

Deacon's Fund Offering

Congregational Singing: "Crown Him with Many Crowns" Hymn 45

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VERSE 1

Crown Him with many crowns, the Lamb upon His throne.
Hark! how the heav'nly anthem drowns all music but its own!
Awake, my soul, and sing of Him who died for thee,
And hail Him as thy matchless King through all eternity.

VERSE 3

Crown Him the Lord of love! Behold His hands and side –
Rich wounds, yet visible above; in beauty glorified.
All hail, Redeemer, hail! For Thou hast died for me:
Thy praise and glory shall not fail throughout eternity.

VERSE 4

Crown Him the Lord of heav'n! One with the Father known,
One with the Spirit through Him giv'n from yonder glorious throne.
To Thee be endless praise for Thou for us hast died.
Be Thou, O Lord, through endless days adored and magnified!

Closing Thoughts and Benediction



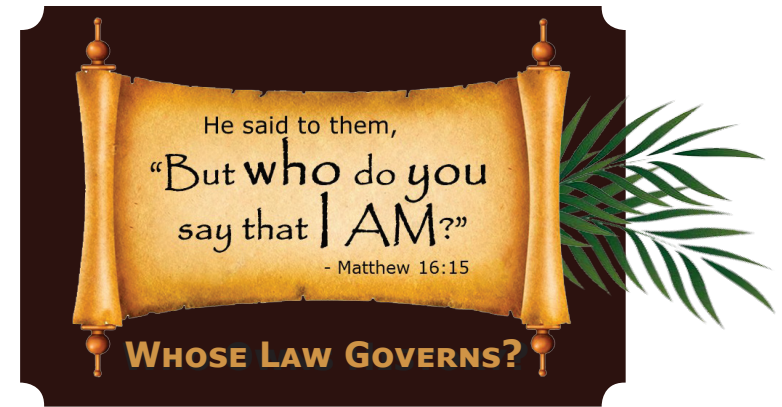
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SERVICE AND SERMON SHEET for the WORSHIP SERVICE OF FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH April 2, 2023 – Palm Sunday

Welcome and Call to Worship

Brian Vaught

Congregational Singing: "In Christ Alone" Grace Hymn 177

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VERSE 1

In Christ alone my hope is found.
He is my light, my strength, my song;
This cornerstone, this solid ground,
Firm through the fiercest drought and storm.
What heights of love, what depths of peace
When fears are stilled, when strivings cease!
My comforter, my all in all.
Here in the love of Christ I stand.

VERSE 2

In Christ alone, Who took on flesh, fullness of God in helpless babe!
This gift of love and righteousness
Scorned by the ones He came to save,
Till on that cross, as Jesus died, the wrath of God was satisfied
For ev'ry sin on Him was laid. Here in the death of Christ I live.

VERSE 3

There in the ground His body lay, Light of the world by darkness slain;
Then bursting forth in glorious day, up from the grave He rose again!
And as He stands in victory, sin's curse has lost its grip on me,
For I am His and He is mine, bought with the precious
blood of Christ.

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VERSE 4

No guilt in life, no fear in death; this is the pow'r of Christ in me.
From life's first cry to final breath, Jesus commands my destiny.
No pow'r of hell, no scheme of man can ever pluck me from His hand.
Till He returns or calls me home, here in the pow'r of Christ I'll stand.

Congregational Singing: "Amazing Grace" Hymn 343

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VERSE 1

Amazing Grace! how sweet the sound that saved a wretch like me!
I once was lost but now am found, was blind, but now I see.

VERSE 2

'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear and grace my fears relieved.
How precious did that grace appear the hour I first believed.

VERSE 3

Through many dangers, toils, and snares I have already come.
'Tis grace hath brought me safe thus far, and grace will lead me home.

VERSE 4

The Lord has promised good to me; His word my hope secures.
He will my shield and portion be as long as life endures.

Pastoral Prayer

Dave DeGear

Offertory — Congregational Singing: "Your Will Be Done"

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VERSE 1

Your will be done, my God and Father, as in heaven so on earth.
My heart is drawn to self-exalting. Help me seek Your kingdom first.
As Jesus walked, so I shall walk held by Your same unchanging love.
Be still my soul, O lift your voice and pray,
"Father, not my will but Yours be done."

VERSE 2

How in that garden He persisted I may never fully know.
The fearful weight of true obedience, it was held by Him alone.
What wondrous faith to bear that cross!
To bear my sin, what wondrous love!
My hope was sure when there my Savior prayed:
"Father, not my will but Yours be done."

VERSE 3

When I am lost, when I am broken in the night of fear and doubt
Still I will trust in my good Father. Yes, to one great King I bow!
As Jesus rose, so I shall rise in ransomed glory at the throne.
My heart restored, with all your saints I sing:
"Father, not my will but Yours be done."

VERSE 4

As we go forth, our God and Father, lead us daily in the fight
That all the world might see Your glory and Your name be lifted
high.
And in this Name we overcome for You shall see us safely home.
Now as Your church we lift our voice and pray:
"Father, not my will but Yours be done."

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And in this Name we overcome, for You shall see us safely home.
Now as Your church, we lift our voice and pray:
"Father, not my will but Yours be done."
Father, not my will but Yours be done."

Message

Pastor Jerry Birkholz

WORLDVIEW MATTERS

Whose Law Governs the World?

1. GOD IS THE SOURCE OF PERFECT ORDER
 - a. Illustrated – Genesis 1:31 - 2:2; Romans 1:18b-20
 - b. Disrupted – Romans 5:12
 - c. Preserved – Genesis 3:22-24
 - d. Maintained – Genesis 4:1-16
 - e. Reflected – Genesis 18:17-19, Job 1:8
 - f. Revealed – Joshua 1:8 Psalm 119:1-8

2. GOD ORDAINED GOVERNMENT TO OVERSEE
THE ORDER AND PROSPERITY OF MANKIND —
Matthew 22:15-22, Romans 13:1-7, 1 Timothy 2:1-4

3. GOD'S PLAN ORDAINED JESUS TO BE MESSIAH-KING
— Matthew 21: 1-11, 12-13, 14-17

4. GOD'S PLAN SENT JESUS AS JUDGE-KING —
Matthew 22:41-46, 24:29-31, 25:31-46

Communion