

2024 Week of Prayer for Christian Unity

*You shall love the Lord your God ...
and your neighbour as yourself (Luke 10:27)*

CANADIAN HYMN SUGGESTIONS

The 2024 WPCU international and Canadian resources are available to download at:

www.weekofprayer.ca (English)

www.semainedepriere.ca (French)

We encourage you to be creative in your use of the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity resources! For example, you may wish to alter the ecumenical worship service to better suit the context of your community, or you may draw inspiration from the WPCU materials to create something entirely new. Communities should also feel free to use the WPCU materials not only during the traditional Week of Prayer for Christian Unity (January 18-25 in the northern hemisphere), but throughout the year, to pray for Christian unity and to foster ecumenical fellowship and service.

Hymns Related to Luke 10:25-37

These hymns are selected based on the readings for the ecumenical Order of Worship and can be used as alternates around the readings or in other parts of the service.

Quando el pobre / When the Poor Ones

Miguel Manzano

EL CAMINO

CH 662, ELW 725, VU 702

[When the Poor Ones | Hymnary.org](http://www.hymnary.org)

When I Needed a Neighbour

Words and music: Sydney Carter

NEIGHBOUR

VU 600

[When I Needed a Neighbor | Hymnary.org](http://www.hymnary.org)

Jesu, Jesu, Fill Us with Your Love

Words and music: Tom Colvin

CHEREPONI

CH 600, CP 504, ELW 708, GC II 429, LUYH 299, VU 593

[Jesu, Jesu, Fill Us with Your Love | Hymnary.org](http://www.hymnary.org)

Where Cross the Crowded Ways of Life

Text: Frank Mason North

CHEREPONI

CH 600, CP 504, ELW 708, GC II 429, LUYH 299, VU 593

[Where cross the crowded ways of life | Hymnary.org](#)

Servant Song

Richard Gillard

SERVANT SONG

CH 490, CP 500, ELW 659, GC II 661, GP III 537, LUYH 309, VU 595

[The Servant Song | Hymnary.org](#)

Love Is the Touch of Intangible Joy

Alison Robertson

AMOR DEI

MV 89

[Love Is the Touch | Hymnary.org](#)

We Will Take What You Offer

John Bell

WE WILL TAKE WHAT YOU OFFER

MV 196

[We Will Take What You Offer | Hymnary.org](#)

You Call Us, Lord, to Be

Jane Marshall

RHOSYMEDRE

CP 450

[You Call Us, Lord | Hymnary.org](#)

Make Me a Channel of Your Peace

Attributed to St. Francis of Assisi, adapted by Sebastian Temple

MAKE ME A CHANNEL OF YOUR PEACE

GC II 679, GP III 721, VU 684

[Make me a channel of your peace | Hymnary.org](#)

Where Charity and Love Prevail

Omer Westendorf

TWENTY-FOURTH (PRIMROSE)

CP 487, ELW 359, GC II 610, GP III 288

[Where Charity and Love Prevail | Hymnary.org](#)

God of the Sparrow, God of the Whale

Text: Jaroslav Vajda; Music: Carl Schalk
ROEDER

CH 70, CP 414, ELW 740, VU 229

[God of the Sparrow | Hymnary.org](#)

Healer of Our Every Ill

Marty Haugen
HEALER OF OUR EVERY ILL

CBW III 363, CH 506, CP 612, ELW 612, GC II 854, LUYH 303, VU 619, WOV 738

[Healer of Our Every Ill | Hymnary.org](#)

Live in Charity (Ubi Caritas)

Jacques Berthier
UBI CARITAS

CBW III 67, CH 523, CP 553, ELW 642, GC II 430, LUYH 154, MV 170, WOV 665

[Ubi Caritas | Hymnary.org](#)

The Summons

John Bell
KELVINGROVE

CP 430, ELW 798, GC II 687, GP III 529, LUYH 742, VU 567

[The Summons | Hymnary.org](#)

Jesus Calls Us

John Bell and Graham Maule
JESUS CALLS US

CP 59

[Jesus calls us | Hymnary.org](#)

I Come with Joy

Brian Wren
LAND OF REST

CBW III 424, CH 420, CP 60, ELW 482, GC II 799, LUYH 533, VU 477

[I come with joy | Hymnary.org](#)

Love God with All Your Soul and Strength

Isaac Watts (Public Domain)
FARRANT

LUYH 716

[Love God with all your soul and strength | Hymnary.org](#)

Psalm 138

With Grateful Heart My Thanks I Bring

William Bradbury (Public Domain)

SOLID ROCK

LUYH 585

[With Grateful Heart My Thanks I Bring | Hymnary.org](#)

With All My Heart I Thank You, Lord

Paul Field

[With all my heart I thank you, Lord | Hymnary.org](#)

West African Hymns

Way Maker

Sinach (Nigeria)

The Lord Is Ruler Over All

Ghana; adapted by Greg Scheer

GSFW 10

[The Lord is Ruler Over All | Hymnary.org](#)

Clap Your Hands

Yoruba Folk Song; adapted by Greg Scheer

GSFW 15

[Clap Your Hands | Hymnary.org](#)

Gbemi Jesu

Yoruba

GSFW 42

[Gbemi Jesu \(Lift Me, Jesus\) | Hymnary.org](#)

We Are Coming, Lord, to the Table

Sierra Leone

GSFW 49

[We Are Coming, Lord, to the Table | Hymnary.org](#)

Salaam Aleikum

(A blessing of peace from Ghana)

Inshallah's songbook #47

<https://luther.wlu.ca/worship-and-music/inshallah.html>

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Canadian resources
Canadian Hymn Suggestions

Ghanaian Kyrie

Dinah Reindorf

ELW 151, LUYH 637, MV 70, VT 795, WOV 601

Sound sample: [Ghanaian Kyrie - YouTube](#)
[\[Kyrie eleison\] \(Reindorf\) | Hymnary.org](#)

Onyame wo mu o / In Your Sickness

Ghanaian traditional

VT 607

[In your sickness | Hymnary.org](#)

Gathering and Sharing of God's Love

Here In This Place / Gather Us In

Marty Haugen

GATHER US IN

CBW III 587, CH 284, CP 465, ELW 532, GC II 743, LUYH 529, WOV 718

[Gather Us In | Hymnary.org](#)

All Who Are Thirsty

Brenton Brown

ALL WHO ARE THIRSTY

MV 4

[All Who Are Thirsty | Hymnary.org](#)

I Heard the Voice of Jesus Say

Horatius Bonar

KINGSFOLD

CP 508, ELW 332, GC II 622, GP III 646, LUYH 665, VU 626

[I Heard the Voice of Jesus Say | Hymnary.org](#)

Christian Unity

Like the Murmur of the Dove's Song

Text: Carl Daw; Music: Peter Cutts

BRIDEGROOM

CH 245, CP 635, ELW 403, VU 205, WOV 685

[Like the Murmur of the Dove's Song | Hymnary.org](#)

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Canadian Hymn Suggestions

Christ Be Our Light

Bernadette Farrell
CHRIST BE OUR LIGHT
ELW 715, GC II 512, LUYH 908

[Christ, Be Our Light! | Hymnary.org](#)

Sing A New Church

Delores Dufner
NETTLETON
GC II 644, GP III 569

[Sing a New Church | Hymnary.org](#)

In Christ There Is No East or West

John Oxenham
MCKEE
CBW III 529, CH 687, CP 484, ELW 650, GC II 726, GP III 548, LUYH 268, VU 606

[In Christ There Is No East or West | Hymnary.org](#)

HYMN RESOURCES USED:

<i>BOP</i>	<i>Book of Praise</i> (1997): Presbyterian Church in Canada
<i>CBW III</i>	<i>Catholic Book of Worship III</i> (1994): Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops
<i>CH</i>	<i>Chalice Hymnal</i> (1995): Christian Church (Disciples of Christ)
<i>CP</i>	<i>Common Praise</i> (1998): Anglican Church of Canada
<i>ELW</i>	<i>Evangelical Lutheran Worship</i> (2006): Evangelical Lutheran Church in Canada
<i>GC II</i>	<i>Gather Comprehensive</i> , 2nd edition (2004): GIA Publications (Roman Catholic)
<i>GP III</i>	<i>Glory and Praise</i> , 3rd edition (2015): OCP (Roman Catholic)
<i>GSFW</i>	<i>Global Songs for Worship</i> (2010): Calvin Institute of Christian Worship and Faith Alive Christian Resources (Christian Reformed Church)
<i>LUYH</i>	<i>Lift Up Your Hearts</i> (2013): Faith Alive Christian Resources (Christian Reformed Church in North America)
<i>MV</i>	<i>More Voices</i> (2007): United Church of Canada
<i>VT</i>	<i>Voices Together</i> (2020): MennoMedia (Mennonite Church Canada)
<i>VU</i>	<i>Voices United</i> (1996): United Church of Canada
<i>WOV</i>	<i>With One Voice</i> (1995): Evangelical Lutheran Church in Canada