

ORDER FOR WORSHIP

THIRD SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

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JUNE 26, 2022

10:00 A.M.

*Our Vision is to grow as a family of believers and seekers
where all are invited to celebrate God's grace
in Christ.*

*We pray that seekers will become believers, and believers will become active
disciples of Christ as they learn, serve, and reach out
in word and in deed.*

PREPARING TO HEAR GOD'S WORD

PRELUDE:

*CALL TO WORSHIP:

Leader: Come, now is the time for Worship

People: Come, now is the time to behold Your God!

*HYMN #379 "My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less"

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

*Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word,
and deed; by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved
you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly
sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us
and forgive us; that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of
your Name. Amen.*

SILENT CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

*RESPONSE: #579 "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.*

COMMISSION AND CHARGE FOR WORK CAMP TEAM

HYMN # 369 "I'm Gonna Live So God Can Use Me"

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

MOMENT FOR MISSION – LONG RANGE PLANNING

A TIME TO GREET ONE ANOTHER

HEARING GOD'S WORD

NEW TESTAMENT:

Acts 2:17-21

Pew Bible Page 1056

SERMON:

“4 Feet 8 and 1/2 Inches”

Ken Pollitt

RESPONDING TO GOD'S WORD

*HYMN INSERT “Change My Heart, O God”

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

THE LORD'S PRAYER (debts/debtors)

PRAYER RESPONSE: Hymn #316 “Breathe On Me, Breath of God”

*Breathe on me, Breath of God. Fill me with life anew,
That I may love what Thou dost love, And do what Thou wouldst do.*

OFFERING OF GIFTS AND TITHES

OFFERTORY

*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. Amen.*

*THE PRAYER OF DEDICATION

TAKING GOD'S WORD TO THE WORLD

*HYMN #525 “Here I Am Lord”

*THE BENEDICTION

PASSING THE PEACE: *“May God's peace be with you.”*

POSTLUDE

* Those who are able please stand.

The Lay Reader this morning is Carol J.

*We thank Ken Pollitt for leading us in worship and Jessica for sharing her
musical talents.*



Thank you for worshiping with us. Please join us again next Sunday.

Scripture: Isaiah 6:8-11a; Matthew 13:3-17

Sermon Title: “Why Parables?”

JUNE 26, 2022... During the musical prelude we ask that you prepare for worship by quiet prayer and reflection. If you are visiting our virtual worship service, we extend a special welcome. We invite you to please sign your name in the Chat room (icon located in Zoom's tool bar at the bottom of the screen) this is a good way to meet the people joining us this morning. If you have any questions, please feel free to call the church office or visit our website www.oysterbaypresbyterian.org.

OUR SPECIAL MINISTRY OF PRAYER ... Please keep the following people in your prayers: Bill, Hailey, Chris and Luna, Ryan O. all those suffering from cancer, special prayers for Ukraine and the refugees, for the veterans and military personnel returning from service wounded in body, mind or spirit.

THE CHANCEL FLOWERS ... *are given to the glory of God and in memory of Dorothy & Jim Clifford and Fanna & Ted Albers from Maureen and Darrell Albers.*

COFFEE HOUR... Nat & Christine K.
Shirley A.
Next Week: Rita & Jim R.
Elaine & Luis E.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY ...
June 26 Ellis C.
28 Shirley A.
Ian McC.
29 Jenn C.

CIRCLE OF PRAYER ... If you have need for special prayers, concerns or thanksgivings, please call the church office 922-5477 or Kristine 922-3126.

This week...

Today	Worship In-person & on Zoom	10:00 p.m.
	Work Camp	June 26 - July 2
	Oyster Bay Music Festival	June 26 - July 5
Coming Up...	VBS	July 11 - July 15
	What Presbyterians Believe	July 18

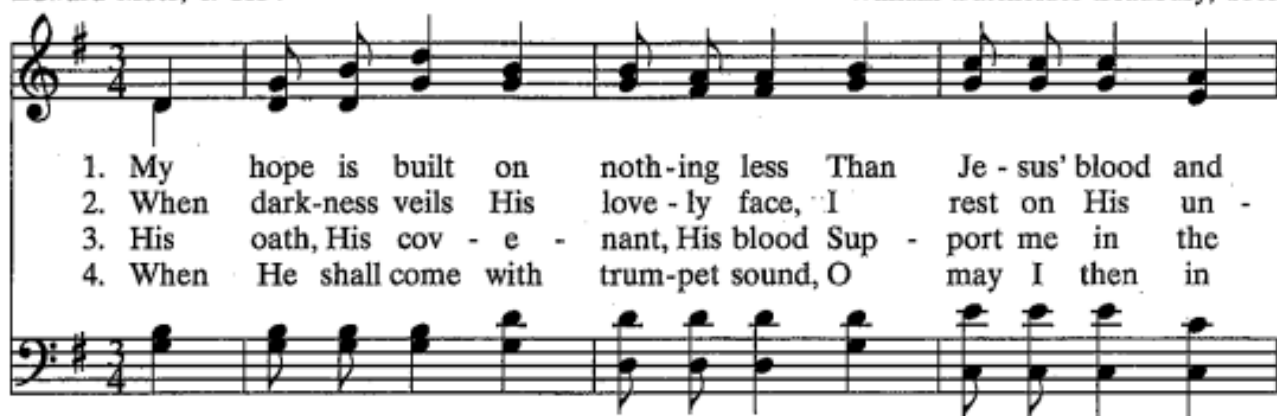


My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less

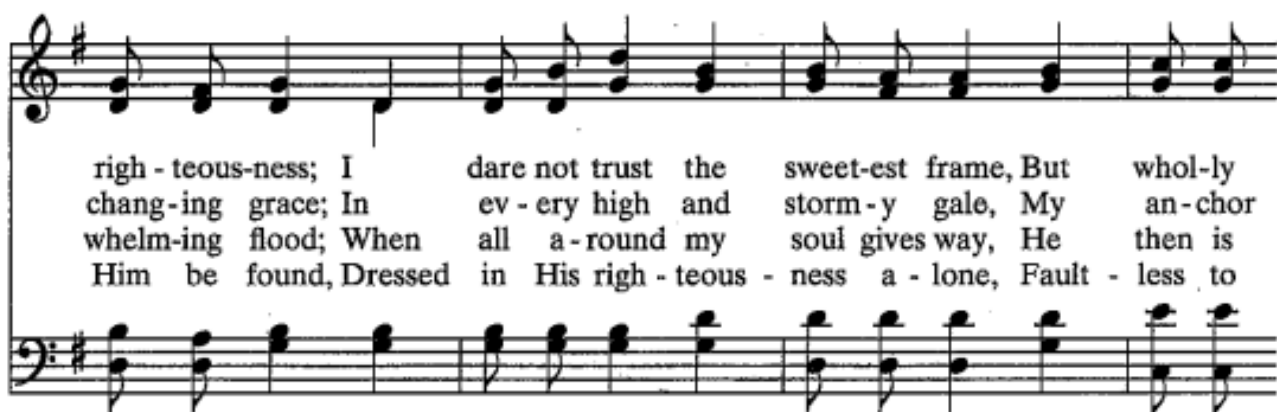
SOLID ROCK · LM with refrain

Edward Mote, c. 1834

William Batchelder Bradbury, 1863



1. My hope is built on noth-ing less Than Je - sus' blood and
 2. When dark-ness veils His love - ly face, I rest on His un -
 3. His oath, His cov - e - nant, His blood Sup - port me in the
 4. When He shall come with trum-pet sound, O may I then in

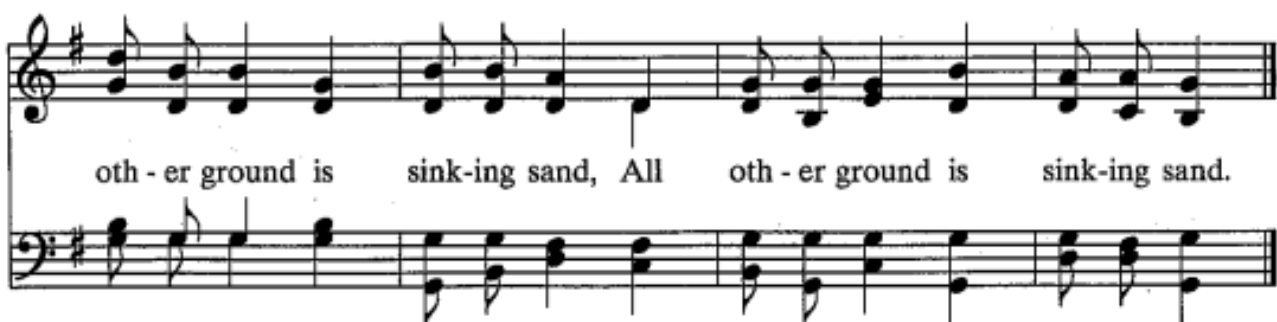


righ - teous-ness; I dare not trust the sweet-est frame, But whol-ly
 chang-ing grace; In ev - ery high and storm - y gale, My an - chor
 whelm-ing flood; When all a - round my soul gives way, He then is
 Him be found, Dressed in His righ - teous - ness a - lone, Fault - less to

Refrain



lean on Je - sus' name.
 holds with - in the veil. On Christ, the sol - id Rock, I stand; All
 all my hope and stay.
 stand be - fore the throne.



oth - er ground is sink-ing sand, All oth - er ground is sink-ing sand.

Litany of Commissioning

At this time, I ask that the Work Team come forward.

Leader: We present these servants before you, O Lord, committing to pray for them in their service to you.

Mission Work Team (*please repeat after me*):

We present ourselves to you... thankful for your call to serve... thankful for this opportunity... and thankful for the assurance that You go with us.

Congregation: (*Unison*)

We send these, your missionaries, out as an extension of ourselves, seeking your protection and wisdom for them.

We acknowledge we can do nothing without you, O Lord, and all that will be accomplished is because of you and through you, Mighty God. We ask your blessing on this Work Crew... in the name of your Son Jesus, and through the power of the Holy Spirit.

As the Work Crew is dismissed...

369 I'm Gonna Live So God Can Use Me

I'M GONNA LIVE Irregular

African-American spiritual

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Arr. Wendell Whalum (1932-1987)

1. I'm gon-na live so (live so)
2. I'm gon-na work so (work so) God can use me an - y - where, Lord,
3. I'm gon-na pray so (pray so)
4. I'm gon-na sing so (sing so)

an - y - time! I'm gon-na live so (live so)
(an - y - time!) I'm gon-na work so (work so) God can
I'm gon-na pray so (pray so)
I'm gon-na sing so (sing so)

use me an - y - where, Lord, an - y - time!
(my Lord,) (an - y - time!)

INSERT HYMN

Change My Heart, O God

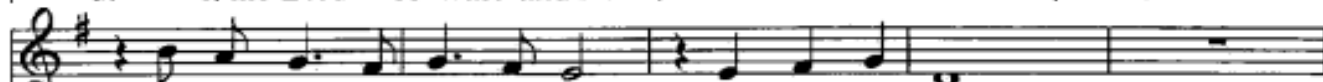
Eddie Espinosa
arranged by Ken Pollitt

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Change my heart, O God, make it ev-er true, Change my heart, O God,
10
may I be like you Change my heart, O God, make it ev-er true,
17
Change my heart, O God, may I be like you You are the pot - ter
23
I am the clay, mold me and shape me this is what I pray.
29
Change my heart, O God, make it ev-er true, Change my heart, O God,
35
1. may I be like you You are the you. 2.

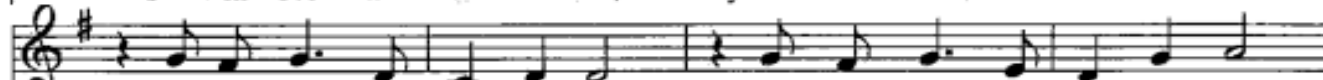
Detailed description: This is a musical score for the hymn 'Change My Heart, O God'. It is written in 4/4 time and consists of six staves of music. The lyrics are written below the notes. The score includes a key signature of one flat (B-flat) and a common time signature. The lyrics are: 'Change my heart, O God, make it ev-er true, Change my heart, O God, may I be like you Change my heart, O God, make it ev-er true, Change my heart, O God, may I be like you You are the pot - ter I am the clay, mold me and shape me this is what I pray. Change my heart, O God, make it ev-er true, Change my heart, O God, may I be like you You are the you.' The score includes a first ending bracket over the final two measures, with a second ending indicated by a double bar line and the number 2.



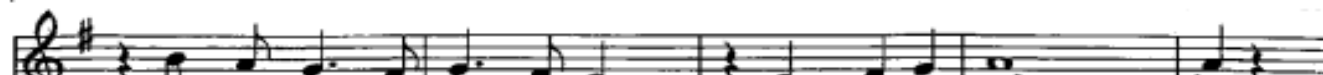
1. I, the Lord of sea and sky, I have heard My peo-ple cry.
 2. I, the Lord of snow and rain, I have borne My peo-ple's pain.
 3. I, the Lord of wind and flame, I will tend the poor and lame.



All who dwell in deep-est sin My hand will save.
 I have wept for love of them, They turn a - way.
 I will set a feast for them, My hand will save.




I who made the stars of night, I will make their dark-ness bright.
 I will break their hearts of stone, Give them hearts for love a - lone.
 Fin-est bread I will pro-vide Till their hearts be sat - is - fied.




Who will bear My light to them? Whom shall I send?
 I will speak My word to them. Whom shall I send?
 I will give My life to them. Whom shall I send?

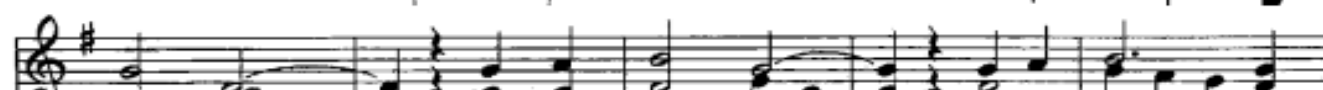
*Refrain
Unison*



Here I am, Lord. Is it I, Lord? I have



heard You call-ing in the night I will



go, Lord, if You lead me. I will hold Your



peo - ple in my heart.

Fine

Our Mission Ministry Team needs your help!

A new pilot program is envisioned to start this fall – a monthly Community Dinner, but we need help! We see this as an outreach to the Community that is especially needed coming out of the isolation of recent years due to the pandemic, and the fact that some local support groups function primarily Monday – Friday.

We plan to have these dinners, followed by some fun activities, once a month on Saturdays, starting in September.

We are looking for four “teams”, each one to host a single dinner. A team can be a family, or a group of our congregation that forms a team. You will not be alone – the Mission Team will provide guidance and support.*

Right now we need to gauge support from our congregation so that we can proceed with planning over the summer.

I want to help, and will either form a team, or join a team with others. Email Jerry Lalonde at galalonde@aol.com, or place this form in the Offering Plate.

Print Name(s) _____

Preferred Phone # and email address _____

*Teams can expect to be asked to:

- Setup and take down tables and chairs
- Prepare a simple meal, such as spaghetti
- Serve meals
- Organize a fun activity, such as bingo, a movie, or trivia night.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

60 East Main Street, Oyster Bay - (516) 922-5477

Coming the week of July 11 - July 15

Monday through Friday

5:45 - 8:15 pm

Join us for a fun filled journey of music, adventure and learning about Jesus on the **ROCKY RAILWAY**

JESUS' POWER PULLS US THROUGH



Vacation bible school program is open to all children who have completed Pre-K to Grade 5

COST:

- 1 child in family - \$40 one week
- 2 children in family - \$50 one week
- 3 children in family - \$60 one week

Registration Forms are available:

Call Cristina at (516) 922-5477 to pre-register

(All checks payable to First Presbyterian Church of Oyster Bay)

An Important Organizational Meeting for Volunteers will be held at 6:00 p.m. on Thursday, July 7th, at the First Presbyterian Church

Adult Volunteers & Student Volunteers in Levels 7 and up are needed, Contact: Isa Gutierrez - grammieluv@gmail.com

(This is a volunteer program. Fees cover materials and expenses.)

Food Pantry donations for July and August

The Mission Team is trying a new approach for our Food Pantry donations to make it easier to remember what our community most needs. We will focus on a particular need each month.

For July and August, let's focus on things for Kids!

Over the summer more children are home and not receiving any breakfast or lunch at school, so let's help their families out!



Cereal
Oatmeal
Gatorade and Juices
Peanut butter
Grape or strawberry jelly
Kids snacks like crackers, fruit snacks, pretzels or trail mix
Mac & cheese
Canned tuna or chicken
Pasta and pasta sauce
Mayo & Ketchup
boxes of cookies
Granola bars

**Bring donations up on Sunday during the Children's' Message,
drop off at the Church anytime during the week when the office is open,
or take them to the local pantry most convenient to you:**

The People's Pantry, 123 Audrey Avenue, Oyster Bay, NY 11771

Accepting donations on Wednesdays from 12-6 and Fridays from 9-3 pm.
Shopping: Senior Wednesdays 3 pm-6 pm; Community Shopping Fridays 11 am-3 pm
To volunteer, go their website at <https://peoplelovingpeople.net/volunteer-form>

North Shore Community Church Food Pantry, 209 South St, Oyster Bay, NY 11771

Accepting donations at church office (on the corner) on Thursday and Friday between 10-3,
or Saturday morning at the back door of the church between 9-10.
Shopping: the pantry is open for shopping every Saturday morning from 9-10

NOSH Food Pantry/North Shore Soup Kitchen

NOSH is currently accepting donations of non-perishable food at two off-site locations:
Daniel Gale Sotheby's, 266 Sea Cliff Avenue, Sea Cliff
and Glen Cove Senior Center 130 Glen Street, Glen Cove.

North Shore Soup Kitchen has re-opened and is accepting donations for its food pantry at First Baptist Church, 7 Continental Place, Glen Cove, on Tuesday and Thursday mornings between 9am and noon.

Mimi Mernin's Food Pantry, Village Church, Bayville, 9 Mountain Avenue, Bayville, NY

Donations may be left in a bin at the back of the Church which is emptied daily. 516-628-2737

**Thanks for helping us to help our neighbors!
The Mission Outreach Ministry Team**