

WE GO FORWARD

A celebration of 250 years of Presentation Sisters Life and Mission

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1 C Dm G F C G C

7 CHORUS C Dm G Dm G
We go forward in hope in trust and in love, thank the Lord for the blessings that

11 G C C Dm G F C
flowed from above, we remember the time that served us so well, two hundred and fifty

15 G C VERSES F G C
years to tell When Nano founded the convent

20 Dm G C G D
many folk answered the call setting up schools for the

23 G Am D G
children free ed - u cation for all. We go

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The musical score consists of six staves of music. The first staff starts with a treble clef, 4/4 time, and a key signature of one sharp. The second staff begins with a repeat sign and a key signature of one sharp. The third staff starts with a treble clef, 2/4 time, and a key signature of one sharp. The fourth staff starts with a treble clef, 4/4 time, and a key signature of one sharp. The fifth staff starts with a treble clef, 2/4 time, and a key signature of one sharp. The sixth staff starts with a treble clef, 4/4 time, and a key signature of one sharp. The lyrics are integrated into the music, with the first four staves containing the chorus and the last two staves containing the verses. Chords are indicated above the staff lines, and the time signature changes are marked with 2/4 and 4/4.

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Chorus

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Thank the Lord for the blessings that flowed from above.
We remember the times that have served us so well.
Two hundred and fifty years to tell.

V1

When Nano founded her Convent
Many folk answered the call.
Setting up schools for the children
Free education for all.

V2

Many years it took the Sisters
to Missions all over the globe.
Caring for poor and for needy
Placing their trust in the Lord.

V3

Where are the stories we cherished?
Where have the dreamers all gone?
Seeds of new birth have been planted
The spirit of life has moved on.

V4

Weaving a world of new colours
Finding blest moments of grace.
Calling us now to new places
Our earth home has changed its face