CHRIST CHURCH PCA

July 5, 2026

Christ Church exists to make mature disciples who will worship, know and serve Christ so that His Church and Kingdom are powerfully extended in Katy and beyond.

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Order for the Worship of God

The Lord's Day • July 5, 2026

*We also have live stream worship at **www.cckpca.org/livestream** at 11:00 AM. Register at **cckpca.org/guest** so we can provide you with information about our church.*

Welcome & Silent Preparation The Rev. Mr. Curt Mire

PRAISE

Call to Worship* Psalm 24:7-10

** Worshippers are asked to stand if possible*

Minister: Lift up your heads, O gates! And be lifted up, O ancient doors, that the King of glory may come in. Who is this King of glory? The Lord, strong and mighty, the Lord, mighty in battle! Lift up your heads, O gates! And lift them up, O ancient doors, that the King of glory may come in. Who is this King of glory? The Lord of hosts, He is the King of glory!

"Here is the Christian's way and his end...His way is holiness, his end happiness." (John Whitlock)

Prayer of Adoration* Pastor Mire

Hymn of Praise #457* "Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing"
Hymn of Praise #281 "I Know That My Redeemer Lives—Glory, Hallelujah!"

Affirmation of Faith The Apostles' Creed

Minister: Christian, what do you believe?

People: **I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth.**

I believe in Jesus Christ His only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit and born of the virgin Mary.

He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and was buried; He descended into hell. The third day He rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From there He will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. AMEN.

CONFESSION

But when the goodness and loving kindness of God our Savior appeared, He saved us, not because of works done by us in righteousness, but according to His own mercy, by the washing of regeneration and renewal of the Holy Spirit, whom He poured out on us richly through Jesus Christ our Savior, so that being justified by His grace we might become heirs according to the hope of eternal life.

Corporate Confession of Sin

Minister: O Lord our God, Who is majestic and high above all, Who always keeps His covenant and showers love upon His people, we come to You this morning to confess that we have sinned and done wrong.

All: **We have not kept Your commandments, although You have made them clear to us. We have turned aside from Your way and wandered in deserts of our own making.**

Minister: Lord, You gave us Your Word, which is sufficient and true.

All: **We have not listened to Your prophets, and we have failed to hear and obey the words of our Lord Jesus Christ. We have not walked in the way of Your Law, and we have not shown love and mercy to our neighbor, which You have called us to do. Open our eyes, O Lord, that we may see Jesus! Open our minds, Father, that we may know our Lord Jesus Christ! Open our hearts, dear God, that we may love You as we ought and as You command!**

Private Confession of Sin

Assurance of Pardon Titus 3:4-7

MEANS OF GRACE

Sacrament of Baptism Haleigh Renee McGee
(8:30 AM) *Being Received as a Communicant Member*

Scripture Reading* — 2 Kings 17:24-41 The Rev. Mr. David King

Reader: This is the Word of the Lord.
People: Thanks be to God!

Prayers of Intercession & Petition Pastor King

Sermon Text Psalm 116:1-19

Prayer of Illumination

The Sermon Pastor Mire
"Reasons To Love God"

Psalm 31B* "In You, Lord, I Take Refuge"

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION
Classes for all ages at 9:50 AM.

THANKSGIVING

Giving www.cckpca.org/give or text "CCKPCA" to 833-750-3171

Gloria Patri #735* *Greatorex*

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!

Prayer of Thanksgiving*

Hymn #455* "And Can It Be That I Should Gain"

The Benediction* Pastor Mire

Announcements Pastor King

(Music text printed by permission: CCLI # 1743047)

VBS SETUP

Following our 11:00 AM Worship service, we will be setting up for our Vacation Bible School. ***Please remember that no VBS materials or decorations should be brought into the church until after the 11:00 AM Worship service has concluded.*** Lunch will be provided for the workers who are setting up. If you are involved in VBS or would like to help, please pick up your lunch from the kitchen and then **report to the sanctuary at 12:45 PM** for instructions. Due to every room being used for setup, childcare **will not** be provided.

EVENING WORSHIP

There is no evening worship tonight.

Next Week – Pastor Mire will report on the 2026 PCA General Assembly.

NURSERY CARE

Nursery care is available for children **up to the 4th birthday** during the **8:30 and 11:00 AM** services and **Sunday School** in **rooms 110 and 111.** Nursery care is not currently being provided at our evening service. Our nursery will send a text message to alert parents if needed. Please remember to keep your phone silenced but on vibrate so you will receive it. Thank you!

E-Mail Prayer Chain

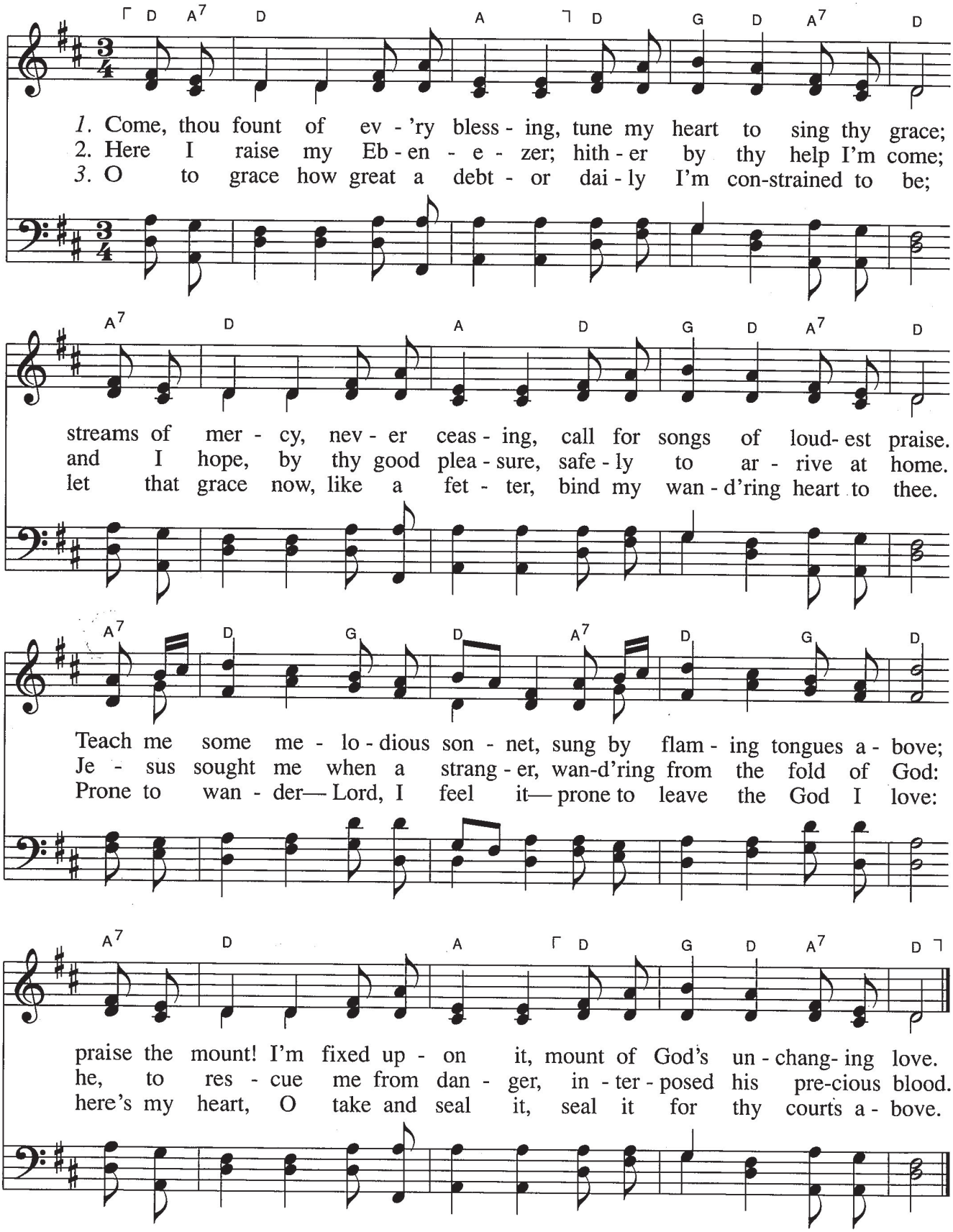
The Christ Church email prayer chain may be activated by contacting the church office (281-392-0002 or prayerchain@cckpca.org). If you wish to receive emails from the prayer chain please contact the office.

Mercy Meals

Those in need of this service should contact Diane Baker: mercyministry@cckpca.org

Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing '457

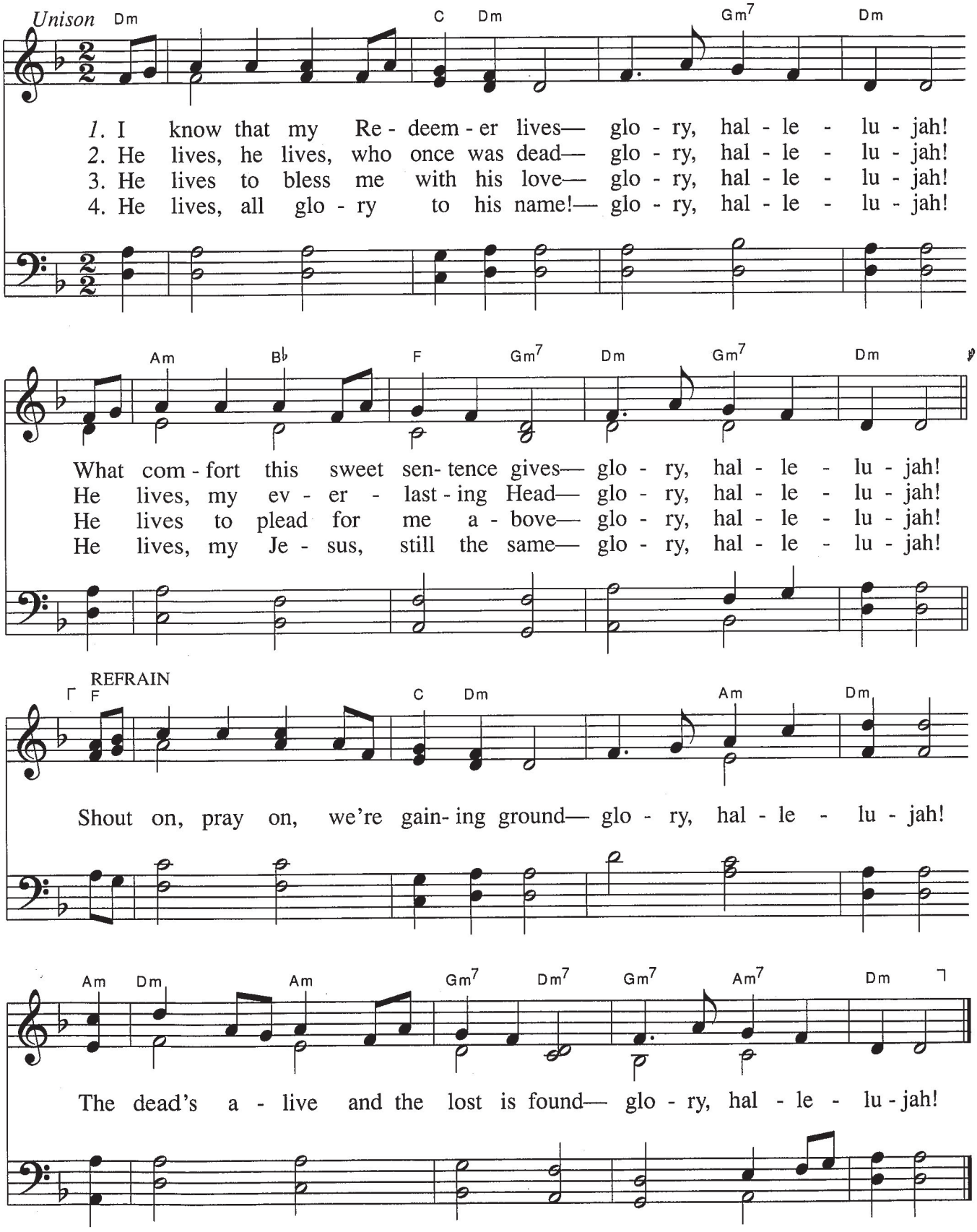
Samuel … named it Ebenezer, saying, "Thus far has the LORD helped us." 1 Sam. 7:12



Robert Robinson, 1758

NETTLETON 8.7.8.7.D.
Asahel Nettleton, 1825

281 I Know That My Redeemer Lives—Glory, Hallelujah!

I know that my Redeemer lives. Job 19:25

Samuel Medley, 1775
Refrain, anon.

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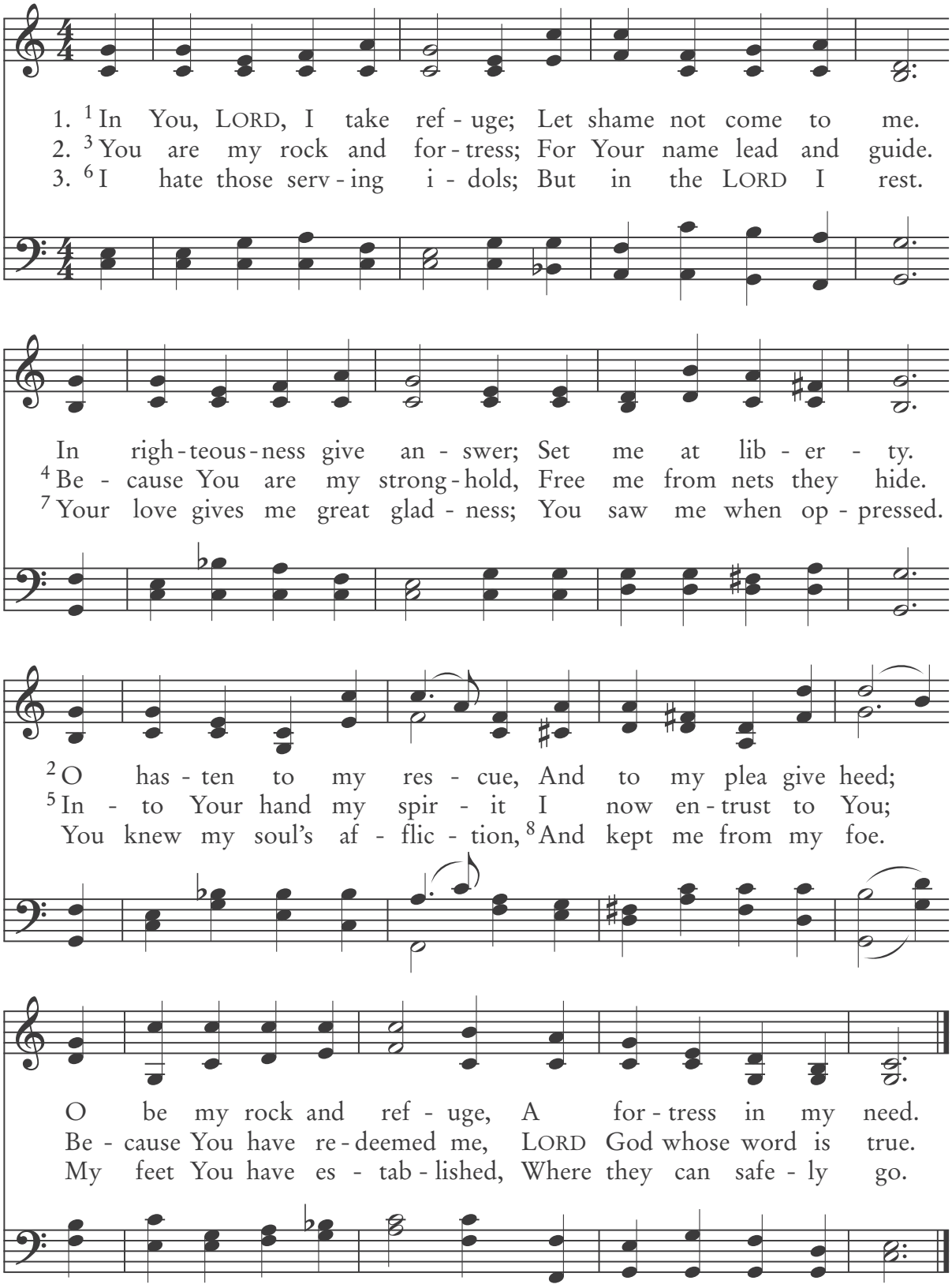
American folk hymn, 19th cent.; alt. 1990

In You, LORD, I Take Refuge

Be renewed in the spirit of your mind.
—Ephesians 4:23

31B
Psalm 31:1-8

Henry Smart, 1836

LANCASHIRE 76.76 D

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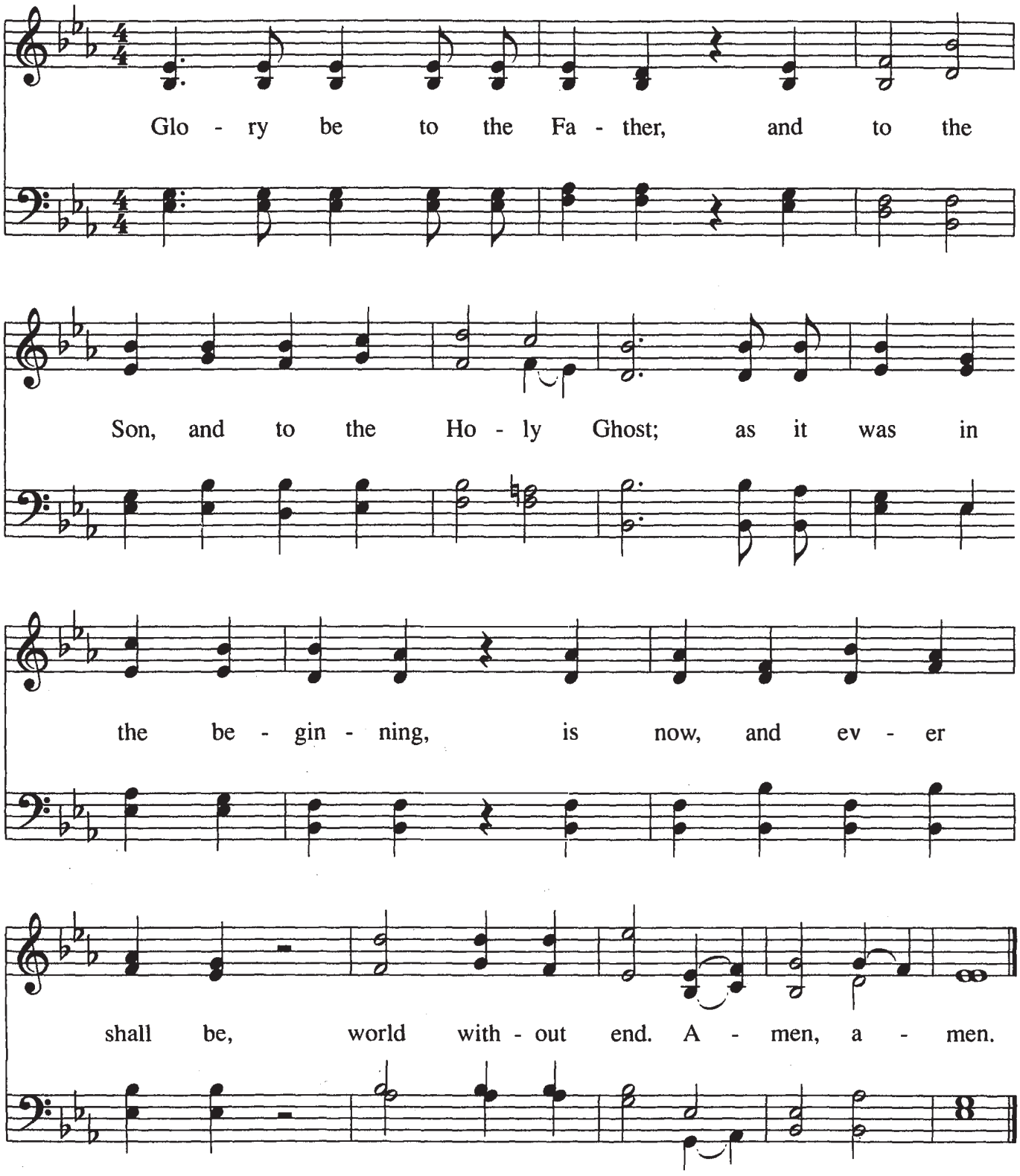
735 Gloria Patri

Ascribe to the LORD the glory due his name; worship the LORD in the splendor of his holiness. Ps. 29:2

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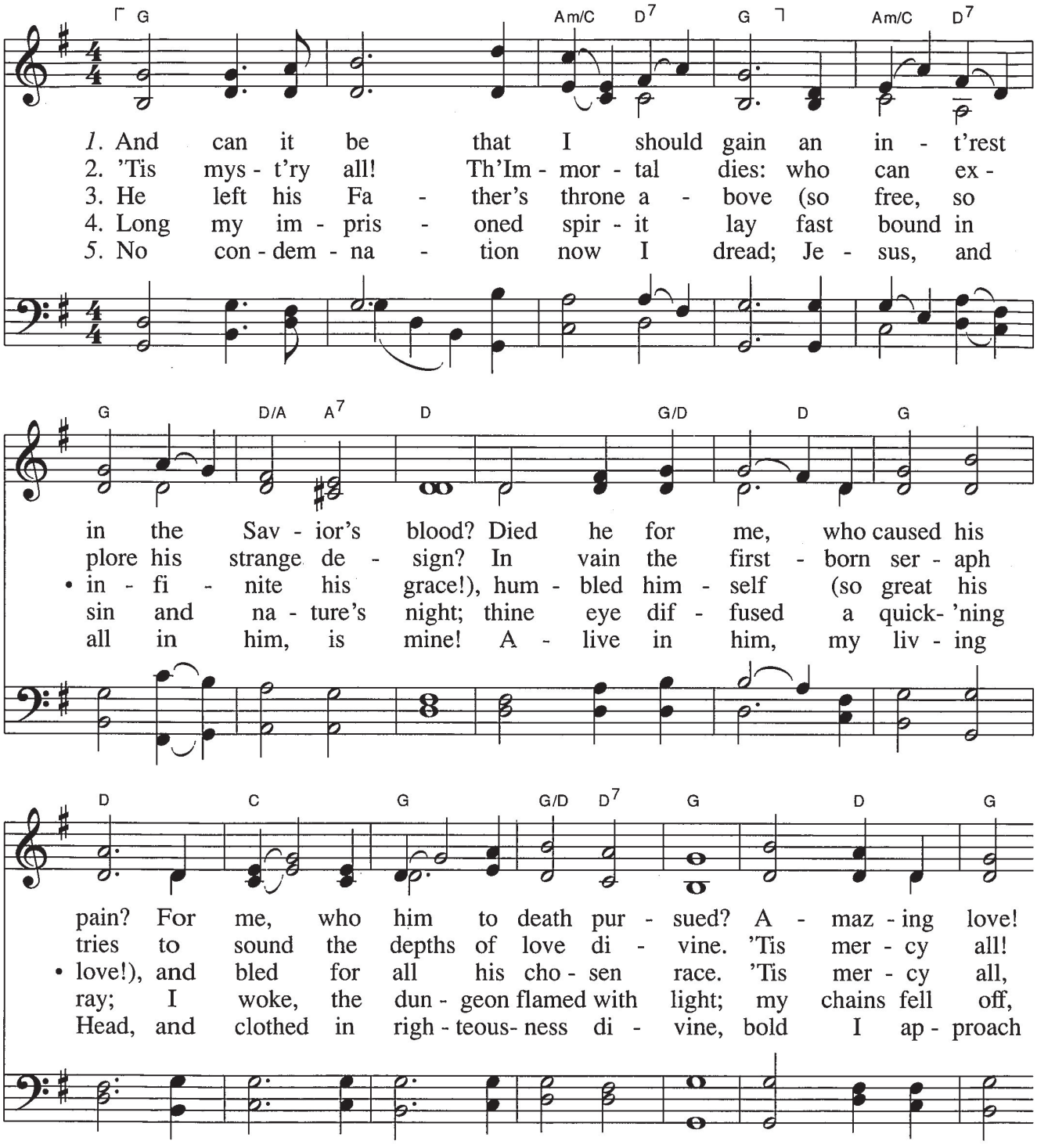
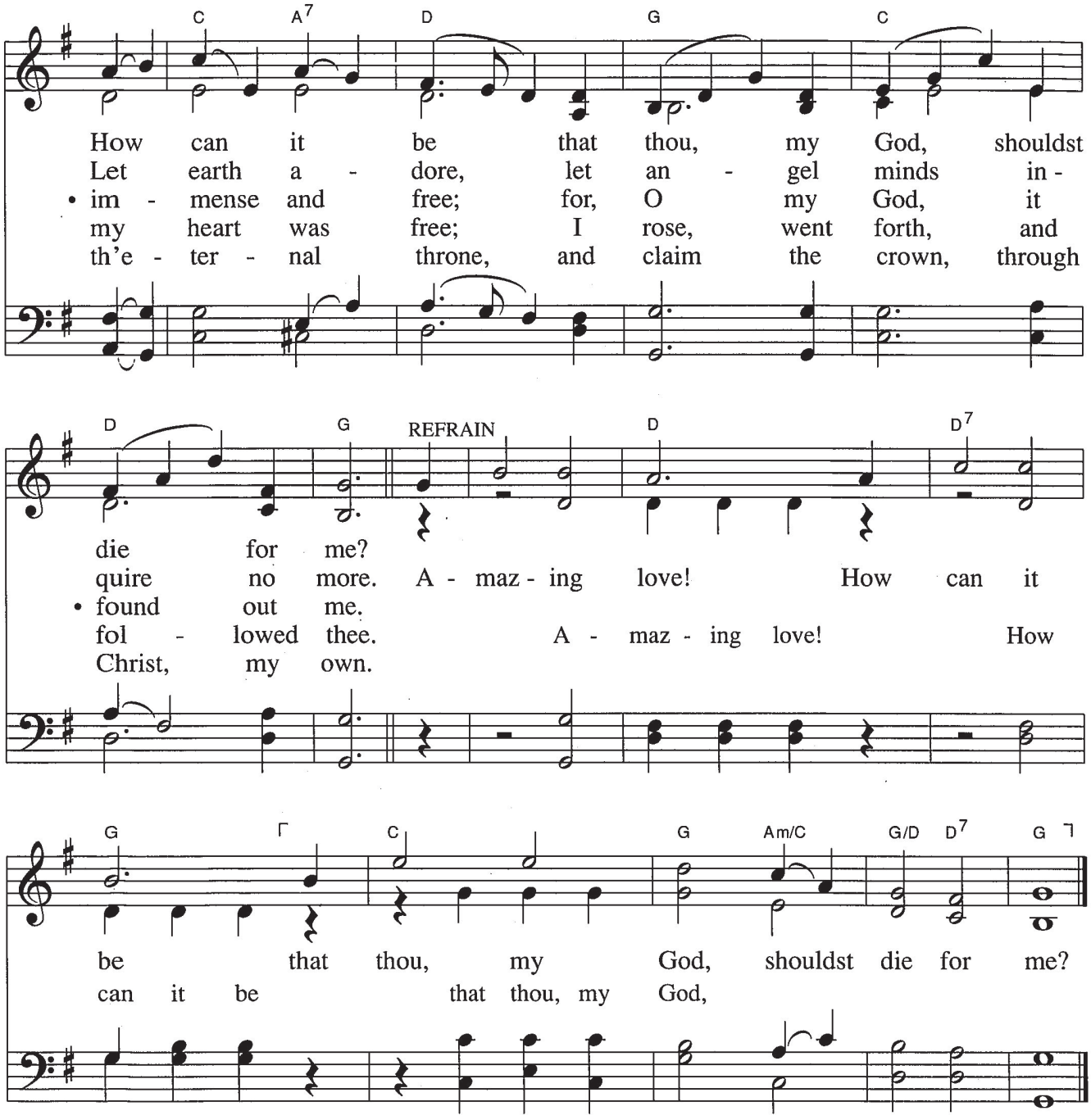
GLORIA PATRI (GREATOREX)
Henry W. Greatorex, 1851

455 And Can It Be That I Should Gain

While we were still sinners, Christ died for us. Rom. 5:8

Charles Wesley, 1738
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SAGINA L.M.D.
Thomas Campbell, 1825

TODAY'S SERMON NOTES

"Reasons to Love God" Curt Mire
Psalm 116:1-19 July 5, 2026

Next Week: Dr. Derek Thomas with *"No More Whispers"* (Hebrews 1:1-4)

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SUNDAY SERVICES

8:30 AM – Morning Worship
9:50 AM – Sunday School
11:00 AM – Morning Worship
6:00 PM – Evening Worship

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