

YOUNG CHILDREN

The nursery is open at 9 a.m. until the end of worship and is available anytime. Toddlers, or those in Preschool, Kindergarten, and grades 1-5 begin in worship with their families, then may leave for their classes after Sacred Space.

Toddler/Preschool: Hannah Braun

Sunday, February 8 | Girl Scout Troop 875

10:00 a.m. Worship in-person and online
11:15 a.m. Called Session Meeting, Parlor
11:15 a.m. Fellowship Hour, FH
12:30 p.m. El Trono Sunday School, FH
2:00 p.m. El Trono Worship, FH
2:00 p.m. El Trono, Nursery
5:30 p.m. Youth Group, 3rd flr. **NO YOUTH GROUP THIS SUNDAY**

Monday, February 9

1:00 p.m. Kathy Moorhead, Parlor
8:00 p.m. AA Group, FH

Tuesday, February 10

1:00 p.m. Alzheimer's Support Group, Parlor
6:30 p.m. #57 PTSA Meeting, Rm. 24 and Rambler Rm.
6:30 p.m. IAC Choir Practice, Choir Rm.
7:00 p.m. El Trono Women's Group, Rm. 25

Wednesday, February 11

12:30-1:30 p.m. Women's Sewing Group, Parlor
6:00-9:00 p.m. El Trono Children, 2nd and 3rd flr.
6:00-9:00 p.m. El Trono Worship/Bible Study, FH

Thursday, February 12

6:30 p.m. Bell Choir Practice, Choir Rm.
7:30 p.m. Choir Rehearsal, Sanctuary

Friday, February 13 | March Newsletter Deadline to Turn in Articles

10:00 a.m. Bridge Club, Fellowship Hall
6:00 p.m. El Trono Band Practice, FH
6:00-9:00 p.m. El Trono Hebreo Dance Class, Rambler Room

Saturday, February 14

10:30 - 1 p.m. EL Trono Seeds of Blessings, FH
11-3 p.m. Joyce Haibe's crafting group, Parlor

Sunday, February 15 | Transfiguration of the Lord

10:00 a.m. Worship in-person and online
11:15 a.m. Fellowship Hour, FH
12:30 p.m. El Trono Sunday School, FH
2:00 p.m. El Trono Worship, FH
2:00 p.m. El Trono, Nursery
4-5:15 p.m. Girl Scout Troop 875, 3rd flr. classroom
5:30 p.m. Youth Valentine's Celebration, 3rd Flr. Youth Room



We Welcome Luke Kessler as
our guest organist this
morning!

WORSHIP PARTICIPANTS

Liturgist

Beadle Hal Page
Ushers: West Door Lynda Dunlevy
Center Aisle Matt Harris
Greeter Kaiden Harris
Balcony Kyrie Harris
East Door Frank Hurdis
Head Usher Gail McNierney
Fellowship Hour Meryl Stuckey and Girl Scout Troop 875
Flower Delivery Gail McNierney and Ann Kitchen-Stauffer
Bus Driver *The bus is not running*
Parking Lot Security Jack Simpson

STAFF

Pastor & Head of Staff	The Rev. Dr. Jonathan H. Reinink
Pastor <i>Emeritus</i>	The Rev. Robert A. Heimach
Parish Associate	The Rev. Elizabeth Kaznak-Hall
Parish Associate	The Rev. Robert B. McAulay, Jr.
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Director of Communications & Community Engagement	Craig Shaw
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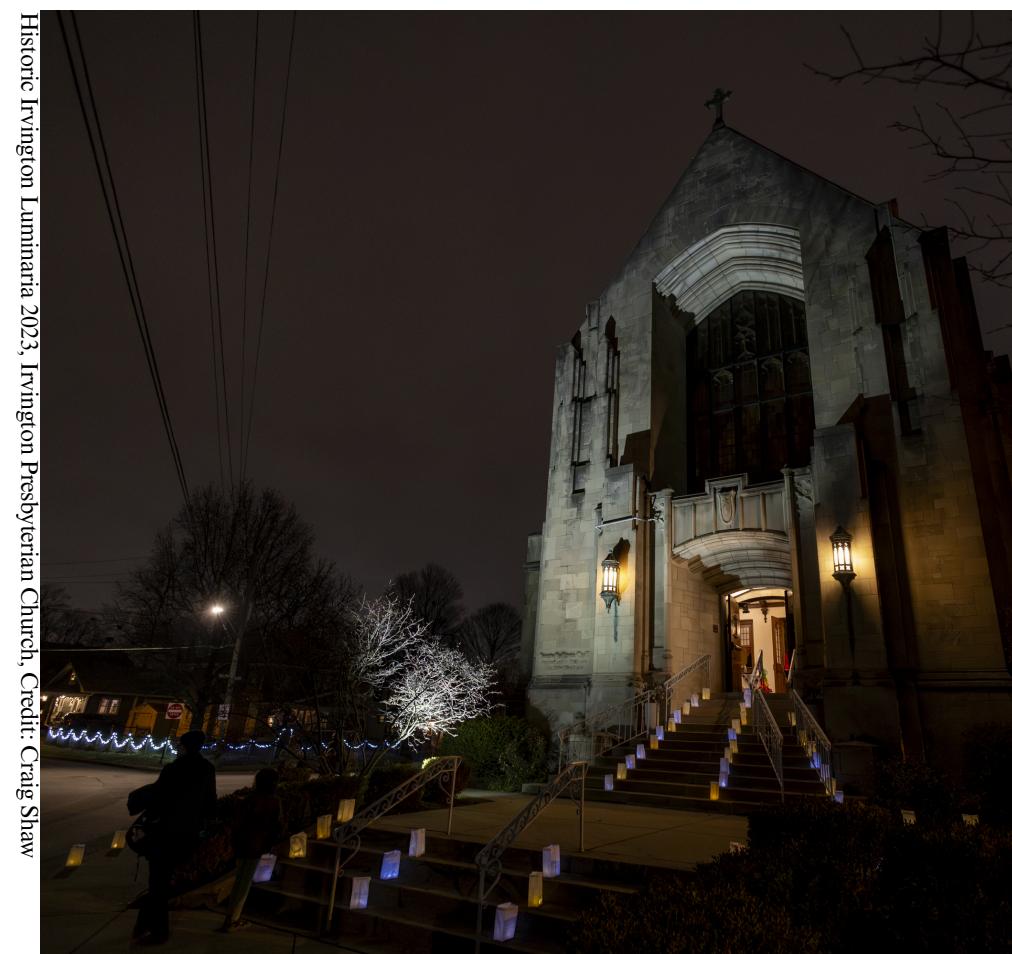
Office Hours: Monday - Friday 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Worship with us! Join live or watch later on our website or on:

 /IrvingtonPresbyterian
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Historic Irvington Luminaria 2023, Irvington Presbyterian Church, Credit: Craig Shaw



February 8, 2026
FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY
10:00 AM

*"Called to be an inclusive church that
lives by faith, is known by God's love, and
gives hope a voice in our neighborhood and world."*

FEBRUARY 8, 2026

FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY

Help us stay connected and know you worshiped with us!
Please sign the **red Ritual of Friendship pad** in your pew near the center aisle.

*Please stand in body or in spirit.

GATHERING

GREETING Rev. Dr. Jonathan Reinink
MOMENT FOR MISSION Love Offering, IPC Endowment
PRELUDE Lynda Dunlevy

CALL TO WORSHIP (Leader, People)

Leader: People of God, praise the Lord!

People: **Praise the Lord! Happy are those who fear the Lord, those who greatly delight in his commandments.**

Leader: Their descendants will be mighty in the land; the generation of the upright will be blessed.

People: **Wealth and riches are in their houses, and their righteousness endures forever.**

Leader: We who gather are broken yet holy; sinners at heart, yet fully redeemed. We are God's very own, called together here this day.

People: **Let us sing. Let us pray. Let us join together in worship. Praise the Lord!**

*HYMN # 1

Holy, Holy, Holy

NICAEA

CALL TO CONFESSION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Gracious God, we confess that this life of faith is harder to do than we expected. You call us to be salt of the earth and to live lives of justice and righteousness and love. But our lives become busy. Following what others do is just easier. And sometimes the cost for doing what is right seems too high. One day, perhaps, we will commit more fully, but the status quo works better for us right now.

Forgive us, we pray. Startle our senses and disrupt our routines.

Renew in us the passion for doing what is right in your eyes, and inspire us to be sources of your light in the world. May we, like the prophets and the saints, act by faith no matter how high the cost. (*Silent prayer*)

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

*RESPONSE #581 Glory Be To The Father

GREATOREX

*PASSING THE PEACE

The peace of Christ be with you! **And also with you!**

(As the children come forward, welcome those near you with words of peace.)

SACRED SPACE

(For Sunday School, Toddlers, Preschool, and Kindergarten may go to the second floor, and the children in grades 1-5 may go to the third floor.)

LISTENING FOR THE WORD

ANTHEM

Ring Praises

Penni J. Lewis Memorial Bell Choir

SCRIPTURE

Isaiah 58:1-12

Matthew 5:13-20

This is the Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

Pew Bible pg. 688

Pew Bible pg. 4

SERMON

Salty Sand

Rev. Dr. Reinink

RESPONDING TO THE WORD

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH Apostles' Creed (*Unison*)

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, And in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; He descended into hell; the third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God, the Father Almighty; from thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

*HYMN # 767

Together We Serve

SAN ANSELMO

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE & 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 debts, as we forgive our debtors.

And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil:

For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

CALL TO OFFERING

OFFERTORY

*DOXOLOGY (#606)

*OFFERTORY PRAYER

SENT OUT TO SERVE

*HYMN # 753

Make Me A Channel of Your Peace

PRAYER OF ST. FRANCIS

*BENEDICTION

Rev. Dr. Reinink

POSTLUDE



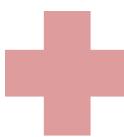
Join Meryl Stuckey and Girl Scout Troop 875 in Fellowship Hall after worship. They will have Girl Scout Cookies to share and for you to purchase. They are also providing goodies for Fellowship Hour.



CONGREGATIONAL INFORMATION

Welcome to Irvington Presbyterian Church. We hope you are able to connect to God and God's family in our worship and fellowship.

If you are new to IPC, please tell a pastor or an usher after worship so we can connect with you and share more about our community of faith. And join us for a time of Fellowship after worship in the room directly below the Sanctuary. Welcome! We're excited to have you with us!



IN CASE OF EMERGENCY the cabinet with a **RED CROSS** in the rear of the Sanctuary contains supplies including: Naloxone (NARCAN®), a First Aid Kit, and an AED Defibrillator.

 **IF YOU RECEIVE ANY EMAILS OR TEXT MESSAGES** from the church staff asking for gift cards, cash, or anything out of the ordinary, please contact the church office before you reply to such requests.

IPC ENDOWMENT – Love Offering

Each year, on the Sunday closest to Valentine's Day, the IPC Endowment collects an offering to help build the corpus of the fund. We call it the Love Offering as a reminder of the many gifts that have grown this fund out of the love of this church. You will find an offering envelope in the newsletter, and we invite you to take part in this offering during worship on Sunday, February 15th. Whether you contribute \$5 or \$500, your gift will serve this church in perpetuity. Thank you for all your gifts!



THE FLOWERS this morning are offered to the glory of God in memory of my parents Rosemary J. and Robert F. Koss who were married at IPC on February 8, 1941, given by their son, John Koss.

THIS WEEK IN PRAYER WE WILL REMEMBER...

Red Anderson, Chuck Marion, Gwen Mann, Dee Miller, Mickey Monan, Rod Oller, Avery Paauwe, Diane Pflanzer, Nancy Pierce, Phil Reed, Caroline Thompson, Chris Traylor, Bill Voiles, Larimore Wickett, Melissa Melvin-Wicksall, Angela Valadez, Joan and Otto Woerdehoff.

WORSHIP ATTENDANCE on Sunday, January 25, 2026 was 68 in-person and 18 online.

GIVE ONLINE

Follow the links on our website – irvpresby.org – or scan this QR code with the camera on your mobile device to make a gift.

 Not everything fits in the Offering Plate! Use the *My Offering* cards in the pew rack to acknowledge your participation in dedicating gifts of talent, time or treasure.



ANNUAL MEETING

Please submit your Annual Reports to the church office by **Monday, February 9th**. You may email your report to lchapman@irvpresby.org. We need to have them printed and ready at least a week before the Annual Meeting.

On **Sunday, February 22nd**, the Congregation's Annual Meeting will take place after worship. Items to be discussed include a review of the Annual Report, the 2025 Budget, terms of call, and a report from the Nominating Committee. All church members are invited to stay in the pews and participate in the meeting.

2026 Ecumenical Lenten Service Schedule

Wed, Feb. 25:

Gethsemane Lutheran Church

Wed, Mar. 4:

Downey Avenue Christian Church

Wed., March 11:

Irvington United Methodist Church

Wed., Mar. 18:

Irvington Presbyterian Church

Wed., Mar. 25:

Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic Church

Soup supper starts at 6 p.m. with worship at 7 p.m.

Happy Birthday

Happy Birthday, May your day be filled with LOVE, JOY, and GOD'S SWEETEST BLESSINGS!

March the 1st 2026 we will meet in Fellowship Hall to celebrate March 2026 Birthdays! If your birthday is in March please make sure the church office has your birthday on file!

H & E Committee



Do you have a pet that you would like to tell everyone about? If so

Hospitality and Evangelism Committee would like you to send in a short story with a picture of you and your pet to: Jackie Cox at Coxjackie3@gmail.com or Craig Shaw cshaw@irvpresby.org

THE IPC BOOK CLUB 2026

Will be meeting on the 2nd Wednesday of these months in 2026:

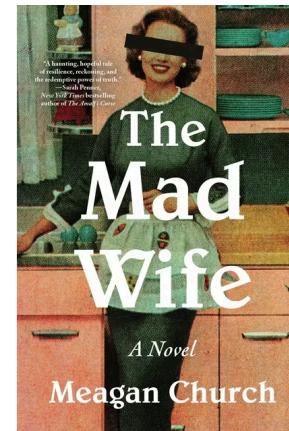
March 11

May 13

July 8

September 9

November 11



The book for **March** is **The Mad Wife** by Meagan Church.

Horizon House continues to need winter clothing items. If you have any to donate please label them and put them in the Horizon House bin in the bin next to the parlor.

Jackie Cox/Coxjackie3@gmail.com



L.I.F.T Jockamo's Tasting Party

Jockamo's private back room has been reserved for a tasting party of various pizzas, salads and drinks. We will be sampling both white and red wines; and pitchers of water, iced tea and soft drinks will also be available. The cost will be \$22 per person (tip included).

Mark your calendar for a fun evening of fellowship! We will gather on Monday, February 16th at 6:30 p.m. Women of all ages are welcome and please feel free to invite a friend to join us – the more the merrier! We will be collecting feminine hygiene products for Westminster. Please contact Kathy Moorhead (317-430-3402) if you have any questions and to also let her know if you will be attending.

2026 Safe Harbor

We are a fellowship group started in the 90's with many 20-somethings gathering. Those young people are now in their 50s and 60s and still meet monthly for fun and fellowship. If you'd like to join, please contact **Pat Lewis** (pmclewis@yahoo.com) or **David Owen** (davidDPU81@yahoo.com).

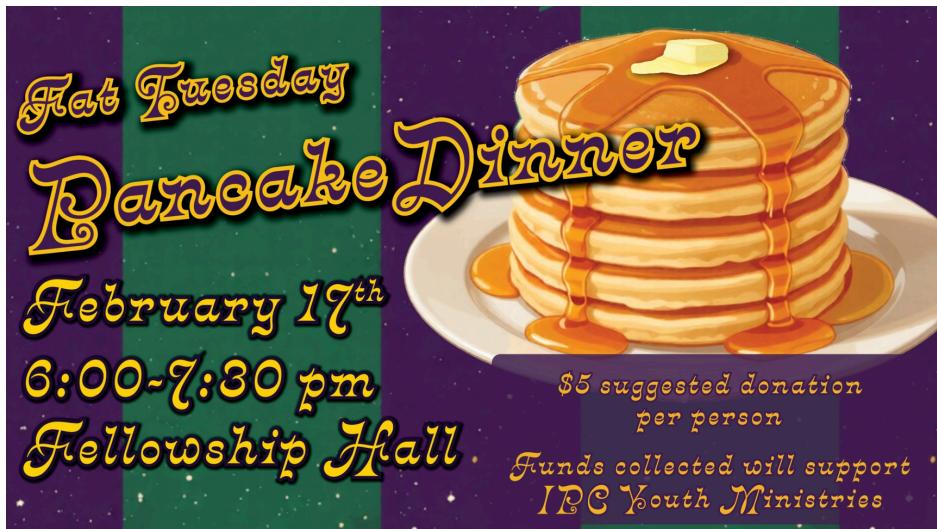
DATE, EVENT, and HOST below:

February 21st Duck Pin Bowling Fountain Square
Host: Eoff

March 21st Indy Fuel Hockey Game
Host: Owen

April 18th (17th ?) Attend a play TBD
Host: Owen

May 16th Pitch In and Games
Host: Lewis



2026 Food Fight presented by Citizens Energy Group

Friday, Feb 20, 2026

Doors open at 5:30 p.m., event starts at 6 p.m.

Event is at: Marian Inc., 1011 E. St. Clair St., Indy, 46202

Join us for a night of live music, friendly competition, food, and fun!

General Admission

\$50.00

Half Table (4 seats)

\$200.00

Reserved a table for 8 people

\$400.00

EVENT SPONSORSHIP - Table Sponsor

\$2,500.00

Drink Ticket

\$5.00



Reduce your wait time by purchasing your drink tickets in advance! Or order your table ticket online
www.givebutter.com/c/foodfight2026

YOUR COOKING SKILLS ARE NEEDED AND APPRECIATED!

LENTEN SOUP SUPPER AND WORSHIP

Would you like to provide a crock pot full of delicious soup, a sweet treat, crackers, or bread to share at our 6 p.m.

LENTEN SOUP SUPPER on March 18th?

**If you would like to donate and/or assist in helping during this event please email me at Coxjackie3@gmail.com.

Thank You!

Jackie Cox and the H & E Committee



1 Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty!

Descant

4 Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! Lord God Al - might - y!

1 Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! Lord God Al - might - y!

2 Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! all the saints a - dore thee,

3 Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! though the dark-ness hide thee,

4 Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! Lord God Al - might - y!

ho - ly

Ear - ly in the morn - ing our song shall rise to thee.
cast - ing down their gold - en crowns a - round the glass - y sea;
though the eye of sin - ful - ness thy glo - ry may not see,
All thy works shall praise thy name, in earth and sky and sea.

Much of the imagery of this hymn comes from Revelation 4:2–11, which its author, an Anglican bishop, knew as a reading appointed for Trinity Sunday. The tune, written specifically for this text, reinforces the Trinitarian theme by strong dependence on the D-major triad.

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! mer - ci - ful and might - y!
 cher - u - bim and ser - a - phim fall - ing down be - fore thee,
 on - ly thou art ho - ly; there is none be - side thee,
 Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! mer - ci - ful and might - y!

God in three per - sons, bless - ed Trin - i - ty.
 God in three per - sons, bless - ed Trin - i - ty!
 who wert, and art, and ev - er - more shalt be.
 per - fect in power, in love and pu - ri - ty.
 God in three per - sons, bless - ed Trin - i - ty!

SPANISH

- 1 *¡Santo! ¡Santo! ¡Santo! Señor omnipotente, siempre el labio mío loores te dará.
 ¡Santo! ¡Santo! ¡Santo! Te adoro reverente, Dios en tres personas, bendita Trinidad.*
- 2 *¡Santo! ¡Santo! ¡Santo! La inmensa muchedumbre de ángeles que cumplen tu santa voluntad, ante ti se postra, bañada de tu lumbre, ante ti que has sido, que eres y serás.*
- 3 *¡Santo! ¡Santo! ¡Santo! Por más que estés velado e imposible sea tu gloria contemplar, santo tú eres sólo y nada hay a tu lado, en poder perfecto, pureza y caridad.*
- 4 *¡Santo! ¡Santo! ¡Santo! La gloria de tu nombre vemos en tus obras, en cielo, tierra y mar.
 ¡Santo! ¡Santo! ¡Santo! La humanidad te adore, Dios en tres personas, bendita Trinidad.*

KOREAN

- 1 거룩거룩거룩 전능하신 주여
 이른아침우리주를 찬송합니다
 거룩거룩거룩 자비하신 주여
 성삼위일체 우리주로다
- 2 거룩거룩거룩 주의보좌 앞에
 모든성도 금면류관 벗어드리네
 천군천사 모두주께 굽복하니
 영원히 위에 계신 주로다
- 3 거룩거룩거룩 주의 빛난 영광
 모든죄인 눈어두위 보지못하네
 거룩하신 이가 주님밖에 뉘뇨
 권능과사랑 온전하셔라
- 4 거룩거룩거룩 전능하신 주여
 천지만물 주의이름 찬송합니다
 거룩거룩거룩 자비하신 주여
 성삼위일체 우리주로다

Together We Serve

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Capo 3: (G)
B^b(D)
F(Em)
Gm(Bm7)
Dm7

1 To - geth - er we serve, u - nit - ed by love,
 2 We seek to be - come a bea - con of hope,
 3 We wel - come the scarred, the wealth - y, the poor,
 4 To - geth - er, by grace, we wit - ness and work,

(C) (G) (Am7) (Dsus) (D)
E^b B^b Cm7 Fsus F



in - vit - ing God's world to the glo - ri - ous feast.
 a lamp for the heart and a light for the feet.
 the bus - y, the lone - ly, and all who need care.
 re - mem - ber - ing Je - sus, in whom we grow strong.

(G) (D) (C) (Bm)
B^b F E^b Dm



We work and we pray through sor - row and joy,
 We learn, year by year, to let love shine through
 We of - fer a home to those who will come,
 To - geth - er we serve in Spir - it and truth,

(G) (C) (G) (Am) (D7) (G)
B^b E^b B^b Cm F7 B^b



ex - tend - ing God's love to the last and the least.
 un - til we see Christ in each per - son we meet.
 our hands quick to help, our hearts read - y to dare.
 re - mem - ber - ing love is the strength of our song.

The first three words of this text appear in the website address for First Presbyterian Church of San Anselmo, California, for whose centennial the hymn was commissioned. The text draws on Ephesians 4:11-16, a passage describing the many gifts and ministries within the body of Christ.

753 Make Me a Channel of Your Peace

Prayer of St. Francis

1 Make me a chan - nel of your peace. Where
 2 Make me a chan - nel of your peace. Where
 3 Make me a chan - nel of your peace. It

there is ha - ted, let me bring your love. Where
 there's de - spair in life, let me bring hope. Where
 is in par - don - ing that we are par - doned, in

there is in - ju - ry, your par - don, Lord, and
 there is dark - ness, on - ly light, and
 giv - ing of our - selves that we re - ceive, and in

where there's doubt, true faith in you.
 where there's sad - ness, ev - er joy.
 dy - ing that we're born to e - ter - nal life.

3 O, Mas - ter, grant that I may nev - er seek so
 much to be con - soled as to con - sole, to be

Guitar chords do not correspond with keyboard harmony.

Though popular opinion credits this prayer to Francis of Assisi, the earliest known printing was in a French religious magazine in 1912. Yet that gentle saint's spirit seems evident in these words, a quality that has spurred many paraphrases and musical settings such as this one.

JUSTICE AND RECONCILIATION

Music notation for the first stanza. The key signature is G major (one sharp). The melody consists of quarter and eighth notes. The lyrics are: "un - der - stood" (G), "as to" (Em), "un - der - stand," (F#m), and "to be" (Bm). The melody ends on a half note.

un - der - stood as to un - der - stand, to be

to Stanza 4

Music notation for the second stanza. The key signature is G major (one sharp). The melody consists of quarter and eighth notes. The lyrics are: "loved" (E), "as to" (E7), "love with all my soul." (A), and a repeat of "loved" (E), "as to" (A), and "love with all my soul." (A7). The melody ends on a half note.

loved as to love with all my soul.