

GILCOMSTON

Sunday, 31 January 2021

Today's preacher is:
Rev Jerry Middleton

..they bowed down and worshipped Him ...
Matthew 2:11 (NIV)

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All people that on earth do dwell

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Lord, I come before Your throne of grace

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Romans 11:25-36

Message

A Better Day Is Coming

The 'Big 5' Truths About God

Praise

Mine are days that God has numbered

Benediction

The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with us all. Amen

Lord, I come before Your throne of grace;

I find rest in Your presence, and fullness of joy.

In worship and wonder

I behold Your face,

singing what a faithful God have

What a faithful God have I,

what a faithful God.

What a faithful God have I,

faithful in ev'ry way.

Lord of mercy,

You have heard my cry;

through the storm You're the beacon, my song in the night.

In the shelter of Your wings,

hear my heart's reply,

singing what a faithful God have I.

What a faithful God have I...

Lord all sov'reign,

granting peace from heav'n,

let me comfort those who suffer

with the comfort You have giv'n.

I will tell of Your great love

for as long as I live,

singing what a faithful God have I.

What a faithful God have I ...

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Mine are days that God has numbered,

I was made to walk with Him.

Yet I look for worldly treasure and forsake the King of kings.

But mine is hope in my Redeemer, though I fall, His love is sure.

For Christ has paid for every failing, I am His forevermore.

Mine are tears in times of sorrow, darkness not yet understood.

Through the valley I must travel where I see no earthly good.

But mine is peace that flows from heaven

and the strength in times of need.

I know my pain will not be wasted Christ completes His work in me.

*And mine are keys to Zion city
where beside the King I walk,*

for there my heart has

found its treasure,

Christ is mine forevermore.

Mine are days here as a stranger, pilgrim on a narrow way,

one with Christ I will encounter harm and hatred for His name.

But mine is armour for this battle, Strong enough to last the war,

and He has said He will deliver safely to the golden shore.

And mine are keys to Zion city...

Jonny Robinson and Rich Thomson

EVENING

All people that on earth do dwell

sing to the Lord with cheerful voice.
Him serve with mirth, His praise forth tell,
come now before Him and rejoice.

Know that the Lord is God indeed;
without our aid He did us make:
we are His flock, He doth us feed,
and for His sheep He doth us take.

We'll crowd Thy gates with thankful songs,
high as the heavens our voices raise;
and earth, with her ten thousand tongues,
shall fill Thy courts with sounding praise.

Wide as the world is Thy command,
vast as eternity Thy love;
firm as a rock Thy truth must stand,
when rolling years shall cease to move.

William Kethe c1593

CALENDAR FOR FEBRUARY

Sundays 7th, 14th, 21st, 28th

Morning Service 11am

Evening Service 6.30pm

Tuesdays 2nd, 9th, 16th, 23rd

Lunchtime Service 12.45pm

Saturdays 6th, 13th, 20th, 27th

Prayer Meeting at 7pm

Also

2nd Leadership Team Meeting at 7pm

9th Elders' Meeting at 7.30pm

18th Deacons' Meeting at 7.30pm

All Church Services (Sunday and Tuesday) will be available on the home page of our website, on Facebook or YouTube.

Seating on Sunday mornings is by allocation—please contact the church office if you're not already on the mailing list.

Seating on Sunday evenings is by booking via front page of the church website

<http://www.gilcomston.org/booking-seats-for-sunday-services/>

Prayer Meetings will take place via Zoom (please download Zoom Cloud Meetings to your smart phone or open a free account on your computer, then email rosie.mckie@gilcomston.org to be placed on the mailing list).

As soon as we are permitted by lockdown regulations, seating on Sunday mornings will be by allocation—please contact the church office if you're not already on the mailing list.

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MORNING

BEHOLD! the mountain of the Lord You laid aside Your majesty,
in latter days shall rise
on mountain tops above the hills,
and draw the wondering eyes.

To this the joyful nations round,
all tribes and tongues, shall flow;
up to the hill of God, they'll say.
And to His house we'll go.

The beam that shines from Zion hill
shall lighten every land;
the King who reigns
in Salem's Towers
shall all the world command.

Among the nations He shall judge;
His judgments truth shall guide;
His sceptre shall protect the just,
and quell the sinner's pride.

No strife shall rage, nor hostile feuds
disturb those peaceful years;
to ploughshares men
shall beat their swords,
to pruning-hooks their spears.

Come then, O house of Jacob! Come
to worship at His shrine;
and, walking in the light of God,
with holy beauties shine.

*Scottish Paraphrases, 1781.
From Isaiah 2:2-6.
Michael Bruce 1746-1767*

You laid aside Your majesty,
gave up everything for me,
suffered at the hands
of those You had created.
You took all my guilt and shame
when You died and rose again;
now today You reign
in Heaven and earth, exalted.

I really want to worship You my Lord,
You have won my heart
and I am Yours
forever and ever I will love You.
You are the only one who died for me,
gave Your life to set me free,
so I lift my voice to You in adoration.

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Music*

**Lord, for the years Your love has kept
and guided,**
urged and inspired us,
cheered us on our way,
sought us and saved us,
pardoned and provided,
Lord of the years,
we bring our thanks today.

Lord, for that word,
the word of life which fires us,
speaks to our hearts
and sets our souls ablaze,
teaches and trains,
rebukes us and inspires us;
Lord of the word,
receive Your people's praise.

Lord, for our land
in this our generation,
spirits oppressed
by pleasure, wealth and care;
for young and old,
for commonwealth and nation,
Lord of our land,
be pleased to hear our prayer.

Lord, for our world,
when we disown and doubt Him,
loveless in strength,
and comfortless in pain;
hungry and helpless,
lost indeed without Him;
Lord of the world,
we pray that Christ may reign.

Lord, for ourselves,
in living power remake us -
self on the cross
and Christ upon the throne,
past put behind us,
for the future take us,
Lord of our lives,
to live for Christ alone.

Timothy Dudley Smith © Author

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 chosen King
through all eternity.

Crown Him the Son of God
before the worlds began;
and ye who tread where He hath trod,
crown Him the Son of Man,
who every grief hath known
that wrings the human breast,
and takes and bears them
for His own,
that all in Him may rest.

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 heaven,
enthroned in worlds above;
crown Him the King to whom is given
the wondrous name of love:
all hail, Redeemer, hail!
For Thou hast died for me;
Thy praise shall never, never fail
throughout eternity.

*Matthew Bridges 1800-1894 and
Godfrey Thring 1823-1903*