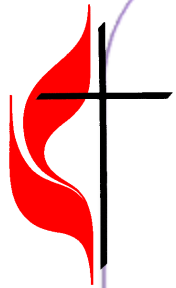


Cheverly United Methodist Church





Sunday Morning Worship

10 am

2801 Cheverly Ave

Cheverly, MD 20785



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3rd Sunday
after Epiphany
Ecumenical
Sunday



January 26th 2025

Praise Time

Brian Frye, piano

“Shine Jesus Shine”

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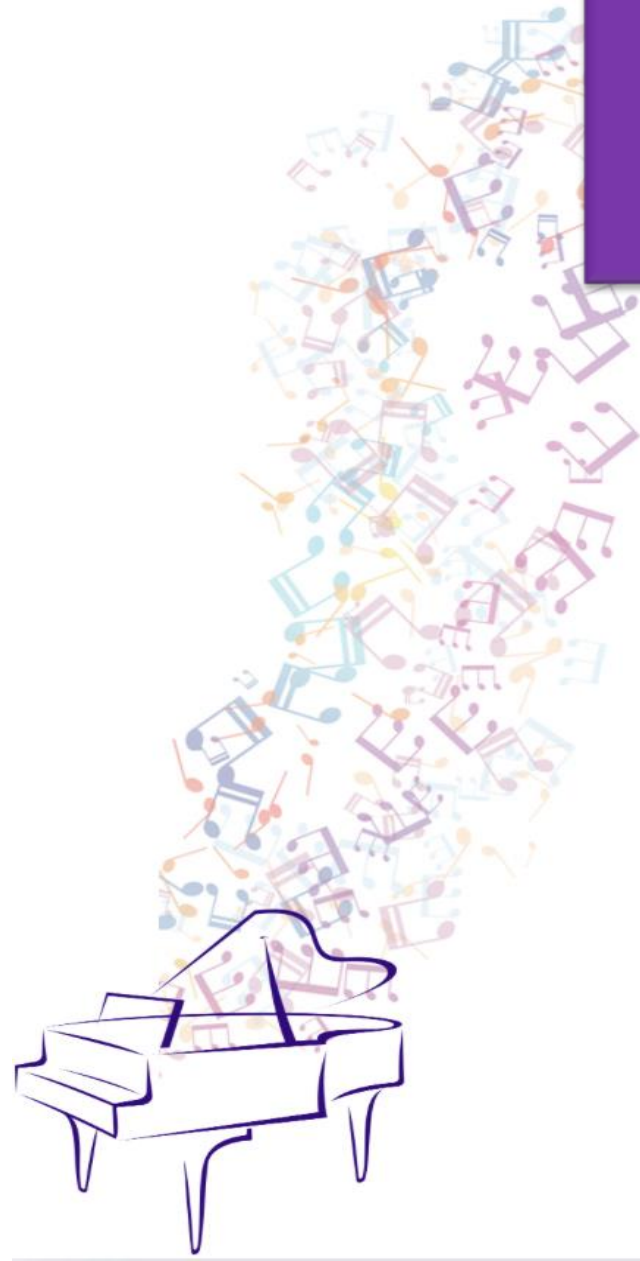
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Verse 1

Lord the light of Your love is shining

In the midst of the darkness shining

Jesus Light of the world shine upon us

Set us free by the truth You now bring us

Shine on me shine on me

Chorus

Shine Jesus shine

Fill this land

With the Father's glory

Blaze Spirit blaze

Set our hearts on fire

Set our hearts on fire

Flow river flow

Flood the nations

With grace and mercy

Send forth Your word Lord

And let there be light

Verse 2

Lord I come to Your awesome presence

From the shadows into Your radiance

By the blood I may enter Your brightness

Search me try me consume all my darkness

Shine on me shine on me

Chorus

Shine Jesus shine

Fill this land

With the Father's glory

Blaze Spirit blaze

Set our hearts on fire

Set our hearts on fire

Flow river flow

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With grace and mercy

Send forth Your word Lord

And let there be light

Verse 3

As we gaze on Your kingly brightness

So our faces display Your likeness

Ever changing from glory to glory

Mirrored here may our lives tell Your story

Shine on me shine on me

Chorus

Shine Jesus shine

Fill this land

With the Father's glory

Blaze Spirit blaze

Set our hearts on fire

Set our hearts on fire

Flow river flow

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Praise Time

Brian Frye, piano

“Surely the Presence”

UMH 328

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*Surely the presence
Of the Lord is in this place
I can feel His mighty power
And His grace
I can hear the brush of angel's wings
I see glory on each face
Surely the presence
Of the Lord is in this place*



Welcome!



Rev. Dr. Miguel Balderas
Pastor

Good Morning

Buenos Dias

Magandang Umaga Po

Ohayou

*Day pours forth speech and night
declares knowledge.*

*What voices speak without
words or speech?*

*The heavens are telling the
glory of God.*

We listen but do not understand.

*The Law of God is perfect,
reviving the soul.*

*Who will teach us,
that our hearts may rejoice?*

*Pray in the Spirit and
you will perceive.*

Prayer of Invocation

~Liturgist

God of Wisdom,

we have come to sit at Jesus' feet

and learn to what

he would teach us.



***With the heavens above and the
earth below, we rejoice in the good
news he brings:***

***succor to the poor,
release to the captives,
recovery of sight to the blind,
and freedom for the oppressed.***

***Reveal the mystery of your precepts,
that we might hear the
music of the heavens—
the whisper of the
land and roar of the seas,
the prayer of the
caterpillar and song of the flea.***

***Speak to us through the fullness
of creation, we pray.***

Amen



Scripture Reading

~ Liturgist

Luke 4:14-21



The Message (MSG)

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To Set the Burdened Free

14-15 Jesus returned to Galilee powerful in the Spirit. News that he was back spread through the countryside.

He taught in their meeting places to everyone's acclaim and pleasure.





16-17 He came to Nazareth where he had been raised. As he always did on the Sabbath, he went to the meeting place.

When he stood up to read, he was handed the scroll of the prophet Isaiah. Unrolling the scroll, he found the place where it was written,

*18-19 God's Spirit is on me;
he's chosen me to preach the
Message of good news to the
poor,
Sent me to announce pardon to
prisoners and recovery of sight to
the blind,
To set the burdened and battered
free, to announce,
"This is God's time to shine!"*

20-21 He rolled up the scroll, handed it back to the assistant, and sat down. Every eye in the place was on him, intent. Then he started in,

“You’ve just heard Scripture make history. It came true just now in this place.”







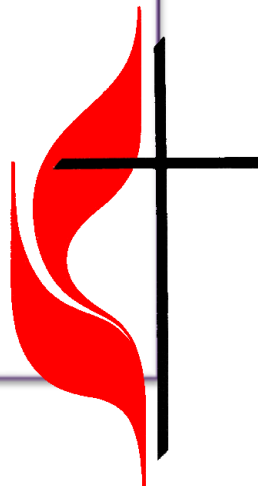
**The Word of God for
the People of God!**

Thanks be to God!

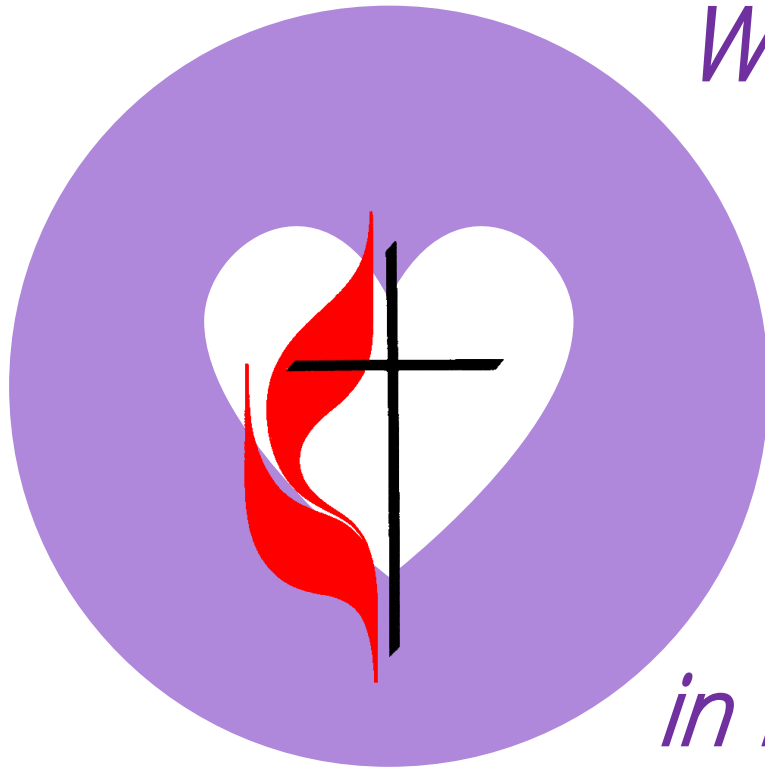
Cheverly UMC's Mission

To show Christ's love for us by:

-  *Welcoming all,*
-  *Worshipping joyfully*
-  *Sharing our faith, and*
-  *Serving others.*



Cheverly UMC's Vision



*We are the church
in the heart of
the community,
with the community
in its heart.*



Children's Moment



Hymn of Preparation

Brian Frye, Piano

*“Open My Eyes, That I
May See”*

UMH 454

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Verse 1

*Open my eyes that I may see
Glimpses of truth Thou hast for me
Place in my hands the wonderful key.
That shall unclasp and set me free*

Chorus

Silently now I wait for Thee

Ready my God Thy will to see

Open my eyes illumine me

Spirit divine

Verse 2

Open my ears that I may hear

Voices of truth Thou sendest clear

And while the wave notes fall on my ear

Everything false will disappear

Chorus

Silently now I wait for Thee

Ready my God Thy will to see

Open my eyes illumine me

Spirit divine

Verse 3

Open my mouth and let me bear

Gladly the warm truth everywhere

Open my heart and let me prepare

Love with Thy children thus to share

Chorus

Silently now I wait for Thee

Ready my God Thy will to see

Open my eyes illumine me

Spirit divine



Sermon: This is God's time to shine!

“The **Spirit** of the Lord is upon me,
because he has anointed me
to proclaim good news to the **POOR**...
to set at **LIBERTY** those who are oppressed,
to proclaim the **YEAR** of the
LORD'S FAVOR.”
Luke 4:18-19

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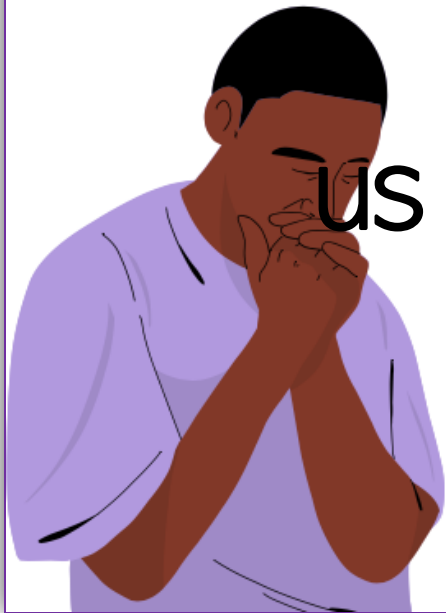
The Lord's Prayer

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And now we pray, as

Jesus taught

us in our own language:



*Our Father,
who art in heaven...
(que estas en los cielos)...*

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 trespasses,
as we forgive those
who trespass against us.*

And lead us not into temptation,

but deliver us from evil.

For thine is the kingdom,

and the power, and the glory,

*forever. **Amen***

Tithes and Offerings



*God of our ancestors,
Caretaker of our future,
thank you for your faithful love.*

*May the gifts we bring before
you this day honor the many
ways you bless this church.*

*And may our offering reflect our
commitment to lead lives of love,
as we continue Jesus' mission to bring
good news to the poor, the blind,
and freedom to the oppressed.*

In your holy name, we pray.

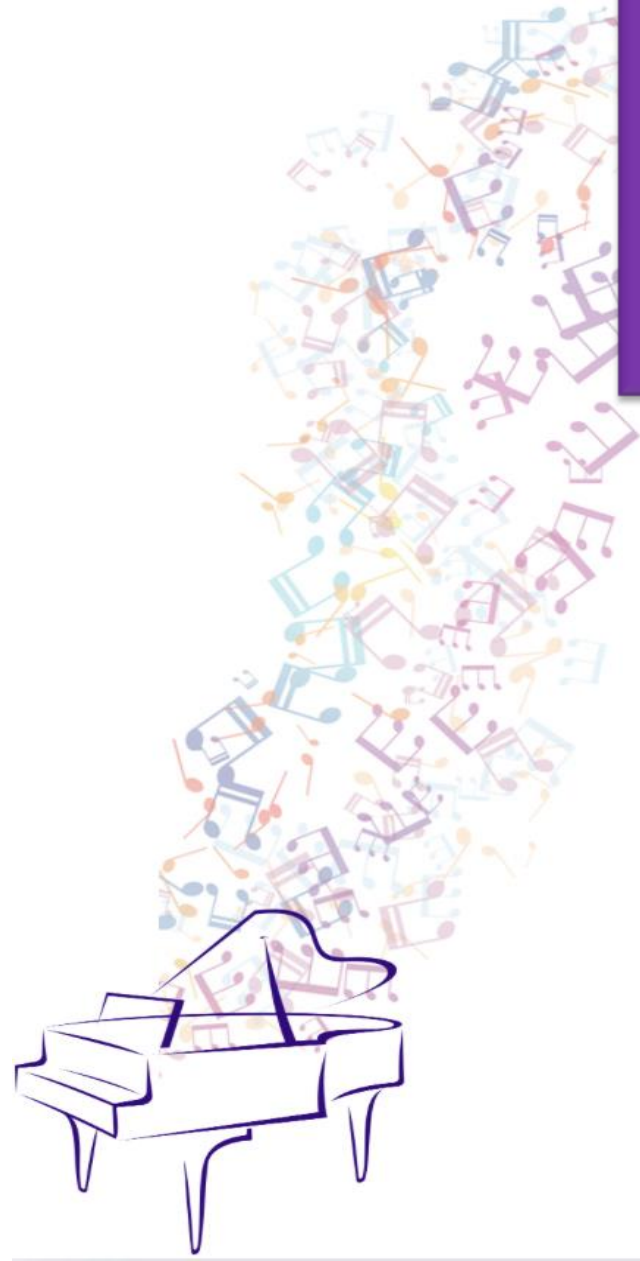
Amen

Offertory

Brian Loisel, soloist

*“Thou Didst Leave Thy
Throne, Words”*

by Emily Elliot and music by Timothy
Matthews



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Praise God

from whom all blessings flow.

Praise God all creatures here below.

Praise God above ye heavenly Host.

Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

Amen

Announcements



Cheverly UMC's Bible Study

**Starting this Wednesday, January 8th
7:00-8:30pm**



**Check Realm for more information
& to access to the virtual meeting link.**

Take out is available

Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper

 **Cheverly UMC** at 2801 Cheverly Ave, Cheverly, MD 20785



Tuesday, March 4th

| 5:30-7:30pm

| Fogle Hall

\$10 adults

\$5 children 4 - 10

children 3 & under are free

Handbell Choir Rehearsals

The Handbell Choir will resume rehearsals on **Sunday, February 9th**. We will meet from **11:15 AM to 11:45 AM**, immediately following the worship service.

This opportunity is open to anyone from upper elementary age through adults. No prior music-reading experience is required, as all necessary skills will be taught during rehearsals.

If you have any questions,
please feel free to speak with Brian.



Affirmation Hymn

Brian Frye

Piano

*“O For a Thousand
Tongues to Sing”*

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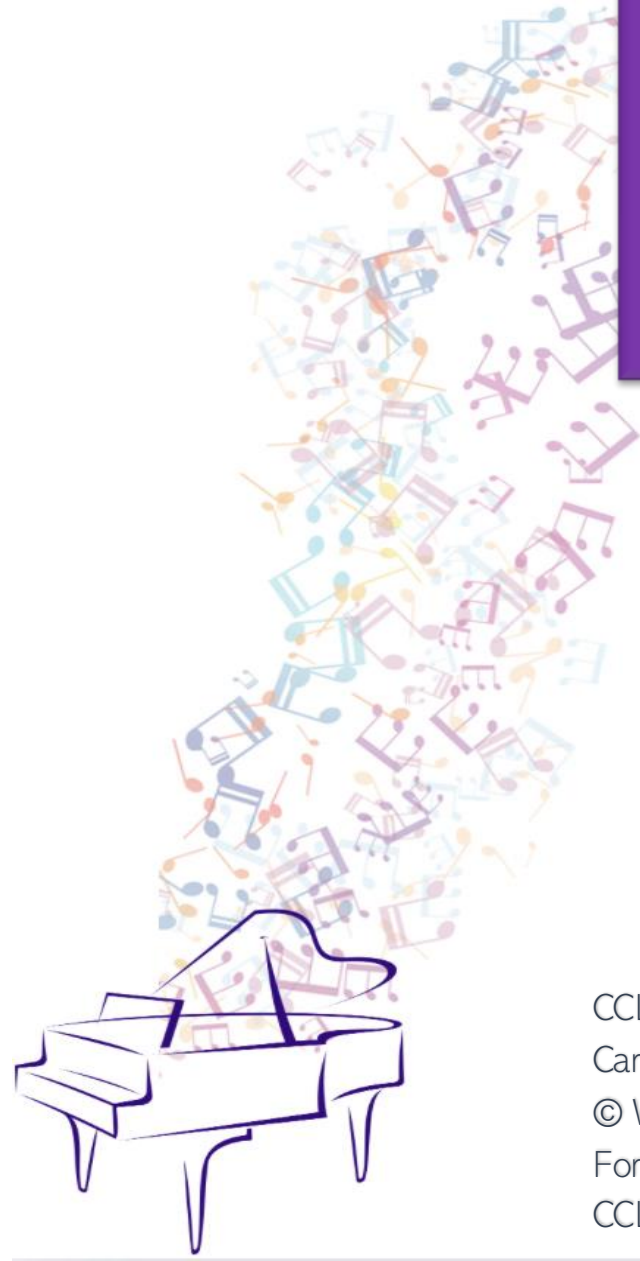
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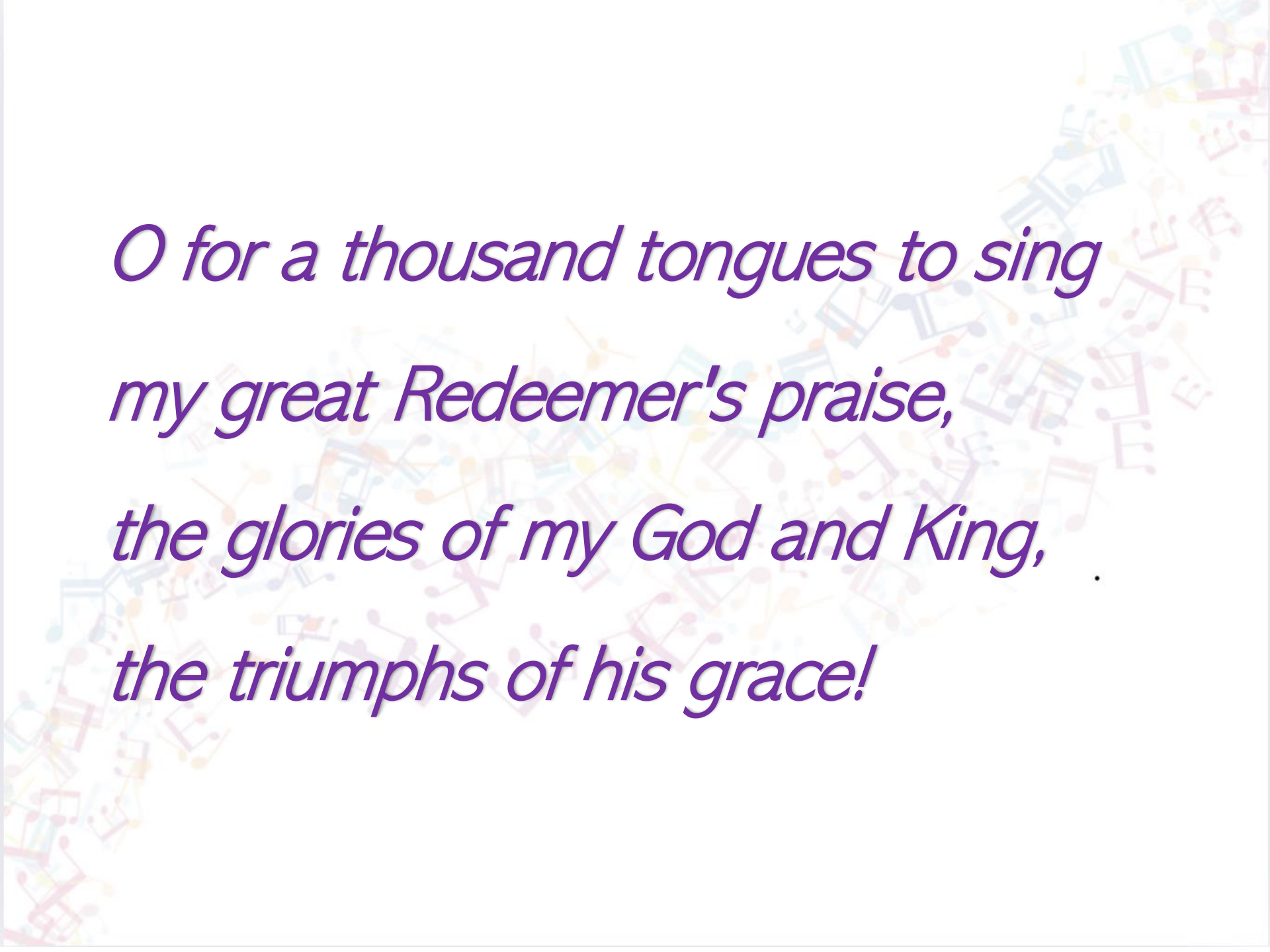
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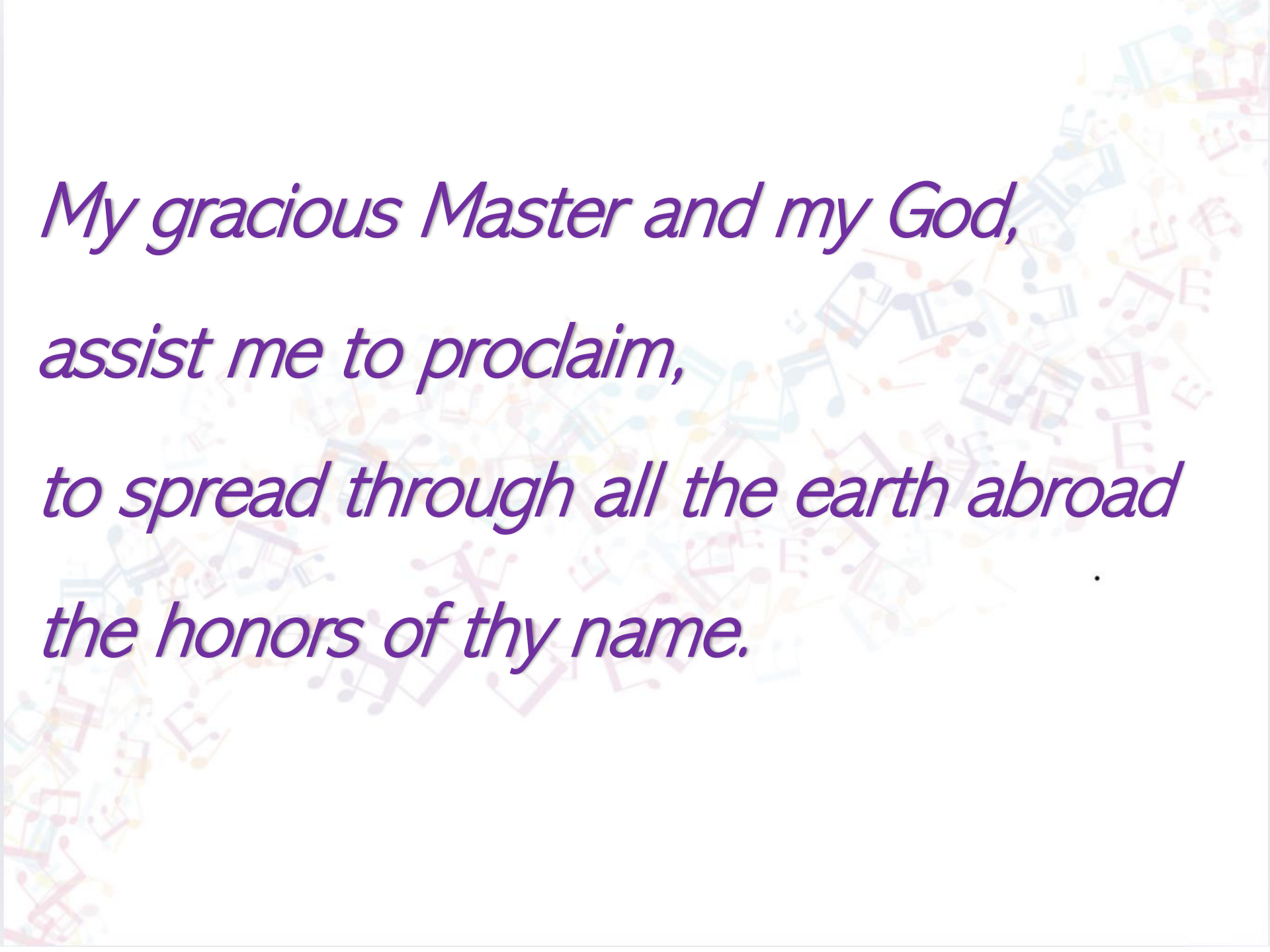
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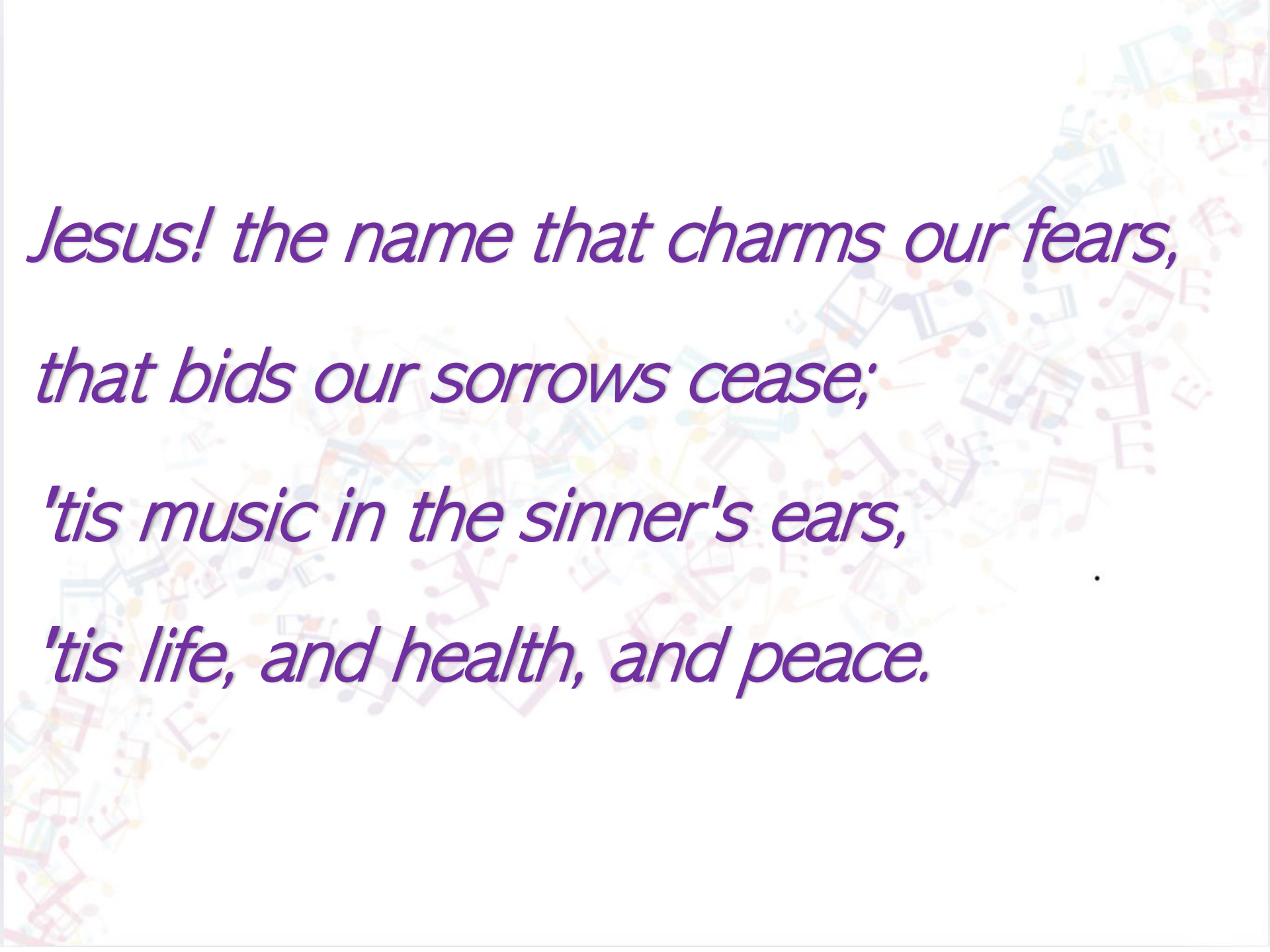


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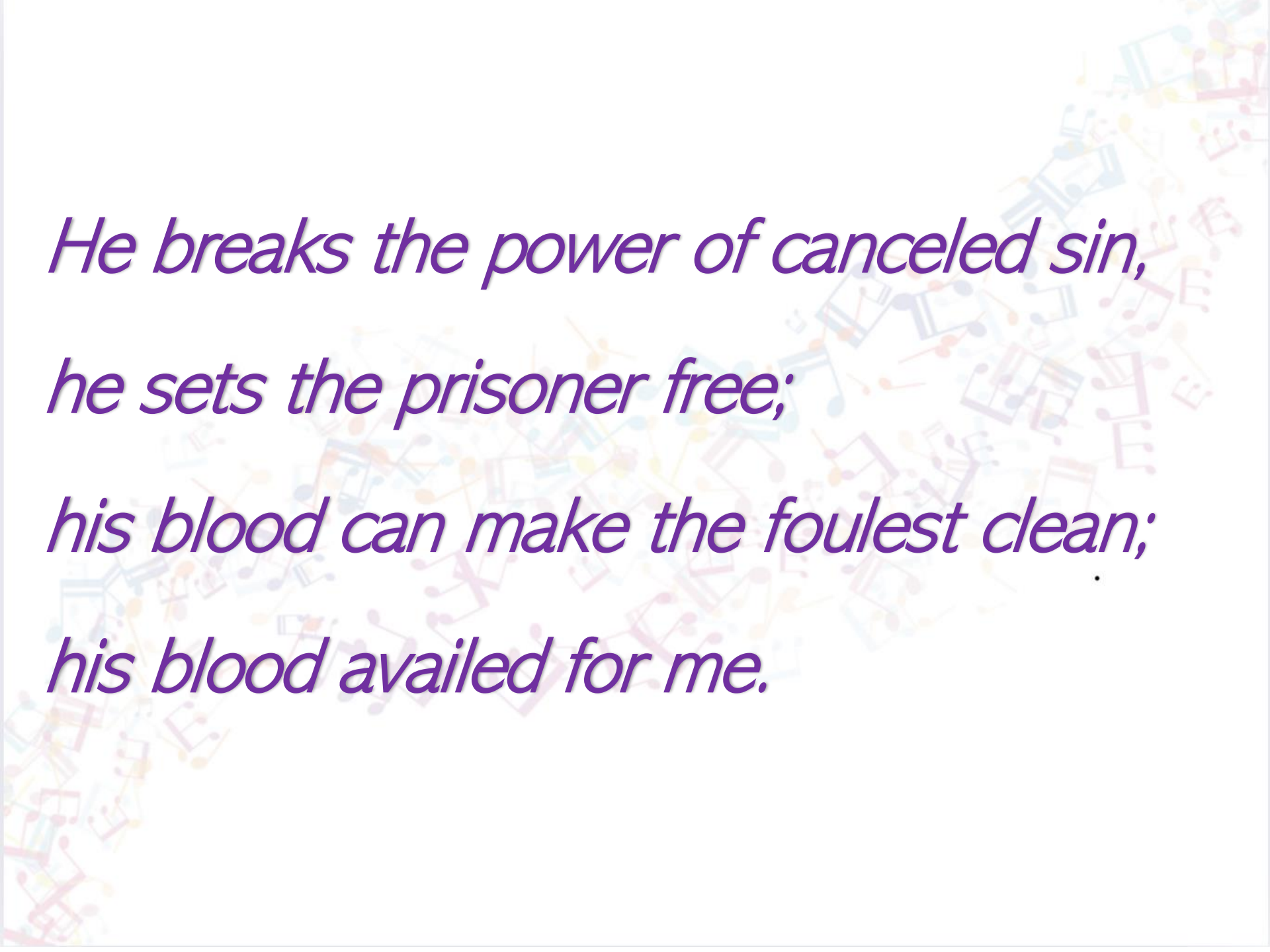
*O for a thousand tongues to sing
my great Redeemer's praise,
the glories of my God and King,
the triumphs of his grace!*



*My gracious Master and my God,
assist me to proclaim,
to spread through all the earth abroad
the honors of thy name.*

The background of the slide is a light, airy pattern of various musical notes and staves in soft colors like blue, yellow, and pink, scattered across the white background.

*Jesus! the name that charms our fears,
that bids our sorrows cease;
'tis music in the sinner's ears,
'tis life, and health, and peace.*

The background of the slide is white with a decorative pattern of colorful musical notes (blue, yellow, pink, and orange) scattered across it, primarily concentrated on the right side.

*He breaks the power of canceled sin,
he sets the prisoner free;
his blood can make the foulest clean;
his blood availed for me.*

*He speaks, and listening to his voice,
new life the dead receive;
the mournful, broken hearts rejoice,
the humble poor believe*



Sending Forth



Rev. Dr. Miguel Balderas



Let's go out in peace and power
To love and serve the Lord





Postlude
Brian Frye, Piano

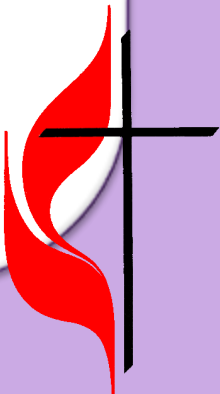
*“More Love, More
Power”*

arr. Carol Tornquist



End of Worship

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participation in today's
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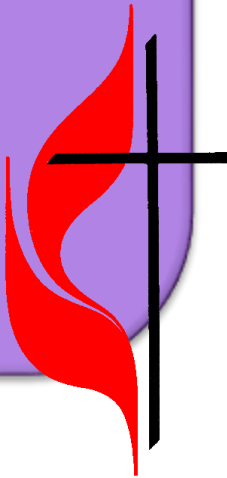


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