

Congregational Singing: "My Faith Has Found a Resting Place"

Hymn 528. TEXT, Lidie H. Edmunds; MUSIC, Norwegian Folk melody, arr. William J. Kirkpatrick.

VERSE 1

My faith has found a resting place –
Not in device or creed;
I trust the Ever-Living One,
His wounds for me shall plead.

CHORUS

I need no other argument,
I need no other plea.
It is enough that Jesus died
And that He died for me.

VERSE 2

Enough for me that Jesus saves –
This ends my fear and doubt.
A sinful soul, I come to Him;
He'll never cast me out.

[sing CHORUS]

VERSE 3

My heart is leaning on the Word –
The written Word of God;
Salvation by my Savior's name,
Salvation through His blood.

[sing CHORUS]

VERSE 4

My great Physician heals the sick –
The lost He came to save;
For me His precious blood He shed –
For me His life He gave.

[sing CHORUS]

Closing Thoughts and Benediction

Ken Hunt



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Welcome

Ken Hunt

Call to Worship

Brian Vaught

Congregational Singing: "A Mighty Fortress" Hymn 151

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VERSE 1

A mighty fortress is our God, a bulwark never failing.
Our helper, He, amid the flood of mortal ills prevailing,
For still our ancient foe doth seek to work us woe –
His craft and pow'r are great and, armed with cruel hate,
On earth is not his equal.

VERSE 2

Did we in our own strength confide our striving would be losing,
Were not the right man on our side, the man of God's own choosing.
Dost ask who that may be? Christ Jesus, it is He –
Lord Sab-a-oth His name, from age to age the same,
And He must win the battle.

VERSE 3

And though this world with devils filled should threaten to undo us,
We will not fear, for God hath willed His truth to triumph through us.
The prince of darkness grim, we tremble not for him –
His rage we can endure for, lo!, his doom is sure:
One little word shall fell him.

VERSE 4

That word above all earthly pow'rs – no thanks to them – abideth.
The Spirit and the gifts are ours through Him who with us sideth.
Let goods and kindred go, this mortal life also.
The body they may kill; God's truth abided still.
His kingdom is forever.

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Congregational Singing: "Ancient of Days"

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VERSE 1

Though the nations rage, kingdoms rise and fall,
There is still one King reigning over all.
So I will not fear for this truth remains:
That my God is the Ancient of Days.

CHORUS

None above Him, none before Him, all of time in His hands
For His throne, it shall remain and ever stand.
All the power, all the glory! I will trust in His name
For my God is the Ancient of Days.

VERSE 2

Though the dread of night overwhelms my soul,
He is here with me. I am not alone.
Oh, His love is sure and He knows my name
For my God is the Ancient of Days.

[repeat CHORUS]

VERSE 3

Though I may not see what the future brings,
I will watch and wait for the Savior King
Then my joy complete standing face to face
In the presence of the Ancient of Days.

[repeat CHORUS]

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For my God is the Ancient of Days.

Scripture Reading – 2 Thessalonians 1:1-10

Dave DeGear

Pastoral Prayer

Dave DeGear

Offertory — *Congregational Singing: "Turn Your Eyes"*

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VERSE 1

Turn your eyes upon Jesus,
Look full in His wonderful face
And the things of earth will grow strangely dim
In the light of His glory and grace.

VERSE 2

Turn your eyes to the hillside
Where justice and mercy embrace.

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There the Son of God gave His life for us
And our measureless debt was erased.

CHORUS

Jesus, to You we lift our eyes.
Jesus, our glory and our prize,
We adore You, behold You, Our Savior ever true.
Oh, Jesus, we turn our eyes to You.

VERSE 3

Turn your eyes to the morning
And see Christ the lion awake.
What a glorious dawn, fear of death is gone
For we carry His life in our veins.

[repeat CHORUS]

VERSE 4

Turn your eyes to the heavens,
Our King will return for His own.
Every knee will bow, every tongue will shout:
"All the glory to Jesus alone!"

[repeat CHORUS 2x]

TAG

O Jesus, we turn our eyes to You.

Message

Guest Speaker, Pastor Isaac Karpenske

BEHOLD YOUR GOD: STANDING FIRM IN THE LAST DAYS 2 Thessalonians 2

1. THE TEST OF FAITH (vv 1-12)

- a. We cannot be shaken or caught off guard when some say the End has come.
- b. God has His plan to reveal how He will "make all things new," which involves "the man of lawlessness."

2. THE CALL TO STAND FIRM (vv 13-17)

- a. Be thankful for Gospel salvation, Spirit-led sanctification, and future glorification.
- b. Be a blessing rather than a burden to both believers and unbelievers.