

## Proverbs 29:20 by Pastor Charles Fortner

*Do you see a man who is hasty in his words? There is more hope for a fool than for him.*

It may be hard to believe, but there was a time when mass media did not spend time seeking out the opinions of “the man on the street.” At some point news people must have discovered that printing or airing such opinions sold their product. It was flattering to those questioned to see their words in print or to tell their friends they were going to be on television.

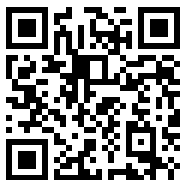
I am sure nobody foresaw how opportunities for the common man to “speak his mind” would explode. Nobody has to wait for someone to stick a mike in their face now. Everybody can publish their thoughts whenever they have the urge. It is entirely under our control. Therefore, as Christians, we must be

sure it is controlled in a Christ-honoring way. Hasty speech is often a fruit of unmortified pride. We are inclined to assume that the first thing that comes to our minds is worthy of being shared with others. At the very least we need to be sure they would pass the fact check. But our motives must be examined as well. Are we really aiming to spread truth for the glory of Christ, or simply to parade our wisdom? Are we speaking the truth in love, or just swinging the sword of truth without redemptive aims? Plus, we must practice the Christian art of being angry and sinning not. Unregulated emotions can easily run ahead of reason. Nehemiah was very angry at the way some wealthy Jews were treating their brethren. But he “thought seriously” before he issued his rebuke. *A fool gives vent to his spirit, but a wise man quietly holds it back.*

### Events

TODAY Fellowship Picnic  
7 PM  
8/25 Women of Grace  
7:30 PM  
8/28 7th/8th Grade Youth  
Group Dinner  
7:00 PM

### Give



### Upcoming Events



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### Service Times

- Sunday School 9:30 am
- Sunday Morning Worship 11:00 am
- Sunday Evening Worship 5:30 pm
- Wednesday Prayer Meeting 7:15 pm



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## Morning Worship

Call to Worship  
Opening Hymn  
Scripture Reading  
Pastoral Prayer

Alex DiPrima  
#432 Jesus! What a Friend for Sinners  
Matthew 2:1-12, page 807

Offertory **We Rest on Thee**

1. We rest on Thee – our shield and our defender!  
We go not forth alone against the foe;  
Strong in Thy strength, safe in Thy keeping tender,  
We rest on Thee, and in Thy name we go,  
Strong in Thy strength, safe in Thy keeping tender,  
We rest on Thee, and in Thy name we go.

2. Yea, in Thy name, O Captain of salvation!  
In Thy dear name, all other names above:  
Jesus our righteousness, our sure foundation,  
Our Prince of glory and our King of love,  
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Our Prince of glory and our King of love.

3. We go in faith, our own great weakness feeling,  
And needing more each day Thy grace to know:  
Yet from our hearts a song of triumph pealing,  
“We rest on Thee, and in Thy name we go,”  
Yet from our hearts a song of triumph pealing,  
“We rest on Thee, and in Thy name we go.”

4. We rest on Thee – our shield and our defender!  
Thine is the battle, Thine shall be the praise  
When passing through the gates of pearly splendor,  
Victors – we rest with Thee, through endless days,  
When passing through the gates of pearly splendor,  
Victors – we rest with Thee, through endless days.  
Amen

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**Preparatory There is a Redeemer**

1. There is a Redeemer, Jesus, God's own Son;  
Precious Lamb of God, Messiah, Holy One.

**(Chorus) Thank You, oh, my Father, for giving us Your Son,  
And leaving Your Spirit 'til the work on earth is done.**

2. Jesus, my Redeemer, name above all names;  
Precious Lamb of God, Messiah, O for sinners slain. **(Chorus)**

3. When I stand in Glory, I will see His face,  
There I'll serve my King forever in that holy place. **(Chorus 2x)**

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**All in All**

You are my strength when I am weak; You are the treasure that I seek. You are my all in all.  
Seeking You as a precious jewel; Lord, to give up, I'd be a fool. You are my all in all.

**(Chorus) Jesus, Lamb of God, worthy is Your name.  
Jesus, Lamb of God, worthy is Your name.**

Taking my sin, my cross, my shame; rising again, I bless Your name. You are my all in all.  
When I fall down You pick me up; when I am dry you fill my cup. You are my all in all.

**(Chorus)**

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**Sermon**

**Pastor Gary Hendrix**

## Evening Worship

Call to Worship  
Opening Hymn  
Scripture Reading  
Pastoral Prayer

Pastor Stephen Byrd  
#286 We Gather Together  
2 Peter 1:1-15, page 1018

Offertory

**What a Friend**

1. What a Friend we have in Jesus, all our sins and griefs to bear!  
What a privilege to carry everything to God in prayer!  
O what peace we often forfeit, O what needless pain we bear,  
All because we do not carry everything to God in prayer.

2. Have we trials and temptations? Is there trouble anywhere?  
We should never be discouraged: Take it to the Lord in prayer!  
Can we find a friend so faithful, Who will all our sorrows share?  
Jesus knows our every weakness – take to the Lord in prayer!

3. Are we weak and heavy laden, cumbered with a load of care?  
Precious Savior, still our Refuge – take it to the Lord in prayer!  
Do thy friends despise, forsake thee? Take it to the Lord in prayer!  
In His arms He'll take and shield thee, thou wilt find a solace there. Amen

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**Preparatory**

**Complete in Thee**

Complete in Thee! no work of mine  
Could take, dear Lord,  
the place of Thine  
Thy blood hath pardon bought for me  
And I shall stand complete in Thee

**(Chorus) Yea, justified! O blessed thought!  
And sanctified! Salvation wrought!  
Thy blood hath pardon bought for me  
And glorified, I too, shall be!**

Complete in Thee each want supplied  
And no good thing to me denied  
Since Thou my portion, Lord wilt be  
I ask no more, complete in Thee **(Chorus)**

Complete in Thee! no more shall sin  
Thy grace hath conquered,  
reign within  
Thy blood shall bid the tempter flee  
And I shall stand complete in Thee **(Chorus)**

Dear Savior, when before Thy bar  
All tribes and tongues assembled are  
Among Thy chosen I shall be  
At Thy right hand, complete in Thee **(Chorus 2x)**

Thy blood hath pardon bought for me  
And glorified, I too, shall be!

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**Sermon**

**I Will Glory in My Redeemer  
Pastor Andy Dunkerton**