

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

# **SUNDAY, JULY 11, 2021**

## WELCOME / PRAYER OF INVOCATION

#### BECAUSE HE LIVES

#### Verse 1

God sent His Son– they called Him Jesus; He came to love, heal and forgive. He bled and died to buy my pardon; An empty grave is there to prove my Savior lives.

### Chorus

Because He lives, I can face tomorrow; Because He lives, all fear is gone. Because I know He holds the future, And life is worth the living just because He lives.

#### Verse 2

How sweet to hold a newborn baby, And feel the pride and joy he gives; But greater still the calm assurance: This child can face uncertain days because Christ lives.

#### Verse 3

And then one day I'll cross that river; I'll fight life's final war with pain. And then, as death gives way to vict'ry, I'll see the lights of glory and I'll know He reigns.

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## CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER

**SERMON: "BY FAITH SARAH..."**HEBREWS 11:11–12; GENESIS 15–18; 21:1–7

#### COMMUNION

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,
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.

## JESUS, THANK YOU

Verse 1
The myst'ry of the cross I cannot comprehend,
The agonies of Calvary.

You, the perfect Holy One, crushed Your Son, Who drank the bitter cup reserved for me.

#### Chorus

Your blood has washed away my sin. Jesus, thank You. The Father's wrath completely satisfied, Jesus, thank You. Once Your enemy, now seated at Your table, Jesus, thank You.

#### Verse 2

By Your perfect sacrifice I've been brought near. Your enemy You've made Your friend. Pouring out the riches of Your glorious grace, Your mercy and Your kindness know no end.

## Bridge

Lover of my soul, I want to live for You.

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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:** Fellowship Lunch following the

worship service

**July 12:** Prayer Gathering from 630–8

PM. We will be gathering at

Bristol Fire & Rescue [1206
Bristol Road] in Bristol Mills

July 14: Sermon Application Team meets
from 630–8 PM

July 19: Fellowship breakfast from 9–
945 AM - please bring a dish to
share

July 25: Neighborhood Cookout and
Meet & Greet from 1–4 PM.

Read Ahead: Heb 11:13–16

## **General Info:**

<u>TVC Kids:</u> 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 and 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 and appreciate the opportunity to serve you and your children.

Face Coverings: Based on the most recent guidelines, we are not requiring that masks be worn at all times and will leave the use of masks up to your discretion. We ask that you please remain vigilant and aware of those around you as we worship, fellowship & interact with one another.		
are inte	spel Growth Communities (GGCs): GGCs just one way you can purposefully & entionally invest in your church family as we k to grow in Christ, love like Christ & live	
for	Christ. If you are interested in joining a iC, please contact one of your elders. The	
Sor	terup GGC meets on Tuesday evenings. The sewonger GGC meets Thursday evenings.	
	e Norton GGC meets Thursday evenings. The lladay GGC will be launching soon in Bristol	
	You are interested in joining please speak to eck or RoseAnne Holladay.	
No:	tes:	
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)?	Elders: Breck Holladay, Phil Nicewonger, Grant Sorterup
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