

“Scotland The Brave” (Scottish Gaelic: *Alba an Àigh*) is a Scottish patriotic song. It was one of several songs considered an unofficial national anthem of Scotland (others being *Flower Of Scotland* and *Scots Wha Hae*).

“Highland Cathedral” is a popular melody for the Great Highland Bagpipe. This melody was composed by German musicians Ulrich Roever and Michael Korb in 1982 for a Highland games held in Germany. It has been proposed as the Scottish national anthem to replace unofficial anthems *Scotland the Brave* and/or *Flower of Scotland*.

A Red Red Rose

O my Luv'e's like a red, red rose
That's newly sprung in june;
O my Luv'e's like the melodie
That's sweetly play'd in tune:

As fair art thou, my bonnie lass,
So deep in luv'e am I:
And I will luv'e thee still, my dear,
Till a' the seas gang dry:

Till a' the seas gang dry, my dear,
And the rocks melt wi' the sun:
I will luv'e thee still, my dear,
While the sands o' life shall run.

And fare thee weel, my only Luv'e
And fare thee weel, a while!
And I will come again, my Luv'e,
Tho' it were ten thousand mile.



Reformation Day is a religious holiday celebrated on October 31, alongside All Hallows' Eve, in remembrance of the **Reformation**. It is celebrated among various Protestants, especially by Lutheran and Reformed church communities.

To express his concerns about the church, Martin Luther nailed written works, known as The 95 Theses, on the door of the Castle Church in Wittenberg, Germany on **October 31, 1517**. In doing this, he started the Reformation.

Our Church History

We were organized in 1986 when a group of local people petitioned The Central Florida Presbytery for support to establish a Presbyterian Mission. On February 13, 1986, Dr. Donald E. Swope arrived in Sebastian as the founding Pastor and established offices in Washington Plaza Strip Mall. Our first service was held on March 16, 1986, in the Roseland Community Center. Shortly thereafter, the Strunk Funeral Home was made available for our use without charge, and Sunday services were held there until our present building was completed. Our first service in the new building was held on September 18, 1988.

Our membership grew quickly from 65, at the first service, to 128 members by the time the Church was chartered on October 26, 1986. Our membership as of December 31, 2009, totaled 240.

In March 1987, a building fund was begun. With initial pledges of \$129,000, a commercial loan of \$75,000, a \$200,000 loan from The General Assembly, a gift of land valued at \$150,000 and a matching grant of \$75,000 from the Central Florida Presbytery, construction was started on the present building in April and finished in September of 1988. The mortgage was paid off in 1996. In 1998, a second building program was begun with the addition of the Gathering Room at \$175,000. A \$129,000 building loan was paid off in June 2001. In 2004, we began Phase I of Building Project, First Presbyterian Church Thrift Shop.

