Scripture Reading Isaiah 59:20-60:7, page 619
Sermon Pastor Michael Lopes
Post-lude after sermon for quiet meditation
Post-sermon song

"we who have fled for refuge might have strong encouragement to hold fast to the hope set before us. ¹⁹We have this as a sure and steadfast anchor of the soul, a hope that enters into the inner place behind the curtain."

Hebrews 6:18b-19



TODAY Stacy Henning Send -off & Fellowship Meal 7 PM 8/28 Mike Wise baptism & testimonies 7 PM 8/29 Flourishers Potluck 6 9/1 Genesis Overview 7 PM 9/4 Fellowship Meal 7 PM 9/7 Small Groups 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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REJOICE! in the Lord always

Morning Worship

Call to Worship Pastor Stephen Byrd Opening Hymn O Praise the Name

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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Scripture Reading Ephesians 4:1-16, page 977

Pastoral Prayer Pastor Stephen Byrd

Preparatory #27 Great is Thy Faithfulness #437 Christ of all My Hopes the

Ground

Sermon Pastor Stu Johnston

Post-lude after sermon for quiet meditation
Post-sermon song All I Have is Christ

I once was lost in darkest night, yet thought I knew the way. The sin that promised joy and life had led me to the grave. I had no hope that You would own a rebel to Your will. And if You had not loved me first. I would refuse You still.

But as I ran my hell-bound race, indifferent to the cost. You looked upon my helpless state and led me to the cross, And I beheld God's love displayed, You suffered in my place. You bore the wrath reserved for me, now all I know is grace.

Hallelujah! All I have is Christ. Hallelujah! Jesus is my life.

Now Lord I would be Yours alone, and live so all might see the strength to follow Your commands could never come from me. O Father, use my ransomed life in any way You choose, and let my song forever be my only boast is You.

Hallelujah! All I have is Christ. Hallelujah! Jesus is my life. (a cappella)

Hallelujah! All I have is Christ. Hallelujah! Jesus is my life.

Evening Worship

Call to Worship Brad Hicks

Opening Hymn #453 O the Deep, Deep Love of

Jesus

Scripture Reading Isaiah 49:1-13, page 609

Pastoral Prayer Pastor Stu Johnston, Jose Reyes,

Paul White

Preparatory It was Finished Upon that Cross

How I love the voice of Jesus, On the cross of Calvary

He declares His work is finished, He has spoken this hope to me

[Chorus] Though the sun had ceased its shining Though the war appeared as lost, Christ had triumphed over evil It was finished upon that cross

Now the curse, it has been broken, Jesus paid the price for me Full, the pardon he has offered, Great, the welcome that I receive

[Chorus] Boldly, I approach my Father Clothed in Jesus' righteousness, There is no more guilt to carry It was finished upon that cross

Death was once my great opponent, Fear once had a hold on me But the Son who died to save us, Rose that we would be free indeed!

Death was once my great opponent, Fear once had a hold on me But the Son who died to save us, Rose that we would be free indeed! Yes, He rose that we would be free indeed!

[Chorus] Free from every plan of darkness Free to live and free to love, Death is dead and Christ is risen! It was finished upon that cross

[Chorus] Onward to eternal glory, To my Saviour and my God I reioice in Jesus' victory. It was finished upon that cross

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On Jordan's Stormy Banks

On Jordan's stormy banks I stand, and cast a wishful eye to Canaan's fair and happy land, where my possessions lie. All o'er those wide extended plains, shines one eternal day; there God, the Son forever reigns, and scatters night away.

(Chorus with "echos")

I am bound, I am bound, I am bound for the Promised Land. I am bound, I am bound, I am bound for the Promised Land.

No chilling winds or poisonous breath, can reach that healthful shore, sickness, sorrow, pain and death, are felt and feared no more.

(Chorus with "echos")

When shall I reach that happy place, and be forever blessed? When shall I see my Father's face, and in His bosom rest?

(Chorus with "echos") (repeat chorus)

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