

WORSHIP RESOURCE

January 1, 2023 | First Sunday after Christmas

WORSHIP SONGS

DOXOLOGY

Words by Thomas Ken, 1709 | Music by Louis Bourgeois, 1551

Praise God from whom all blessing flow;
praise him all creatures here below; praise him above ye heavenly

I SING THE MIGHTY POWER OF GOD

Words by Isaac Watts, 1715 / German Melody

I sing the mighty power of God that made the mountains rise;
that spread the flowing seas abroad and built the lofty skies.
I sing the wisdom that ordained the sun to rule the day.
The moon shines full at His command and all the stars obey.

I sing the goodness of the Lord that filled the earth with food.
He formed the creatures with His word and then pronounced them
good. Lord, how Thy wonders are displayed where'er I turn my eye.
If I survey the ground I tread or gaze upon the sky.

There's not a plant or flower below but makes Thy glories known;
and clouds arise and tempests blow by order from Thy throne.
While all that borrows life from Thee is ever in Thy care;
and everywhere that man can be, Thou, God art present there.

YOUR LOVE AWAKENS ME

Words and Music by Phil Wickham and Chris Quilala, 2016

There were walls between us, by the cross you came and broke them
down, you broke them down. And there were chains around us
By your grace we are no longer bound, no longer bound.

You called me out of the grave, you called me into the light,
You called my name and then my heart came alive.

*Your love is greater, your love is stronger,
Your love awakens, awakens, awakens me.*

Feel the darkness shaking, all the dead are coming back to life,
I'm back to life. Hear the song awaken,
All creation singing we're alive, 'cause you're alive.

And what a love we've found, death can't hold us down
We shout it out, we're alive 'cause your alive.

NO LONGER SLAVES

Music and Words by Jonathan David and Melissa Helser, 2014

You unravel me with a melody, You surround me with a song.
Of deliverance from my enemies, 'till all my fears are gone.

*I'm no longer a slave to fear, I am a child of God.
I'm no longer a slave to fear, I am a child of God.*

From my mother's womb, you have chosen me,
Love has called my name. I've been born again into your family,
Your blood flows through my veins.

You split the sea so I could walk right through it;
my fears were drowned in perfect love.
You rescued me so I could stand and sing, I am a child of God.

WE WILL FEAST IN THE HOUSE OF ZION

Words by Sandra McCracken and Joshua Moore, 2015

*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.

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.

Ev'ry vow we've broken and betrayed, you are the faithful one.
And from the garden to the grave, bind us together, bring shalom.

DAILY READINGS | BOOK OF COMMON WORSHIP

SUNDAY | Ps. 8; Genesis 17:1-16; Colossians 2:6-12; John 16:23-30
MONDAY | Ps. 9; Genesis 12:1-7; Hebrews 11:1-12; John 6:35-51
TUESDAY | Ps. 111; Genesis 28:10-22; Heb. 11:13-22; John 10:7-17
WEDNESDAY | Ps. 20; Exodus 3:1-5; Hebrews 11:23-31; John 14:6-14
THURSDAY | Ps. 99; Joshua 1:1-9; Hebrews 11:32-12:2; John 15:1-16
FRIDAY | Ps. 72; Isaiah 52:7-10; Revelation 21:22-27; Matt. 12:14-21
SATURDAY | Ps. 97; Isaiah 52:3-6; Revelation 2:1-7; John 2:1-11

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Redeemer Lord, we confess that we are slow to remember your
gracious deeds, praiseworthy acts, and all that you have done for us.
In all of our distress, we forget that it is your presence that saves and
comforts us. Like Joseph, you protect us and guide us though there is
evil and warfare all around us. When we face temptation, you provide
a way of escape. We thank you for your mercy and the abundance of
your steadfast love. In the name of Jesus we pray. Amen.



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