

# St Mary's Song sheet 15 March 10am Service

## 1 Behold Our God

Who has held the oceans in His hands  
Who has numbered every grain of sand  
Kings and nations tremble at His voice  
All creation rises to rejoice

*Behold our God seated on His throne  
Come let us adore Him  
Behold our King nothing can compare  
Come let us adore Him*

Who has given counsel to the Lord  
Who can question any of His words  
Who can teach the One who knows all things  
Who can fathom all His wondrous deeds

Who has felt the nails upon His hands  
Bearing all the guilt of sinful man  
God eternal humbled to the grave  
Jesus Savior risen now to reign

You will reign forever  
(Let Your glory fill the earth)  
(REPEAT)

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(Let Your glory fill)

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## Prayer of Preparation

Almighty God,  
to whom all hearts are open,  
all desires known,  
and from whom no secrets are hidden:  
cleanse the thoughts of our hearts  
by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit,  
that we may perfectly love you,  
and worthily magnify your holy name;  
through Christ our Lord.  
All Amen.

## Collect

Merciful Lord,  
absolve your people from their offences,  
that through your bountiful goodness  
we may all be delivered from the chains of  
those sins  
which by our frailty we have committed;  
grant this, heavenly Father,  
for Jesus Christ's sake, our blessed Lord  
and Saviour,  
who is alive and reigns with you,  
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
one God, now and for ever.  
Amen.

## 2 Sovereign Over Us

There is strength within the sorrow  
There is beauty in our tears  
And You meet us in our mourning  
With a love that casts out fear

You are working in our waiting  
Sanctifying us  
When beyond our understanding  
You're teaching us to trust

*Your plans are still to prosper  
You've not forgotten us  
You're with us in the fire and the flood  
Faithful forever perfect in love  
You are sov'reign over us*

You are wisdom unimagined  
Who could understand Your ways  
Reigning high above the heavens  
Reaching down in endless grace  
You're the lifter of the lowly  
Compassionate and kind  
You surround and You uphold me  
And Your promises are my delight

Even what the enemy means for evil  
You turn it for our good  
You turn it for our good  
And for Your glory  
Even in the valley You are faithful

You're working for our good  
You're working for our good  
And for Your glory  
(REPEAT)

Faithful forever perfect in love  
You are sov'reign over us

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### 3 Ancient Of Days

Though the nations rage  
Kingdoms rise and fall  
There is still one King  
Reigning over all  
So I will not fear  
For this truth remains  
That my God is the Ancient of Days

*None above Him none before Him  
All of time in His hands  
For His throne it shall remain and ever stand  
All the power all the glory  
I will trust in His name  
For my God is the Ancient of days*

Though the dread of night  
Overwhelms my soul  
He is here with me  
I am not alone  
O His love is sure  
And He knows my name  
For my God is the Ancient of Days

Though I may not see  
What the future brings  
I will watch and wait  
For the Saviour king  
Then my joy complete  
Standing face to face  
In the presence of the Ancient of Days

For my God is the Ancient of Days

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### 4 Be Thou my vision

Be Thou my vision, O Lord of my heart,  
Be all else but naught to me, save that Thou  
art;  
Be Thou my best thought in the day and the  
night  
Both waking and sleeping, Thy presence  
my light

Be Thou my wisdom, be Thou my true word,  
Be Thou ever with me, and I with Thee, Lord;  
Be Thou my great Father, and I Thy true  
heir;  
Be Thou in me dwelling, and I in Thy care.

Be Thou my breastplate, my sword for the  
fight;  
Be Thou my whole armour, be Thou my true  
might;  
Be Thou my soul's shelter, be Thou my  
strong tower:  
O raise Thou me heavenward, great Power  
of my power.

Riches I need not, nor all the world's praise:  
Be Thou mine inheritance now and always;  
Be Thou and Thou only the first in my heart:  
O Sovereign of heaven, my treasure Thou  
art.

High King of heaven, Thou heaven's bright  
Sun,  
O grant me its joys after victory is won;  
Great Heart of my own heart, whatever  
befall,  
Still be Thou my vision, O Ruler of all

