

July 16 Newsletter

Church Family,

Kenny Lamm, senior consultant for the Worship and Music Team at the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina, recently wrote a post about music in the church during this pandemic. He referred to the song "The Heart of Worship" by Matt Redman. Redman's church in England, despite its excellent music, was going through a period of apathy and struggling to find meaning in its musical worship. The pastor decided to temporarily get rid of the band, sound system, etc., stripping away everything for a season so people's hearts would focus only on offering God heartfelt worship. After a season, the musicians were brought back as everyone had gained a new perspective that worship is all about Jesus no matter the circumstances or setting. After the church's journey together, Redman wrote that song as a personal response to what he had experienced and learned about worship.

"When the music fades, all is stripped away, and I simply come Longing just to bring something that's of worth that will bless your heart I'm coming back to the heart of worship, and it's all about You, Jesus."

During these unprecedented times of our churches being upside-down in the way we do church, with hand sanitizers, masks, social distancing (when we'd rather hug on people), singing in a car or in the sanctuary carefully distanced from others (when we'd rather be joyfully singing in a choir loft), wondering when this will ever end, remember that wherever we are, whatever the circumstances, we can, and must, bring our hearts of worship to the only One who is worthy of our worship, Jesus Christ our Savior and Lord. And as we start to slowly add our programs, Bible studies and other gatherings, let's be careful to sort through everything we add and keep only what keeps our heart close to Jesus.

Kathleen Gambrell, Worship Leader

Sunday's Worship Guide <u>Worthy of the Gospel</u> Rejoice In Peace; Philippians 4:1-9

- I. Real Peace Comes From Truth (1)
- II. Peace In Relationships (2-3)
- III. Peace From Anxiety (4-7)
- IV. Peace From Sin (8-9)

Announcements

- We encourage you to leave doors open while you are meeting, but please remember to close them when finished.
- On Sunday, August 16, there will be a meeting for ALL COUNTERS (regarding the new counting procedures) in the fellowship hall following the 10:30 service.

Weekly Schedule

Sundays

9:00 AM: Drive-in Service Sunday School

10:30 AM: Sanctuary Service Sunday School

No Evening Service

Tuesdays 6:00 PM: Celebrate Recovery

Wednesdays 10:00 AM: Prayer Meeting

Thursdays 10:00 AM: Faith Sunday School

Upcoming Schedule

Friday, July 17 6:00 PM: Family Fun Night

Sunday, July 19 4:00 PM: Meeting for ALL Children Workers (FH)

4:30 PM: Meeting for VBS Workers (Sanctuary)

Wednesday, July 22 6:00 PM: Business Meeting 1st Reading of Proposed Budget



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10,000 Reasons

Chorus

Bless the Lord O my soul O my soul Worship His holy name Sing like never before O my soul I'll worship Your holy name

Verse 1

The sun comes up it's a new day dawning It's time to sing Your song again Whatever may pass and whatever lies before me Let me be singing when the evening comes

Chorus

Bless the Lord O my soul O my soul Worship His holy name Sing like never before O my soul I'll worship Your holy name

Verse 2

You're rich in love and You're slow to anger Your name is great and Your heart is kind For all Your goodness I will keep on singing Ten thousand reasons for my heart to find

Chorus

Bless the Lord O my soul O my soul Worship His holy name Sing like never before O my soul I'll worship Your holy name

Verse 3

And on that day when my strength is failing The end draws near and my time has come Still my soul will sing Your praise unending Ten thousand years and then forevermore

Chorus

Bless the Lord O my soul O my soul Worship His holy name Sing like never before O my soul I'll worship Your holy name

Chorus

Bless the Lord O my soul O my soul Worship His holy name Sing like never before O my soul I'll worship Your holy name

Ending

I'll worship Your holy name Lord I'll worship Your holy name

There Is A Fountain

Verse 1

There is a fountain filled with blood Drawn from Immanuel's veins And sinners plunged beneath that flood Lose all their guilty stains Lose all their guilty stains And sinners plunged beneath that flood Lose all their guilty stains

Verse 2

The dying thief rejoiced to see That fountain in his day And there may I though vile as he Wash all my sins away Wash all my sins away Wash all my sins away And there may I though vile as he Wash all my sins away

Verse 3

Dear dying Lamb Thy precious blood Shall never lose its power Till all the ransomed church of God Be saved to sin no more Be saved to sin no more Till all the ransomed church of God Be saved to sin no more