



CHRIST THE KING  
— PRESBYTERIAN —

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# “Be Thou My Vision”

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O Lord of my heart  
Naught be all else to me  
Save that Thou art

Thou my best thought  
By day or by night  
Waking or sleeping  
Thy presence my light

Be Thou my wisdom  
Be Thou my true Word  
I ever with Thee  
And Thou with me Lord

Thou my great Father  
I Thy true son  
Thou in me dwelling  
And I with Thee one

Be Thou my shield  
And my sword for the fight  
Be Thou my dignity  
Be Thou my might

Thou my soul's shelter  
And Thou my high tower  
Raise Thou me heavenward  
O power of my power



Riches I heed not  
Nor man's empty praise  
Thou mine inheritance  
Now and always

Thou and Thou only  
Be first in my heart  
High King of heaven  
My treasure Thou art

High King of heaven  
When victory is won  
May I reach heaven's joys  
O bright heaven's Sun

Heart of my own heart  
Whatever befall  
Still be my vision  
O Ruler of all

## CALL TO WORSHIP - from Psalm 111

**Leader:** *Praise the Lord! I will give thanks to the Lord with my whole heart, in the company of the upright, in the congregation.*

**People:** Great are the works of the Lord, studied by all who delight in them.

**Leader:** *Full of splendor and majesty is his work, and his righteousness endures forever.*

**People:** He has caused his wondrous works to be remembered; the Lord is gracious and merciful.

**Leader:** *The works of his hands are faithful and just; all his precepts are trustworthy; they are established forever and ever, to be performed with faithfulness and uprightness.*

**People:** He sent redemption to his people; he has commanded his covenant forever.

**Leader:** *Holy and awesome is his name! The fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom —*

**All:** All those who practice it have a good understanding. His praise endures forever!



“We Will Feast In The House Of Zion”

*by 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

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

In the dark of night before the dawn  
My soul be not afraid  
For the promised morning oh how long  
Oh God of Jacob be my strength

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

Every vow we've broken and betrayed

You are the faithful one

And from the garden to the grave

Bind us together, bring shalom

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



# “On Jordan’s Stormy Banks”

*by Samuel Stennett*

On Jordan's stormy banks I stand  
And cast a wishful eye  
To Canaan's fair and happy land  
Where my possessions lie

All o'er those wide extended plains  
Shines one eternal day  
There God the Son forever reigns  
And scatters night away

I am bound, I am bound

I am bound for the promised land

I am bound, I am bound

I am bound for the promised land

No chilling winds nor poisonous breath  
Can reach that healthful shore  
Sickness and sorrow, pain and death  
Are felt and feared no more

I am bound, I am bound  
I am bound for the promised land  
I am bound, I am bound  
I am bound for the promised land

When shall I reach that happy place  
And be forever blest  
When shall I see my Father's face  
And in His bosom rest

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# PRAYER OF ADORATION

# FIRST SCRIPTURE READING

Exodus 15:1-18

**Reader:** *This is the Word of the Lord!*

**People:** Thanks be to God!

# CONFESSION OF SIN

Eternal and merciful God, you have loved us with a love beyond our understanding, and you have set us on paths of righteousness for your name's sake. Yet we have strayed from your way; we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, through what we have done and what we have left undone.

As we remember the lavish gift of your grace symbolized in baptism, O God, we praise you and give you thanks that you forgive us yet again. Grant us now, we pray, the grace to die daily to sin, and to rise daily to new life in Christ, who lives and reigns with you, and in whose strong name we pray. Amen.

## ASSURANCE OF PARDON

**Minister:** *Our help is in the name of the Lord,*

**People:** The maker of heaven and earth!

**Minister:** *O Lord, open our lips,*

**People:** And our mouths will declare Your  
praise!

# DOXOLOGY

Praise God from whom all blessings flow.

Praise Him all creatures here below.

Praise Him above, ye heavenly hosts.

Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

Amen.

# “Crown Him With Many Crowns”

*by George Job Elvey, Godfrey Thring,  
and Matthew Bridges*



Crown Him with many crowns  
The Lamb upon His throne  
Hark how the heavenly anthem drowns  
All music but its own

Awake my soul and sing  
Of Him who died for thee  
And hail Him as thy matchless King  
Through all eternity

Crown Him the Lord of life  
Who triumphed o'er the grave  
And rose victorious in the strife  
For those He came to save

His glories now we sing  
Who died and rose on high  
Who died eternal life to bring  
And lives that death may die

Crown Him the Lord of love  
Behold His hands and side  
Rich wounds yet visible above  
In beauty glorified

No angel in the sky  
Can fully bear that sight  
But downward bends each burning eye  
At mysteries so bright

Crown Him the Lord of peace  
Whose power a sceptre sways  
From pole to pole that wars may cease  
And all be prayer and praise

His reign shall know no end  
And round His pierced feet  
Fair flowers of paradise extend  
Their fragrance ever sweet



Crown Him the Lord of years  
The Potentate of time  
Creator of the rolling spheres  
Ineffably sublime

All hail Redeemer hail  
For Thou hast died for me  
Thy praise shall never, never fail  
Throughout eternity

# GREETING

**Leader:** *Christ is risen!*

**People:** He is risen indeed!

**Leader:** *Let us share His peace with one another.*

*Children may leave for lesson (ages 4-6).*

# PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

*As the leader directs, the congregation is invited to pray for those for whom they are burdened.*

*Pray aloud and by name or silently if you prefer.*

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

# SECOND SCRIPTURE READING

Revelation 14:6–15:4

**Reader:** *This is the Word of the Lord!*

**People:** Thanks be to God!





# “All Hail the Power of Jesus’ Name”

*by Edward Perronet, Oliver Holden,  
and Tommy Walker*

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.

# CELEBRATING COMMUNION

**Minister:** *The peace of the Lord be always with you.*

**People:** And also with you!

**Minister:** *Lift up your hearts!*

**People:** We lift them up to the Lord!

*Wine is in the outer circles of cups; the inner circle contains grape juice. Gluten-free bread is in its own tray.*

*As the usher directs, please come forward one row at a time to pick up your cups.*

*Please hold your elements until all are served so that we may all partake together, as one body.*



“How Deep the Father’s Love for Us”

*Words and Music: Stuart Townend*

How deep the Father's love for us,  
How vast beyond all measure,  
That He should give His only Son  
To make a wretch His treasure.

How great the pain of searing loss;  
The Father turns His face away,  
As wounds which mar the Chosen One  
Bring many sons to glory.

Behold the Man upon a cross,  
My sin upon His shoulders;  
Ashamed, I hear my mocking voice  
Call out among the scoffers.

It was my sin that held Him there  
Until it was accomplished;  
His dying breath has brought me life—  
I know that it is finished.

I will not boast in anything,  
No gifts, no power, no wisdom;  
But I will boast in Jesus Christ,  
His death and resurrection.

Why should I gain from His reward?  
I cannot give an answer.  
But this I know with all my heart:  
His wounds have paid my ransom.

# CELEBRATING COMMUNION



## THE SENDING - 1 Thessalonians 3:12-13

*May the Lord make you increase and abound in love for one another and for all, as we do for you, so that he may establish your hearts blameless in holiness before our God and Father, at the coming of our Lord Jesus with all his saints.*

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