

Sunday @ Seven March 2020

When you pray...

Intro – Acts 1:14,42 & Acts 3:1

Come now is the time to worship.
Come now is the time to give your heart.
Come just as you are to worship.
Come just as you are before your God. Come.
One day every tongue will confess you are God.
One day every knee will bow.
Still the greatest treasure remains for those who gladly choose you now.

Prayer – 1 Kings 19: 9-13 & 2 Chronicles 7:14-15

Lord, open our ears to hear your word.
In moments of silence help us to recognise your presence calling us to life.
Calm our hearts and minds with your still small voice. Amen

Be still for the presence of the Lord the Holy One is here.
Come bow before Him now in reverence and fear.
In Him no sin is found; we stand on Holy ground.
Be still for the presence of the Lord the Holy One is here.

Be still for the glory of the Lord is shining all around.
He burns with Holy fire; with splendour He is crowned.
How awesome is the sight, our radiant king of light.
Be still for the glory of the Lord is shining all around.

Be still for the power of the Lord is moving in this place.
He comes to cleanse and heal; to minister his grace.
No work too hard for Him; in faith receive from Him.

Be still for the power of the Lord is moving in this place.

Matthew 6:5-15

Father, hear the prayer we offer:
not for ease that prayer shall be,
but for strength, that we may ever live our lives courageously.

Not for ever in green pastures
do we ask our way to be:
but by steep and rugged pathways
would we strive to climb to Thee.

Not for ever by still waters
would we idly quiet stay;
but would smite the living fountains
from the rocks along our way.

Be our strength in hours of weakness,
in our wanderings be our guide;
through endeavour, failure, danger,
Father, be Thou at our side.

Let our path be bright or dreary,
storm or sunshine be our share;
may our souls, in hope unwearied,
make Thy work our ceaseless prayer.

The Big Ask

Matthew 7:7-11 & Matthew 18: 19-20

Seek ye first the kingdom of God
and His righteousness;
and all these things shall be added unto you;
Allelu, Alleluia.

Alleluia, alleluia; Alleluia, allelu, alleluia.

Man shall not live by bread alone;
but by every word
that proceeds from the mouth of God;
Allelu, Alleluia.

Alleluia.....

Ask and it shall be given unto you;
seek and ye shall find;
knock and the door shall be opened unto you;
Allelu, Alleluia.

Alleluia.....

Prayer for others.

James 5:13-16

Kum ba Yah my Lord, kum ba yah
Kum ba yah my Lord, kum ba yah,
Kum ba yah my Lord , kum ba yah,
O Lord kum ba yah.

Someone's hungry Lord, kum ba yah,
Someone's hungry Lord, kum ba yah,
Someone's hungry Lord, kum ba yah,
O Lord kum ba yah.

Someone's frightened Lord, kum ba yah,
Someone's frightened Lord, kum ba yah,
Someone's frightened Lord, kum ba yah
O Lord kum ba yah.

Someone's crying Lord, kum ba yah,
Someone's crying Lord, kum ba yah,
Someone's crying Lord, kum ba yah,
O Lord kum ba yah.

Someone's praying Lord, kum ba yah,
Someone's praying Lord, kum ba yah,
Someone's praying Lord, kum ba yah,
O Lord kum ba yah.

Hear our prayer O Lord, hear our prayer
Keep us all O Lord, in your care,
And all those O Lord, in great need,
O Lord, kum ba yah.

Getting to know you

1 Samuel 3: 1-10

Be still and know that I am God. (X3)

God be in my head,
and in my understanding;

God be in mine eyes,
and in my looking;

God be in my mouth,
and in my speaking;

God be in my heart,
and in my thinking;

God be at mine end,
and at my departing.

May I just say.....

What a friend we have in Jesus,
all our sins and griefs to bear!
What a privilege to carry
everything to God in prayer!
O what peace we often forfeit,
O 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?
Jesus only is our refuge,
take it to the Lord in prayer!
Do thy friends despise, forsake thee?
Take it to the Lord in prayer!
In his arms he'll take and shield thee,
thou wilt find a solace there.

We say the Grace together.

**Our Father in heaven
hallowed be your name,
your kingdom come,
your will be done,
on earth as in heaven.
Give us today our daily bread. Forgive
us our sins
as we forgive those who sin against us.
Lead us not into temptation
but deliver us from evil.
For the kingdom, the power,
and the glory are yours
now and forever. Amen.**

The day Thou gavest, Lord, is ended,
The darkness falls at Thy behest;
To Thee our morning hymns ascended,
Thy praise shall sanctify our rest.

We thank Thee that Thy church unsleeping,
While earth rolls onward into light,
Through all the world her watch is keeping,
And rests not now by day or night.

As o'er each continent and island
The dawn leads on another day,
The voice of prayer is never silent,
Nor dies the strain of praise away.

The sun that bids us rest is waking
Our brethren 'neath the western sky,
And hour by hour fresh lips are making
Thy wondrous doings heard on high.

So be it, Lord, Thy throne shall never,
Like earth's proud empires, pass away;
Thy kingdom stands, and grows for ever,
Till all Thy creatures own Thy sway.