Round Hill Presbyterian Church

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Equipped for ministry by Christ.

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November 1, 2026

Verse for Meditation: 1 John 1:5 (MSG)

"This, in essence, is the message we heard from Christ and are passing on to you:
God is light, pure light, there's not a trace of darkness in Him."

WELCOME

* INVOCATION Rev. Dan Muttart

* HYMN "Standing on the Promises of God"

CALL TO CONFESSION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Lord God, we are not perfect in this life, and are more than capable of sinning. And we have. We repent of those sins which we find particularly difficult to avoid, and now, from the quiet of our hearts, we bring these personal confessions before you.

(Now follows a brief time for silent, personal confession.)

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Leader: The assurance of Jesus is that when we confess our sins, and repent of them, He forgives us and places us back on the Christian path.
People: Thanks be to God!
Leader: Let us stand and give glory to God.

* PRAISE: *"Gloria Patri"*

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.

*RESPONSIVE SCRIPTURE READING Adapted from Psalm 119

Leader: How can people keep their way pure?
People: By living according to Your Word.
Leader: I seek you with all my heart;
People: Do not let me stray from your commands.
Leader: I have hidden your word in my heart;
People: Praise be to you, O LORD; teach me your decrees.

* GREETING - PASSING THE PEACE

FIRST NEW TESTAMENT LESSON Matthew 11:28-29

28 "Come to me, all you who are weary and burdened, and I will give you rest. 29 Take my yoke upon you and learn from me, for I am gentle and humble in heart, and you will find rest for your souls.

Leader: The Word of the Lord.
People: Thanks be to God.

SECOND NEW TESTAMENT LESSON Philippians 3:2-11 (See Notes)

SERMON "Taking True Stock of Your Spiritual Life" Rev. Dan Muttart

THE SACRAMENT OF COMMUNION

GIVING AND RECEIVING THE BREAD AND CUP

COMMISSIONING OF COMMUNION VISITORS

We commission you to take this bread and this cup, this body and blood, to those of our number who are unable to assemble with us, extending this table as you extend your grace and mercy. As you carry this food to them, know that you carry also our love and care. May God the Holy Spirit unite our absent brothers and sisters with us, with his church, and with his holy presence in the sharing of this communion. Go in the name of God, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

PRAYER OF CONSECRATION

Almighty Lord: we are thankful for all the benefits given us in this bread and cup, this body and blood. As the grain was harvested and the grapes gathered for this food, so may your church in every place be gathered into your household. And as the grain was ground and the grapes crushed, so may our lives be spent in your service, until you return in triumph to gather to yourself the harvest and call us to the marriage feast of the lamb. Amen.

* PRAISE SONG "Who You Say I Am"

PRAYERS OF THANKSGIVING AND INTERCESSION

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.

OFFERING OF SELF AND SERVICE

* Doxology:

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.

* PRAYER OF DEDICATION

* HYMN "I Love to Tell the Story" No. 619

BENEDICTION

* RESPONSE: *God be with you 'til we meet again,*
if life's trials should confound you,
God will put His arms around you:
God be with you 'til we meet again.

Liturgist – Robin Lane ~~~~~ Greeter – Leslee Schwirian

PASTOR DAN'S OFFICE HOURS/CELL
(Call/text Pr. Dan at 412-427-2086)
Monday & Tuesday 10 am - 2 pm, Wednesday 4 pm - 6 pm

Standing On The Promises

Words and Music by
Russell Kelso Carter

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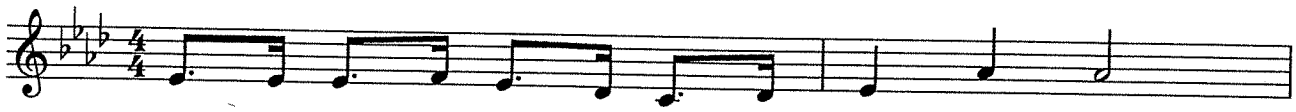
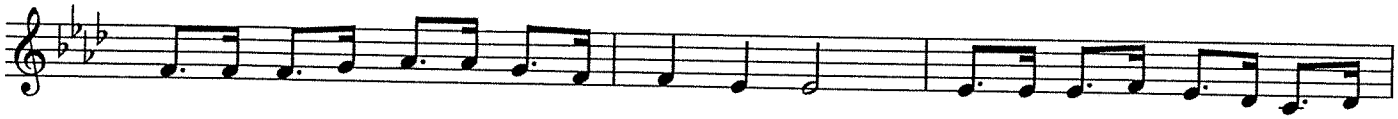
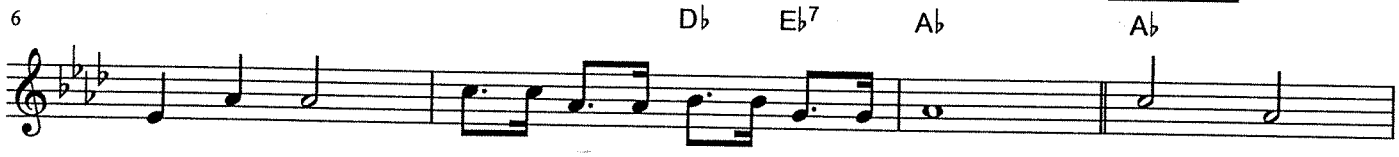

1. Stand - ing on the prom - is - es of Christ, my King!
2. Stand - ing on the prom - is - es that can - not fail,
3. Stand - ing on the prom - is - es, I now can see
4. Stand - ing on the prom - is - es of Christ, the Lord,
5. Stand - ing on the prom - is - es, I can - not fall,

3 D♭ D♭/A♭ A♭

Through e - ter - nal a - ges let His prais - es ring; "Glo - ry in the high - est!" I will
when the howl - ing storms of doubt and fear as - sail, by the liv - ing Word of God I
per - fect, pres - ent cleans - ing in the blood for me; Stand - ing in the lib - er - ty where
bound to Him e - ter - nal - ly by love's strong cord; O - ver-com - ing dai - ly with the
lis - t'ning ev - 'ry mo - ment to the Spir - it's call, rest - ing in my Sav - ior as my

6 D♭ E♭7 A♭ CHORUS A♭

shout and sing, stand - ing on the prom - is - es of God. Stand - ing,
shall pre - vail, stand - ing on the prom - is - es of God.
Christ makes free, stand - ing on the prom - is - es of God.
Spir - it's Sword, stand - ing on the prom - is - es of God.
All in All, stand - ing on the prom - is - es of God.

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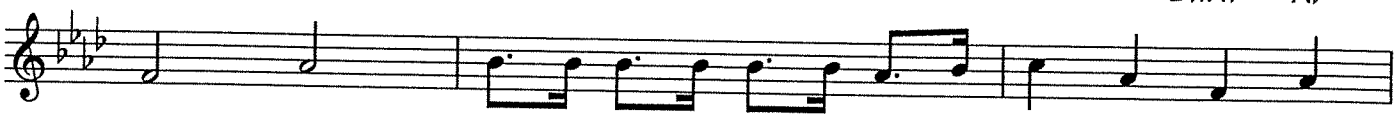
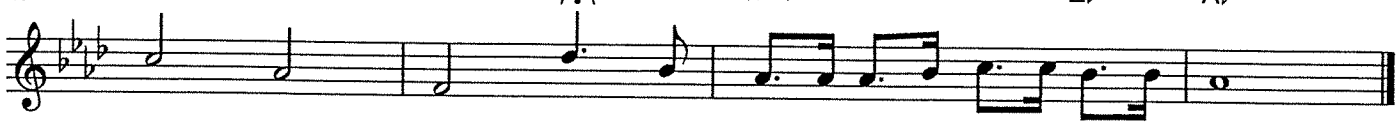
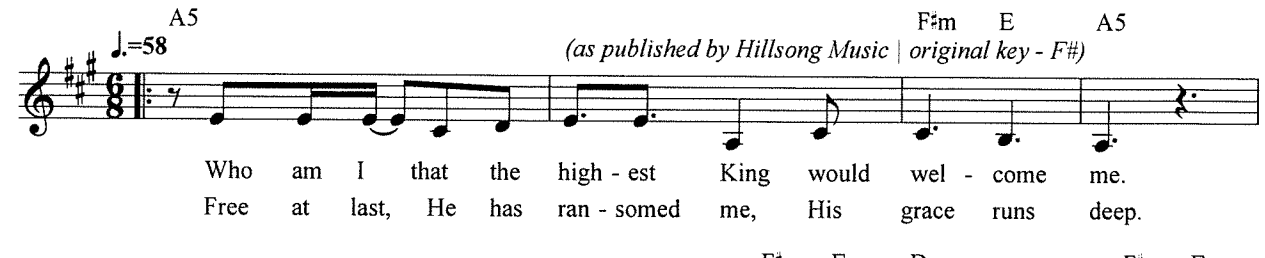

stand - ing, stand - ing on the prom - is - es of God, my Sav - ior;

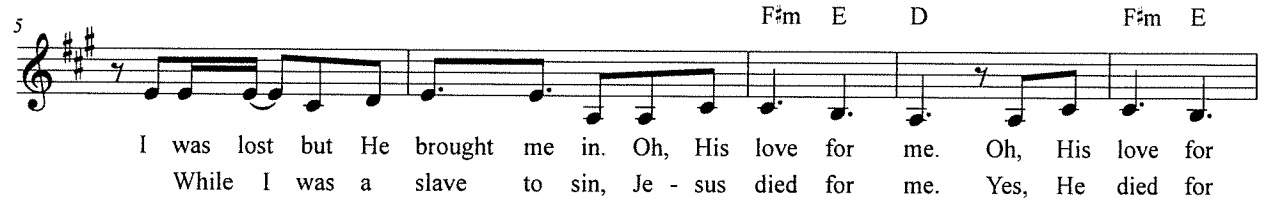
13 D♭ A♭/E♭ E♭7 A♭

Stand - ing, stand - ing, I'm stand - ing on the prom - is - es of God.
stand - ing on the prom - is - es of God.

Who You Say I Am

Words and Music by
Ben Fielding and Reuben Morgan

VERSE





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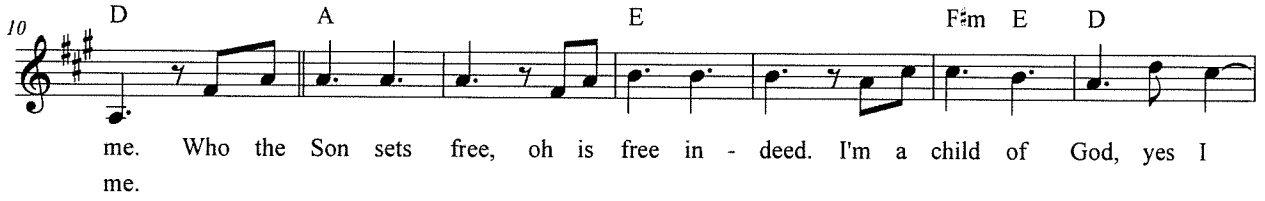

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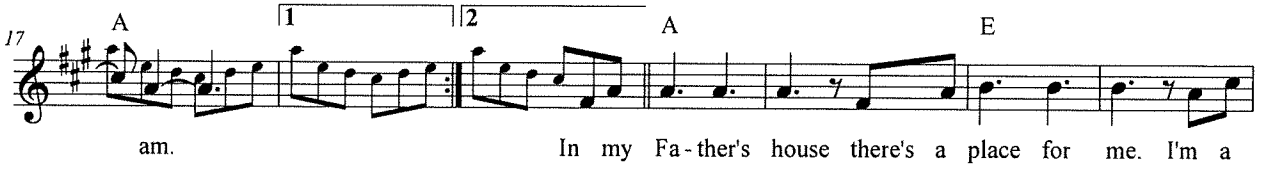

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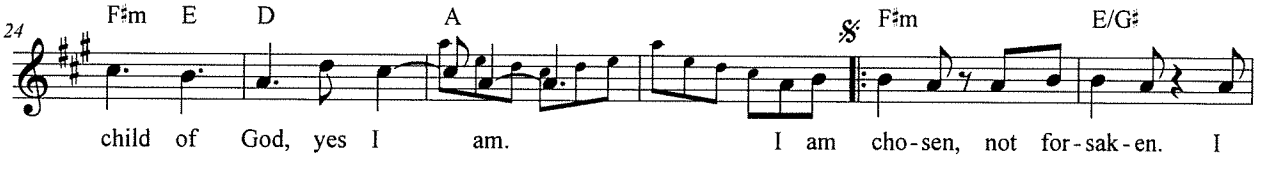
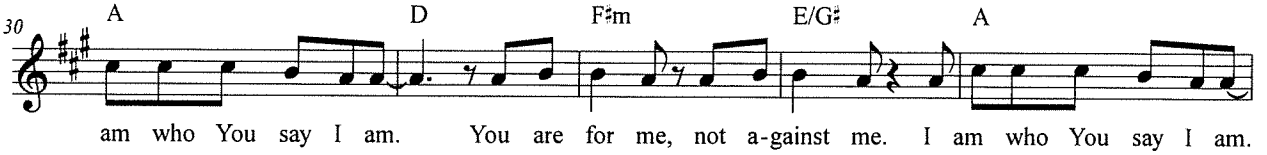

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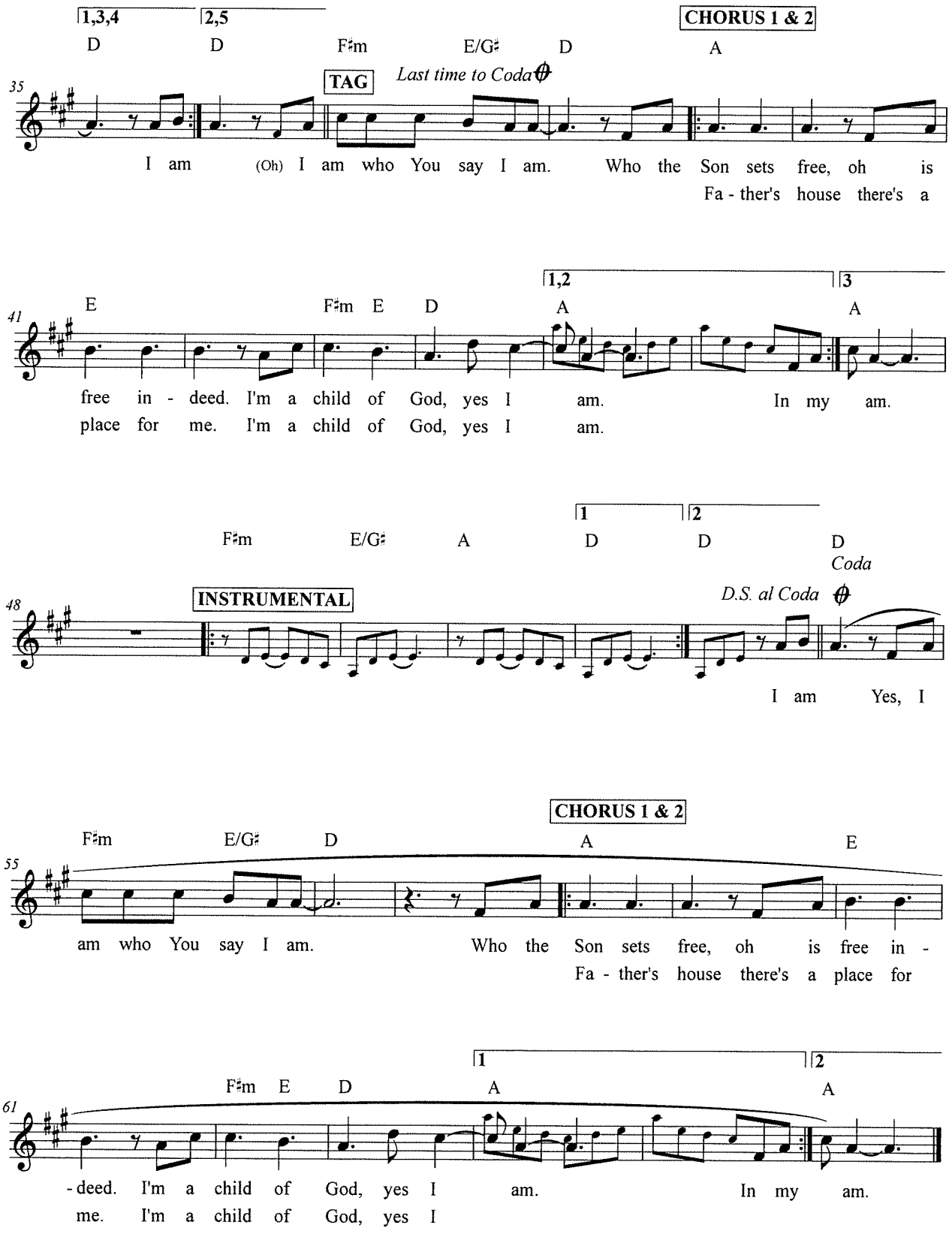
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CHORUS 1 & 2
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TAG
Last time to Coda
35
I am (Oh) I am who You say I am. Who the Son sets free, oh is
Fa - ther's house there's a
1,2
3
E F♯m E D A A
41
free in - deed. I'm a child of God, yes I am. In my am.
place for me. I'm a child of God, yes I am.
1
2
F♯m E/G♯ A D D D
Coda
INSTRUMENTAL
D.S. al Coda
48
I am Yes, I
CHORUS 1 & 2
F♯m E/G♯ D A E
55
am who You say I am. Who the Son sets free, oh is free in -
Fa - ther's house there's a place for
1
2
F♯m E D A A
61
- deed. I'm a child of God, yes I am. In my am.
me. I'm a child of God, yes I

I Love To Tell The Story (Eaton Square)

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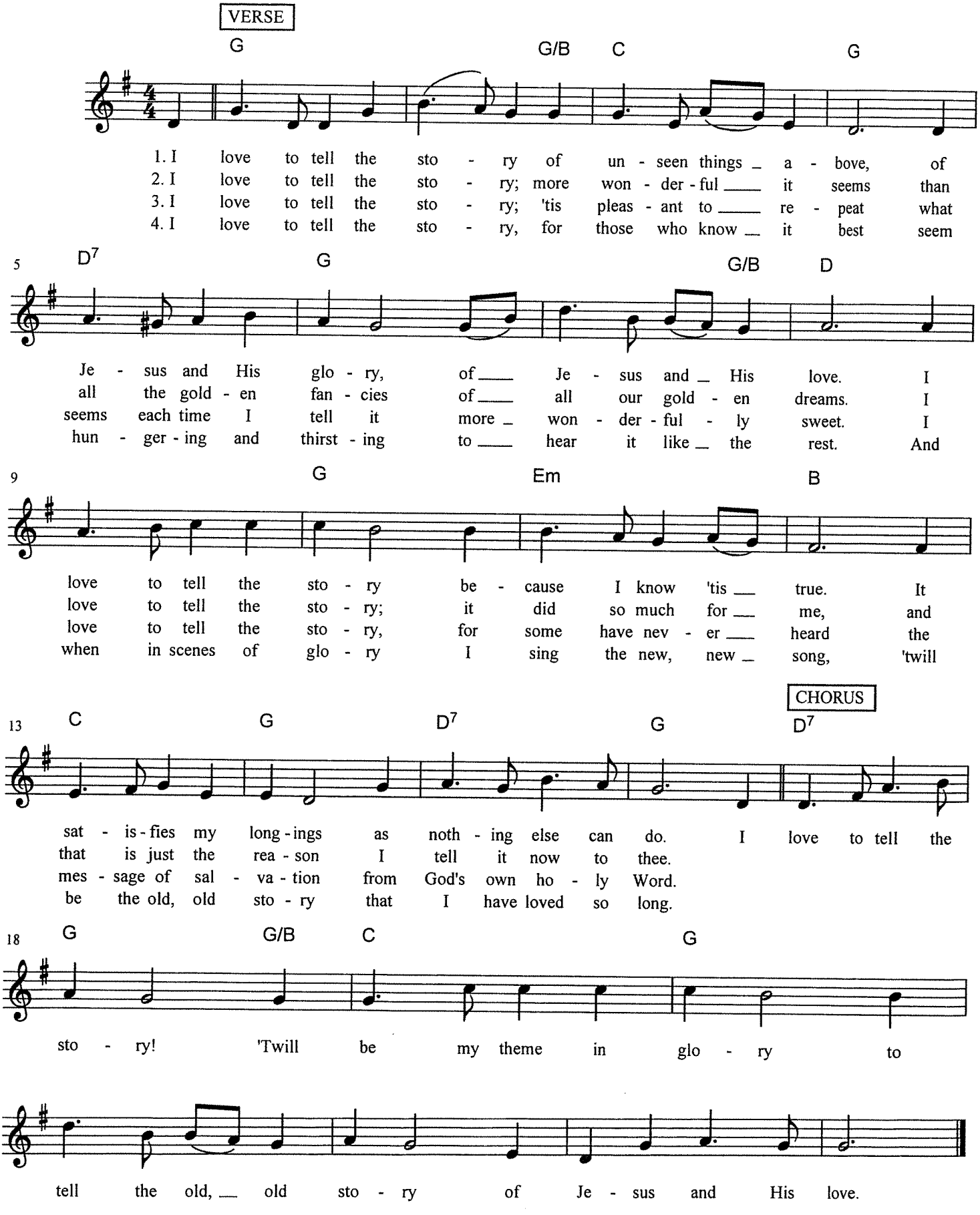
Arabella Katherine Hankey

Music by
William Gustavus Fischer

TAKING TRUE STOCK OF YOUR SPIRITUAL LIFE
Philippians For You - Part 3
Communion Sunday

Today's Scripture

Watch out for those dogs, those men who do evil, those mutilators of the flesh. For it is we who are the circumcision, we who worship by the Spirit of God, who glory in Christ Jesus, and who put no confidence in the flesh-- though I myself have reasons for such confidence.

If anyone else thinks he has reasons to put confidence in the flesh, I have more: circumcised on the eighth day, of the people of Israel, of the tribe of Benjamin, a Hebrew of Hebrews; in regard to the law, a Pharisee; as for zeal, persecuting the church; as for legalistic righteousness, faultless.

But whatever was to my profit I now consider loss for the sake of Christ. What is more, I consider everything a loss compared to the surpassing greatness of knowing Christ Jesus my Lord, for whose sake I have lost all things. I consider them rubbish, that I may gain Christ and be found in him, not having a righteousness of my own that comes from the law, but that which is through faith in Christ--the righteousness that comes from God and is by faith. I want to know Christ and the power of his resurrection and the fellowship of sharing in his sufferings, becoming like him in his death, and so, somehow, to attain to the resurrection from the dead.

Philippians 3:2-11 (NIV)

Message Notes

1. **REALIZE YOUR _____ AND _____ _____ DON'T EARN YOU HEAVEN.**

But whatever was to my profit I now consider loss for the sake of Christ.

Philippians 3:7 (NIV)

...circumcised on the eighth day, of the people of Israel, of the tribe of Benjamin, a Hebrew of Hebrews; in regard to the law, a Pharisee; as for zeal, persecuting the church; as for legalistic righteousness, faultless. Philippians 3:5-6 (NIV)

Be perfect, therefore, as your heavenly Father is perfect. Matthew 5:48 (NIV)

This, in essence, is the message we heard from Christ and are passing on to you: God is light, pure light; there's not a trace of darkness in him. 1 John 1:5 (MSG)

2. **REALIZE THAT EVERYTHING IS BASICALLY _____ COMPARED TO KNOWING JESUS.**

What is more, I consider everything a loss compared to the surpassing greatness of knowing Christ Jesus my Lord, for whose sake I have lost all things. I consider them <u>rubbish</u>, that I may gain Christ. Philippians 3:8 (NIV)

3. **RECOMMIT TO KNOWING JESUS _____ AND WATCHING HIM _____ YOU.**

I want to know Christ and the power of his resurrection and the fellowship of sharing in his sufferings…
Philippians 3:10a (NIV)

Knowing Jesus = Being tethered to Him _____

"Come to me, all you who are weary and burdened, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you and learn from me, for I am gentle and humble in heart, and you will find rest for your souls."
Matthew 11:28-29 (NIV)

Knowing Jesus = Radical _____ no matter what

So God created man in his own image, in the image of God he created him; male and female he created them.
Genesis 1:27 (NIV)

Then the Lord God made a woman from the rib he had taken out of the man, and he brought her to the man. The man said, "This is now bone of my bones and flesh of my flesh; she shall be called 'woman,' for she was taken out of man." For this reason a man will leave his father and mother and be united to his wife, and they will become one flesh.
Genesis 2:22-24 (NIV)

Knowing Jesus = Standing _____ _____ at the end

…becoming like him in his death, and so, somehow, to attain to the resurrection from the dead.
Philippians 3:10b-11 (NIV)

READ AHEAD FOR NEXT WEEK:
Concluding the Sermon Series:
"Philippians for You"
Read Philippians 4:4-9

Prayer Requests

November 1, 2026

Intercessory Prayer Group - gathers in the C.E. building on Tuesday at 10:00 AM; open to all. We are praying for weekly prayer requests along with other concerns as led by God's Spirit.

Prayer Requests: Email dreamstogo2@gmail.com or fill in a prayer request form and place it in the offering plate. **Prayer requests for the following were received this past week; please include them in your prayers:**

Tracy DeRoss, Rob Howell, Ron Katonik, John Marks, Joanna Muttart, Bill Nevin, Norm Rack, Tom Russell, Pat Satterfield, Vickie, Way Family

On-Going Requests: Barry Branik, Steven Evans, Caleb Fritz, Byron Harris, Frank & Sandy Hayden, Mark Henderson, Janet LaFrankie, Bill Nevin, New Life Options, Sherryl S., Blake Stover, Glenn Wagner, Linda Way, Round Hill Home Churched, Round Hill Leaders & Support Staff, Growth of the Congregation of Round Hill Church, Children & Teens at RHPC, Round Hill Church's transition, President Trump & Governing Leaders

Military: Aaron Baumann, Ben Elder, Matthew Gross, Corey Hobaugh, Noah Reed, Aerion Salas, Hanna Stith, Joram Stith, Grayson Wonsettler, Samuel Wonsettler, and all those serving in the Armed Services

College Students: Mia Donato, Alexandra Karnes, Ava Karnes, Elijah Minkus, Audra Morgan, Luke Napoli, Zavia Salas, Corrine Wright

Prayers for POA Churches: Starkdale Presbyterian Church (Rev. Moore)

Prayers for EPC Missionaries: Gretchen (Europe/Balkans)

Always pray and never give up. – Luke 18:1

RHPC Announcements

November 1, 2026

This Week at Round Hill Church

Tues. Nov.3	Intercessory Prayer	10:00 a.m.
	Bible Study	12:00 p.m.

BLESSINGS ON YOUR BIRTHDAY!!

Gayle Larcinese	Nov 9
Mary Beth Katonik	Nov 17

ANNUAL SHOEBOX CAMPAIGN

It is once again time to join the mission of sharing the word of God with children all over the world. This year's theme is "It is all about Jesus."

- Take a shoebox.
- Fill the box with gift items: School supplies, socks, notebooks, hair accessories, flashlights and sunglasses.
- Do not include: Food, candy, toothpaste, liquids, medications, glass containers, items of war.
- Place a label on the box to indicate the sex and age of the child the box has been packed.
- Place a rubber band around the box and **return it to the church by Nov. 15th.** Note: The mission team will cover the cost of postage.
- Pray the God will prepare the heart of the recipient of the gift.

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2027 CALENDARS NEEDED If you have any extra 2027 calendars, please bring them in and place them in the specially marked box in the narthex– Marilyn Christenson is collecting them for the food pantry clients.

FOOD PANTRY DONATIONS

The Food Pantry is requesting **items for Thanksgiving dinner.** Please place these items either in the basket in the vestibule or drop them off in front of the Food Pantry door. *Thank you helping.*