

## **First Hymn**

### 1. Hymn. 556

Our Father knows my need today;  
I do not merely ask  
For happy hours or golden way,  
Or loving, helpful task;  
But, with all trust in Love, I pray:  
Our Father knows my need today.

Our Father knows my need this hour;  
Where'er my steps may go,  
The saving light from Truth's high tower  
Now leads me—this I know.  
Yours is the majesty and power,  
O Love divine, this day—this hour.

Our Mother knows this moment's need,—  
My work, my prayer, my song,  
The healing word and Christlike deed.  
Here where the way seems long,  
Truth's manna falls and I am fed;  
Love's light shines clear and I am led.

Love sets the earth-bound captive free;  
And, mindful of Her own,  
With loving care God's leading me.  
When wandering and lone,  
I find in Truth the living way:  
Our Mother knows my need today.

## **Scriptural selection**

### 1. Ps. 20:1, 2, 5–8

- 1 The Lord hear thee in the day of trouble; the name of the God of Jacob defend thee;
- 2 Send thee help from the sanctuary, and strengthen thee out of Zion;
- 5 We will rejoice in thy salvation, and in the name of our God we will set up our banners: the Lord fulfil all thy petitions.
- 6 Now know I that the Lord saveth his anointed; he will hear him from his holy heaven with the saving strength of his right hand.

Some trust in chariots, and some in horses: but we will remember the name of the Lord our God.  
8 They are brought down and fallen: but we are risen, and stand upright.

## 2. Matt. 5:38–40, 42–48

38 ¶ Ye have heard that it hath been said, An eye for an eye, and a tooth for a tooth:  
39 But I say unto you, That ye resist not evil: but whosoever shall smite thee on thy right cheek, turn to him the other also.  
40 And if any man will sue thee at the law, and take away thy coat, let him have thy cloak also.  
42 Give to him that asketh thee, and from him that would borrow of thee turn not thou away.  
43 ¶ Ye have heard that it hath been said, Thou shalt love thy neighbour, and hate thine enemy.  
44 But I say unto you, Love your enemies, bless them that curse you, do good to them that hate you, and pray for them which despitefully use you, and persecute you;  
45 That ye may be the children of your Father which is in heaven: for he maketh his sun to rise on the evil and on the good, and sendeth rain on the just and on the unjust.  
46 For if ye love them which love you, what reward have ye? do not even the publicans the same?  
47 And if ye salute your brethren only, what do ye more than others? do not even the publicans so?  
48 Be ye therefore perfect, even as your Father which is in heaven is perfect.

## Second and Third Hymn

### 2. Hymn. 234

O Master, let me walk with thee  
In lowly paths of service free;  
Tell me thy secret; help me bear  
The strain of toil, the fret of care.

Help me the slow of heart to move  
By some clear winning word of love;  
Teach me the wayward feet to stay,  
And guide them in the homeward way.

Teach me thy patience; still with thee  
In closer, dearer company,  
In work that keeps faith sweet and strong,  
In trust that triumphs over wrong.

In hope that sends a shining ray  
Far down the future's broadening way;  
In peace that God alone can give,  
With thee, O Master, let me live.

### 3. Hymn. 469

Eternal God, the Cause of all creation,  
Your goodness shines through all eternity.  
From age to age Your name has been exalted,  
Your glory fills the earth, the sky, and sea.  
Almighty One, creative Mind, our Maker,

Which was, and is, and evermore shall be.

Dear God of love, eternal Father-Mother,  
Supply our need, our every need each day;  
Teach us to love the way You love Your children,  
Purge us from sin and self, with trust we pray:  
“Thy kingdom come,” in all earth as in heaven,  
You are our light, our guide, our hope, our stay.

Your Word of truth is ever our companion;  
We are assured Your healing love is here.  
Help us to prove, as Jesus proved before us,  
Truth casts out sin, disease, and death, and fear.  
And may Your Word abide with us forever,  
O Lord of life, of truth, and love, most dear.

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### **Benediction**

**Ps. 121:7, 8**

- 7 The Lord shall preserve thee from all evil: he shall preserve thy soul.
- 8 The Lord shall preserve thy going out and thy coming in from this time forth, and even for evermore.

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### **Music selections**

-  Prelude: *O Dreamer (O Danny Boy), This Is The Day The Lord Hath Made, and The Heavens Declare Thy Glory*, by Zack Danziger, from the album "Songs In The Key of Faith"
- Second hymn, 234: *O Master Let Me Walk With Thee*, from the album "The Best of Larry Groce"
- Solo: *Divine Love*, by Peter Link, from the album "Julia Wade - Solos"
- Collection: *I Am The Lord*, by Zack Danziger, from the album "Songs In The Key of Faith"
- Postlude: *Hymn 085*, by the Christian Science Publishing Society