

WEDNESDAY NIGHT Acoustic Worship Service

Jesus replied, "I am the bread of life. Whoever comes to me will never go hungry, and whoever believes in me will never be thirsty." - John 6:35 (CEB)

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MESSAGE

"A Certain Future"

SCRIPTURE

1 Thessalonians 4:13-18

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ORDER OF WORSHIP

GREETING

SONG

"Because He Lives"

Verse 1

God sent His Son they called Him Jesus
He came to love heal and forgive
He bled and died to buy my pardon
An empty grave is there to prove
My Savior lives

Chorus

Because He lives I can face tomorrow
Because He lives all fear is gone
Because I know He holds the future
And life is worth the living
Just because He lives

Verse 2

And then one day I'll cross that river
I'll fight life's final war with pain
And then as death gives way to vict'ry
I'll see the lights of glory
And I'll know He reigns

Chorus

Ending

And life is worth the living
Just because He lives

SONG

"It Is Well with My Soul"

Verse 1

When peace, like a river, attendeth my way, when sorrows like sea billows roll; whatever my lot, thou hast taught me to say, It is well, it is well with my soul.

Chorus

It is well (It is well) with my soul (with my soul), it is well, it is well with my soul.

Verse 2

My sin, oh, the bliss of this glorious thought!
My sin, not in part but the whole,
is nailed to the cross, and I bear it no more,
praise the Lord, praise the Lord, O my soul!

Chorus

Verse 3

And, Lord, haste the day when my faith shall be sight, the clouds be rolled back as a scroll; the trump shall resound, and the Lord shall descend, even so, it is well with my soul.

Chorus

PRAYER OF THE PEOPLE

PRAYER OF THE OFFERING

SONG

"In Christ Alone"

Verse 1

In Christ alone my hope is found
He is my light my strength my song
This Cornerstone this solid Ground
Firm through the fiercest drought and storm
What heights of love what depths of peace
When fears are stilled when strivings cease
My Comforter my All in All
Here in the love of Christ I stand

Verse 2

In Christ alone who took on flesh
Fullness of God in helpless babe
This gift of love and righteousness
Scorned by the ones He came to save
Till on that cross as Jesus died
The love of God was realized
For every sin on Him was laid
Here in the death of Christ I live

Verse 3

There in the ground His body lay
Light of the world by darkness slain
Then bursting forth in glorious Day
Up from the grave He rose again
And as He stands in victory
Sin's curse has lost its grip on me
For I am His and He is mine
Bought with the precious blood of Christ

SCRIPTURE 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18 (NRSVUE)

- **13** But we do not want you to be uninformed, brothers and sisters, about those who have died, so that you may not grieve as others do who have no hope.
- **14** For since we believe that Jesus died and rose again, even so, through Jesus, God will bring with him those who have died.
- **15** For this we declare to you by the word of the Lord, that we who are alive, who are left until the coming of the Lord, will by no means precede those who have died.
- **16** For the Lord himself, with a cry of command, with the archangel's call and with the sound of God's trumpet, will descend from heaven, and the dead in Christ will rise first.
- 17 Then we who are alive, who are left, will be caught up in the clouds together with them to meet the Lord in the air, and so we will be with the Lord forever.
- 18 Therefore encourage one another with these words.

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COMMUNION

SONG

"Untitled Hymn (Come to Jesus)"

Verse 1

Weak and wounded sinner, lost and left to die,
O, raise your head for Love is passing by,
Come to Jesus, Come to Jesus, come to Jesus and live

Verse 2

Now your burden's lifted and carried far away And precious blood has washed away the stain So sing to Jesus, sing to Jesus and live

Verse 3

Like a newborn baby, don't be afraid to crawl And remember when you walk, sometimes we fall So fall on Jesus, fall on Jesus fall on Jesus and live

Verse 4

Sometimes the way is lonely and steep and filled with pain So if your sky is dark and pours the rain Then cry to Jesus, cry to Jesus and live

Verse 5

Oh and when the love spills over, and music fills the night
And when you can't contain your joy inside
Then dance for Jesus, dance for Jesus, and live

Verse 6

And with your final heartbeat, kiss the world good- bye And go in peace and laugh on glory's side And fly to Jesus, fly to Jesus and live

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