

SUNDAY, AUGUST 09, 2020

“When I was young,
I was sure of many
things; now there
are only two things
of which I am
certain: one is, that
I’m a miserable
sinner; the other is
that Christ is an all-
sufficient Savior.”

— John Newton



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Gathering

Arise, O God, and Shine

— *Words by William Hurn, Music by Chris Miner*

Arise, O God, and shine in all Thy saving might,
And prosper each design to spread Thy glorious light;
Let healing streams of mercy flow
that all the earth Thy truth may know.

Bring distant nations near to sing Thy glorious praise;
Let every people hear and learn Thy holy ways.
Reign, mighty God, assert Thy cause,
And govern by Thy righteous laws.

Put forth Thy glorious power, that everyone may see
And earth present her store in converts born to Thee.
God, our own God, His Church will bless
And fill the world with righteousness.

To God, the only Wise, the one immortal King,
Let hallelujahs rise from every living thing;
Let all that breathe on every coast
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost.

The largest book in the Bible is primarily a book of poems set to music to sing God praises. This is all part of God's design to surround His presence with singing. Gratitude to God expresses dependence upon God and is an antidote for cynicism, criticism, and bitterness.

Welcome

Come Alive (Dry Bones) — *Lauren Daigle and Michael Farren*

Through the eyes of man it seems
There's so much we have lost
As we look down the road
Where all the prodigals have walked
And one by one the enemy
Has whispered lies and led them off as slaves

But I know that You are God,
Yours is the victory
We know there is more to come
That we may not yet see
So with the faith You've given us
We step into the valley unafraid

We call out the dry bones,
"Come alive, come alive!"
We call out to dead hearts,
"Come alive, come alive!"
Up out of the ashes,
Let us see an army rise.
We call out to dry bones,
"Come alive!"

God of endless mercy,
God of unrelenting love
Rescue every daughter
Bring us back the wayward sons
And by Your Spirit breathe upon them
Show the world that You alone can save

So breathe, oh breath of God
Now breathe, oh breath of God
Breathe, oh breath of God
Now breathe

It has been the practice of the church for thousands of years to have portions of the Bible read during worship services. We do this because we are people who need to be shaped by all of God's word.

What a Friend We Have in Jesus

What a friend we have in Jesus, all our sins and griefs to bear!
What a privilege to carry everything to God in prayer!
O what peace we often forfeit, O what needless pain we bear,
All because we do not carry everything to God in prayer.

Hear our prayer, hear our prayer
When we leave our burdens in Your care
For this, today, oh Lord we watch and pray
Gracious Father, hear our prayer

Are we weak and heavy laden, cumbered with a load of care?
Precious Savior, still our refuge, take it to the Lord in prayer.
Do your friends despise, forsake you? Take it to the Lord in prayer!
In His arms He'll take and shield you; you will find a solace there.

Have we trials and temptations? Is there trouble anywhere?
We should never be discouraged; take it to the Lord in prayer.
Can we find a friend so faithful who will all our sorrows share?
Jesus knows our every weakness; take it to the Lord in prayer.

STUDENT MESSAGE

SONG — Zach Fleury

Message

Series: Church Without Walls

Title: Greet & Welcome One Another

Text: Romans 16:16 and 15:7 (ESV)

Speaker: Dave O'Connell

Greet one another with a holy kiss... Welcome one another as Christ has welcomed you, for the glory of God.

We Will Feast in the House of Zion — *Sandra McCracken*

We will feast in the house of Zion.

We will sing with our hearts restored.

"He has done great things," we will say together.

We will feast, and weep no more.

We will not be burned by the fire;

He is the Lord our God.

We are not consumed by the flood -

Upheld, protected, gathered up.

In the dark of night before the dawn,

My soul be not afraid;

For the promised morning, Oh how long!

O God of Jacob, be my strength!

Every vow we've broken and betrayed,

You are the faithful One;

And from the garden to the grave,

Bind us together, bring shalom.

PERSPECTIVE

BENEDICTION

The benediction, different from good wishes or even a prayer, is a pronouncement of God's blessing. God sends us out in peace, giving us his presence as we go to be blessing-bearers to the world.

Announcements

Prayer Request Covid19 has disrupted many food supply chains leading to the starvation of tens of thousands of our world's children.
Pray Pray Pray

Important CS Kids Event Update - due to the recent increase in cases in our area, and feedback from several of you, we've decided to put a pause on our events for the next several weeks. We understand the hesitancy to come to public spaces where your kids will see friends, and it may be hard to keep everyone appropriately distanced. Our destinations for the next few weeks are listed below in case you want to venture out to these locations on your own as a family:

- *Picnic at Point no Point* - this is a beautiful spot in Hansville, and there's often fun sea life to view.
- *Battle Point park* - bring your bikes, or try out the frisbee golf as a family.

We are still working on a drive-in movie event and will keep you posted as those details come together. We miss seeing all of your faces! Please don't hesitate to reach out if we can be a support to your families in any way. In His Grace - *Laura and Sandy*

Men's Retreat (Ft Worden) Update: our scheduled retreat for this year has been cancelled. But we're super enthused about our plans for next year's retreat! Please save the date for our 2021 Men's Retreat: September 17-21 @ Ft. Worden