

BETHANY BIBLE CHURCH

ONLINE SERVICE

May 3, 2020

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Message from 1 John 1:5–2:2

WALKING IN THE LIGHT WITH JESUS

Welcome!

We're very glad you've chosen to be with us today for our online Sunday worship service, and we sincerely hope this time of worship will be a blessing to you. As this is Communion Sunday, we will be sharing in Communion online – please prepare your serving of grape juice and plain cracker/unleavened bread, and join us for the Communion Meal!

Order of Service

(hymns attached)

Welcome

Hymn #778, “Sweet By and By”

Opening Prayer

Hymn #324, “When I Survey the Wondrous Cross”

Announcements

Message

Communion Meal

Scripture Reading: Hebrews 9:13-15

Hymn #657, “Cleanse Me”

Closing Prayer

Hymn #778: Sweet By and By

Sanford F Bennett

There's a land that is fairer than day,
And by faith we can see it afar;
For the Father waits over the way
To prepare us a dwelling place there.

Chorus

*In the sweet by and by,
We shall meet on that beautiful shore.
In the sweet by and by,
We shall meet on that beautiful shore.*

We shall sing on that beautiful shore
The melodious songs of the blest;
And our spirits shall sorrow no more,
Not a sigh for the blessing of rest.

Chorus

To our bountiful Father above
We will offer our tribute of praise,
For the glorious gift of His love
And the blessings that hallow our days.

Chorus

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Hymn #324: When I Survey the Wondrous Cross

Isaac Watts

When I survey the wondrous cross
On which the Prince of Glory died,
My richest gain I count but loss,
And pour contempt on all my pride.

Forbid it, Lord, that I should boast,
Save in the death of Christ, my God.
All the vain things that charm me most,
I sacrifice them to His blood.

See, from His head, His hands, His feet,
Sorrow and love flow mingled down.
Did e'er such love and sorrow meet,
Or thorns compose so rich a crown?

Were the whole realm of nature mine,
That were a present far too small.
Love so amazing, so divine,
Demands my soul, my life, my all!

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Scripture Reading: Hebrews 9:13-15, NKJV

¹³ For if the blood of bulls and goats and the ashes of a heifer, sprinkling the unclean, sanctifies for the purifying of the flesh, ¹⁴ how much more shall the blood of Christ, who through the eternal Spirit offered Himself without spot to God, cleanse your conscience from dead works to serve the living God? ¹⁵ And for this reason He is the Mediator of the new covenant, by means of death, for the redemption of the transgressions under the first covenant, that those who are called may receive the promise of the eternal inheritance.

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Hymn #657: Cleanse Me

J. Edwin Orr; based on Psalm 139:23

Search me, O God, and know my heart today;
Try me, O Savior, know my thoughts, I pray.
See if there be some wicked way in me;
Cleanse me from every sin and set me free.

I praise Thee, Lord, for cleansing me from sin;
Fulfill Thy Word and make me pure within.
Fill me with fire where once I burned with shame;
Grant my desire to magnify Thy name.

Lord, take my life and make it wholly Thine;
Fill my poor heart with Thy great love divine.
Take all my will, my passion, self and pride;
I now surrender, Lord—in me abide.

O Holy ghost, revival comes from Thee;
Send a revival, start the work in me.
Thy Word declares Thou wilt supply our need;
For blessings now, O Lord, I humbly plead.

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This morning's message is taken from
1 John 1:5-2:2

WALKING IN THE LIGHT WITH JESUS

Theme: To walk in fellowship with God, we must walk in the light of His holiness through His Son.

- 1. GOD IS LIGHT AND IN HIM IS NO DARKNESS (1:5).**
(See John 3:18-21; Ephesians 5:8-14.)
- 2. WHOEVER WALKS IN FELLOWSHIP WITH HIM MUST WALK IN LIGHT (1:6-10).**
 - a. In the practice of the truth (vv. 6-7).**
(See 1 John 2:3-6.)
 - b. Through the confession of sin (vv. 8-9).**
(See Psalm 32:1-5.)
 - c. With the admission of our need (v. 10).**
(See Psalm 139:23-24.)
- 3. WE CAN CONFIDENTLY DO THIS THROUGH FAITH IN HIS SON'S WORK FOR US (2:1-2).**

Conclusion:
Luke 19:1-10



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TO GROW IN 2020 IN:

1. MY RELATIONSHIP WITH JESUS CHRIST.
2. MY REPENTANCE FROM SIN.
3. MY RELIANCE UPON THE HOLY SPIRIT.
4. THE DAILY READING OF THE BIBLE.
5. MY REGULAR ATTENDANCE AT CHURCH.
6. THE RESTORATION OF RELATIONSHIPS.
7. MY READINESS TO SHARE THE FAITH.