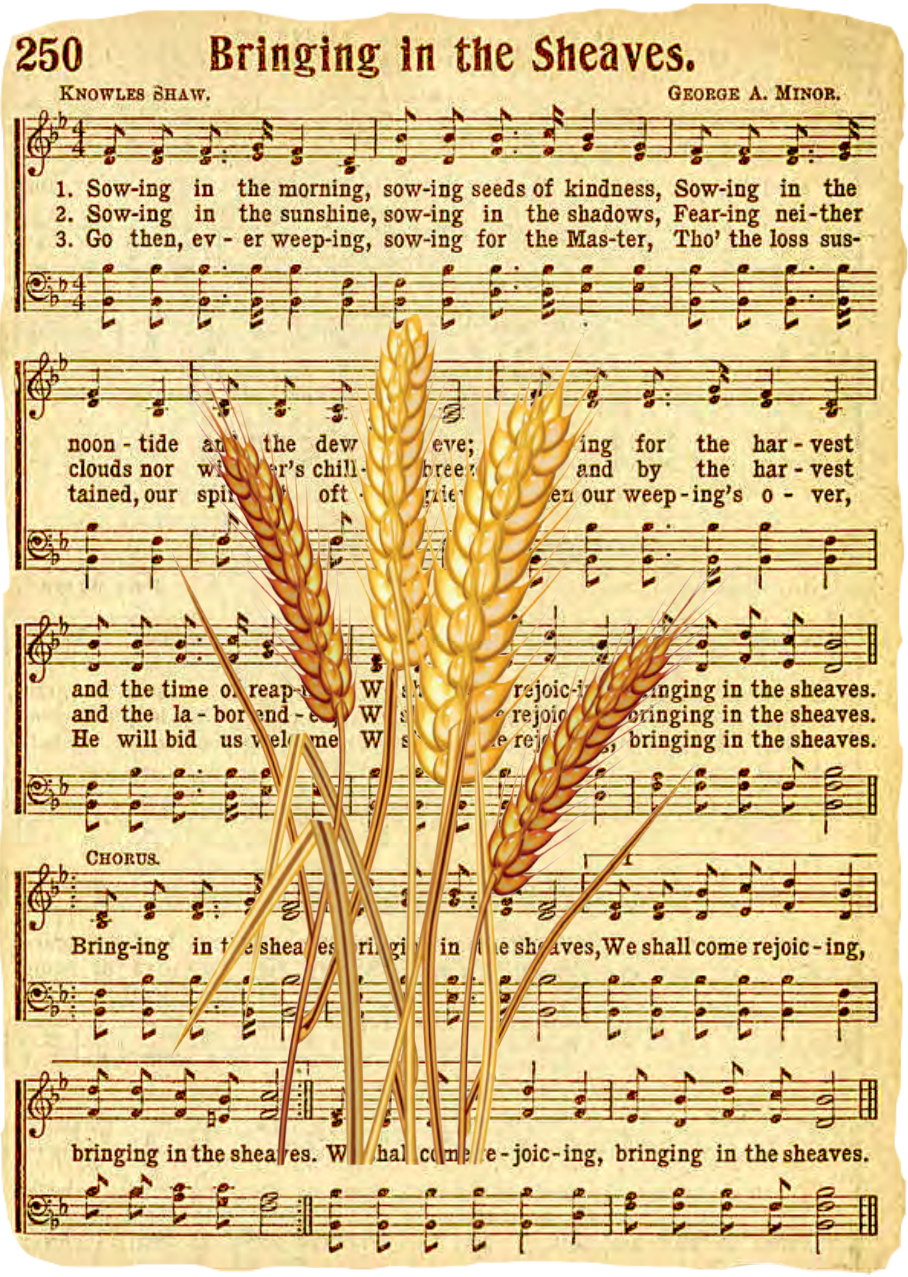
LA CASA DE CRISTO
LUTHERAN CHURCH

25TH WEEKEND OF PENTECOST
NOVEMBER 7 & 8, 2026
5:00PM - 8:00AM - 9:15AM



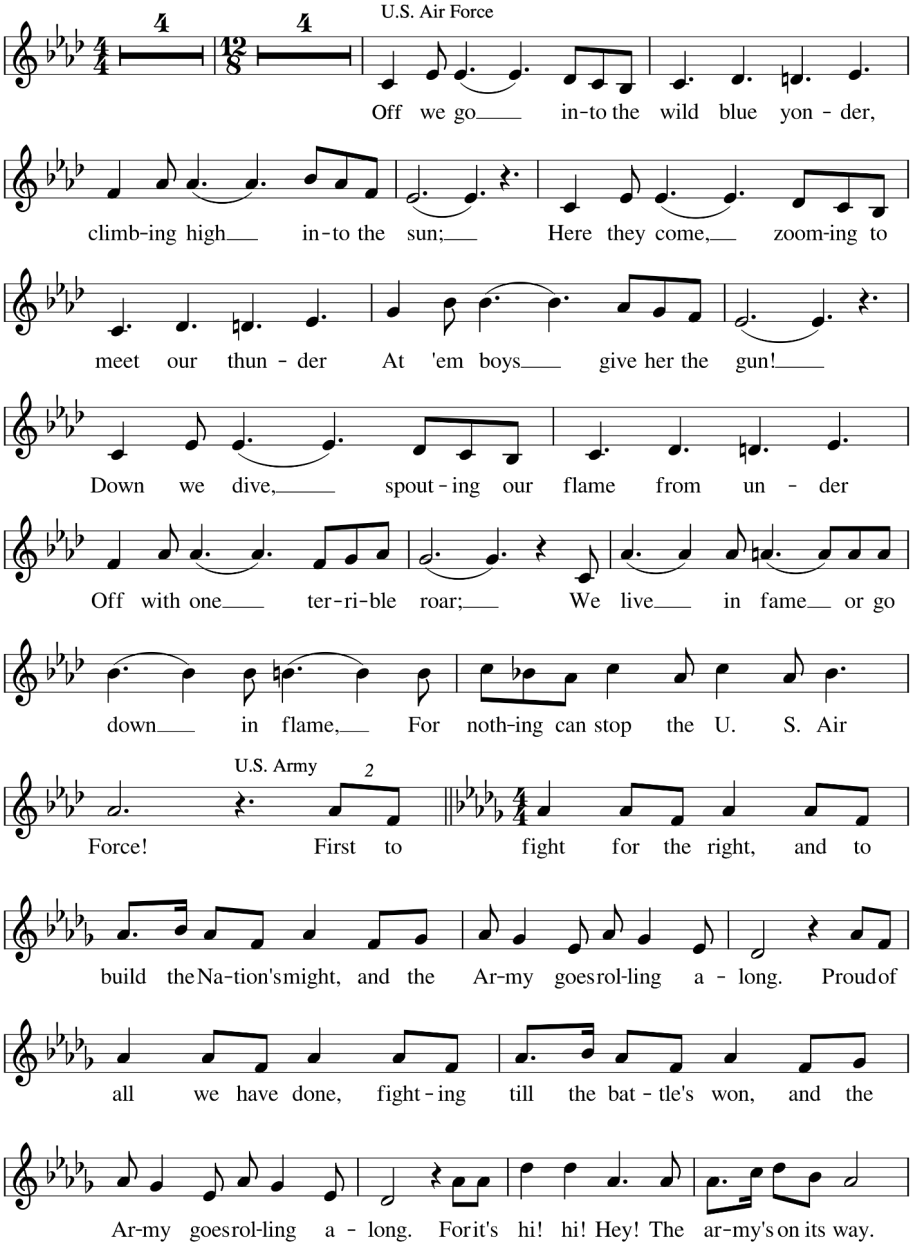
Prelude

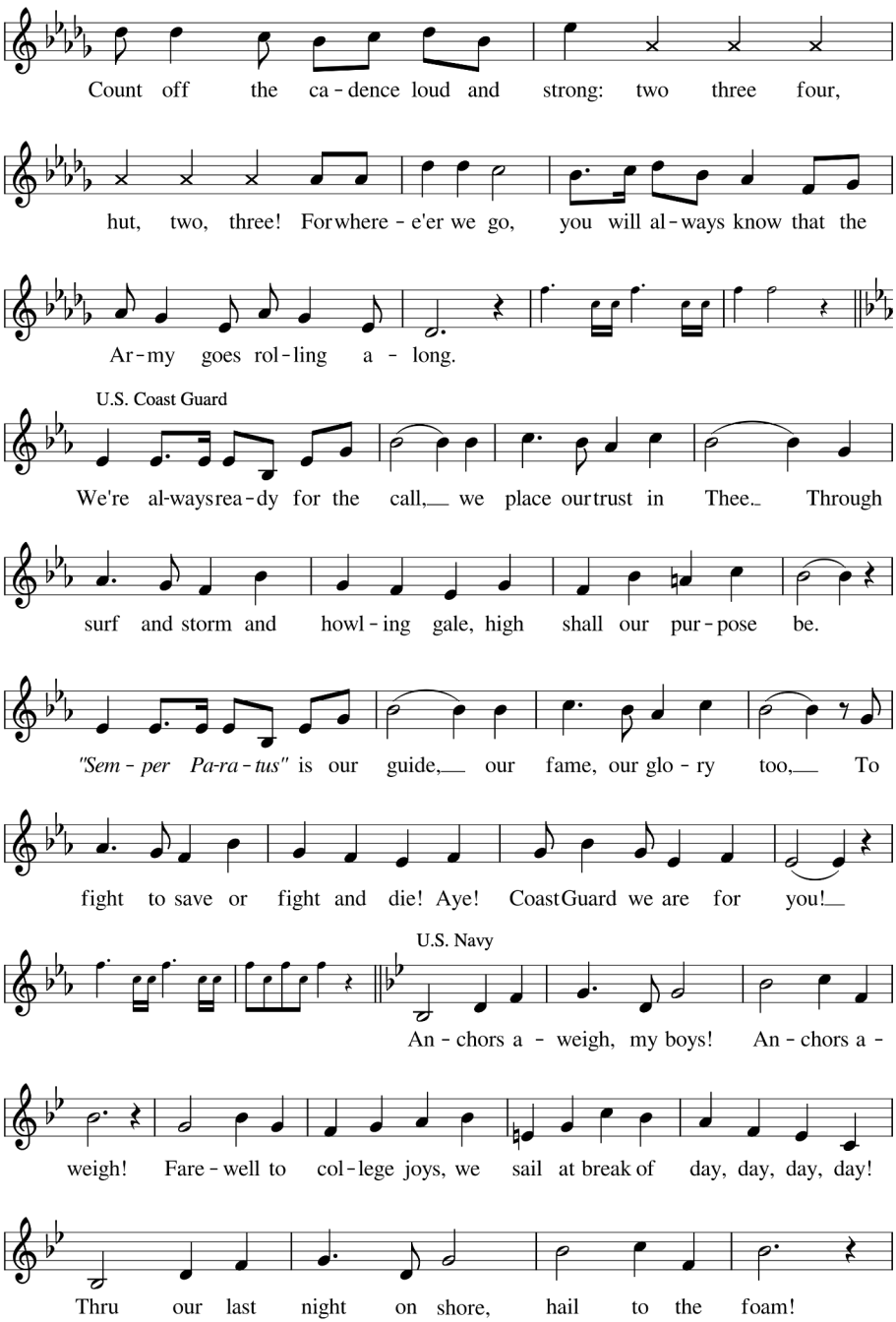
Breathe on Me, Breath of God
Michael Mazzatenta

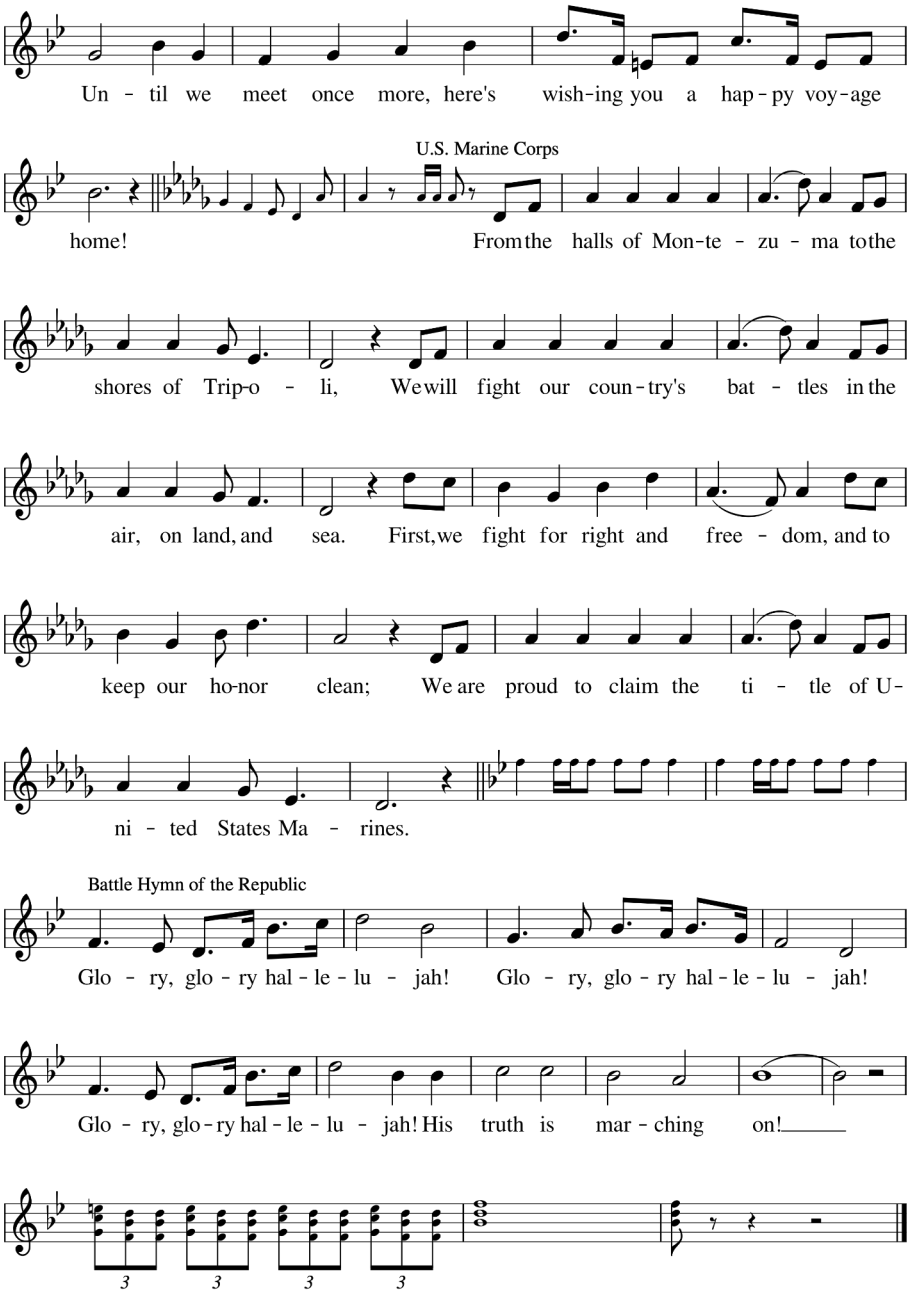
Service Medley

Salute to Armed Forces

arr. Don Wyrtzen




Count off the ca - dence loud and strong: two three four,
hut, two, three! For where - e'er we go, you will al - ways know that the
Ar - my goes rol - ling a - long.
U.S. Coast Guard
We're al-ways rea - dy for the call, we place our trust in Thee. Through
surf and storm and howl - ing gale, high shall our pur - pose be.
"Sem - per Pa-ra - tus" is our guide, our fame, our glo - ry too, To
fight to save or fight and die! Aye! Coast Guard we are for you!
U.S. Navy
An - chors a - weigh, my boys! An - chors a -
weigh! Fare - well to col - lege joys, we sail at break of day, day, day, day!
Thru our last night on shore, hail to the foam!



Stay Connected

Voluntary

Day By Day

Anna Laura Page

Confession and Forgiveness

Most merciful God,
We confess that we have sinned against you and our neighbors. We have ignored voices that call for your justice.

We have neglected actions that witness to your righteousness. We have spoken and acted in ways that disrupt your beloved community. We truly repent of things we have done and left undone.

For the sake of Jesus Christ, have mercy on us.
Restore our troubled spirits, so that we may live in newness, follow the way of the Spirit, and build up the body of Christ.
Amen.

Silence for reflection and self-examination.

Rejoice and be glad!
God hears the prayers of all that cry out,
and restores us to life through the death
and resurrection of Jesus Christ.
Therefore, I declare to you the forgiveness of all your sins,
in the name of the Father, and of the Son,
and of the Holy Spirit.
Amen.

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God,
and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.
And also with you.

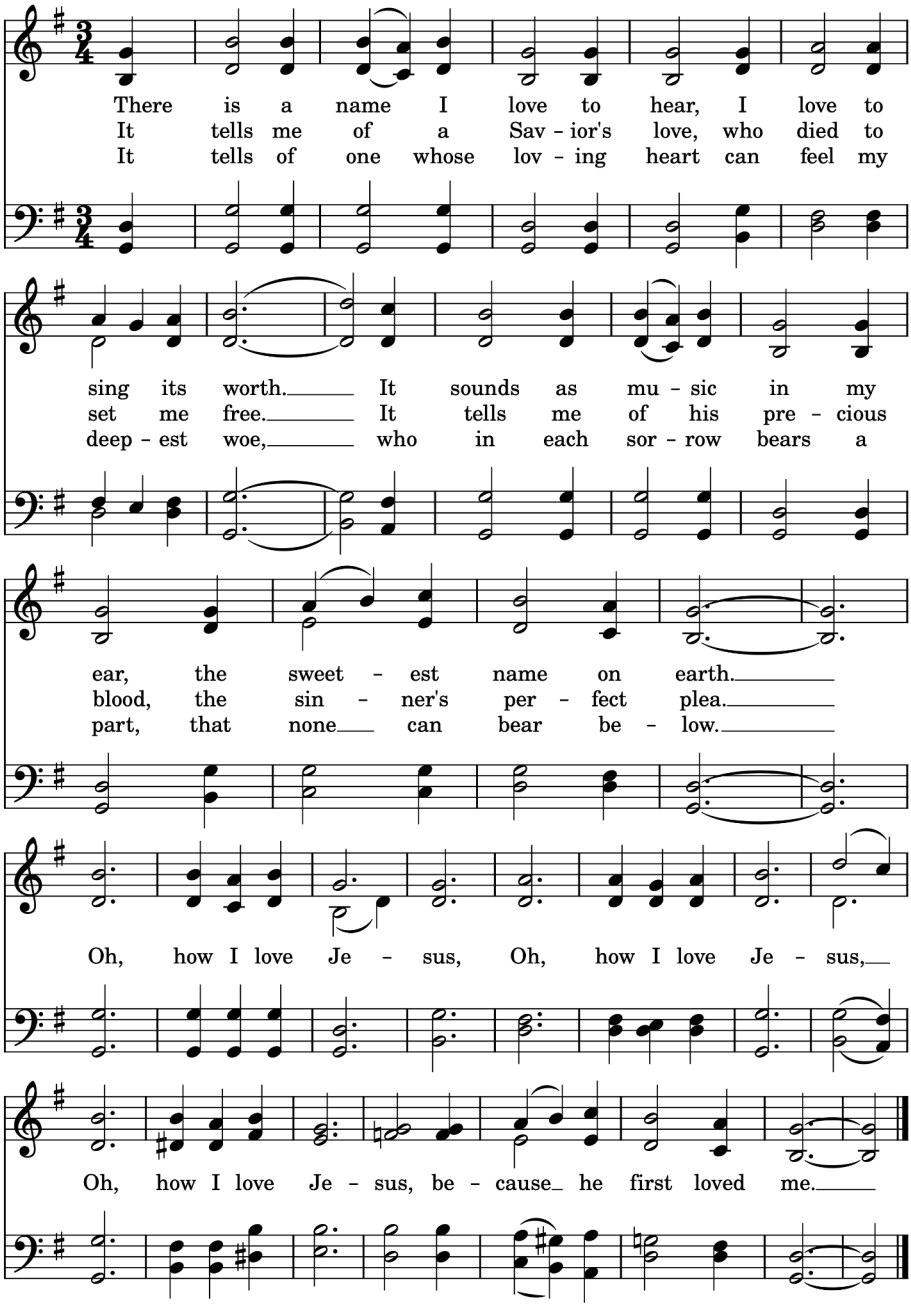
Kids' Time

Sharing of the Peace

The Scripture Lesson Revelation 22:1-5 (pew Bible pg. 879)

Following the reading:
The Word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

Hymn of the Day — Oh, How I Love Jesus



Sermon — Shall We Gather at the River

Pastor Matthew Knopf

Offertory

Shall We Gather at the River
David Lantz III

The Apostles' Creed (on screen)

Prayers of the Church

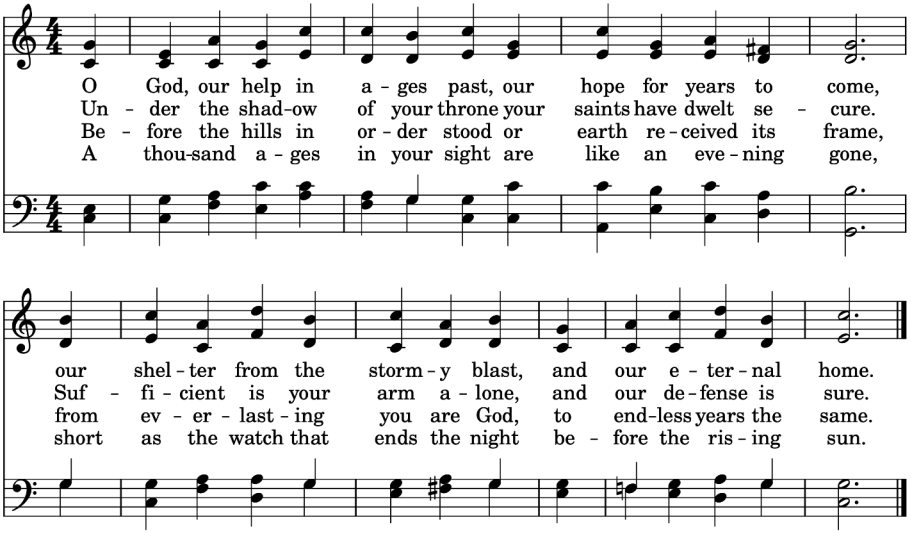
The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, 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 and ever. Amen.

Blessing and Dismissal

Sending Hymn

O God, Our Help in Ages Past



Postlude

Trumpet Tune
David Paxton

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Executive Pastor of Innovation: Matthew Knopf
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Organist & Handbell Director: Dr. Jeremy Peterman
AV Technical Director: Gary Spears
Media Coordinator: Conner Treude

Worship Audio and Video Support:
Danny McKeon, Anthony Xavier, Ethan Lindquist
Paul Hansen, Chase Coletta, Curt Galbraith, Cheryl Stevens

Altar Flowers Given By

Ann Murray, in memory of James L. Murray

Sermon

Pastor Matthew Knopf

Worship Musicians

Kathryn Ellefsen & Gavin Ely, vocalists
Sanctuary Choir (Sun.)
Carillon de Cristo (Sun.)
Lisa Brammer and Chad Cline, percussion (Sun.)
Rachel Peterman and Pat Snyder, violin (Sun.)

Lay Readers

5:00pm: Tony Coletta
8:00am: Bob Grebe
9:15am: Rex Salthun
10:30am: Brenda Anderson

To give an online offering:

Shall We Gather at the River

Offering lyrics

Shall we gather at the river, where bright angel feet have trod,
with its crystal tide forever flowing by the throne of God?
Yes, we'll gather at the river, the beautiful, the beautiful river.
Gather with the saints at the river that flows by the throne of God.
E'er we reach the shining river, lay we ev'ry burden down.
Grace our spirits will deliver, and provide a robe and crown.
Soon we will reach the shining river, soon our pilgrimage will cease.
Soon our happy hearts will quiver with the melody of peace.
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