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Music for Stanza 1: Treble staff has a dotted half note followed by eighth notes. Bass staff has eighth notes.

1. What a friend we have in Je - sus,
2. Have we tri - als and temp-ta - tions?
3. Are we weak and heav - y la - den,

All our sins and griefs to bear;
Is there troub-le an - ywhere?
Cum-bered with a load of care?

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- What a priv - i - lege to car - ry
We should nev - er be dis-cour - aged:
Pre - cious Saviour, still our ref - uge;

Ev - 'rything to God in prayer!
Take it to the Lord in prayer.
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- Oh, what peace we oft - en for - feit,
Can we find a friend so faith - ful
Do thy friends despise, for-sake thee?

Oh, what needless pain we bear,
Who will all our sorrows share?
Take it to the Lord in prayer;

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- All be-cause we do not car - ry
Je - sus knows our ev - 'ry weak - ness;
In His arms He'll take and shield thee;

Ev - 'rything to God in prayer.
Take it to the Lord in prayer.
Thou wilt find a sol-ace there.

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