

Hymns for July 31

*Hymn #276

“Great Is Thy Faithfulness”

Faithfulness

1. Great is Thy faithfulness, O God my Father, There is no shadow of turning with Thee; Thou changes , Thy compassion they fail not; As Thou hast been Thou forever wilt be.

Refrain: Great is Thy faithfulness! Great is Thy faithfulness! Morning by morning new mercies I see; All I have needed Thy hand hath provided; Great is Thy faithfulness, Lord, unto me!

2. Summer and winter, and springtime and harvest, Sun, moon, and stars in their courses above Join with all nature in manifold witness To Thy great faithfulness, mercy, and love. *Refrain*
3. Pardon for sin and a peace that endureth, Thine own dear presence to cheer and to guide; Strength for today and bright hope for tomorrow, Blessings all mine, with ten thousand beside! *Refrain*

*Hymn #281

“Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah”

CWM Rhondda

1. Guide me, O Thou great Jehovah, Pilgrim through this barren land; I am weak But thou art mighty; Hold me with Thy powerful hand; Bread of heaven, bread of heaven, feed me til I want no more, feed me til I want no more.
2. Open now the crystal fountain, Whence the healing stream doth flow; Let the fire and cloudy pillar Lead me all my journey through; Strong deliverer, strong deliverer, Be Thou still my strength and shield, be though still my strength and shield.
3. When I tread the verge of Jordan, Bid my anxious fears subside; Death of death, and hell's destruction, Land me safe on Canaan's side; Songs of praises, songs of praises I will ever give to Thee, I will ever give to Thee.

*Refrain: Spirit, spirit of gentleness, Blow through the wilderness, calling and free,
Spirit, spirit of restlessness, Stir me from placidness, Wind, wind on the sea.*

1. You moved on the waters, You called to the deep, then You coaxed up the mountains from the valleys of sleep, and over the eons You called to each thing, “Awake from your slumber and rise on your wings.” *Refrain*
2. You swept through the desert, You stung with the sand, and You gifted your people with a law and a land, and when they were blinded with their idols and lies, then You spoke through Your prophets to open their eyes. *Refrain*
3. You sang in a stable, You cried from a hill, then You whispered in silence when the whole world was still, and down in the city You called once again when You blew through Your people on the rush of the wind. *Refrain*
4. You call from tomorrow, You break ancient schemes, from the bondage of sorrow the captives dream dreams; Our women see visions, our men clear their eyes. With bold new decisions your people arise. *Refrain*