(B 142)

All hail the power of Jesus' name! let angels prostrate fall; Bring forth the royal diadem, and crown Him Lord of all! Bring forth the royal diadem, and crown Him Lord of all!

Ye chosen seed of Israel's race, Ye ransomed from the fall, Hail Him who saves you by His grace, and crown Him Lord of all! Hail Him who saves you by His grace, and crown Him Lord of all!

Let every kindred, every tribe, on this terrestrial ball, To Him all majesty ascribe, and crown Him Lord of all! To Him all majesty ascribe, and crown Him Lord of all.

O that with yonder sacred throng we at His feet may fall! We'll join the everlasting song, and crown Him Lord of all! We'll join the everlasting song, and crown Him Lord of all!

# CONFESSING OUR SINS

- LEADER: In the presence of Almighty God, let us come before the Lord in honest and humble confession of our sins, our faults and our failures.
- **CHURCH:** As we stand before You LORD, our hearts unfold. How difficult it is sometimes, to see how far short we fall of Your design for our lives. We offer our imperfect lives and wayward hearts to the transforming power of Your love. Free us, O God, from the bondage of self and let the miracle of Your love be expressed through these broken hearts. For Jesus' sake we pray. Amen.

Please pause for a time of silent confession, as you confess to the Lord what he already knows about you, yet what he wants you to acknowledge, confess and repent of.

LEADER: The good news in Christ is that when we face ourselves and God with the awareness of our need, we are given grace to grow, and courage to continue the journey. Friends, believe the good news of the gospel. In Jesus Christ we are forgiven!

GETTY / TOWEND

### CHILDRENS MESSAGE

Children are welcome to come forward to hear the message. After the message, children up to age 6 can be dismissed to the Nursery.

### MUSICAL MEDITATION

### **ANTHEM**

Holy words long preserved for our walk in this world They resound with God's own heart, O, let the ancient words impart Words of life, words of hope, give us strength, help us cope In this world where'er we roam, ancient words will guide us home

Ancient words, ever true Changing me, changing you We have come with open hearts O let the ancient words impart

MIGHTY TO SAVE	FIELDING / MORGAN	OFFERING
Everyone needs compassion, love that's never failing Let mercy fall on me		OFFERTORY
Everyone needs forgiveness, the kindness of a Savior		
The hope of nations		PRAYERS O
Chorus		
Savior, He can move the mountains		PRAYER REQU
Our God is mighty to save, He is mighty to save		LORD'S PRAY
Forever, Author of salvation		
He rose and conquered the grave, Jesus conquered the grave		
So take me as You find me, all my fears and failures		
Fill my life again		
I give my life to follow, everything I believe in		
Now I surrender		
Bridge		THE WORD
Shine your light and let the whole world see		
We're singing for the glory of the risen King Jesus $(2 x)$		MESSAGE
SHARING OF THE PEACE		SCRIPTURE
		SERIES

LEADER:	The Peace of the Lord be with you.
CHURCH:	And also with you.
LEADER:	Please share the peace of the Lord with one another.

### IN CHRIST ALONE

What heights of love, what depths of peace When fears are stilled, when strivings cease!

### In Christ alone my hope is found, He is my light, my strength, my song This Corner stone, this solid ground, firm through the fiercest drought and storm.

My Comforter, my All in all, Here in the love of Christ I stand.

Till on that cross, as Jesus died, the wrath of God was satisfied,

For every sin on Him was laid here in the death of Christ I live.

And as He stands in victory sin's curse has lost its grip on me,

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.

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!

For I am His and He is mine bought with the precious blood of Christ.

No power of hell, no scheme of man, can ever pluck me from His hand;

Till He returns or calls me home, here in the power of Christ I'll stand!

No guilt in life, no fear in death, this is the power of Christ in me;

From life's first cry to final breath, Jesus commands my destiny

### ANCIENT WORDS

Keveren

Holy words, of our faith, handed down to this age Came to us through sacrifice, O, heed the faithful words of Christ Holy words long preserved, for our walk in this world They resound with God's own heart; O, let the ancient words impart

## OF THE PEOPLE

### UESTS

Our Father, who art in Heaven, hallowed be Thy Name. YER Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen

HEART – THREE WAYS TO LIVE Luke 18:9-14 GOSPEL IN LIFE

(B 280)

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.

Through many dangers, toils, and snares, I have already come; Tis grace has brought me safe thus far, And grace will lead me home.

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

When we've been there ten thousand years. Bright shining as the sun, We've no less days to sing God's praise Than when we'd first begun.

SENDING OUT

**BENEDICTION** 

POSTLUDE





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TOD	AY		
Sunday School Morning Worship Fellowship College Age Class		Adult SS – 9:00 am / Youth SS - 9:15 10:30 am Following Worship / <i>Faith Center</i> 6:30 pm / Nickerson's Home	
THIS	WEEK		
Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday		S.I.S. 6:30 pm / Faith Center Session Meets 7:00 pm / Fireside Room Youth Group 6:30 pm / Youth Room Choir Practice 7:00 pm / Choir Room Deacons Meet 6:30 pm / Fireside Room February Pres Deadline	
COM	IING UP		
Jan Jan Jan	29 22 30	Salvation Army Preparation Methodist Church Spaghetti Dinner 4:30 – 7:00 pm Annual Church Meeting & C.A.R.E. Sunday	

# REFLECTION

"A proud man is always looking down on things and people; and, of course, as long as you are looking down, you cannot see something that is above you."

danger."

### PREPARATION

PRELUDE **WELCOME** INTROIT

# CALL TO WORSHIP

LEADER:

**CHURCH:** 

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# PRAYER REQUESTS

Tom Love	Pray for continued recovery & for cancer treatment
Nicole Demott	Pray for God's intervention & direction
Fahey Family	Pray for them as they await their adoption placement
Joanne Nobili	Pray for continued recovery & continued chemo
David Jolliff	Pray for treatment of liver cancer
Adam Hall	Pray for healing
Joyce Noble	Prayer for Joyce's recovery from a stroke and shingles

### SUNDAY – JANUARY 16, 2011 **HEART – THREE WAYS TO LIVE**

"[Habitual sinners] are in no danger of finding their present life so satisfactory that they cannot turn to God: the proud, the avaricious, the self-righteous, are in that

 $\sim$  C. S. Lewis

### STAND UP AND BLESS THE LORD Bird

O the depth of Your riches and wisdom and knowledge, O God!

How unsearchable are Your judgments and how inscrutable Your ways! For who has known Your mind, or who has been Your counselor?

Or who has given a gift to You that they might be repaid?

For from You, and through You, and to You are all things. To You be glory forever! Amen.