BETHANY BIBLE CHURCH

SUNDAY ONLINE WORSHIP SERVICE August 8, 2021

Greg Allen, Pastor

This morning's message is taken from 2 Corinthians 10:7-11

LIVING A LIFE OF GOSPEL INTEGRITY

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 #97, "Sing Praise to God Who Reigns Above"

Opening Prayer

Scripture Reading: Colossians 1:13-18

Hymn #562, "Be Thou My Vision"

Announcements

Church Family Time

Message

Hymn #654, "Change My Heart, O God" Hymn #100, Thou Art Worthy

Closing Prayer

Hymn #97: Sing Praise to God Who Reigns Above

Johann J. Schutz

Sing praise to God who reigns above,
The God of all creation,
The God of pow'r, the God of love,
The God of our salvation.
With healing balm my soul He fills,
And every faithless murmur stills:
To God all praise and glory!

The Lord is never far away,
But thro' all grief distressing,
An ever-present help and stay,
Our peace and joy and blessing.
As with a mother's tender hand,
He leads His own, His chosen band:
To God all praise and glory!

Thus all my toilsome way along I sing aloud His praises,
That all may hear the grateful song My voice unwearied raises.
Be joyful in the Lord, my heart!
Both soul and body bear your part:
To God all praise and glory!

Let all who name Christ's holy name Give God all praise and glory;
Let all who own His pow'r proclaim Aloud the wondrous story.
Cast every idol from its throne,
For Christ is Lord and Christ alone:
To God all praise and glory!
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Scripture Reading from Colossians 1:13-18, NKJV

He has delivered us from the power of darkness and conveyed us into the kingdom of the Son of His love, in whom we have redemption through His blood, the forgiveness of sins.

He is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn over all creation. For by Him all things were created that are in heaven and that are on earth, visible and invisible, whether thrones or dominions or principalities or powers. All things were created through Him and for Him. And He is before all things, and in Him all things consist. And He is the head of the body, the church, who is the beginning, the firstborn from the dead, that in all things He may have the preeminence.

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Hymn #562: Be Thou My Vision

Traditional Irish hymn, translated by Mary E. Byrne

Be Thou my Vision, O Lord of my heart; Naught be all else to me, save that Thou art— Thou my best thought, by day or by night, Waking or sleeping, Thy presence my light.

Be Thou my Wisdom and Thou my true word; I ever with Thee and Thou with me, Lord; Thou my great Father, I Thy true son, Thou in me dwelling, and I with Thee one.

Riches I heed not, nor man's empty praise, Thou mine inheritance, now and always; Thou and Thou only, first in my heart, High King of heaven, my treasure Thou art.

High King of heaven, my victory won, May I reach heaven's joys, bright heaven's Sun! Heart of my own heart, whatever befall, Still be my Vision, O Ruler of all.

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Hymn #654: Change My Heart, O God

Eddie Espinosa

Change my heart, O God, Make it ever true. Change my heart, O God, May I be like You.

You are the Potter, I am the clay; Mold me and make me, This is what I pray.

Change my heart, O God, Make it ever true. Change my heart, O god, May I be like You.

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Hymn #100: Thou Art Worthy

Pauline M. Mills

Thou are worthy, Thou art worthy, Thou art worthy, O Lord, To receive glory, glory and honor, Glory and honor and pow'r.

For Thou has created, hast all things created; Thou hast created all things. And for Thy pleasure they are created; For Thou art worthy, O Lord.

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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 10:7-11

LIVING A LIFE OF GOSPEL INTEGRITY

Paul's work as an apostle was being challenged. But because of the careful way he lived, he was able to protect the integrity of the gospel he preached. His example teaches us that our witness of the gospel of Jesus in this world requires that we pursue whole-hearted integrity in how we live ...

1. BEING GENUINE IN OUR RELATIONSHIP WITH JESUS

(v. 7).

(See 2 Corinthians 11:13-15; 12:11-12; Philippians 3:17-19; 2 Corinthians 13:5-6.)

2. BEING CONVINCED OF GOD'S CALL UPON OUR LIVES

(v. 8).

(See Acts 26:12-23; Matthew 28:18-20.)

 BEING CONSISTENT IN HOW WE BEHAVE AND SPEAK (vv. 9-11).

(See Philippians 1:27-30.)



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Thank you, and God bless you!