

Setting Apart for a Special Vocation
Psalm 40

Mode 3 **Refrain**

I love to do your will, O my God.

1. I wait-ed pa-tient-ly up-on the Lord; he stooped to me and heard my cry.

2. He lifted me out of the desolate *pit*, out of the mire and clay; he set my feet upon a *high* cliff and

made my foot-ing sure. **Refrain** 3. He put a *new* song in my *mouth*, a song of praise to our God;

many shall see, and stand in awe, and put their trust in the Lord. 4. Happy are they who

trust in the Lord! they do not resort to evil spirits or turn to false gods. **Refrain**

5. Great things are they that you have done, O Lord my God! how great your wonders and your plans for us!

there is none who can be com - pared with you. 6. Oh, that I could make them known and tell them!

but they are more than I can count. **Refrain** 11. Your right-eousness have I *not* hidden in my heart;

I have spoken of your faithfulness and your de - liv - er - ance; I have not concealed your

love and faithfulness from the *great* con - gre - ga - tion. 12. You are the *Lord*; do not withhold your com -

pas-sion from me; let your love and your faithfulness keep me safe for ev - er. **Refrain**