

**Livingstone Parish Church**  
**Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> April 2022**  
**Mr. Willie Robertson**  
**Holy Week Wednesday**

**Hymn 1 CH4 485**

**Dear Lord and Father of mankind,**  
 forgive our foolish ways;  
 reclothe us in our rightful mind;  
 in purer lives thy service find,  
*in deeper reverence, praise. (x2)*

In simple trust like theirs who heard,  
 beside the Syrian sea,  
 the gracious calling of the Lord,  
 let us, like them, without a word  
*rise up and follow thee. (x2)*

O Sabbath rest by Galilee!  
 O calm of hills above,  
 where Jesus knelt to share with thee  
 the silence of eternity,  
*interpreted by love! (x2)*

With that deep hush subduing all  
 our words and works that drown  
 the tender whisper of thy call,  
 as noiseless let thy blessing fall  
*as fell thy manna down. (x2)*

Drop thy still dews of quietness,  
 till all our strivings cease;  
 take from our souls the strain and  
 stress,  
 and let our ordered lives confess  
*the beauty of thy peace. (x2)*

Breathe through the heats of our desire  
 thy coolness and thy balm;  
 let sense be dumb, let flesh retire;  
 speak through the earthquake, wind and  
 fire,  
*O still small voice of calm! (x2)*

John Greenleaf Whittier (1807-1892)

**Hymn 2 MP 760**

**When we walk with the Lord in the  
 light of His word,**  
 what a glory He sheds on our way!  
 While we do his good will, He abides with  
 us still,  
 and with all who will trust and obey.  
*Trust and obey, for there's no other way  
 to be happy in Jesus but to trust and  
 obey.*

Not a shadow can rise, not a cloud in the  
 skies,  
 but His smile quickly drives it away;  
 not a doubt nor a fear, not a sigh nor a  
 tear,  
 can abide while we trust and obey.  
*Trust and obey...*

Not a burden we bear, not a sorrow we  
 share,  
 but our toil He doth richly repay;  
 not a grief nor a loss, not a frown nor a  
 cross,  
 but is blest if we trust and obey.  
*Trust and obey...*

But we never can prove the delights of his  
 love,  
 until all on the altar we lay;  
 for the favour He shows, and the joy He  
 bestows  
 are for those who will trust and obey.  
*Trust and obey...*

Then in fellowship sweet, we will sit at His  
 feet,  
 or we'll walk by His side in the way.  
 What He says we will do,  
 where He sends we will go,  
 never fear, only trust and obey.  
*Trust and obey...*

John Henry Sammis (1846-1919)

**Hymn 3 CH4 542**

**Lord speak to me, that I may speak**  
 in living echoes of your tone;  
 as you have sought, so let me seek  
 your erring children lost and lone.

O lead me, Lord, that I may lead  
 the wandering and the wavering feet;  
 O feed me, Lord, that I may feed  
 your hungering ones with manna sweet.

O strengthen me, that, while I stand  
 firm on the rock, secure and free,  
 I may stretch out a loving hand  
 to wrestlers with the troubled sea.

O teach me, Lord, that I may teach  
 the precious things which you impart;  
 and wing my words, that they may reach  
 the hidden depths of many a heart.

O fill me with your fullness, Lord,  
 until my very heart o'erflow  
 in kindling thought and glowing word,  
 your love to tell, your praise to show.

O use me, Lord, use even me,  
 just as you will, and when, and where,  
 until at last your face I see,  
 your rest, your joy, your glory share.

Frances Ridley Havergal (1836-1879)



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