

SONG OF RESPONSE & OFFERING

“WHAT A FRIEND WE HAVE IN JESUS”

What a friend we have in Jesus,
All our sins and griefs to bear!

What a privilege to carry
Everything to God in prayer.
Oh, what peace we often forfeit;
Oh, what needless pain we bear-
All because we do not carry
Everything to God in prayer!

Have we trials and temptations?
Is there trouble anywhere?
We should never be discouraged-
Take it to the Lord in prayer.

Can we find a friend so faithful
Who will all our sorrows share?
Jesus knows our every weakness-
Take it to the Lord in prayer.

Are we weak and heavy laden,
Cumbered with a load of care?
Precious Savior, still our refuge-
Take it to the Lord in prayer.
Do your friends despise, forsake you?
Take it to the Lord in prayer.
In his arms he'll take and shield you;
You will find a solace there.

ANNOUNCEMENTS, BENEDICTION & CLOSING SONG

“BIND US TOGETHER”

Refrain: Bind us together, Lord,
bind us together
With cords that cannot be broken.
Bind us together, Lord,
bind us together,
Bind us together with love.

Made for the glory of God,
Purchased by His precious Son;
Born with the right to be clean,
For Jesus the victory has won

Refrain

There is only one God,
There is only one King;
There is only one Body,
That is why we sing:

Refrain

You are the family of God,
You are the promise divine;
You are God's chosen desire,
You are the glorious new wine.

Refrain

Have a safe & happy July 4!

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Monday, July 4-Monday-July 18

Pastor Janice on Vacation

Tuesday, July 5

Men's Group 1 Peter-Chapter 5 8:30 am
Town of Wyoming Mtg. 7 pm

Wednesday, July 6

Ladies Aid Picnic 12 pm

Sunday, July 10

Bike, UTV & ATV Blessing Worship 9 am
Pig Roast following Worship
UTV-ATV Ride following lunch



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July 3, 2022



OPENING SONG

“MY COUNTRY, 'TIS OF THEE”

My country, 'tis of thee,
Sweet land of liberty,
Of thee I sing:
Land where my fathers died,
Land of the pilgrims' pride,
From ev'ry mountain-side
Let freedom ring.

My native country, thee,
Land of the noble free,
Thy name I love;
I love thy rocks and rills,
Thy woods and templed hills;
My heart with rapture thrills
Like that above.

Let music swell the breeze,
And ring from all the trees
Sweet freedom's song;
Let mortal tongues awake;
Let all that breathe partake;
Let rocks their silence break,
The sound prolong.

Our fathers' God, to thee,
Author of liberty,
To thee we sing:
Long may our land be bright
With freedom's holy light.
Protect us by thy might,
Great God, our King.

CALL TO WORSHIP

“FAITH OF OUR FATHERS”

Faith of our fathers, living still
In spite of dungeon, fire, and sword.
Oh, how our hearts beat high with joy
When-e’er we hear that glorious word.
Faith of our fathers, holy faith,
We will be true to thee till death.

The martyrs, chained in prisons dark,
Were still in heart and conscience free;
And blest would be their children’s fate
If they, like them, should die for thee.
Faith of our fathers, holy faith,
We will be true to thee till death.

Faith of our fathers! We will love
Both friend and foe in all our strife;
Proclaim thee, too as love knows how,
By saving Word and faithful life.
Faith of our fathers, holy faith,
We will be true to thee till death.

THE APOSTLE’S CREED

I believe in God, the Father almighty, Creator of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord. He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended into hell. On the third day He rose again. He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Christian Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

PRAYERS, CONFESSION & FORGIVENESS

Petitions are spoken, each ending:

Pastor: Lord, in your mercy; **People: Hear our prayer.**

HOLY COMMUNION

Words of Institution, Lord’s Prayer, Communion Song

"I WILL SING"

Lord, You seem so far away
A million miles or more, it feels today
And though I haven't lost my faith
I must confess right now
That it's hard for me to pray

But I don't know what to say
And I don't know where to start

But as You give the grace
With all that's in my heart

I will sing, yes, I will praise, even in my darkest hour
Through the sorrow and the pain
I will sing, I will praise, lift my hands to honor You
Because Your word is true, I will sing

Lord it's hard for me to see all the thoughts
And plans You have for me, yes it is
But I will put my trust in You
Knowing that you died to set me free
Oh thank God You did

But I don't know what to say
And I don't know where to start
But as you give the grace
With all that's in my heart

I will sing, I will praise, even in my darkest hour
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I will sing, I will praise, lift my hands to honor You
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Through the sorrow and the pain
I will sing, I will praise, lift my hands to honor You
Because Your word is true, I will sing, I will sing, I will sing

Oh, we sing to You Lord
Oh, we sing to You Lord tonight
Halleluah, we sing to You Lord
Oh, we lift our voices and sing to You

Worship You Lord, we sing to You Lord
We sing, we sing, We sing, we sing
Oh, we worship you Lord, oh, thank You Lord
I will sing, oh yes I will, I will sing

SCRIPTURE READING

1 Peter 1:3-23

Krista Enoch, Lay Reader

CHILDREN’S SERMON

Pastor Kay Knight

GOSPEL READING

Matthew 5:11-12

MESSAGE

Pastor Janie Kuder