

COME, THOU FOUNT OF EVERY BLESSING

(W 2)

Come, Thou Fount of every blessing, tune my heart to sing Thy grace;
Streams of mercy, never ceasing, call for songs of loudest praise.
Teach me some melodious sonnet, sung by flaming tongues above;
Praise His name—I'm fixed upon it— name of God's redeeming love.

Hitherto Thy love has blest me; Thou hast bro't me to this place'
And I know Thy hand will bring me safely home by Thy good grace.
Jesus sought me when a stranger, wandering from the fold of God;
He, to rescue me from danger, bought me with His precious blood.

O to grace how great a debtor daily I'm constrained to be!
Let Thy goodness, like a fetter, bind my wandering heart to Thee:
Prone to wander, Lord, I feel it, prone to leave the God I love;
Here's my heart, O take and seal it; seal it for Thy courts above.

CONFESSING OUR SINS

LEADER: Jesus Christ, risen and triumphant Lord, we come to you in sorrow for our sins, and confess to you our weakness and unbelief.

We have lived by our own strength, and not by the power of your resurrection. In your mercy, forgive us.

CHURCH: Lord God, hear us, and help us.

LEADER: We have lived by the light of our own eyes, as faithless and not believing. In your mercy, forgive us.

CHURCH: Lord God, hear us, and help us.

LEADER: We have lived for this world alone, and doubted our eternal home. In your mercy, forgive us.

CHURCH: Lord God, hear us, and help us.

Please pause for a moment 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: Hear these words of assurance: There is only one who is able to keep you from stumbling and to present you before the glorious presence of God without fault and with great joy—the only God our Savior to whom belongs glory, majesty, power and authority, through Jesus Christ our Lord, before all ages, now and forevermore! Amen.

I WILL LIFT MY EYES

NORMAN

God my God I cry out, Your beloved needs You now
God be near calm my fear, And take my doubt
Your Kindness is what pulls me up
Your Love is all that draws me in

Chorus

I will lift my eyes to the Maker
Of the mountains I can't climb
I will lift my eyes to the Calmer,
Of the oceans raging wild
I will lift my eyes to the Healer,
Of the hurt I hold inside
I will lift my eyes, lift my eyes to You

God my God let mercy sing, her melody over me
God right here all I bring, Is all of me
Your Kindness is what pulls me up
Your Love is all that draws me in

LEAD ME TO THE CROSS

BROOKE FRASER

Saviour I come, quiet my soul - remember
Redemption's hill, where Your blood was spilled,
For my ransom
Everything I once held dear, I count it all as loss

Chorus

Lead me to the cross, where Your love poured out
Bring me to my knees, Lord I lay me down
Rid me of myself, I belong to You
Oh lead me, lead me to the cross

You were as I, tempted and tried - human
The word became flesh, Bore my sin and death,
Now You're risen
Everything I once held dear, I count it all as loss

Bridge

To Your heart,
To Your heart
Lead me to Your heart,
Lead me to Your heart

SHARING OF THE PEACE

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.

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

GIVE ME JESUS
Susan Kennelly, Flute

Helvey

I heard my mother say, I heard my mother say
I heard my mother say, give me Jesus

Give me Jesus. Give me Jesus
You may have all this world, give me Jesus

Dark midnight was my cry, dark midnight was my cry
Dark midnight was my cry, give me Jesus

Oh, when I come to die, Oh, when I come to die
Oh, when I come to die, give me Jesus

OFFERING

OFFERTORY

DOXOLOGY

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him, all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

THE WORD

MESSAGE

LIVING BY PERSEVERING FAITH

SCRIPTURE

Hebrews 10:32-39

SERIES

Living Faith – The Book of Habakkuk in the New Testament

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

LORD’S PRAYER Our Father, who art in Heaven, hallowed be Thy Name. 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.

LEAD ON, O KING ETERNAL (B 447)

Lead on, O king eternal, The day of march has come;
Hence-forth in fields of conquest Thy tents shall be our home;
Through days of preparation Thy grace has made us strong.
And now, O King eternal, We lift our battle song.

Lead on, O King eternal, Till sin’s fierce war shall cease,
And holiness shall whisper The sweet amen of peace;
For not with swords’ loud clashing, Nor roll of stirring drums;
With deeds of love and mercy The heavenly kingdom comes.

Lead on, O King eternal: We follow, not with fears;
For gladness breaks like morning Where’er Thy face appears;
Thy cross is lifted o’er us; We journey in its light:
The crown awaits the conquest; Lead on, O God of might.

SENDING OUT

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

WELCOME TO ESCALON PRESBYTERIAN

This Morning Please sign the Attendance Booklet at the end of each pew
Office Hours Tuesday - Friday 9:00 am to 3:00 pm. Closed on Mondays
Contact Info 1612 First Street, Escalon, CA 95320 • 209-838-2798
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TODAY

Sunday School Adult SS – 9:00 am / Youth SS - 9:15 / *EPC*
Morning Worship 10:30 am
Church Meeting Following Worship / *Election of Officers*
Fellowship Following Worship / *Faith Center*
College Age Class 6:30 pm / Nickerson’s Home

THIS WEEK

Monday S.I.S. 6:30 pm / *Faith Center*
Tuesday Children’s Christmas Practice 4:00 - 5:00 pm / *Choir Room*
Session Meets 7:00 pm / *Fireside Room*
Wednesday Travel Companions Day Trip / *Departing From EPC 9:30 am*
Youth Group 6:30 pm / *Youth Room*
Choir Practice 6:30 pm / *Choir Room*
Thursday Deacons Meet 6:30 pm / *Fireside Room*
Saturday December Pres Deadline

COMING UP

Nov 21 See’s Candy Order Deadline
Nov 25 Community Thanksgiving Dinner 11:30 – 1:30
Escalon Community Center



SUNDAY – NOVEMBER 14, 2010

LIVING BY PERSEVERING FAITH

REFLECTION

Patience is more than endurance. A saint’s life is in the hands of God like a bow and arrow in the hands of an archer. God is aiming at something the saint cannot see, and He stretches and strains, and every now and again the saint says – “I cannot stand any more.” God does not heed, He goes on stretching till His purpose is in sight, then He lets fly. Trust yourself in God’s hands. For what have you need of patience just now? Maintain your relationship to Jesus Christ by the patience of faith.

~ Oswald Chambers

PREPARATION

PRELUDE

WELCOME

INTROIT FAIREST LORD JESUS *Gesangbuch*
Fairest Lord Jesus, ruler of all nature
O Thou of God and man the Son
Thee will I cherish, Thee will I honor
Thou my soul’s glory, joy, and crown.

CALL TO WORSHIP

LEADER: Where do we look in times of trouble?

CHURCH: **Our help comes from the One who made heaven and earth, The Lord our Creator.**

LEADER: The LORD will give us strength, He will watch over us today and forever.

CHURCH: **Blessed is the name of the LORD. Amen!**