

WE EXIST TO... GROW IN CHRIST, LOVE LIKE CHRIST, LIVE FOR CHRIST

SUNDAY, JULY 2, 2023

WELCOME / PRAYER OF INVOCATION

ALL HAIL THE POWER OF JESUS' NAME Hymns of Grace, 143

CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER

SERMON: "THE AUTHORITY & POWER OF JESUS" — LUKE 4:31–44

COMMUNION

Apostles' Creed

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth,

and in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord;
Who was conceived of the Holy Spirit,
born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried.
He descended to the dead.
On the third day He arose again.
He ascended into heaven
and sits at the right hand of God the Father
Almighty,
He will come to judge the living and the dec

and He will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy and universal Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting.

Amen.

THE POWER OF YOUR LOVE

Verse 1
Lord, I come to You,
Let my heart be changed, renewed;
Flowing from the grace
That I found in You.
And Lord, I've come to know
The weaknesses I see in me
Will be stripped away
By the pow'r of Your love.

Chorus
Hold me close,
Let Your love surround me,
Bring me near,
Draw me to Your side.
And as I wait,
I'll rise up like the eagle,
And I will soar with You,
Your Spirit leads me on
In the pow'r of Your love.

Verse 2
Lord, unveil my eyes,
Let me see You face to face;
The knowledge of Your love,
As You live in me.
Lord, renew my mind
As Your will unfolds in my life,
In living ev'ry day
By the pow'r of Your love.

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MIGHTY TO SAVE

Verse 1
Ev'ryone needs compassion,
Love that's never failing.
Let mercy fall on me.
Ev'ryone needs forgiveness,
The kindness of a Savior.
The hope of nations.

Chorus

Savior, He can move the mountains. My God is mighty to save. He is mighty to save. Forever, Author of salvation. He rose and conquered the grave. Jesus conquered the grave.

Verse 2
So take me as You find me,
All my fears and failures.
Fill my life again.
I give my life to follow,
Ev'rything I believe in.
Now I surrender.

Bridge

Shine your light, and let the whole world see. We're singing for the glory of the risen King. Jesus.

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SHINE, JESUS, SHINE

Verse 1 Lord, the light of Your love is shining, In the midst of the darkness, shining; Jesus, Light of the world, shine upon us, Set us free by the truth You now bring us. Shine on me, shine on me. Chorus
Shine, Jesus, shine,
Fill this land
With the Father's glory;
Blaze, Spirit, blaze,
Set our hearts on fire.
Flow, river, flow,
Flood the nations
With grace and mercy;
Send forth Your word, Lord,
And let there be light.

Verse 2

Lord, I come to Your awesome presence, From the shadows into Your radiance; By the blood I may enter Your brightness, Search me, try me, consume all my darkness. Shine on me, shine on me.

Verse 3

As we gaze on Your kingly brightness, So our faces display Your likeness; Ever changing from glory to glory, Mirrored here may our lives tell Your story. Shine on me, shine on me.

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BENEDICTION

Giving: If you feel led to give to the

ministry of TVC, there is an offering box in the back of the sanctuary or online giving is

available

TODAY: We would love to have you join

us for our Fellowship Lunch after

the worship service

Jul 9: We would love to have you join

us for our Fellowship Breakfast from 9–945 AM - please bring a

dish to share

Read Ahead: Luke 5:1–11

General Info:

TVC Kids: Backpacks filled with a note sheet, a coloring page, and snacks are available for children Pre-K – 5th grade. Note sheets are available for children in 5th – 8th grade.

We strive for family integrated worship & want to encourage parents to keep their children in the sanctuary or East Hall for worship. However, we understand that children can get restless & squirmy, so if you have to leave the service with your child, please feel free to do so. There is a kid friendly area in the downstairs Fellowship Hall, geared for children ages 0–4 years old, that can be used by families who have children that may need to get some wiggles out. Please know that you are welcome to rejoin the service at any time.

We also offer a volunteer staffed Nursery during the sermon. We are thankful & appreciate the opportunity to serve you & your children.

Gospel Growth Communities (GGCs): GGCs are just one way you can purposefully and intentionally invest in your church family as we seek to grow in Christ, love like Christ & live for Christ. If you are interested in joining a GGC, please contact one of your elders. The Reed GGC meets Sunday evenings in Nobleboro. Sorterup GGC meets Wednesday evenings in Damariscotta. The Holladay GGC meets Thursday evenings in Bristol. The Norton GGC meets Thursday evenings in Bremen.

Discussion Questions:

1. Who is God (what does this passage tell me about God's character)?

- 2. What has God done (how do I see God's character in action)?
- 3. Who am I (how does God's character and action shape how I see myself)?

4.	What do I do (if I believe 1–3 how would	I
	respond and relate to others)?	

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