

Morning Service

**Marriage: a beautiful picture of the
gospel**

Matthew 5:17-20; 31-32

Nathan Owens

**Joyful, joyful, we adore Thee,
God of glory, Lord of love;
hearts unfold like flow'rs before Thee,
op'ning to the sun above.
Melt the clouds of sin and sadness;
drive the dark of doubt away.
Giver of immortal gladness,
fill us with the light of day.**

**All Thy works with joy surround Thee,
earth and heav'n reflect Thy rays.
Stars and angels sing around Thee,
centre of unbroken praise.
Field and forest, vale and mountain,
flow'ry meadow, flashing sea,
chanting bird and flowing fountain
call us to rejoice in Thee!**

**Thou art giving and forgiving,
ever blessing, ever blest,
wellspring of the joy of living,
ocean depth of happy rest!**

**Thou our Father, Christ our brother,
all who live in love are Thine.**

**Teach us how to love each other;
lift us to the joy divine!**

**Mortals, join the mighty chorus
which the morning stars began;
love divine is reigning o'er us,
leading us with mercy's hand.
Ever singing, march we onward,
victors in the midst of strife.
Joyful music leads us sunward
in the triumph-song of life!**

Prayer

Matthew 5:17-20

17 “Do not think that I have come to abolish the Law or the Prophets; I have not come to abolish them but to fulfil them. 18 For truly, I say to you, until heaven and earth pass away, not an iota, not a dot, will pass from the Law until all is accomplished.

Matthew 5:17-20

19 Therefore whoever relaxes one of the least of these commandments and teaches others to do the same will be called least in the kingdom of heaven, but whoever does them and teaches them will be called great in the kingdom of heaven.

Matthew 5:17-20

20 For I tell you, unless your righteousness exceeds that of the scribes and Pharisees, you will never enter the kingdom of heaven.

Matthew 5:31-32

**31 “It was also said,
‘Whoever divorces his wife,
let him give her a
certificate of divorce.’**

Matthew 5:31-32

32 But I say to you that everyone who divorces his wife, except on the ground of sexual immorality, makes her commit adultery, and whoever marries a divorced woman commits adultery.

Children's Talk

**Dark, dark is the valley,
faint, the light at my feet.
But whatever may face me
my God is all I need.**

**Bright, bright are the treasures
life may offer to me,
but whatever the pleasure
my God is all I need.**

**He is my strength when I cannot go on,
peace when all my power is gone,
hope, although the night is long and deep.
He is my song for He has rescued me,
joy now He has set me free,
praise! Praise to my Father be,
My God is all I need.**

**Brief, brief are my days here,
soon my journey complete.**

**But I look to my Saviour
where God has met my need.**

Yes, He has met my need.

**He is my strength when I cannot go on,
peace when all my power is gone,
hope, although the night is long and deep.
He is my song for He has rescued me,
joy now He has set me free.
Praise! Praise to my Father be,
My God is all I need.**

**My God is so big,
so strong and so mighty,
there's nothing my God cannot do.**

**My God is so big,
so strong and so mighty,
there's nothing my God cannot do.**

**The mountains are His,
the valleys are His,
the stars are His handiwork too.
My God is so big,
so strong and so mighty,
there's nothing my God cannot do.**

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Prayer

**Who else commands
all the hosts of heaven?
Who else could make
every king bow down?
Who else can whisper
and darkness trembles?
Only a Holy God.**

**What other beauty
demands such praises?**

**What other splendour
outshines the sun?**

What other majesty rules with justice?

Only a Holy God.

**Come and behold Him,
the One and the Only.**

**Cry out, sing holy
forever a Holy God.**

Come and worship the Holy God.

What other glory consumes like fire?

**What other power
can raise the dead?**

**What other name
remains undefeated?**

Only a Holy God.

**Come and behold Him,
the One and the Only.**

**Cry out, sing holy
forever a Holy God.**

Come and worship the Holy God.

**Who else could rescue me
from my failing?**

Who else would offer His only Son?

Who else invites me to call Him Father?

**Only a Holy God,
only my Holy God.**

**Come and behold Him,
the One and the Only.
Cry out, sing holy
forever a Holy God.
Come and worship the Holy God.**

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MATTHEW 5

**MARRIAGE:
A BEAUTIFUL PICTURE
OF THE GOSPEL**

Prayer

**“We rest on Thee,”
our Shield and our Defender!
We go not forth alone against the foe;
strong in Thy strength,
safe in Thy keeping tender,
“We rest on Thee, and in Thy name we go.”**

**Yes, “in Thy name,” O captain of salvation!
In Thy dear Name, all other names above;
Jesus our Righteousness,
our sure Foundation,
our Prince of glory and our King of love.**

**We go in faith,
our own great weakness feeling.**

And needing more each day

Thy grace to know:

yet from our hearts

a song of triumph pealing;

"We rest on Thee, and in Thy name we go."

**“We rest on Thee”
our Shield and our Defender!
Thine is the battle, Thine shall be the praise;
when passing through
the gates of pearly splendour,
victors – we rest with Thee,
through endless days.**

Edith Gilling Cherry (d.1897)

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

Evening Service

All hail the pow'r of Jesus' name
Revelation 1:1-3; 22:6-21
Nathan Owens

**The earth belongs unto the Lord,
and all that it contains;
the world that is inhabited,
and all that there remains.
For the foundations thereof
He on the seas did lay,
and He hath it established
upon the floods to stay.**

**Who is the man that shall ascend
into the hill of God?**

**Or who within His holy place
shall have a firm abode?**

**Whose hands are clean,
whose heart is pure**

and unto vanity

**who hath not lifted up his soul,
nor sworn deceitfully.**

**He from th'Eternal shall receive
the blessing him upon,
and righteousness, ev'n from the God
of his salvation.**

**This is the generation
that after Him enquire,
O Jacob, who do seek Thy face
with their whole heart's desire.**

**Ye gates, lift up your heads on high;
ye doors that last for aye,
be lifted up that so the King
of glory enter may.**

***(Men)* But who of glory is the King?**

***(Women)* The mighty Lord is this;**

***(All)* Ev'n that same Lord, that great in might
and strong in battle is.**

**Ye gates, lift up your heads; ye doors,
doors that do last for aye,
be lifted up, that so the King
of glory enter may.**

***(Men)* But who is He that is the King,
(Women) the King of glory? who is this?
(All) The Lord of hosts, and none but He,
the King of glory is.**

Hallelujah! Hallelujah! Hallelujah!
Hallelujah! Hallelujah!
Amen! Amen! Amen!

Psalm 24

Prayer

**There is a hope that burns within my heart,
that gives me strength for ev'ry passing day;
a glimpse of glory
now revealed in meagre part,
yet drives all doubt away:
I stand in Christ, with sins forgiv'n;
and Christ in me, the hope of heav'n!
My highest calling and my deepest joy,
to make His will my home.**

**There is a hope that lifts my weary head,
a consolation strong against despair,
that when the world
has plunged me in its deepest pit,
I find the Saviour there!**

**Through present sufferings, future's fear,
He whispers 'courage' in my ear.
For I am safe in everlasting arms,
and they will lead me home.**

**There is a hope that stands the test of time,
that lifts my eyes beyond the beckoning grave,
to see the matchless beauty of a day divine,
when I behold His face!**

**When sufferings cease and sorrows die,
and every longing satisfied,
then joy unspeakable will flood my soul,
for I am truly home.**

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Revelation 1:1-3

The revelation of Jesus Christ, which God gave him to show to his servants the things that must soon take place. He made it known by sending his angel to his servant John,

Revelation 1:1-3

² who bore witness to the word of God and to the testimony of Jesus Christ, even to all that he saw.

Revelation 1:1-3

³ Blessed is the one who reads aloud the words of this prophecy, and blessed are those who hear, and who keep what is written in it, for the time is near.

Revelation 22:6-21

**6 And he said to me,
“These words are
trustworthy and true. And
the Lord, the God of the
spirits of the prophets, has
sent his angel to show his
servants what must soon
take place.”.**

Revelation 22:6-21

7 “And behold, I am coming soon. Blessed is the one who keeps the words of the prophecy of this book.”

Revelation 22:6-21

8 I, John, am the one who heard and saw these things. And when I heard and saw them, I fell down to worship at the feet of the angel who showed them to me,

Revelation 22:6-21

⁹ but he said to me, “You must not do that! I am a fellow servant with you and your brothers the prophets, and with those who keep the words of this book. Worship God.”

Revelation 22:6-21

¹⁰ And he said to me, “Do not seal up the words of the prophecy of this book, for the time is near. ¹¹ Let the evildoer still do evil, and the filthy still be filthy, and the righteous still do right, and the holy still be holy.”

Revelation 22:6-21

¹² “Behold, I am coming soon, bringing my recompense with me, to repay everyone for what he has done. ¹³ I am the Alpha and the Omega, the first and the last, the beginning and the end.”

Revelation 22:6-21

**¹⁴ Blessed are those who
who wash their robes, so
that they may have the
right to the tree of life and
that they may enter the
city by the gates.**

Revelation 22:6-21

**15 Outside are the dogs
and sorcerers and the
sexually immoral and
murderers and idolaters,
and everyone who loves
and practises falsehood.**

Revelation 22:6-21

16 “I, Jesus, have sent my angel to testify to you about these things for the churches. I am the root and the descendant of David, the bright morning star.”

Revelation 22:6-21

17 The Spirit and the Bride say, "Come." And let the one who hears say, "Come." And let the one who is thirsty come; let the one who desires take the water of life without price.

Revelation 22:6-21

18 I warn everyone who hears the words of the prophecy of this book: if anyone adds to them, God will add to him the plagues described in this book,

Revelation 22:6-21

19 and if anyone takes away from the words of the book of this prophecy, God will take away his share in the tree of life and in the holy city, which are described in this book.

Revelation 22:6-21

20 He who testifies to these things says, “Surely I am coming soon.”

Amen. Come, Lord Jesus!

21 The grace of the Lord Jesus be with all. Amen.

**There is a higher throne
than all this world has known,
where faithful ones from every tongue
will one day come.**

**Before the Son we'll stand,
made faultless through the Lamb;
believing hearts find promised grace,
salvation comes.**

**Hear heaven's voices sing,
their thunderous anthem rings;
through emerald courts and sapphire skies
their praises rise.**

**All glory, wisdom, power,
strength, thanks and honour are
to God, our King who reigns on high
for evermore.**

**And there we'll find our home,
our life before the throne;
we'll honour him in perfect song,
where we belong.**

**He'll wipe each tear stained eye,
as thirst and hunger die;
the Lamb becomes our Shepherd King,
we'll reign with him.**

**Hear heaven's voices sing,
their thunderous anthem rings;
through emerald courts and sapphire skies
their praises rise.**

**All glory, wisdom, power,
strength, thanks and honour are
to God, our King who reigns on high
for evermore.**

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REVELATION
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Prayer

**Behold the Lamb who bears our sins away,
slain for us - and we remember
the promise made that all who come in faith
find forgiveness at the cross.
So we share in this bread of life,
and we drink of His sacrifice
as a sign of our bonds of peace
around the table of the King.**

**The body of our Saviour Jesus Christ,
torn for you - eat and remember
the wounds that heal,
the death that brings us life
paid the price to make us one.
So we share in this bread of life,
and we drink of His sacrifice
as a sign of our bonds of love
around the table of the King.**

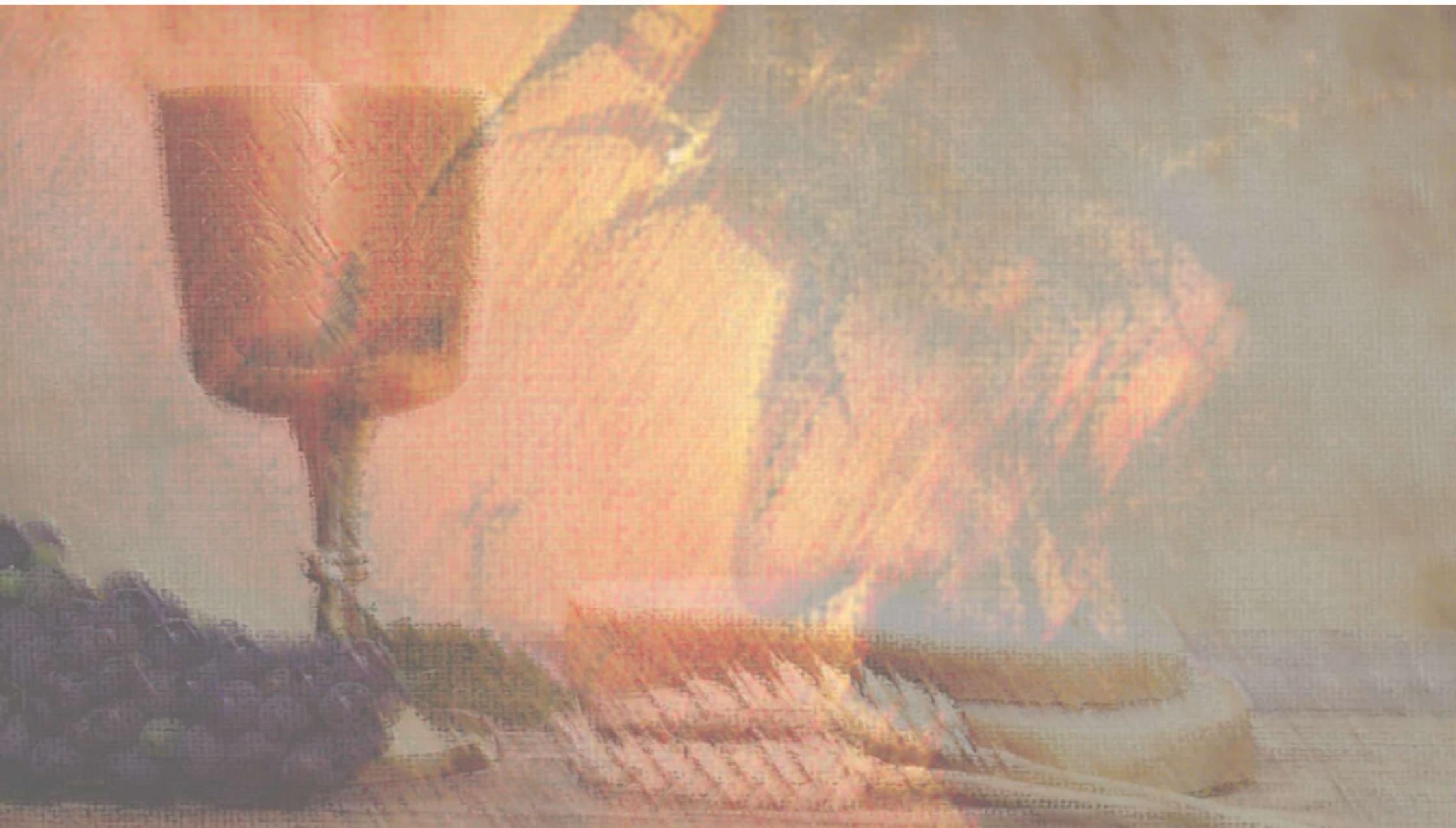
**The blood that cleanses every stain of sin,
shed for you - drink and remember
He drained death's cup that all may enter in
to receive the life of God.
So we share in this bread of life,
and we drink of His sacrifice
as a sign of our bonds of grace
around the table of the King.**

**And so with thankfulness and faith we rise
to respond, and to remember
our call to follow in the steps of Christ
as His body here on earth.**

**As we share in His suffering
we proclaim Christ will come again!
And we'll join in the feast of heaven
around the table of the King.**

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**All hail the power of Jesus' name!
before Him angels fall.
Bring forth the royal diadem
and crown Him, crown Him,
crown Him, crown Him Lord of all.**

**Crown Him, you martyrs of our God,
who for His justice call.**

**Exalt the one whose path you trod,
and crown Him, crown Him,
crown Him, crown Him Lord of all.**

**Descendants of His chosen race,
redeemed from Adam's fall,
hail Him who saves you by His grace,
and crown Him, crown Him,
crown Him, crown Him Lord of all.**

**Sinners, whose love cannot forget
the bitterness and gall,
go, spread your trophies at His feet
and crown Him, crown Him,
crown Him, crown Him Lord of all.**

**Let every people, nation, tribe,
on this terrestrial ball,
to Him all majesty ascribe
and crown Him, crown Him,
crown Him, crown Him Lord of all.**

**O that in heaven, with glory's throng,
we at His feet may fall,
join in the everlasting song
and crown Him, crown Him,
crown Him, crown Him Lord of all.**

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