

♪♪ Hymn lyrics: ♪♪ for June 21, 2020

### *Fathers' Day*

♪ **HYMN 1:**

#### **GOD OF OUR FATHERS**

1 God of our fathers, whose almighty hand  
leads forth in beauty all the starry band  
of shining worlds in splendor through the  
skies,  
our grateful songs before thy throne arise.

4 Refresh thy people on their toilsome way;  
lead us from night to never-ending day;  
fill all our lives with love and grace divine,  
and glory, laud, and praise be ever thine.  
AMEN

♪ **Hymn 2:**

#### **OF THE FATHER'S LOVE BEGOTTEN**

1 Of the Father's love begotten  
ere the worlds began to be,  
he is Alpha and Omega,  
he the Source, the Ending he,  
of the things that are, that have been,  
and that future years shall see,  
evermore and evermore!

5 Christ, to thee, with God the Father,  
and, O Holy Ghost, to thee,  
hymn and chant and high thanksgiving  
and unwearied praises be,  
honor, glory, and dominion  
and eternal victory,  
evermore and evermore!

♪ **Hymn 3:**

#### **FAITH OF OUR FATHERS**

1 Faith of our fathers! living still  
In spite of dungeon, fire, and sword.  
O how our hearts beat high with joy  
Whene'er we hear that glorious word!

Refrain:

Faith of our fathers, holy faith!  
We will be true to thee till death.

3 Faith of our fathers! We will love  
Both friend and foe in all our strife,  
And preach thee, too, as love knows how  
By kindly words and virtuous life: [Refrain]