

Please see the pages below for all the hymns for this Sunday:

First Hymn - Medley:

Hymn 392

Words: Laura C. Nourse

Music: Arthur S. Sullivan

With love and peace and joy supreme
We hail the new appearing;
From out the darkness and the dream,
The haven of rest is nearing.

With gifts of healing in his wings
To light the Christ now guides us,
The heart that knows him burns and sings,
For endless joy betides us.

His touch the door of Life unseals
And bids us freely enter,
His word the heaven of heavens reveals
With Love its bound and center.

For God is all, and Christ the way;
Our meek and bold defender
Has cleft the night and lo, the day
Bursts forth in mighty splendor.

First Hymn – Medley, continued:

Hymn 401

Words: John Marriott

Music: Arr. from Felice de Giardini

Thou whose almighty Word
Chaos and darkness heard,
And took their flight;
Hear us, we humbly pray,
And where the Gospel-day
Sheds not its glorious ray,
Let there be light.

Christ, thou dost come to bring
On thy redeeming wing
Healing and sight,
Health to the sick in mind,
Sight to the inly blind;
Ah, now to all mankind
Let there be light.

Spirit of truth and love,
Life-giving, holy dove,
Speed forth thy flight;
Move on the waters' face,
Bearing the lamp of grace,
And in earth's darkest place
Let there be light.

Second Hymn:

Hymn 600 - Who Was That Man in Galilee

Words: Fenella Bennetts and Robert Witney

Music: Andrew D. Brewis

Who was that man in Galilee,
Healing and teaching beside the sea?
What was the power that made him strong?
How can we learn to sing his song?
He told us, I am the light of the world,
I am the light of the world,
So follow me and shine out
For I am the light of the world!

Why are we here, and who are we?
What is his purpose for you and me?
Our little light seems small and dim
Next to the blaze that comes from him!
He told us, You are the salt of the earth,
You are the light of the world,
So follow me and shine out
For you are the light of the world!

Christ is the light with which we shine,
Lit from within by this love divine.
Step out with courage, dare to go,
Give from the heart the love you know,
He told us, We are the salt of the earth,
We are the light of the world,
We follow him and shine out
For Christ is the light of the world!

Third Hymn:

Hymn 226

Words: Washington Gladden
Music: Mainz Gesangbuch, 1833

O Lord of life, to Thee we lift
Our hearts in praise for those,
Thy prophets, who have shown Thy gift
Of grace that ever grows,
Of truth that spreads from shore to shore,
Of wisdom's widening ray,
Of light that shineth more and more
Unto Thy perfect day.

Shine forth, O Light, that we may see,
With hearts all unafraid,
The meaning and the majesty
Of things that Thou hast made:
Shine forth, and let the darkling past
Beneath Thy beam grow bright;
Shine forth, and touch the future vast
With Thine untroubled light.

Light up Thy word; the fettered page
From darkened bondage free:
Light up our way; lead forth this age
In love's large liberty.
O Light of light, within us dwell,
Through us Thy radiance pour,
That word and deed Thy truths may tell,
And praise Thee evermore.

Fourth Hymn:

Hymn 589 – Through Pure Love

Words: Janet Hegarty
Music: James H. Hegarty

Through pure love, God has commanded
Healing light to shine on earth.
And in our hearts there beams the same love—
Let the love of Christ shine bright.

Refrain

Rise and shine, your light has come,
God the everlasting sun.
Christ has given us this light—
Radiate God's glory.

Jesus' grace revealed God's goodness,
Giving hope to all the world.
Love is the light that burns within us—
Let the life of Christ shine bright.

Refrain

God has made us in Love's image,
Perfect, Christlike, pure, and free.
We all reflect this strength and power—
Let the mind of Christ shine bright.

Refrain

We are one with God forever,
One with Love eternally—
A perfect bond that can't be broken—
Let the truth of Christ shine bright.

Refrain