

September 19 Hymns

* Hymn #285

“God, You Spin the Whirling Planets”

Austrian Hymn

1. God, You spin the whiling planets, Fill the seas and spread the plain,
mold the mountains, fashion blossoms, Call forth sunshine, wind, and rain.
We, created in Your image, Would a true reflection be of Your justice, grace, and
mercy and the truth that makes us free.
2. You have called us to be faithful in our life and ministry. We respond in grateful
worship joined in one community. When we blur your gracious image, focus us
and make us whole. Healed and strengthened as your people, we move onward
toward Your goal.
3. God, Your word is still creating, calling us to life made new. New reveal to us fresh
vistas where there's work to dare and do. Keep us clear of all distortion. Polish us
with loving care. Thus, new creatures in Your image, we'll proclaim Christ
everywhere.

* Hymn #388

“O Jesus, I Have Promised”

Angel's Story

1. O Jesus, I have promised to serve Thee to the end; Be Thou forever near me,
My Master and my friend; I shall not fear the battle if Thou are by my side,
nor wander from the pathway if Thou wilt be my guide.
2. O let me feel Thee near me! The world is ever, near; I see the sight that dazzle,
the tempting sounds I hear; My foes are ever near me, around me and within;
But, Jesus, draw Thou nearer and shield my soul from sin.
3. O let me hear Thee speaking in accents clear and still, above the storms of passion,
the murmurs of self-will; O speak to reassure me, to hasten or control; O speak,
and make me listen, Thou guardian of my soul.
4. O, Jesus, thou hast promised to all who follow Thee that where Thou art in glory
there shall Thy servant be; and, Jesus, I have promised to serve Thee to the end;
O give me grace to follow, my Master and my friend.

* Hymn #538

“Lord, Dismiss Us With Thy Blessings”

Sicilian Mariners

1. Lord, dismiss us with Thy blessing; Fill our hearts with joy and peace; Let us each, Thy love possessing, triumph in redeeming grace, O refresh us, O refresh us, traveling through this wilderness.
2. Thanks we give and adoration for Thy gospel's joyful sound; May the fruits of Thy salvation in our hearts and lives abound. Ever faithful, ever faithful to the truth may we be found;
3. So that when Thy love shall call us, Savior, from the world away, let no fear of death appall us, glad Thy summons to obey. May we ever, may we ever reign with Thee in endless day.