

Jesus, Yours is the victory!

(Chorus 2x)

Jesus Christ, my living hope, Oh God, you are my living hope

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Scripture Reading

Pastoral Prayer

Offertory

Psalms 144, page 524

Pastor Stu Johnston

**#699 'Tis So Sweet to Trust in
Jesus**

Preparatory

**O Lord, My Rock and My
Redeemer**

O Lord, my Rock and my Redeemer, Greatest treasure of my longing soul
My God, like You there is no other, True delight is found in You alone
Your grace, a well too deep to fathom, Your love exceeds the heavens' reach
Your truth, a fount of perfect wisdom, My highest good and my unending need

O Lord, my Rock and my Redeemer, Strong defender of my weary heart
My sword to fight the cruel deceiver, And my shield against his hateful darts
My song when enemies surround me, My hope when tides of sorrow rise
My joy when trials are abounding, Your faithfulness, my refuge in the night

O Lord, my Rock and my Redeemer, Gracious Savior of my ruined life
My guilt and cross laid on Your shoulders, In my place You suffered bled and died
You rose, the grave and death are conquered
You broke my bonds of sin and shame

O Lord, my Rock and my Redeemer, May all my days bring glory to Your Name

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Sermon

Post Sermon

Nathan Allen

#402 Amazing Grace

Give

Upcoming

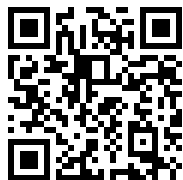
10/16 Annual Picnic 4 PM

10/17 Jarvis Singleton SS,
AM, PM

10/20 Small Groups

10/24 Members Family
Meeting 7 PM

10/30 Lisa Francis baby
shower 2-4 PM @ church



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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IN THE BEGINNING

*was the Word,
and the Word was with God,
and the Word was God.*

John 1:1

Morning Worship

Call to Worship Opening Hymn

Pastor Stephen Byrd Before the Throne of God Above

Before the throne of God above I have a strong, a perfect plea,
a great High Priest whose name is "Love", who ever lives and pleads for me.
My name is graven on His hands, my name is written on His heart,
I know that while in heav'n He stands no tongue can bid me thence depart,
no tongue can bid me thence depart.

When Satan tempts me to despair, and tells me of the guilt within,
upward I look and see Him there who made an end to all my sin.
Because the sinless Savior died, my sinful soul is counted free.
For God, the Just is satisfied to look on Him and pardon me,
to look on Him and pardon me.

Behold Him there! The risen Lamb, my perfect, spotless righteousness;
the great unchangeable I AM, the King of glory and of grace.
One with Himself I cannot die, my soul is purchased by His blood;
my life is hid with Christ on high, with Christ my Savior and my God.

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Scripture Reading Pastoral Prayer Offertory/Preparatory

1 Corinthians 7:1-16, page 955 Pastor Stephen Byrd Show Us Christ

Prepare our hearts, O God, help us to receive
Break the hard and stony ground, help our unbelief
Plant Your Word down deep in us, cause it to bear fruit
Open up our ears to hear, lead us in Your truth

(CHORUS) Show us Christ, show us Christ, O God, reveal Your glory Through the preaching of Your Word Until every heart confesses Christ is Lord

Your Word is living light upon our darkened eyes
Guards us through temptations, makes the simple wise
Your Word is food for famished ones, freedom for the slave
Riches for the needy soul; come, speak to us today **(CHORUS)**

BRIDGE (3x)

**Where else can we go, Lord, where else can we go?
You have the words of eternal life**

(CHORUS)

**Show us Christ, show us Christ,
Show us Christ, show us Christ
O God, reveal Your glory, Through the preaching of Your Word
Until every heart confesses Christ is Lord**

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Sermon Post-lude after sermon for quiet meditation Communion

Pastor Stu Johnston Pastor Stu Johnston

My Song is Love Unknown

My song is love unknown; my Savior's love to me,
love to the loveless shown, that they might lovely be.
O who am I, that for my sake my Lord should take frail flesh and die?

He came from His blest throne, salvation to bestow;
but men cared not, and none the longed-for Christ would know.
But oh, my Friend, my Friend indeed, who at my need His life did spend!

Sometimes they strew His way, and His sweet praises sing;
resounding all the day hosannas to their King.
Then "Crucify!" is all their breath, and for His death they thirst and cry.

Why, what hath my Lord done? What makes this rage and spite?
He made the lame to run, He gave the blind their sight.
Sweet injuries! Yet all His deeds their hatred feeds; they 'gainst Him rise.

They rise, and needs will have my dear Lord made away;
A murderer they save, the Prince of Life they slay.
Yet willing He to suffering goes, that He His foes from thence might free.

In life, no house, no home my Lord on earth might have;
in death, no friendly tomb but what a stranger gave.
What may I say? Heav'n was His home, but mine the tomb wherein He lay.

Here might I stay and sing, no story so divine;
never was love, dear King, never was grief like Thine.
This is my Friend, in Whose sweet praise I all my days could gladly spend.

#181 O Dearest Jesus My Chains are Gone

Evening Worship

Call to Worship Opening Hymn

Jack Dix Living Hope

How great the chasm that lay between us
How high the mountain I could not climb
In desperation, I turned to heaven, And spoke Your name into the night
Then through the darkness, Your loving-kindness
Tore through the shadows of my soul
The work is finished, the end is written, Jesus Christ, my living hope

Who could imagine so great a mercy?
What heart could fathom such boundless grace?
The God of ages stepped down from glory, To wear my sin and bear my shame
The cross has spoken, I am forgiven, The King of Kings calls me His own
Beautiful Savior, I'm Yours forever, Jesus Christ, my living hope

(Chorus 2x)

**Hallelujah, praise the One who set me free
Hallelujah, death has lost its grip on me
You have broken every chain, There's salvation in Your name
Jesus Christ, my living hope**

Then came the morning, that sealed the promise
Your buried body began to breathe, Out of the silence, the Roaring Lion
Declared the grave has no claim on me *(repeat verse)*