



**May 31, 2026**

Whether you are joining us in person or on-line,  
know that we are here to journey along with you as we live into our mission: to follow and invite others to follow  
Jesus Christ.

**Prelude**

**Remembering our Baptism**

**Sing-along I'd like to Teach the World to Sing  
Down by the Riverside**

**First Lesson John 15:1-8 CEB**

**Word for Children**

**Second Lesson Galatians 3:19-4:7, 5:1, 13-16 CEB**

**Message for the Lord's Day Reverend Deborah Coble**

**Mission Bluegrass Band**

**Just A Closer Walk With Thee**

**Keep on the Sunnyside**

**I Saw the Light**

**Sing-along I Have the Joy, Joy, Joy, Joy**

**If You're Happy and You Know It**

**I'll Fly Away**

**Dismissal to brunch with music: Methodist Pie**

Offering will be taken up in Fellowship Hall – please join us for food and fellowship! There is plenty for all!

## **I'd like to Teach the World to Sing**

I'd like to teach the world to sing,  
In perfect harmony,  
I'd like to hold it in my arms  
And keep it comp-a-ny

I'd like to see the world for once  
All standing hand in hand  
And hear them echo through the hills  
For peace throughout the land

I'd like to teach the world to sing  
In perfect harmony  
I'd like to teach the world to sing  
In perfect harmony

I'd like to build the world a home  
And furnish it with love  
Grow apple trees and honey bees  
And snow-white turtle doves

I'd like to teach the world to sing  
In perfect harmony  
I'd like to hold it in my arms  
And keep it company

I'd like to see the world for once  
All standing hand in hand  
And hear them echo through the hills  
For peace throughout the land

I'd like to teach the world to sing  
In perfect harmony  
I'd like to teach the world to sing  
In perfect harmony.

## **Down by the Riverside**

Gonna lay down my burden,  
Down by the riverside, down by the  
riverside, Down by the riverside.  
I'm gonna lay down my burden,  
Down by the riverside, down by the  
riverside,

Chorus:

Ain't gonna study war no more,  
Ain't gonna study war no more  
Ain't gonna study war no more  
(repeat chorus)

I'm gonna lay down my sword and  
shield, down by the riverside, down by the  
riverside, down by the riverside.  
I'm gonna lay down my sword and shield,  
down by the riverside, down by the  
riverside.

Chorus:

Gonna put on my long white robe  
down by the riverside, down by the  
riverside, down by the riverside.  
Gonna put on my long white robe  
down by the riverside, down by the  
riverside,

Chorus:

## **I have the Joy, Joy, Joy, Joy**

I have the joy, joy, joy, joy,  
Down in my heart, (where?)  
Down in my heart, (where?)  
Down in my heart,

I have the joy, joy, joy, joy,  
Down in my heart, (where?)  
Down in my heart to stay.

V2. I have the love of Jesus, love of Jesus,  
down in my heart...

V3. I've got the peace that passes  
understanding, down in my heart...

V4 And if the devil doesn't like it  
he can sit on a tack.  
Sit on a tack, Sit on a tack,  
And if the devil doesn't like it he can sit on a  
tack to-day.

## **If you're Happy and You Know it,**

If you're happy and you know it, clap your  
hands (Clap, clap) x2  
If you're happy and you know it, and you  
really want to show it  
If you're happy and you know it, clap your  
hands. (Clap clap)

If you're happy and you know it, stomp your  
(stomp, stomp)

If you're happy and you know it, shout  
"Hurray!" (Hoo-ray!)

If you're happy and you know it, do all three  
(Clap-clap, stomp-stomp,  
hoo-ray!)

## **I'll Fly Away**

Some glad morning when this life is over,  
I'll fly away.

To a home on God's celestial shore, I'll fly  
away.

I'll fly away, O Glory, I'll fly away. (In the  
morning)

When I die, Hallelujah, bye and bye, I'll fly  
a-way.

When the shadows of this life are gone, I'll  
fly away.

Like a bird from prison bars has flown - I'll  
fly away.

I'll fly away, O Glory, I'll fly away. (In the  
morning)

When I die, Hallelujah, bye and bye, I'll fly  
away.

Just a few more weary days and then, I'll fly  
away.

To a land where joy shall never end, I'll fly  
away.

I'll fly away, O Glory, I'll fly away. (In the  
morning)

When I die, Hallelujah, bye and bye, I'll fly  
away.