

# **BETHANY BIBLE CHURCH**

ONLINE SERVICE

November 15, 2020

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Message from 2 Corinthians 4:7-10

## **SURPASSING GLORY IN FRAIL VESSELS**

**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.*

### **Order of Service**

*(hymns attached)*

**Welcome**

*Hymn #56, "To God Be the Glory"*

*Opening Prayer*

*Chorus, "He Is Able"*

*Announcements*

**Message**

*Scripture Reading: Matthew 24:9-14*

*Hymn #305, "Jesus Paid It All"*

**Closing Prayer**

## Hymn #56: To God Be the Glory

*Fanny J. Crosby*

To God be the glory—great things He hath done!  
So loved He the world that He gave us His Son,  
Who yielded His life an atonement for sin  
And opened the lifegate that all may go in.

### ***Chorus***

*Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord!  
Let the earth hear His voice!  
Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord!  
Let the people rejoice!  
O come to the Father thro' Jesus, the Son,  
And give Him the glory—great things He hath done!*

O perfect redemption, the purchase of blood—  
To every believer, the promise of God.  
The vilest offender who truly believes,  
That moment from Jesus a pardon receives.

### ***Chorus***

Great things He hath taught us; great things He hath done,  
And great our rejoicing thro' Jesus the Son.  
But purer and higher and greater will be  
Our wonder, our transport, when Jesus we see.

### ***Chorus***

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## **Chorus: He Is Able**

*Rory Noland and Greg Ferguson*

He is able, more than able,  
to accomplish what concerns me today,  
He is able, more than able  
to handle anything that comes my way.  
He is able, more than able,  
to do much more than I could ever dream,  
He is able, more than able,  
to make me what He wants me to be.

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**Scripture Reading**  
**from Matthew 24:9-14, NKJV**

**9** “Then they will deliver you up to tribulation and kill you, and you will be hated by all nations for My name’s sake. **10** And then many will be offended, will betray one another, and will hate one another. **11** Then many false prophets will rise up and deceive many. **12** And because lawlessness will abound, the love of many will grow cold. **13** But he who endures to the end shall be saved. **14** And this gospel of the kingdom will be preached in all the world as a witness to all the nations, and then the end will come.

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## Hymn #305: Jesus Paid It All

*Elvina M Hall*

I hear the Savior say:  
“Thy strength indeed is small.  
Child of weakness, watch and pray;  
Find in Me thine all in all.”

### ***Chorus***

*Jesus paid it all;  
All to Him I owe.  
Sin had left a crimson stain;  
He washed it white as snow.*

Lord, now indeed I find Thy pow’r, and Thine alone  
Can change the leper’s spots  
And melt the heart of stone.

### ***Chorus***

For nothing good have I  
Whereby Thy grace to claim;  
I’ll wash my garments white  
In the blood of Calv’ry’s Lamb.

### ***Chorus***

And when before the throne  
I stand in Him complete,  
“Jesus died my soul to save,”  
My lips shall still repeat.

### ***Chorus***

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This morning's message is part of our ongoing study of the New Testament book of 2 Corinthians; and is taken from 2 Corinthians 4:7-10

# SURPASSING GLORY IN FRAIL VESSELS

God lets the gospel be proclaimed by frail people (1 Corinthians 1:26-31) in order to show the greatness of His power through it (Romans 1:1-17).

**1. THE PRINCIPLE (v. 7):**

**Our weakness shows forth the gospel's power.**

*(See 2 Timothy 2:8-10.)*

**2. THE PROOF (vv. 8-9):**

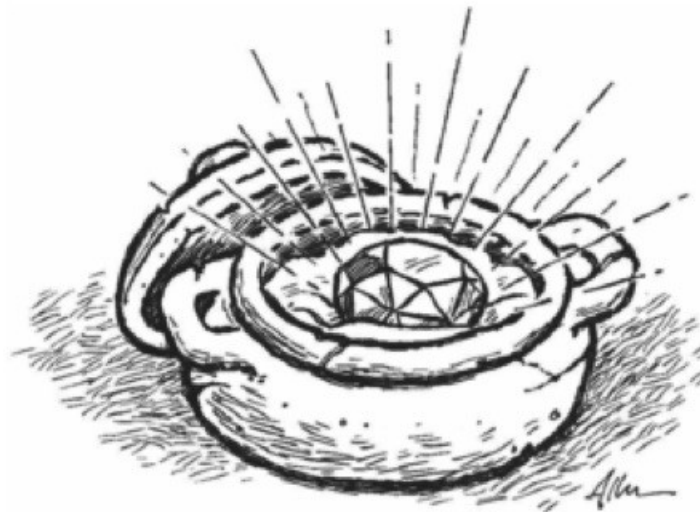
**We are weak; but that God is at work mightily in through the gospel we preach (See 2 Corinthians 6:4-10) ...**

- a. In Trials ...
- b. In Distresses ...
- c. In Persecutions ...
- d. In Defeats ...

**3. THE PRODUCT (v. 10):**

**Christ's life ends up being manifested in us.**

*(See 2 Corinthians 12:7-10.)*



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**Thank you, and God bless you!**