



WORSHIP GATHERING

July 19, 2020

To all who are spiritually weary and seek rest;

to all who mourn and long for comfort;

to all who struggle and desire victory;

to all who sin and need a Savior;

to all who are strangers and want fellowship;

to all who hunger and thirst after righteousness;

and to all who will come,

New City opens wide her doors and offers
welcome in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ.

Welcome.

Gathering Song

JESUS EVERLASTING KING

Isaac Watts, Matthew S. Smith

CHORUS

Jesus, everlasting King,
Accept the tribute which we bring;
Accept the well deserved renown,
And wear our praises as Your crown

O send Your Spirit to impart
Rest and repentance to our hearts,
Like the dear hour when from above
We first received Your pledge of love.

CHORUS

The gladness of redemption's day,
Our hearts would wish it long to stay,
Nor let our faith forsake its hold,
Nor comforts sink, or love grow cold

CHORUS

O that the months would roll away
And bring the coronation day;
The King of Grace shall fill the throne
With all His Father's glories on

CHORUS X2

Call to Worship

Isaiah 28:16 and Psalm 34:2-3

Leader

So this is what the Sovereign LORD says:

“See, I lay a stone in Zion, a tested stone,
a precious cornerstone for a sure foundation;
the one who relies on it
will never be stricken with panic.

Congregation

**My soul makes its boast in the LORD;
let the humble hear and be glad.
Oh, magnify the LORD with me,
and let us exalt his name together!**

We Delight

Joshua Moore

CHORUS

We delight in the Law of your word

We delight in the son Who was perfect from birth

We delight in the day He's returning to earth - Hallelujah

We will bow our hearts because we are free

As we raise our hands to give you glory

Father of life and love and infinite worth

We're delivered by blood that flows from the tree

Draw us near to you, vessels of your mercy

Before the invention of man, glorious Trinity

CHORUS

We will lift our eyes to the cloud and the flame

Lord you guide our steps and restore us again

The nations of man will rejoice in the God of the wilderness

CHORUS X 2

Hallelujah...

All You Do Is Good

Nathan Partain

You are full of compassion and abounding in love,
You create things from nothing, call what's not though it was.
You are light with no shadow, with no shifting or change.
You turn weeping to dancing and despair into thanks.

CHORUS

You are good and all you do is good
You are good and all you do is good
You are good and all you do is good
All you do is good, all you do is good

You release every captive, cut the shackles from slaves
Those who hate you, you ransom, give your blood for their shame.
With the bent stem, you're tender, shield the smoldering flame
You bring home the unwanted, call the lost back by name.

CHORUS

You lift up, you... you revive, you... you restore, you... you increase, you...
You anoint, you... you fill up, you... you spill out, you... you release, you...
You make grow, you... you bring forth, you... you call out, you...
You set free, it's who you are, it's who you were,
It's who you will always be.

Your life is eternal, not in measure but kind
Running over with healing, inexhaustible might
You in us, and we in you, the delight in your face.
Resting here we enjoy you, and our joy is your praise.

CHORUS

Confession of Sin

Leader

Let us confess our sin together.

Congregation

Lord Jesus Christ, though being in very nature God, when You came to redeem us You humbled yourself and made Yourself nothing. We confess how unlike You we are in our attitudes and actions.

We often strive for recognition and acclaim from others, and we sulk and become bitter if we do not get it. We look out for our own needs and concerns, failing to care for others except when it serves our own purposes

Forgive us our sin and renew our hearts. Work in us by the power of Your Spirit so that we become more like You and so bring glory to our Father in heaven. Amen.

*WE INVITE YOU TO JOIN US ON YOUR KNEES, OR BOWING
IN YOUR SEAT, FOR PRIVATE CONFESSION OF SIN.*

Declaration of Pardon

From Galatians 4:4–6

Leader

But when the fullness of time had come, God sent forth His Son, born of woman, born under the law, to redeem those who were under the law, so that we might receive adoption as sons. And because you are sons, God has sent the Spirit of His Son into our hearts, crying, “Abba, Father!” In Christ, you are forgiven, free, and restored.

Congregation

In Christ, we are forgiven, free, and restored!

Thy Mercy

John Stocker, Sandra McCracken

Thy mercy, my God, is the theme of my song,
The joy of my heart. and the boast of my tongue;
Thy free grace alone, from the first to the last,
Hath won my affections, and bound my soul fast.

Without Thy sweet mercy I could not live here;
Sin would reduce me to utter despair;
But, through Thy free goodness, my spirits revive,
And He that first made me still keeps me alive.

Thy mercy is more than a match for my heart,
Which wonders to feel its own hardness depart;
Dissolved by Thy goodness, I fall to the ground,
And weep to the praise of the mercy I've found.

Great Father of mercies, Thy goodness I own,
And the covenant love of Thy crucified Son;
All praise to the Spirit, Whose whisper divine
Seals mercy, and pardon, and righteousness mine.
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Seals mercy, and pardon, and righteousness mine.

Mission and Resurrection

July 19, 2020 | Matthew 16:13-18 | Dr. Nicholas Piotrowski

Matthew 16:13-18

Now when Jesus came into the district of Caesarea Philippi, he asked his disciples, “Who do people say that the Son of Man is?”¹⁴ And they said, “Some say John the Baptist, others say Elijah, and others Jeremiah or one of the prophets.”¹⁵ He said to them, “But who do you say that I am?”¹⁶ Simon Peter replied, “You are the Christ, the Son of the living God.”¹⁷ And Jesus answered him, “Blessed are you, Simon Bar-Jonah! For flesh and blood has not revealed this to you, but my Father who is in heaven.”¹⁸ And I tell you, you are Peter, and on this rock I will build my church, and the gates of hadesshall not prevail against it.

1. Jesus is the Son of the living God.
2. Jesus will build his temple.
3. The Gates of Hades shall not prevail.

O Church Arise (Arise, Shine)

Chris Tomlin, Keith Getty, Kristyn Getty, Stuart Townend

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

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 every side, we know the outcome is secure
And Christ will have the prize for which He died: an inheritance of nations

CHORUS

Arise, shine for your light has come
Arise, shine for the Risen Son
Lift your eyes, We are His radiant bride
Arise, O church, arise!

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 victory march continues till the day every eye and heart shall see Him

So Spirit come, put strength in every stride
Give grace for every 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 their calls and hunger for the day
When with Christ we stand in glory

CHORUS X2

Benediction

Romans 15:13

Leader

May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace in believing, so that by the power of the Holy Spirit you may abound in hope.

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