

Offertory

When Trials Come

When trials come, no longer fear, for in the pain our God draws near,
to fire a faith worth more than gold; and there His faithfulness is told;
and there His faithfulness is told.

Within the night I know Your peace; the breath of God brings strength to me.
And, new each morning, mercy flows as treasures of the darkness grow;
as treasures of the darkness grow.

I turn to wisdom not my own, for ev'ry battle You have known.
My confidence will rest in You; Your love endures, Your ways are good;
Your love endures, Your ways are good.

When I am weary with the cost, I see the triumph of the cross;
So in its shadow I shall run 'till He completes the work begun;
'till He completes the work begun.

One day all things will be made new; I'll see the hope You called me to.
And in Your Kingdom paved with gold I'll praise Your faithfulness of old;
I'll praise Your faithfulness of old.

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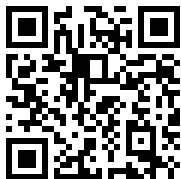
Preparatory
Sermon
Post Sermon

#431 Just as I Am
Pastor Jarvis Singleton
Lord, I Need You

Events

10/20 Small Groups
10/24 Members Family
Meeting 7 PM
10/30 Lisa Francis baby
shower 2-4 PM @ church

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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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
Behold Our God

1. Who has held the oceans in His hands?
Who has numbered every grain of sand?
Kings and nations tremble at His voice, all creation rises to rejoice.

(Chorus)

Behold our God, seated on His throne. Come, let us adore Him.

Behold our King, nothing can compare. Come, let us adore Him!

2. Who has given counsel to the Lord? Who can question any of His words?
Who can teach the One who knows all things?
Who can fathom all His wondrous deeds?

(Chorus)

3. Who has felt the nails upon His hands, bearing all the guilt of sinful man?
God eternal, humbled to the grave, Jesus, Savior, risen now to reign!

(Chorus)

Bridge 4x

(male voices)

You will reign forever

(female voices) Let Your glory fill the earth

(Chorus)

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Scripture Reading

1 Corinthians 7:17-40, page 955

Pastoral Prayer

Pastor Stephen Byrd

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,

Jesus our righteousness, our sure foundation,

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

Text: Edith G. Cherry, ca. 1895 Tune: FINLANDIA Jean Sibelius, 1899

Preparatory

He Will Hold Me Fast

When I fear my faith will fail, Christ will hold me fast;
When the tempter would prevail, He will hold me fast.
I could never keep my hold through life's fearful path;
For my love is often cold; He must hold me fast.

(Refrain) He will hold me fast. He will hold me fast.

For my Savior loves me so. He will hold me fast.

Those He saves are His delight, Christ will hold me fast;
Precious in His holy sight, He will hold me fast.

He'll not let my soul be lost; His promises shall last;

Bought by Him at such a cost, He will hold me fast.

(Refrain)

For my life He bled and died, Christ will hold me fast;

Justice has been satisfied; He will hold me fast.

Raised with Him to endless life, He will hold me fast;

'Til our faith is turned to sight, When He comes at last!

(Refrain 2x)

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Sermon

Pastor Stu Johnston

Post-lude after sermon for quiet meditation

Post Sermon

#186 When I Survey

Evening Worship

Call to Worship

Kent Thompson

Opening Hymn

Christ Our Hope in Life and Death

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

Proverbs 16:18-31, page 539

Pastoral Prayer

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