

Congregational Singing: "Afflicted Saint, to Christ Draw Near"

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VERSE 1

Afflicted saint, to Christ draw near,
Your Savior's gracious promise hear.
His faithful Word you can believe,
That as your days your strength shall be.

VERSE 2

Your faith is weak, your foes are strong,
And if the conflict should be long
The Lord will make the tempter flee
That as your days your strength shall be.

CHORUS

So sing with joy, afflicted one.
The battle's fierce but the victory's won.
God shall supply all that you need.
Yes, as your days your strength shall be.

VERSE 3

Should persecution rage and flame,
Still trust in your Redeemer's name.
In fiery trials you shall see
That as your days your strength shall be.

[sing CHORUS]

VERSE 4

When called to bear your weighty cross
Or sore affliction, pain, or loss,
Or deep distress, or poverty –
Still, as your days your strength shall be.

[sing CHORUS]

Closing Thoughts and Benediction

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Welcome and Call to Worship

Brian Vaught

Congregational Singing: "I Serve a Risen Savior!" Hymn 368

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VERSE 1

I serve a risen Savior, He's in the world today.
I know that He is living whatever men may say.
I see His hand of mercy, I hear His voice of cheer,
And just the time I need Him, He's always near.

CHORUS

He lives, He lives! Christ Jesus lives today!
He walks with me and talks with me along life's narrow way.
He lives, He lives, salvation to impart!
You ask me how I know He lives? He lives within my heart.

VERSE 2

In all the world around me I see His loving care,
And though my heart grows weary, I never will despair.
I know that He is leading through all the stormy blast.
The day of His appearing will come at last.

[sing CHORUS]

VERSE 3

Rejoice, rejoice, O Christian, lift up your voice and sing
Eternal hallelujahs to Jesus Christ, the King!
The Hope of all who seek Him, the Help of all who find –
None other is so loving, so good, and kind.

[sing CHORUS]

Congregational Singing: "Whate'er My God Ordains Is Right"

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VERSE 1

Whate'er my God ordains is right, His holy will abideth;
I will be still whate'er He does and follow where He guideth.
He is my God, though dark my road; He holds me that I shall not fall;
And so to Him I leave it all, and so to Him I leave it all.

VERSE 2

Whate'er my God ordains is right, He never will deceive me;
He leads me by the proper path. I know He will not leave me.
I take, content, what He has sent; His hand can turn my griefs away;
And patiently I wait His day, And patiently I wait His day.

VERSE 3

Whate'er my God ordains is right, though now this cup in drinking
May bitter seem to my faint heart, I take it all, unshrinking.
My God is true; each morn anew sweet comfort yet shall fill my heart,
And pain and sorrow shall depart, and pain and sorrow shall depart.

VERSE 4

Whate'er my God ordains is right. Here shall my stand be taken.
Though sorrow, need, or death be mine, yet I am not forsaken.
My Father's care is round me there. He holds me that I shall not fall,
And so to Him I leave it all, and so to Him I leave it all.

Scripture Reading – Luke 24:13-23

Joel Blumer

Pastoral Prayer

Pastor Kevin Morris

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.
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.

[sing 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!"

[sing CHORUS 2x]

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O Jesus, we turn our eyes to You.

Message

Pastor Kevin Morris

Lessons from Resurrection Sunday

1. OUR JOURNEY WITH THE LORD IS INDIVIDUAL
 - a. John – John 20:8 (vv 1-18)
 - b. Peter – John 20:6, 7, 10
 - c. Mary – John 20: 2, 13, 15
2. OUR JOURNEY WITH THE LORD IS MULTILAYERED
 - a. Understanding is Limited – Luke 24:15, 21 (13-35)
 - b. Emotions are Powerful – Luke 24:17
 - c. God Has Given a Living Message – Luke 24:25-27, Psalm 119:24, 50, 71-72, 104-105; Psalm 13:1-6
 - d. God Is Taking Us to New Places – Luke 24:30-31