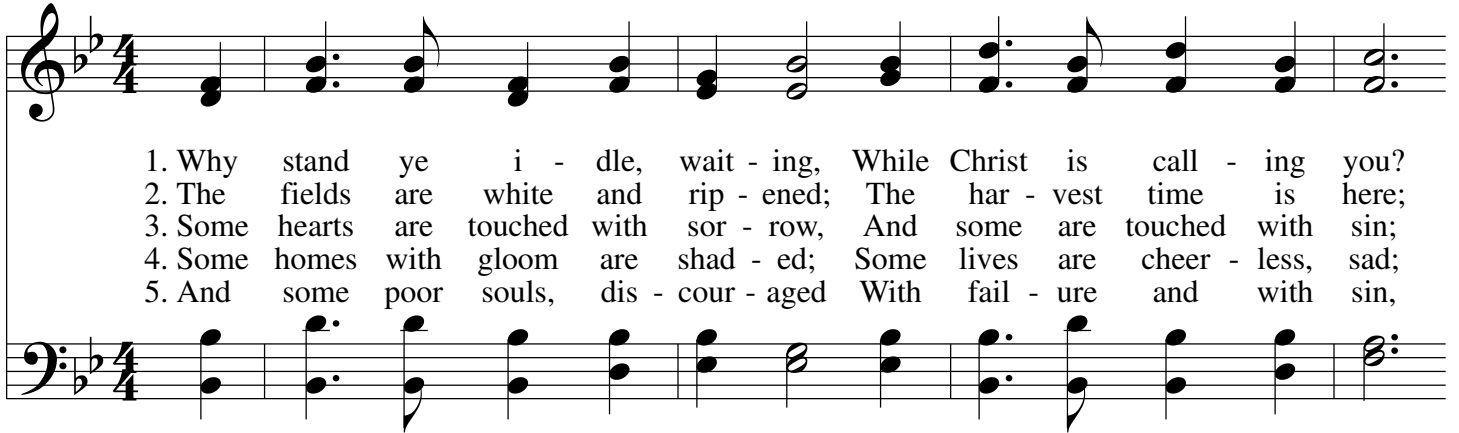
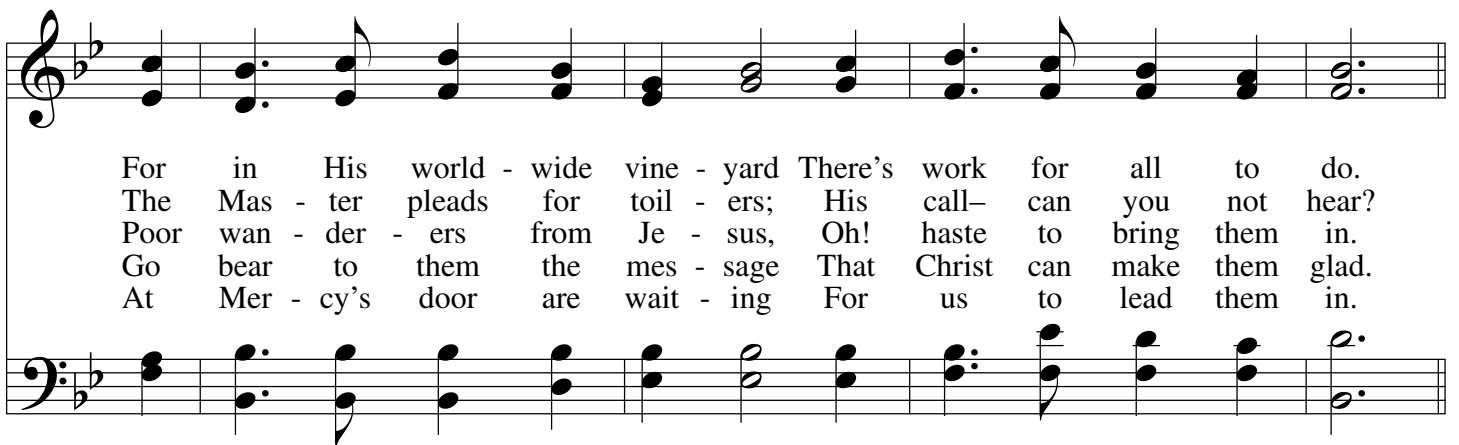


# Why Stand Ye Idle

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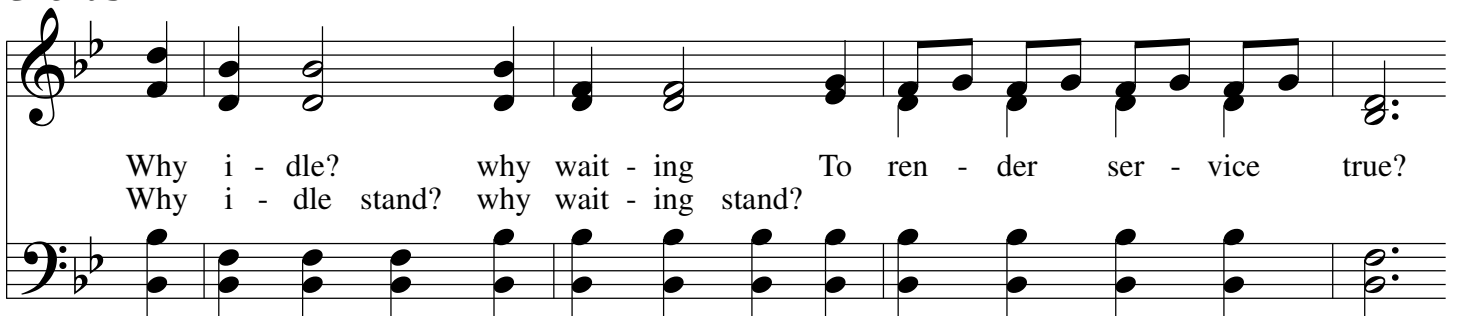


1. Why stand ye i - dle, wait - ing, While Christ is call - ing you?  
2. The fields are white and rip - ened; The har - vest time is here;  
3. Some hearts are touched with sor - row, And some are touched with sin;  
4. Some homes with gloom are shad - ed; Some lives are cheer - less, sad;  
5. And some poor souls, dis - cour - aged With fail - ure and with sin,

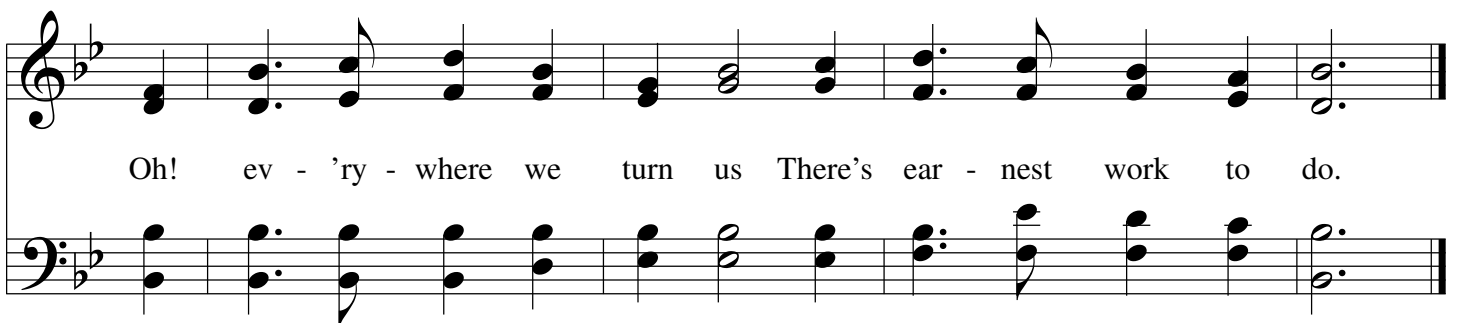


For in His world - wide vine - yard There's work for all to do.  
The Mas - ter pleads for toil - ers; His call - can you not hear?  
Poor wan - der - ers from Je - sus, Oh! haste to bring them in.  
Go bear to them the mes - sage That Christ can make them glad.  
At Mer - cy's door are wait - ing For us to lead them in.

## Chorus



Why i - dle? why wait - ing To ren - der ser - vice true?  
Why i - dle stand? why wait - ing stand?



Oh! ev - 'ry - where we turn us There's ear - nest work to do.