

BETHANY BIBLE CHURCH
SUNDAY ONLINE WORSHIP SERVICE
May 23, 2021

Greg Allen, Pastor

This morning's message is from **2 Corinthians 8:16-24**
EARNEST CARE WITH GIFTS TO GOD

Welcome!

*We're very glad you've chosen to be with us today for our online
Sunday worship service. We sincerely hope this
time of worship will be a blessing to you.*

Order of Service

(hymns attached)

Welcome

Hymn #489, "Pass Me Not"

Opening Prayer

Scripture Reading: Psalm 73:25-28

Hymn #571, "Trust and Obey"

Announcements

Message

Hymn #56, "To God Be the Glory"

Closing Prayer

Hymn #489: Pass Me Not

Fanny J. Crosby

Pass me not, O gentle Savior;
Hear my humble cry;
While on others Thou art calling,
Do not pass me by.

Chorus

*Savior, Savior,
Hear my humble cry;
While on others Thou art calling,
Do not pass me by.*

Let me at the throne of mercy
Find a sweet relief;
Kneeling there in deep contrition,
Help my unbelief.

Chorus

Trusting only in Thy merit,
Would I seek Thy face.
Heal my wounded, broken spirit;
Save me by Thy grace.

Chorus

Thou, the Spring of all my comfort,
More than life to me,
Whom have I on earth beside Thee?
Whom in heav'n but Thee?

Chorus

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Scripture Reading
from Psalm 73:25-28, NKJV

Whom have I in heaven but You?
And there is none upon earth that I desire besides You.
My flesh and my heart fail;
But God is the strength of my heart and my portion forever.

For indeed, those who are far from You shall perish;
You have destroyed all those who desert You for harlotry.
But it is good for me to draw near to God;
I have put my trust in the Lord GOD,
That I may declare all Your works.

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Hymn #571: Trust and Obey

John H. Sammis

When we walk with the Lord in the light of His Word,
What a glory He sheds on our way!
While we do His good will, He abides with us still,
And with all who will trust and obey.

Chorus

*Trust and obey, for there's no other way
To be happy in Jesus, but to trust and obey.*

Not a shadow can rise, not a cloud in the skies,
But His smile quickly drives it away;
Not a doubt nor a fear, not a sigh nor a tear
Can abide while we trust and obey.

Chorus

Not a burden we bear, not a sorrow we share,
But our toil He doth richly repay;
Not a grief nor a loss, not a frown nor a cross
But is blest if we trust and obey.

Chorus

But we never can prove the delights of His love
Until all on the altar we lay;
For the favor He shows and the joy He bestows
Are for them who will trust and obey.

Chorus

Then in fellowship sweet we will sit at His feet,
Or we'll walk by His side in the way;
What He says we will do, Where He sends we will go;
Never fear, only trust and obey.

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 8:16-24

EARNEST CARE WITH GIFTS TO GOD

Theme: We should show earnest care in handling whatever may be given toward God's work. Paul and his co-workers showed this care with the relief money given through the churches by ...

1. **CHOOSING RESPONSIBLE ADMINISTRATORS**
(vv. 16-19, 22-23).
2. **SAFEGUARDING A TESTIMONY OF INTEGRITY**
(vv. 20-21).
3. **PURSUING THE GLORY OF CHRIST BY THE CHURCH**
(vv. 23-24).



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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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Thank you, and God bless you!