

Post-sermon song

How Great Thou Art

O Lord, my God, when I in awesome wonder
consider all the worlds Thy hands have made,
I see the stars, I hear the rolling thunder,
Thy power throughout the universe displayed.

(Refrain)

**Then sings my soul, my Savior God, to Thee;
how great Thou art, how great Thou art!
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how great Thou art, how great Thou art!**

When through the woods and forest glades I wander
and hear the birds sing sweetly in the trees,
When I look down from lofty mountain grandeur,
and hear the brook and feel the gentle breeze. **(Refrain)**

And when I think that God, His Son not sparing,
sent Him to die, I scarce can take it in,
That on the cross, my burden gladly bearing,
He bled and died to take away my sin. **(Refrain)**

When Christ shall come with shout of acclamation
and take me home what joy shall fill my heart!
Then I shall bow in humble adoration, and there proclaim,
my God, how great Thou art! **(Refrain)**

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Events

11/8 Sarah Dove, Arms of
Grace at Prayer Meeting
11/11 Men's Breakfast &
Workday 8 AM
11/11 Ladies Missionary
Society 9 AM
11/12 C&C Lunch 1 PM
11/13-20 OCC Shoeboxes

Give



Upcoming Events



Pastors

Stephen Byrd Stu Johnston
Michael Lopes Jones Ndzi

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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GRACE
REFORMED BAPTIST CHURCH

November 5, 2023

Welcome!



Morning Worship

Call to Worship
Opening Hymn

Pastor Stephen Byrd
#83 We Praise Thee O God, Our Redeemer

Scripture Reading
Pastoral Prayer
Offering

James 2, page 1011
Pastor Stephen Byrd
Whate're My God Ordains is Right

Whate'er my God ordains is right, His Holy will abideth
I will be still whate'er He does, And follow where He guideth
He is my God though dark my road, He holds me that I shall not fall
And so to Him I leave it all, And so to Him I leave it all

Whate'er my God ordains is right, He never will deceive me
He leads me by the proper path, I know He will not leave me
I take, content, what He hath sent, His hand can turn my griefs away
And patiently I wait His day, And patiently I wait His day

Whate'er my God ordains is right, Though now this cup in drinking
May bitter seem to my faint heart, I take it all unshrinking
My God is true each morn anew, Sweet comfort yet shall fill my heart
And pain and sorrow shall depart, And pain and sorrow shall depart

Whate'er my God ordains is right, Here shall my stand be taken
Though sorrow, need, or death be mine, Yet I am not forsaken
My Father's care is round me there, He holds me that I shall not fall
And so to Him I leave it all, And so to Him I leave it all (repeat)

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Preparatory

King of Kings

In the darkness we were waiting, Without hope, without light
Till from Heaven You came running, There was mercy in Your eyes
To fulfill the law and prophets, To a virgin came the Word
From a throne of endless glory, To a cradle in the dirt

(Chorus)

Praise the Father, praise the Son, Praise the Spirit, three in one
God of glory, Majesty, Praise forever to the King of Kings

To reveal the kingdom coming, And to reconcile the lost
To redeem the whole creation, You did not despise the cross
For even in your suffering, You saw to the other side
Knowing this was our salvation, Jesus, for our sake you died **(Chorus)**

And the morning that You rose, All of Heaven held its breath
Till that stone was moved for good, For the Lamb had conquered death
And the dead rose from their tombs, And the angels stood in awe
For the souls of all who'd come, To the Father are restored

And the church of Christ was born, Then the Spirit lit the flame
Now this gospel truth of old, Shall not kneel, shall not faint
By His blood and in His name, In His freedom I am free
For the love of Jesus Christ, Who has resurrected me

(Chorus)

Praise forever to the King of Kings

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Sermon

Post-lude after sermon for quiet meditation

Post-sermon song

Pastor Jones Ndzi

Amazing Grace (My Chains are Gone)

Amazing grace how sweet the sound that saved a wretch like me!
I once was lost, but now am found, was blind but now I see.
'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear, and grace my fears relieved;
how precious did that grace appear the hour I first believed.

(Chorus) My chains are gone, I've been set free.

My God, my Savior has ransomed me,

and like a flood His mercy reigns, unending love, amazing grace.

The Lord has promised good to me, His word my hope secures;
He will my shield and portion be, as long as life endures.

(Chorus 2x)

The earth shall soon dissolve like snow, the sun forbear to shine;
but God, who called me here below, will be forever mine, will be forever mine.
You are forever mine.

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Evening Worship

Call to Worship

Opening Hymn

Scripture Reading

Pastoral Prayer

Offering

Jack Dix

#87 Holy, Holy, Holy

Isaiah 6, page 571

Pastor Michael Lopes

Have Thine Own Way Lord

Have Thine own way, Lord! Have Thine own way!
Thou art the Potter; I am the clay. Mold me and make me after Thy will,
while I am waiting, yielded and still, while I am waiting, yielded and still.

Have Thine own way, Lord! Have Thine own way!
Search me and try me, Master, today!
Whiter than snow, Lord, wash me just now,
as in Thy presence humbly I bow, as in Thy presence humbly I bow.

Have Thine own way, Lord! Have Thine own way!
Wounded and weary, help me, I pray! Power – all power – surely is Thine!
Touch me and heal me, Savior divine! Touch me and heal me, Savior divine!

Have Thine own way, Lord! Have Thine own way!
Hold o'er my being absolute sway! Fill with Thy Spirit till all shall see
Christ only, always, living in me! Christ only always, living in me!

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Preparatory

#51 When All Thy Mercies, O my God

Scripture Reading

Daniel 10, page 748

Sermon

Pastor Michael Lopes

Post-lude after sermon for quiet meditation