

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow Praise Him, all creatures here below Praise Him above, ye heav' nly host Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost

Announcements

AND UPCOMING EVENTS



Prayer and Praise

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Willingly we choose to surrender our lives Willingly our knees will bow With all our heart soul mind and strength

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Shine Jesus Shine

Lord, the light of Your love is shining In the midst of the darkness, shining Jesus, Light of the world, shine upon us Set us free by the truth You now bring us Shine on me, shine on me

Shine, Jesus, shine Fill this land with the Father's glory Blaze, Spirit, blaze Set our hearts on fire Flow, river, flow Flood the nations with grace and mercy Send forth Your word Lord, and let there be light

Lord, I come to Your awesome presence From the shadows into Your radiance By the blood I may enter Your brightness Search me, try me

Consume all my darkness Shine on me, shine on me

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As we gaze on Your kingly brightness So our faces display Your likeness Ever changing from glory to glory Mirrored here may our lives tell Your story

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Everlasting God

Strength will rise as we wait upon the Lord We will wait upon the Lord We will wait upon the Lord Strength will rise as we wait upon the Lord We will wait upon the Lord We will wait upon the Lord

Our God You reign forever Our Hope our strong Deliv'rer

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Tithes & Offering





Victory In Jesus

I heard an old, old story How a Savior came from glory How He gave His life on Calvary To save a wretch like me

I heard about His groaning Of His precious blood's atoning Then I repented of my sins And won the victory

O victory in Jesus My Savior, forever He sought me and bought me With His redeeming blood

He loved me ere I knew Him And all my love is due Him He plunged me to victory Beneath the cleansing flood

I heard about His healing Of His cleansing pow'r revealing How He made the lame to walk again And caused the blind to see

And then I cried, "Dear Jesus come and heal my broken spirit."

And somehow Jesus came and

brought to me the victory

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He loved me ere I knew Him And all my love is due Him He plunged me to victory Beneath the cleansing flood

I heard about a mansion He has built for me in glory And I heard about the streets of gold Beyond the crystal sea

About the angels singing And the old redemption story And some sweet day I'll sing up there The song of victory

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By Faith

By faith we see the hand of God In the light of creation's grand design In the lives of those who prove His faithfulness

Who walk by faith and not by sight

By faith our fathers roamed the earth With the pow'r of His promise in their hearts Of a holy city built by God's own

A place where peace and justice reign

We will stand as children of the promise

We will fix our eyes on Him our

Till the race is finished and the work is done
We'll walk by faith and not by sight

soul's reward

By faith the prophets saw a day
When the longed-for Messiah would
appear

With the pow'r to break the chains of sin and death

And rise triumphant from the grave

By faith the church was called to go In the pow'r of the Spirit to the lost To deliver captives and to preach good news In ev'ry corner of the earth

We will stand as children of the promise

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By faith the mountain shall be moved And the pow'r of the gospel shall prevail

For we know in Christ all things are possible

For all who call upon His name

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We will fix our eyes on Him our soul's reward

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Reading of God's Word



1 Timothy 5:17-25

Elders

and the

Church



Protecting

Elders





Be sober-minded; be watchful. Your adversary the devil prowls around like a roaring lion, seeking someone to devour. Resist him, firm in your faith, knowing that the same kinds of suffering are being experienced by your brotherhood throughout the world.



Do not admit a charge against an elder except on the evidence of two or three witnesses.





A single witness shall not suffice against a person for any crime or for any wrong in connection with any offense that he has committed. Only on the evidence of two witnesses or of three witnesses shall a charge be established.



Touch not my anointed ones, do my prophets no harm!



Rebuking

Elders



1 Timothy 5:20-21

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Not many of you should become teachers, my brothers, for you know that we who teach will be judged with greater strictness.

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The fear of the LORD is the beginning of wisdom, and the knowledge of the Holy One is insight.

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Truly, I say to you, whatever you bind on earth shall be bound in heaven, and whatever you loose on earth shall be loosed in heaven.



If after being appointed as an elder you enter or are found to be in sin, are you willing to have your sin exposed before the entire congregation and will you willingly forfeit your position as elder?



Selecting

Elders



1 Timothy 5:22-25

Do not be hasty in the laying on of hands.

When you bring the Levites before the Lord, the people of Israel shall lay their hands on the Levites, and Aaron shall offer the Levites before the Lord as a wave offering from the people of Israel, that they may do the service of the Lord.

Joshua the son of Nun was full of the spirit of wisdom, for Moses had laid his hands on him. So the people of Israel obeyed him.

When they had appointed elders for them in every church, with prayer and fasting they committed them to the Lord in whom they had believed.

This is why I left you in Crete, so that you might put what remained into order, and appoint elders in every town as I directed you.



Do not neglect the gift you have, which was given you by prophecy when the council of elders laid their hands on you.

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Do not get drunk with wine, for that is debauchery, but be filled with the Spirit.

No longer drink only water, but use a little wine for the sake of your stomach and your frequent ailments.

Therefore let us not pass judgment on one another any longer, but rather decide never to put a stumbling block or hindrance in the way of a brother.



The sins of some people are conspicuous, going before them to judgment, but the sins of others appear later.

He must not be a recent convert, or he may become puffed up with conceit and fall into the condemnation of the devil.

So also good works are conspicuous, and even those that are not cannot remain hidden.

Matthew 6:2-4

before you, as the hypocrites do in the synagogues and in the streets, that they may be praised by others.

Truly, I say to you, they have received their reward. But when you give to the needy, do not let

your
left hand know what your right hand is doing,
so that your giving may be in secret. And your



We Are One In The Spirit We are One in The Spirit We are One in The Lord We are One in The Spirit We are One in The Lord And we pray that all unity may one day be restored

And they'll know we are Christians By our love

By our Love
Yes, they'll know we are Christians
By our love

We will walk with each other We will walk hand in hand We will walk with each other We will walk hand in hand And together we'll spread the news that God is in our land

And they'll know we are Christians By our love

By our Love

Yes they'll know we are Christians
By our love

We will work with each other We will work side by side We will work with each other We will work side by side And we'll guard each man's dignity And save each man's pride

And they'll know we are Christians By our love By our Love Yes they'll know we are Christians By our love



Peter 1:2

May grace and peace be multiplied to you in the knowledge of God and of Jesus our Lord.