

## Songs for May 9, 2021

### A Mighty Fortress Is Our God (# 26)

- Vs. 1 A mighty fortress is our God, A bulwark never failing; Our helper He amid the flood of mortal ills prevailing. For still our ancient foe Doth seek to work us woe – His craft and pow'r are great, And, armed with cruel hate, On earth is not his equal.
- Vs. 2 Did we in our own strength confide, Our striving would be losing, Were not the right man on our side, The man of God's own choosing. Dost ask who that may be? Christ Jesus, it is He – Lord Sab-a-oth His name, From age to age the same, And He must win the battle.
- Vs. 3 *And tho this world, with devils filled, Should threaten to undo us, We will not fear, for God hath willed His truth to triumph thru us. The prince of darkness grim, We tremble not for him – His rage we can endure, For lo, his doom is sure: One little word shall fell him.*
- Vs. 4 *That word above all earthly pow'rs, No thanks to them, abideth; The Spirit and the gifts are ours Thru Him who with us sideth. Let goods and kindred go, This mortal life also – The body they may kill; God's truth a-bid-eth still: His kingdom is for ever.*

### I Have Decided to Follow Jesus (# 376)

- Vs. 1 I have decided to follow Jesus, I have decided to follow Jesus, I have decided to follow Jesus,

**Chorus:** No turning back, no turning back.

- Vs. 2 The world behind me, the cross before me; The world behind me, the cross before me; The world behind me, the cross before me,

**Chorus**

- Vs. 3 Tho' none go with me, I still will follow, Tho' none go with me, I still will follow, Tho' none go with me, I still will follow,

**Chorus**

### **Leaning on the Everlasting Arms (# 354)**

Vs. 1 What a fellowship, what a joy divine, Leaning on the everlasting arms; What a blessedness, what a peace is mine, Leaning on the everlasting arms.

**Chorus** Leaning, leaning, Safe and secure from all alarms; Leaning, leaning, Leaning on the everlasting arms.

Vs. 2 O how sweet to walk in this pilgrim way, Leaning on the everlasting arms; O, how bright the path grows from day to day, Leaning on the everlasting arms.

**Chorus**

Vs. 3 What have I to dread, what have I to fear, Leaning on the everlasting arms? I have blessed peace with my Lord so near, Leaning on the everlasting arms.

**Chorus**

### **I Am Thine, O Lord (#358)**

Vs. 1 I am thine, O Lord, I have heard Thy voice, And it told Thy love to me; But I long to rise in the arms of faith, And be closer drawn to Thee.

**Chorus** Draw me nearer, nearer, blessed Lord, To the cross where Thou hast died; Draw me nearer, nearer, nearer, blessed Lord, To Thy precious, bleeding side.

Vs. 2 Consecrate me now to Thy service, Lord, By the pow'r of grace divine; Let my soul look up with a steadfast hope, And my will be lost in Thine.

**Chorus**