

September 26, 2021



*In him was life, and the life
was the light of men.
The light shines in the
darkness and the darkness
has not overcome it.*

John 1:4-5

Preparatory

O Church Arise

1. O Church, arise, and put your armor on; hear the call of Christ our Captain.
For now the weak can say that they are strong,
in the strength that God has given.

With shield of faith and belt of truth, we'll stand against the devil's lies;
an army bold, whose battle cry is love, reaching out to those in darkness.

2. Our call to war to love the captive soul, but to rage against the captor;
and with the sword that makes the wounded whole,
we will fight with faith and valor.

When faced with trials on ev'ry side, we know the outcome is secure,
and Christ will have the prize for which He died- an inheritance of nations.

3. Come see the Cross, where love and mercy meet,
as the Son of God is stricken;
then see His foes lie crushed beneath His feet, for the Conqueror has risen!
And as the stone is rolled away and Christ emerges from the grave,
this vic'try march continues till the day ev'ry eye and heart shall see Him.

4. So Spirit come, put strength in ev'ry stride, give grace for ev'ry hurdle,
that we may run with faith to win the prize of a servant good and faithful.
As saints of old still line the way, retelling triumphs of His grace,
we hear the calls and hunger for the day when with Christ we stand in Glory.

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Sermon

Kent Thompson

Post-lude after sermon for quiet meditation

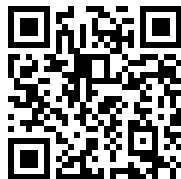
Post Sermon

#432 Jesus, What a Friend for Sinners

Events

TODAY College & Career
Lunch 1 PM
Constitution Q&A 7 PM
10/8-9 Verona Ladies
Retreat
10/16 Annual Picnic 4 PM
10/17 Jarvis Singleton SS,
AM, PM

Give



Upcoming Events



Pastors

Stephen Byrd Stu Johnston
Michael Lopes

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

What is our hope in life and death? Christ alone, Christ alone
What is our only confidence? That our souls to Him belong
Who holds our days within His hand? What comes, apart from His command?
And what will keep us to the end? The love of Christ, in which we stand

(Chorus) O sing hallelujah! Our hope springs eternal
O sing hallelujah! Now and ever we confess
Christ our hope in life and death

What truth can calm the troubled soul? God is good, God is good
Where is His grace and goodness known? In our great Redeemer's blood
Who holds our faith when fears arise? Who stands above the stormy trial?
Who sends the waves that bring us nigh, Unto the shore, the rock of Christ?

(Chorus)

Unto the grave, what will we sing? "Christ, He lives; Christ, He lives!"
And what reward will heaven bring? Everlasting life with Him
There we will rise to meet the Lord, Then sin and death will be destroyed
And we will feast in endless joy, When Christ is ours forevermore

(Chorus 2x)

Now and ever we confess, Christ our hope in life and death

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Scripture Reading

Pastoral Prayer

Offertory

Your will be done, my God and Father, As in Heaven, so on earth
My heart is drawn to self exalting, Help me seek Your kingdom first

(Chorus) As Jesus walked, so I shall walk
Held by Your same unchanging love, Be still my soul
Oh, lift your voice and pray, Father, not my will but Yours be done

How in that garden He persisted, I may never fully know
The fearful weight of true obedience, It was held by Him alone

(Chorus)

When I am lost, when I am broken, In the night of fear and doubt
Still I will trust in my good Father, Yes, to one great King I bow!

(Chorus)

As we go forth, our God and Father, Lead us daily in the fight
That all the world might see Your glory, And Your Name be lifted high

(Chorus 2x)

Father, not my will but Yours be done

Father, not my will but Yours be done

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Preparatory

Sermon

Post-lude after sermon for quiet meditation

Pastor Stu Johnston

Christ Our Hope in Life and Death

Revelation 15, page 1036

Pastor Stu Johnston

Your Will Be Done

#599 The Sands of Time

Pastor Jamie Dunlop

Post Sermon

I cast my mind to Calvary
Where Jesus bled and died for me
I see His wounds, His hands, His feet
My Savior on that cursed tree

His body bound and drenched in tears
They laid Him down in Joseph's tomb
The entrance sealed by heavy stone
Messiah still and all alone

(Chorus)

O praise the name of the Lord our God

O praise His name forevermore

For endless days we will sing Your praise

Oh Lord, oh Lord our God

Then on the third at break of dawn
The Son of heaven rose again
O trampled death where is your sting?
The angels roar for Christ the King

(Chorus)

He shall return in robes of white
The blazing sun shall pierce the night
And I will rise among the saints
My gaze transfixed on Jesus' face

Interlude

(Chorus 2x)

Oh Lord, oh Lord our God

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Evening Worship

Call to Worship

Opening Hymn

Brad Hicks

#50 Praise to the Lord the Almighty

Scripture Reading

Pastoral Prayer

Offertory

1. In my heart there is a stirring, one that did not start with me;
A love to worship my Creator, to show His love for all to see.

**(Chorus) I will worship, I will honor, I will exalt the Lord above;
All my days I'll sing the praises of His great redeeming love.**

2. In my heart there is a treason, one that poisons all my love.
Take my heart and consecrate it, wash it in Your cleansing flood. **(Chorus)**

3. Tie me to the Rock unchanging, tie me to His wondrous cross.
I'll fix my eyes upon the Savior, all other things I count as loss. **(Chorus 2x)**

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