

Closing – Congregational Singing: “O Great God”

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VERSE 1

O great God of highest heav’n, occupy my lowly heart,
Own it all and reign supreme, conquer every rebel pow’r.
Let no vice or sin remain that resists Your holy war.
You have loved and purchased me. Make me Yours forevermore.

VERSE 2

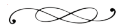
I was blinded by my sin, had no ears to hear Your voice,
Did not know Your love within, had no taste for heaven’s joys;
Then Your Spirit gave me life, opened up Your Word to me,
Through the gospel of Your Son gave me endless hope and peace.

VERSE 2

Help me now to live a life that’s dependent on Your grace.
Keep my heart and guard my soul from the evils that I face.
You are worthy to be praised with my every thought and deed.
O great God of highest heav’n, glorify Your Name through me.

Closing Thoughts and Benediction

Jerry Birkholz



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Welcome and Call to Worship

Pastor Kevin Morris

Congregational Singing: “All Praise to Him”

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VERSE 1

All praise to Him, the God of light
Who formed the mountains by His might.
All praise to Him who names the stars
That sing His fame in skies afar.
All praise to Him who reigns in love,
Who guides the galaxies above
Yet bends to hear our every prayer
With sovereign pow’r and tender care.

VERSE 2

All praise to Him whose love is seen
In Christ the Son, the Servant King
Who left behind His glorious throne
To pay the ransom for His own.
All praise to Him who humbly came
To bear our sorrow, sin, and shame,
Who lived to die, who died to rise,
The all-sufficient sacrifice.

VERSE 3

All praise to Him whose pow’r imparts
The love of God within our hearts –
The Spirit of all truth and peace,
The fount of joy and holiness.
To Father, Son, and Spirit now
Our souls we lift, our wills we bow.
To You, the Triune God, we raise,
With loving hearts, our song of praise!



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Scripture Reading

Jason Fiedler

Congregational Singing: “Make Me a Blessing” Hymn 670

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VERSE 1

Out in the highways and byways of life
Many are weary and sad.
Carry the sunshine where darkness is rife,
Making the sorrowing glad.

CHORUS

Make me a blessing; make me a blessing.
Out of my life may Jesus shine.
Make me a blessing, O Savior, I pray.
Make me a blessing to someone today.

VERSE 2

Tell the sweet story of Christ and His love,
Tell of His pow’r to forgive.
Others will trust Him if only you prove
True every moment you live.

[repeat CHORUS]

VERSE 3

Give as ’twas given to you in your need;
Love as the Master loved you.
Be to the helpless a helper indeed.
Unto your mission be true.

[repeat CHORUS]

Pastoral Prayer

Brian Vaught

Offertory — Congregational Singing: “The Perfect Wisdom of Our God”

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VERSE 1

The perfect wisdom of our God,
Revealed in all the universe:
All things created by His hand
And held together at His command.
He knows the mysteries of the seas,
The secrets of the stars are His;
He guides the planets on their way
And turns the earth through another day.

VERSE 2

The matchless wisdom of His ways
That mark the path of righteousness;
His word a lamp unto my feet,
His Spirit teaching and guiding me.
And, oh, the mystery of the cross,
That God should suffer for the lost
So that the fool might shame the wise
And all the glory might go to Christ!

VERSE 3

Oh grant me wisdom from above
To pray for peace and cling to love,
And teach me humbly to receive
The sun and rain of Your sovereignty.
Each strand of sorrow has a place
Within this tapestry of grace;
So through the trials I choose to say:
“Your perfect will in Your perfect way.”

Message

Pastor Jerry Birkholz

GOSPEL-CENTERED RELATIONSHIPS

THE CHURCH AND “ONE ANOTHERS”

Selected Scriptures