“A Mighty Fortress Is Our God” #13

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 power are great,

And, armed with cruel hate,

On earth is not his equal.

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 Sabaoth His name,

From age to age the same,

And He must win the battle.

3. And though this world, with devils filled,

Should threaten to undo us,

We will not fear, for God hath willed

His truth to triumph through 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.

“My Faith Looks Up to Thee” #433

1. My faith looks up to Thee,

Thou Lamb of Calvary,

Savior divine!

Now hear me while I pray,

Take all my guilt away,

O let me from this day

Be wholly Thine!

2. May Thy rich grace impart

Strength to my fainting heart,

My zeal inspire;

As Thou hast died for me,

O may my love to Thee

Pure, warm, and changeless be,

A living fire!

3. While life’s dark maze I tread

And griefs around me spread,

Be Thou my guide;

Bid darkness turn to day,

Wipe sorrow’s tears away,

Nor let me ever stray

From Thee aside.

“Wonderful Words of Life” #315

1. Sing them over again to me,

Wonderful words of life;

Let me more of their beauty see,

Wonderful words of life;

Words of life and beauty

Teach me faith and duty:

Refrain:

Beautiful words, wonderful words,

Wonderful words of life.

Beautiful words, wonderful words,

Wonderful words of life.

2. Christ, the blessed one, gives to all

Wonderful words of life;

Listen well to the loving call,

Wonderful words of life;

All the wondrous story,

Showing us His Glory:

(Refrain)

3. Sweetly echo the gospel call,

Wonderful words of life;

Offer pardon and peace to all,

Wonderful words of life;

Jesus, only Savior,

Sanctify forever.

(Refrain)

First Baptist Church Covenant

Having been led by the spirit of God to profess our faith in Jesus Christ and having been baptized in the name of the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, we do now solemnly affirm our covenant with God and with

each other.

We pledge to serve Christ in the Fellowship of this congregation and shall be responsible church members through faithful attendance at worship, through prayer and through our giving. We shall strive to religiously

educate ourselves and the children entrusted to our care.

As we pledge our support to the work of our missionaries throughout the world, we commit ourselves to the mission to which God calls us all. We shall strive for

justice, freedom, dignity, and peace for all people.

Joined together in a community of faith with all who confess Jesus Christ as their Lord and Savior, we shall pray for a spirit of unity among all Christians.

Acknowledging our human frailties and seeking forgiveness, we profess our need of the Holy Spirit and dedicate our lives to Jesus Christ, and through him to the

care, judgment, deliverance, and mercy of Almighty God.

If we should leave this place, we will, as soon as possible, unite with some other church, where we can carry out the spirit of this covenant and the principles of God’s Word.