



## **Traditional Service Lyrics March 17, 2024**

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### **I Need Thee Every Hour UMH 1397**

1. I need thee every hour, most gracious Lord;  
no tender voice like thine can peace afford.

**Refrain:**

**I need thee, O I need thee;  
every hour I need thee;  
O bless me now, my Savior, I come to thee.**

2. I need thee every hour; stay thou nearby;  
temptations lose their power when thou art nigh.

**(Refrain)**

3. I need thee every hour, in joy or pain;  
come quickly and abide, or life is vain.

**(Refrain)**

4. I need thee every hour; teach me thy will;  
and thy rich promises in me fulfill.

**(Refrain)**

5. I need thee every hour, most Holy One;  
O make me thine indeed, thou blessed Son.

**(Refrain)**

### **Be Still My Soul UMH 534**

1. Be still, my soul: the Lord is on your side.  
Bear patiently the cross of grief or pain;  
leave to your God to order and provide;  
in every change God faithful will remain.  
Be still, my soul: your best, your heavenly friend  
through thorny ways leads to a joyful end.

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2. Be still, my soul: your God will undertake  
to guide the future, as in ages past.  
Your hope, your confidence let nothing shake;  
all now mysterious shall be bright at last.  
Be still, my soul: the waves and winds still know  
the Christ who ruled them while he dwelt below.

3. Be still, my soul: the hour is hastening on  
when we shall be forever with the Lord,  
when disappointment, grief, and fear are gone,  
sorrow forgot, love's purest joys restored.  
Be still, my soul: when change and tears are past,  
all safe and blessed we shall meet at last.

### **How Firm A Foundation UMH 529**

1. "How firm a foundation, ye saints of the Lord,  
is laid for your faith in his excellent word!  
What more can he say than to you he hath said,  
to you who for refuge to Jesus have fled?"

2. "Fear not, I am with thee, O be not dismayed,  
for I am thy God and will still give thee aid;  
I'll strengthen and help thee, and cause thee to stand  
upheld by my righteous, omnipotent hand.

3. "When through deep waters I call thee to go,  
the rivers of woe shall not thee overflow;  
for I will be with thee, thy troubles to bless,  
and sanctify to thee thy deepest distress.

4. "When through fiery trials thy pathways shall lie,  
my grace, all-sufficient, shall be thy supply;  
the flame shall not hurt thee; I only design  
thy dross to consume, and thy gold to refine.

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