barbara Gordon**, who passed away Feb. 1. A service was held for her on Feb. 7 at Mayflower. (2/3)

Our hearts go out to **Kate and John Schneider** and Kate's mom, **Cindy** as they mourn the passing of Kate's father, Roger Bera. (2/3)

PRAY FOR OUR COUNTRY & OUR WORLD

May we take time to sit in silence and listen to the heart of God. In these troubling days, may we remember that God is a God of hope, joy, peace and love. We pray for peace not violence, hope to flourish, joy to sprout and love to triumph over hate.

We pray for peace in midst of division, strife, violence and war.



MARK WEBB, CHANCEL CHOIR DIRECTOR

As Scott Bosscher retires in May, we welcome Dr. Mark Webb back as Chancel Choir Director, beginning in August. Mark directed our Chancel Choir for 20 years, until 2019. For the past 2 years he has worked with our Children's Choirs, so he has a long history and strong connections with our Mayflower family. Welcome back, Mark and Susan!

Wellspring in the Wilderness

Join us during the season of LENT as we carve out time to learn, give and worship together as we join Jesus's story of Great Love.

LENT DEVOTIONS



"PRAY AS YOU GO" APP | We are inviting everyone to download this app and each day we can worship and pray as a community connected. Scan the QR or go to your App Store to download this free app.

DAILY DEVOTION BOOKS | Available for families and adults in the Atrium at church.

WEEKLY DEVOTIONAL EMAIL | Every Monday you will receive a devotional email written by a Mayflower Pastor or lead staff person. Our hope that these notes will be a blessing during the days of Lent.

LENT OUTREACH PROJECT

We are collecting items and writing notes during the season of Lent to fill 20 baskets that will be given to high school graduates who participate in the **New City Kids** program. Many of these students will be first time college students who we have the honor of blessing in this way. See the bulletin insert during Lent for a list of items to purchase.

SPECIAL CHILDREN & YOUTH ACTIVITIES

MARCH 8 | During Sunday school is the annual PEEP'S Prize! This Mayflower tradition allows for children and youth to transform Easter candy into a diorama of their favorite Bible story. Red licorice becomes the Red Sea, animal crackers board the Ark, and more! Creations will be on display throughout the Atrium for all to enjoy!



MARCH 29 | Following the Palm Sunday service, live animals and an Easter egg hunt will occur on the front lawn. Everyone is invited to join in the festivities!

JOIN US FOR HOLY WEEK

MARCH 29 | PALM SUNDAY | 10:30AM WORSHIP

APRIL 2 | MAUNDY THURSDAY | 6PM

ALL are invited as we engage in the narrative of Jesus' last supper with His disciples before His journey to the cross. Bring your family, kids are welcome! We'll share a meal, hear scripture, and share communion.



APRIL 3 | GOOD FRIDAY | 6PM

Journey to the Cross – a worship service of music and readings. You won't want to miss this service with the Grand Rapids Choir of Men and Boys, Mayflower's Chancel Choir, and instrumentalists from the Grand Rapids Symphony.

APRIL 5 | EASTER | 10:30AM WORSHIP

Join us in worship as we acknowledge that love wins even in the wilderness as we worship and hear a message filled with the joy of the resurrection. Come sing the Hallelujah Chorus and bring flowers to adorn our wooden cross.



LENT BY CANDLELIGHT

Join us on Mondays
this Lenten Season

6:30pm | Community Meal
7pm | Music, Reflection,
and Prayer

Find a *Wellspring in the
Wilderness* during Lent
at Mayflower Church.

ALL ARE WELCOME

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FEB. 23 | Julia Brown, *harpsichord*
DANCE AND LAMENT:
MUSIC OF FROBERGER AND LOUIS COUPERIN



MAR. 2 | Alison Reese, *harp*
RESONATING IN THE STILLNESS:
HARP MUSIC FOR LENTEN REFLECTION



MAR. 9 | Duo Tarasque
(Howell Petty, *voice*; Luce Burrell, *lute*)
LA FONTAYNE: LATE MEDIEVAL FRENCH
AND ITALIAN MUSIC



MAR. 16 | Karen Krummel, *cello*; Robert Edwards, *piano*
SOULFUL CONTEMPLATION



SCAN HERE TO LEARN MORE
ABOUT BECOMING A FRIEND
OF MONDAYS AT MAYFLOWER

ADORN THE SANCTUARY WITH EASTER FLOWERS

\$10/plant | Orders Due March 15

Choose from *Tulips, Hyacinth, Daffodils, and Single Stem Lilies*. Scan the QR code to order online, or contact Amy in the church office.



Flowers are available to pick up after the service on Easter morning.

SUMMER YOUTH WILDERNESS OPPORTUNITIES

WILDERNESS RITES OF PASSAGE
Manistee National Forest, MI
May 29-31, 2026



Two nights of backpacking, followed by a canoe float down the Manistee River. Learn basic wilderness skills, hiking and canoeing, spiritual practices and experiences, have fun in the wild without modern distractions, swim in the river, celebrate life.

▶ **OPEN TO MIDDLE & HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS**

WILDERNESS RITES OF PASSAGE 2.0
New River Gorge, WV
Aug. 4-8, 2026



Float the river, camp on the Appalachian Trail, repel the cliff walls, learn wilderness skills, spiritual practices and experiences, have fun in the wild without modern distractions, seek a deeper more connected life with God and the natural world.

▶ **OPEN TO HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS**

Excursions lead by Pastor Kent Dobson. Email interest and questions to Rachael@MayflowerChurch.org

Mayflower Small Groups: *Building Community*

Get plugged into Mayflower, consider joining one of the following small groups. To get involved, contact the church office (616-459-6255 or office@MayflowerChurch.org). These groups meet on a regular basis either at the church, or a restaurant, or someone's home, if noted. For up to date information, check the web calendar.

29UP (For ages 29+)

Adults gather for a time of food and fellowship at various locations.

69UP (For ages 69+)

Adults gather for a time of food and fellowship at various locations.

Chancel Choir – Wednesdays | 7:30pm

Doubts on Draft

3rd Thursday of the month | 5pm

Have questions about faith, spirituality, the Bible, your own story? Gather with Pastor Kent Dobson over a pint for informal conversation and community.

Grown-ups Gather & Graze (For ages 49+)

Adults gather for a time of food and fellowship. Our fun and fellowship will be Caribbean themed. Please bring an appetizer and beverage of your choice.

High School Breakfast Club – Tuesdays | 6:30am

High school students meet at Wolfgang's restaurant for breakfast.

Ladies' Luncheon

Women of all ages and stages gather for a time of food and fellowship at various local restaurants.

LGBTQ Support Circle

4th Thursday of the month | 6pm | Library

Support for parents, grandparents, and friends of LGBTQ. This group is open to any who are seeking community as they support their LGBTQ loved ones.

Mayflower Bells – Wednesdays | 6:30pm

Needlepoint & Stitching – Tuesdays | 10am | Atrium

Priscilla Circle

1st Wednesday of the month | 11am

Next meeting: March 4

The women of Mayflower's Priscilla Circle volunteer and raise funds for causes associated with the church and our community. **On Wed., March 4, following the monthly meeting, Priscilla Circle will host a Ukrainian Egg Decorating Class from 1-4pm. ALL CHURCH MEMBERS ARE INVITED.** Please email Marjie Gell at marjoriegell@gmail.com to sign up.



Women's Bible Studies

Mondays | 9:30am | Cindy DeBoer

Mondays | 5pm | Helen Bell

Thursdays | 10am | Pastor Steve Armfield

Men's Bible Studies

Mondays | 5pm

Tuesdays | 8am

Fridays | 7am

Partnering Organization Small Groups

These groups meet at Mayflower on a regular basis.

Al-Anon – Wednesdays | 7pm | Parlor

Boy Scout Troop 271 – Thursdays | 7:30pm

Cub Scouts – Tuesdays | 6pm

ELECTRONIC GIVING OPTIONS

Your generous gifts ensure Mayflower's current and future ministry. Thank you.

For your convenience we offer electronic giving options:



Scan the QR Code with your phone to give/pay directly through E-Zekiel: no sign-up required.

Download the app and create an account for future secure scan-and-go transactions.



TEXT TO GIVE

On your phone, simply text the word: GIVE To: 6163446255 (no spaces) and then follow the prompts.

2025 BUDGET SUMMARY

We saw great momentum with membership engagement and new member class participation. Pledge revenue and year end giving was up approximately \$70k from last year. Personnel and H&G expenses continue to rise which demonstrates our need for sustained long term growth. In 2025, we had a deficit budget of (\$53k) which we beat handily ending the year at +\$54k. In 2025, we had 187 giving units, while 195 are planned so far for 2026.



Mayflower ART CAMP!

JUNE 8-11 | 9am-12pm
REGISTRATION NOW OPEN

\$100/Child
Rising Kindergarteners-5th grade

SCAN THE QR CODE TO REGISTER TODAY



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Rev. Ruth Bell Olsson, Senior Pastor | **Rev. Kent Dobson**, Interim Associate Pastor

Dr. Julia Brown, Director of Music & Organist

Rachael Cooley, Executive Director of Youth, Outreach, & Operations

Amy Dunham, Office Manager | **Andy Ely**, Business Manager | **Murry Idema**, Care Representative

Kristen Van Stee, Communications Coordinator | **Kathy Tetzlaff**, Facilities

Scott Bosscher, Chancel Choir Director | **Dr. Mark Webb** and **Melia Colwell**, Midweek Choir Directors

Brennen Kartes, Director of Midweek Bells | **Aaron Wheeler**, Children's Choir Accompanist

WE BELIEVE: Faith is a journey, God is good, Jesus saves, and the Spirit leads us to faith, hope, and love as we honor the dignity of all God's people.

The God of Abraham Praise

Revised version of the *Vigdal*

Daniel ben Judah, ca. 1400

Trans. by Newton Mann, 1836–1926, and Max Landsberg, 1845–1928

Traditional Hebrew Melody

Adapt. by Meyer Lyon, 1751–1797

1. The God of A - braham praise, Who reigns en - throned a - bove;
 2. The God of A - braham praise, At whose su - preme com - mand
 3. He by Him - self hath sworn, I on His oath de - pend,
 4. The whole tri - um - phant host Give thanks to God on high;

An - cient of ev - er - last - ing days, And God of love.
 From earth I rise, and seek the joys At His right hand.
 I shall, on ea - gles wings up - borne, To heav'n as - cend;
 "Hail, Fa - ther, Son and Ho - ly Ghost!" They ev - er cry.

Je - ho - vah, great I AM, By earth and heav'n con - fessed;
 I all on earth for - sake, Its wis - dom, fame, and pow'r;
 I shall be - hold His face, I shall His pow'r a - dore,
 Hail, A - braham's God and mine! I join the heav'n - ly lays;

I bow and bless the sa - cred name, For - ev - er blest.
 And Him my on - ly por - tion make, My shield and tow'r.
 And sing the won - ders of His grace For - ev - er - more.
 All might and maj - es - ty are Thine, And end - less praise. A - men.

"He," "Him," or "His" may be replaced by "God('s)" or "You(r)."

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GOD'S COVENANT PEOPLE

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Blessed Assurance

Fanny J. Crosby, 1820–1915

Phoebe P. Knapp, 1839–1908



1. Bless-ed as - sur - ance, Je - sus is mine! O what a
2. Per - fect sub - mis - sion, per - fect de - light, Vi - sions of
3. Per - fect sub - mis - sion, all is at rest, I in my



fore - taste of glo - ry di - vine! Heir of sal - va - tion,
rap - ture now burst on my sight; An - gels de - scend - ing
Sav - ior am hap - py and blest; Watch - ing and wait - ing,



pur - chase of God, Born of His Spir - it, washed in His blood.
bring from a - bove Ech - oes of mer - cy, whis - pers of love.
look - ing a - bove, Filled with His good - ness, lost in His love.



This is my sto - ry, this is my song, Prais - ing my



GOD'S COVENANT PEOPLE

Sav - ior all the day long; This is my sto - ry, this is my

The first system of musical notation consists of a treble clef staff and a bass clef staff, both in the key of D major (two sharps). The treble staff contains a melody of eighth and quarter notes, while the bass staff provides a harmonic accompaniment with chords and moving lines.

song, Prais - ing my Sav - ior all the day long.

The second system of musical notation continues the melody and accompaniment from the first system. It concludes with a double bar line. The treble staff features a final cadence with a whole note chord, and the bass staff provides a supporting harmonic structure.

Creator God, You are good and gracious and true. You are our Source and our Center. You are the “hound of heaven” in that You choose to love us with a love that is always reaching, always searching us out, and never satisfied until it achieves its goal: love reciprocated. You have chosen to love us in the past, and continue to love us in an ongoing way. We pray that we would choose to love You in a way that is similarly devoted and deep. We long to hear the song of Your heart—a love song that woos us and calls us to a love relationship like no other. We pray that we might hear Your song as never before and sing it with resonance and harmony and joy—and in such a way that our spirits are one with Your Spirit. And, Lord, as Your song is played out in our lives, help us to know that it is not just for us alone, but for every follower of Christ, every person we encounter, every moment we enter, and every opportunity we have to embody Your love in a world that is in desperate need of what only You can afford. Thank You for the gift of Your grace in the Person of Christ, the blessed assurance of our souls, in whose name we pray. Amen.

Rev. William Fillebrown

THE TRIUNE GOD

45 There's a Wideness in God's Mercy

Frederick W. Faber, 1814-1863

Traditional Dutch Melody
 Arr. by Julius Röntgen, 1855-1933

1. There's a wide-ness in God's mer-cy, Like the wide-ness
 2. For the love of God is broad-er Than the meas-ure
 3. Trou-bled souls, why will you' scat-ter Like a crowd of

of the sea; There's a kind-ness in His jus-tice, Which is
 of man's mind; And the heart of the E-ter-nal Is most
 fright-ened sheep? Fool-ish hearts, why will you wan-der From a

more than lib-er-ty. There is no place where earth's sor-rows
 won-der-ful-ly kind. If our love were but more sim-ple,
 love so true and deep? There is wel-come for the sin-ner

Are more felt than up in heav'n; There is no place where earth's
 We should take Him at His word; And our lives would be all
 And more grac-es for the good; There is mer-cy with the

"He," "Him," or "His" may be replaced by "God(s)" or "You(r)."
 Second verse: "Than the measure of our minds"

IN BABILONE
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THE TRIUNE GOD

fail - ings Have such kind - ly judg - ment giv'n.
sun - shine In the sweet - ness of our Lord.
Sav - ior, There is heal - ing in His blood. A - men.

The musical score consists of two staves. The top staff is in treble clef with a key signature of one sharp (F#) and a common time signature. It contains a vocal melody with lyrics underneath. The bottom staff is in bass clef with the same key signature and time signature, providing a piano accompaniment. The lyrics are: "fail - ings Have such kind - ly judg - ment giv'n. sun - shine In the sweet - ness of our Lord. Sav - ior, There is heal - ing in His blood. A - men."