

"WALKING IN THE FEAR OF THE LORD AND IN THE COMFORT OF THE HOLY SPIRIT, IT MULTIPLIED" - ACTS 9:31

ORDER OF WORSHIP:

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Welcome and Introduction

Call to Worship

Colossians 2:9-10

Music

SAVED MY SOUL

Chorus
You my God have saved my soul
I am Yours forevermore
I won't be moved of this I'm sure
You are my God and You saved my soul

I was lost when You came for me Held in chains by the enemy But You broke them in victory Now I'm free I am free

You're my joy and You are my hope I am saved by Your grace alone I will sing of Your love for me I am free I am free

Chorus

Now I stand with the Kings of kings
He has paid for my every sin
And from now through eternity
I am free I am free

Chorus (x2)

Pastoral Prayer and the 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. 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."

Sermon Text:

Daniel 12:4-12

Music

JESUS WHAT A FRIEND FOR SINNERS

Jesus what a friend for sinners
Jesus lover of my soul
Friends may fail me foes assail me
He my Savior makes me whole

Chorus
Hallelujah what a Savior
Hallelujah what a friend
Saving helping keeping loving
He is with me to the end

Jesus what a strength in weakness
Let me hide myself in Him
Tempted tried and often failing
He my strength my victory wins

Chorus

Jesus what a help in sorrow While the billows o'er me roll Even when my heart is breaking He my comfort helps my soul

Chorus

Sermon: "How Long?" Daniel 12:4-12

Confession of Sin

adapted and expanded from Calvin's commentary prayer from Daniel 12

Grant, Almighty God, since you propose to us no other end than that of constant warfare during our whole life, and subject us to many cares until we arrive at the goal of this temporary race-course; Grant, we pray to you, that we many never grow fatigued.

Forgive us for where we have fallen short amid the warfare, and restore us anew in our battles. May we ever be armed and equipped for battle, and whatever the trials by which you do prove us, may we never be found deficient. May we always aspire towards heaven with upright souls, and strive with all our endeavors to attain that blessed rest which is laid up for us in heaven, in Jesus Christ our Lord, in whose name we pray, Amen!

Music COME YE SINNERS

Come, ye sinners, poor and needy, Weak and wounded, sick and sore; Jesus, ready, stands to save you, Full of pity, love and power. He is able, He is able; He is willing; doubt no more.

Come ye thirsty, come, and welcome, God's free bounty glorify; True belief and true repentance, Every grace that brings you nigh. Without money, without money Come to Jesus Christ and buy.

Come, ye weary, heavy laden, Bruised and broken by the fall; If you tarry 'til you're better, You will never come at all. Not the righteous, not the righteous; Sinners Jesus came to call.

Lo! The Incarnate God, ascended; Pleads the merit of His blood. Venture on Him; venture wholly, Let no other trust intrude. None but Jesus, none but Jesus Can do helpless sinners good.

Assurance of the Gospel

Daniel 10:19

Music

BLESSED BE YOUR NAME

Blessed be Your name, In the land that is plentiful Where your streams of abundance flow, Blessed be Your name Blessed be Your name, When I'm found in the desert place Though I walk through the wilderness, Blessed be Your name

Chorus

Every blessing You pour out, I'll turn back to praise
When the darkness closes in, Lord, Still I will say
Blessed be the name of the Lord, Blessed be Your name
Blessed be the name of the Lord, Blessed be Your glorious name

Blessed be Your name, When the sun's shining down on me When the world's 'all as it should be', Blessed be Your name And blessed be Your name, On the road marked with suffering Though there's pain in the offering, Blessed be Your name

Chorus

You give and take away, You give and take away My heart will choose to say, Lord blessed be Your name

Chorus

Benediction Daniel 10:19

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*We do consider giving to be part of our worship to God, and it is our conviction that we make an option available — especially for our members. While we do not pass a plate during our worship services yet, we do have an offering box in the front that you may feel free to use. We also have an online giving platform available at our website: villagepres-verdae.com.