

Pray-Up/Down Song Suggestions

The purpose of song in the chapel is to:

- provide prayerful reverence while in the chapel; song is a form of prayer
- eliminate awkward silence between prayers
- minimize opportunities for 'chaos' in the chapel

ALWAYS consider the Day and the Song Selection!

Some of the suggested songs are appropriate for multiple days.

Die Day

- **Jesus, Jesus** (consider singing in rounds)
Jesus, Jesus, Can I tell you how I feel?
You have given me your Spirit. I love you so.
- **Sanctuary**
Lord prepare me to be a sanctuary, pure and holy, tried and true
With thanksgiving, I'll be a living sanctuary for you
- **Jesus, Remember Me**
Jesus, remember me
When you come into your kingdom,
Jesus, remember me,
When you come into your kingdom.
- **Father, I Adore You** (consider singing in rounds)
Father, I adore you, lay my life before you; How I love you
Jesus, I adore you, lay my life before you; How I love you
Spirit, I adore you, lay my life before you; How I love you
Three in One, I adore you, lay my life before you; How I love you

Rise Day / Go Forth Day

- **Rise and Shine**
Rise and Shine and give God the glory, glory
Rise and Shine and give God the glory, glory
Rise and Shine and give God the glory, glory...children of the Lord
- **Jesus, Jesus or Lord Prepare Me** (*consider for Spontaneous Prayer visit by candidates*)

- **Joy, Joy, Joy**

I got the **Joy**, Joy, Joy, Joy down in my heart (Where?)
Down in my heart (Where?) Down in my heart
I got the Joy, Joy, Joy, Joy down in my heart (Where?)
Down in my heart to stay

(Repeat with I got the **Peace**, Peace, Peace, Peace.... and then I got **the Love of Jesus**,
Love of Jesus, down in my heart....)

- **Amazing Grace**

Amazing grace, how sweet the sound that saved a wretch like me
I once was lost but now I am found, was blind but now I see
(Other verses welcomed, often less known)

- **Let it Be**

When I find myself in times of trouble, Mother Mary comes to me
Speaking words of wisdom, let it be
And in my hour of darkness, She is standing right in front of me
Speaking words of wisdom, let it be
Let it be, let it be
Let it be, let it be
Whisper words of wisdom, let it be

- **Ain't No Mountain High Enough**

Ain't no mountain high enough
Ain't no river wide enough
Ain't no valley low enough
To keep me from getting' to you God

- **I love you Lord**

I love you Lord, and I lift my voice
To worship you, Oh my soul rejoice
Take joy my King, in what you hear,
Let it be a sweet, sweet sound to your ear

- **It's Amazing**

It's amazing how you love me, it's amazing how you care
It's amazing how you're always thinking of me, all the time and everywhere

Other Songs for consideration (*keep in mind the Day*)

- **Lean on Me**

- **Die Day** – don't add extras – sing it in the spirit of Die Day
- **Rise Day** – add extras (4-5, too short, elbows)

Lean on Me, when you're not strong
And I'll be your friend, I'll help you carry on
For, it won't be long
Till I'm gonna need, somebody to lean on....

- **Open the Eyes of my Heart, Lord**

Open the eyes of my heart, Lord, Open the eyes of my heart;
I want to see you, I want to see you
(Repeat)

To see you high and lifted up; Shining in the light of your glory
Pour out your power and love; As we sing holy, holy, holy
Holy, Holy, Holy (3x)
I want to see you

- **How Great is Our God**

The Splendor of a king, clothed in majesty
Let all the earth rejoice, Let all the earth rejoice
He wraps himself in light, And darkness tries to hide,
And trembles at his voice, Trembles at his voice
How great is our God, Sing with me
How great is our God, And all with sing
How great, how great is our God

- **Blessed be Your Name**

Blessed be Your name; When the sun's shining down on me
When all the world's as it should be; Blessed be Your name
Blessed be Your name; On the road marked with suffering
Though there's pain in the offering; Blessed be Your name

Every blessing you pour out; I'll turn back to praise
When the darkness closes in, Lord; Still I will say
Blessed be the name of the Lord; Blessed be Your name
Blessed be the name of the Lord; Blessed be Your glorious name

You give and take away; You give and take away
My heart will choose to say; Lord, blessed be Your name

- **Our God is an Awesome God**

Our God is an awesome God; He reigns from heaven above
With wisdom, power, and love; Our God is an Awesome God

- **Lord, I Lift Your Name on High**

Lord, I lift Your name on high; Lord I love to sing Your praises
I'm so glad You're in my life; I'm so glad you came to save us

You came from heaven to earth; To show the way
From the earth to the cross; My debt to pay
From the cross to the grave; From the grave to the Sky
Lord, I lift your name on high

- **Down to the River to Pray**

As I went down to the river to pray; Studying about the good 'ol way
And who shall wear the robe and crown; Good Lord show me the way
O sisters (brothers, fathers, mothers, sinners, WT, insert name, etc.) let's go down
Let's go down, come on down; Down to the river to pray

- **Behold What Manner of Love**

Behold, what manner of love; The Father has given unto us (2x)
That we may be called the children of God (2x)
(Repeat; consider singing in rounds)

- **Surely the Presence**

Surely the presence of the Lord is in this place
I can feel His mighty power and His grace
I can hear the brush of angel's wings
I see glory on each face
Surely the presence of the Lord is in this place