BETHANY BIBLE CHURCH

SUNDAY ONLINE WORSHIP SERVICE March 17, 2024

Greg Allen, Pastor

This morning's message is taken from

Ephesians 6:23-24

A GRACIOUS CONCLUSION

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 #526, "The Solid Rock"

Hymn #730, "Stand Up, Stand Up for Jesus"

Opening Prayer

Announcements

Church Family Time

Message

Scripture Reading: Romans 5:1-5

Hymn #235, "Take the Name of Jesus with You"

Closing Prayer

Hymn #526: The Solid Rock

Edward Mote

My hope is built on nothing less Than Jesus' blood and righteousness; I dare not trust the sweetest frame, But wholly lean on Jesus' name.

Chorus

On Christ, the solid Rock, I stand; All other ground is sinking sand, All other ground is sinking sand.

When darkness veils His lovely face, I rest on His unchanging grace; In every high and stormy gale, My anchor holds within the veil.

Chorus

His oath, His covenant, His blood, Support me in the whelming flood; When all around my soul gives way, He then is all my hope and stay.

Chorus

When He shall come with trumpet sound, O may I then in Him be found; Dressed in His righteousness alone, Faultless to stand before the throne.

Chorus

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Hymn #730: Stand Up, Stand Up for Jesus

George Duffield, Jr.

Stand up, stand up for Jesus, ye soldiers of the cross; Lift high His royal banner, it must not suffer loss. From vict'ry unto vict'ry His army He shall lead, Till every foe is vanquished and Christ is Lord indeed.

Stand up, stand up for Jesus, the trumpet call obey; Forth to the mighty conflict, in this His glorious day. Ye that are men, now serve Him against unnumbered foes; Let courage rise with danger and strength to strength oppose.

Stand up, stand up for Jesus, stand in His strength alone; The arm of flesh will fail you, ye dare not trust your own. Put on the gospel armor, each piece put on with prayer; Where duty calls or danger, be never wanting there.

Stand up, stand up for Jesus, the strife will not be long; This day the noise of battle, the next, the victor's song. To him who overcometh a crown of life shall be; He, with the King of Glory, shall reign eternally.

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This morning's message is the last of our ongoing study from the New Testament book of Ephesians; and is taken from Ephesians 6:23-24

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In Ephesians 6:23-24, the apostle Paul offered these final words to his readers. It may seem, at first, like a simple greeting—common in many of his letters. But upon closer examination, we see that Paul's farewell words reinforce to us all of the glorious spiritual blessings that are now ours in Christ.

1. WHAT ARE THE SPIRITUAL BLESSINGS HE AFFIRMS?

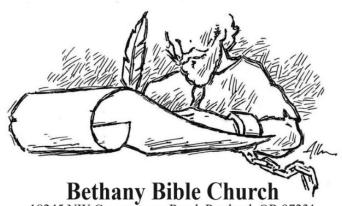
- a. Peace (2:11-17; 4:1-6; 6:15.)
- b. Love (2:1-7; 5:25-29; 4:13-16.)
- c. Faith (2:8-9; 1:15-23; 3:14-21.)
- d. Grace (1:6; 4:7-8.)

2. FROM WHOM DO THESE BLESSINGS COME?

- a. From God our Father
- b. Through Jesus our Lord

3. TO WHOM DO THESE BLESSINGS BELONG?

- a. The brethren
- b. Who love our Lord Jesus
- c. Sincerely



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Scripture Reading: Romans 5:1-5 (nkjv)

Therefore, having been justified by faith,
we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ,
through whom also we have access by faith
into this grace in which we stand,
and rejoice in hope of the glory of God.
And not only that, but we also glory in tribulations,
knowing that tribulation produces perseverance;
and perseverance, character;
and character, hope.
Now hope does not disappoint,
because the love of God has been poured out in our hearts
by the Holy Spirit who was given to us.

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Hymn #235, Take the Name of Jesus with You

Lydia Baxter, William H. Doane

Take the name of Jesus with you, Child of sorrow and of woe; It will joy and comfort give you-Take it, then, where'er you go.

Chorus

Precious name, O how sweet! Hope of earth and joy of heav'n; Precious name, O how sweet! Hope of earth and joy of heav'n.

Take the name of Jesus ever, As a shield from every snare; If temptations round you gather, Breath that holy name in prayer.

Chorus

O the precious name of Jesus! How it thrills our souls with joy, When His loving arms receive us And His songs our tongues employ!

Chorus

At the name of Jesus bowing, Falling prostrate at His feet; King of kings in heav'n we'll crown Him When our journey is complete.

Chorus

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Thank you for joining us!

Be sure to visit our website at www.bethanybible.org for sermon and Bible Study notes – and join us each Wednesday at 10:00AM (PST) for our Wednesday morning Bible study (broadcast at 12PM PST)!

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