

# JOY

Community  
Fellowship

Blessed is everyone who fears the Lord, who walks in his ways!

*Psalm 128:1*

## **Welcome to Joy Community Fellowship**

In obedience to Hebrews 10:24-25, we assemble on the first day of the week to worship God and to encourage each other. Our service is designed to introduce you, or to renew you, in the Gospel, which is the good news of salvation in Jesus Christ.

**May 2, 2021**

***We have gathered this morning to worship the Lord, our peace***

**Welcome**

**Call to Worship: *Numbers 6:24-26***

***Come Thou Fount***

***Nothing But the Blood***

***What a Friend We Have in Jesus***

**Scripture Reading: *Isaiah 26:3, John 16:33 & Philippians 4:4-7***

**Pastoral Prayer of Intercession**

***Speak, O Lord***

**Sermon: *A Song of Happiness (Psalm 128)***

**Lord's Supper**

***It Is Well***

***All Glory Be to Christ***

***Benediction Song***

***After the benediction, all are invited to stay for fellowship, conversation and prayer.***

## ***Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing***

Come, thou Fount of every blessing,  
Tune my heart to sing Thy grace;  
Streams of mercy, never ceasing,  
Call for songs of loudest praise.  
Teach me some melodious sonnet,  
Sung by flaming tongues above.  
Praise His name! I'm fixed upon it,  
Name of God's redeeming love.

Hitherto Thy love has blest me;  
Thou hast brought me to this place;  
And I know Thy hand will bring me  
Safely home by Thy good grace.  
Jesus sought me when a stranger,  
Wandering from the fold of God;  
He, to rescue me from danger,  
Bought me with His precious blood.

Oh, to grace how great a debtor  
Daily I'm constrained to be!  
Let Thy goodness, like a fetter,  
Bind my wandering heart to Thee:  
Prone to wander, Lord, I feel it,  
Prone to leave the God I love.  
Here's my heart, Lord, take and seal it;  
Seal it for Thy courts above.

Hallelujah, I have found it,  
The full cleansing I have craved,  
And to all the world I'll sound it:  
They too may be wholly saved.  
I am sealed by Thy sweet Spirit,  
Prone no longer now to roam;  
And Thy voice, I'll humbly hear it,  
For Thy presence is my home.

Oh that day when free from sinning,  
I shall see Thy lovely face

Full arrayed in blood-washed linen,  
How I'll sing Thy sovereign grace.  
Come my Lord no longer tarry,  
Bring Thy promises to pass.  
For I know Thy power will keep me  
Till I'm home with Thee at last.

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## ***Nothing But the Blood***

What can wash away my sin?  
Nothing but the blood of Jesus.  
What can make me whole again?  
Nothing but the blood of Jesus.

*Oh! Precious is the flow  
that makes me white as snow;  
No other fount I know;  
Nothing but the blood of Jesus.*

For my pardon, this I see:  
Nothing but the blood of Jesus.  
For my cleansing this my plea:  
Nothing but the blood of Jesus.

Nothing can for sin atone,  
Nothing but the blood of Jesus.  
Naught of good that I have done,  
Nothing but the blood of Jesus.

This is all my hope and peace,  
Nothing but the blood of Jesus.  
This is all my righteousness,  
Nothing but the blood of Jesus.

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## ***What a Friend We Have in Jesus***

What a friend we have in Jesus,  
All our sins and griefs to bear!  
What a privilege to carry  
Everything to God in prayer!  
Oh, what peace we often forfeit,  
Oh, what needless pain we bear,  
All because we do not carry  
Everything to God in prayer!

Have we trials and temptations?  
Is there trouble anywhere?  
We should never be discouraged;  
Take it to the Lord in prayer!  
Can we find a friend so faithful  
Who will all our sorrows share?  
Jesus knows our every weakness;  
Take it to the Lord in prayer!

Are we weak and heavy laden,  
Cumbered with a load of care?  
Precious Savior, still our refuge--  
Take it to the Lord in prayer!  
Do thy friends despise, forsake thee?  
Take it to the Lord in prayer!  
In His arms He'll take and shield thee;  
Thou wilt find a solace there.

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*Charles C. Converse Joseph M. Scriven*  
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## ***Speak, O Lord***

Speak, O Lord, as we come to You  
To receive the food of Your holy Word.  
Take Your truth, plant it deep in us;  
Shape and fashion us in Your likeness,  
That the light of Christ might be seen today  
In our acts of love and our deeds of faith.  
Speak, O Lord, and fulfill in us  
All Your purposes, for Your glory.

Teach us, Lord, full obedience,  
Holy reverence, true humility;  
Test our thoughts and our attitudes  
In the radiance of Your purity.  
Cause our faith to rise;  
Cause our eyes to see,  
Your majestic love and authority.  
Words of power that can never fail;  
Let their truth prevail over unbelief.

Speak, O Lord, and renew our minds;  
Help us grasp the heights  
Of Your plans for us.  
Truths unchanged from the dawn of time,  
That will echo down through eternity.  
And by grace we'll stand on Your promises,  
And by faith we'll walk as You walk with us.  
Speak, O Lord, till Your church is built  
And the earth is filled with Your glory.

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## ***It Is Well***

When peace like a river, attendeth my way,  
When sorrows, like sea billows roll;  
Whatever my lot,  
Thou hast taught me to say,  
“It is well, it is well, with my soul.”

*It is well (It is well),  
With my soul (With my soul),  
It is well, it is well with my soul.*

Though Satan should buffet,  
Though trials should come,  
Let this blest assurance control;  
That Christ has regarded my helpless estate,  
And hath shed His own blood for my soul.

My sin, oh, the bliss of this glorious thought,  
My sin, not in part but the whole,  
Is nailed to the cross and I bear it no more.  
Praise the Lord, praise the Lord, O my soul!

And Lord, haste the day  
When my faith shall be sight.  
The clouds be rolled back as a scroll;  
The trump shall resound  
And the Lord shall descend,  
“Even so,” it is well with my soul.

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## ***All Glory Be to Christ***

Should nothing of our efforts stand,  
No legacy survive;  
Unless the Lord does raise the house,  
In vain its builders strive.

To you who boast tomorrow’s gain,  
Tell me what is your life?  
A mist that vanishes at dawn,  
All glory be to Christ!

*All glory be to Christ our king!  
All glory be to Christ!  
His rule and reign we’ll ever sing,  
All glory be to Christ!*

His will be done, His kingdom come,  
On earth as is above;  
Who is Himself our daily bread,  
Praise Him the Lord of love.

Let living water satisfy  
The thirsty without price;  
We’ll take a cup of kindness yet,  
All glory be to Christ!

When on the day the great I AM,  
The Faithful and the True;  
The Lamb who was for sinners slain,  
Is making all things new.

Behold our God shall live with us  
And be our steadfast light,  
And we shall e’er his people be,  
All glory be to Christ!

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*Dustin Kensrue*  
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# ***Benediction Song***

The Lord bless you and keep you;  
The Lord make His face shine upon you,  
And give you peace, and give you peace,  
And give you peace forever.

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*Michael Card*  
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## **Announcements**

- Tonight**      **Sunday Evening Prayer Service:** Join us at 5pm in the sanctuary for a time of sharing and prayer.
- May 5**        **Midweek Study:** Join us from 6:30-7:45pm in the church building. The next class will be studying Chapter 21 in the Baptist Confession of Faith, "Christian Liberty and Liberty of Conscience."
- May 9**        **Morning Service:** Join us at 10am; our sermon will be on John 13:1-17.
- May 16**      **Sunday School Begins:** We will begin an 8-week Sunday School session. More details forthcoming.
- May 28-29**   **Father/Child Camp Haluwasa Retreat:** Join other dads (and grandfathers) and kids for a fun overnight that will include fishing, hiking, obstacle course, boating, train ride and more. Price is \$35/person and includes meals, activities and lodging. See Dan Bowers to sign up by May 23<sup>rd</sup>.

## **General Info**

**Announcements Email Group:** If you would like to receive weekly email updates and other information, please contact Allison Rue at [arue@joycf.org](mailto:arue@joycf.org)

**Compassion Needs:** Compassion is in need of syrup, rice, cereal, jelly and "Shoprite" type plastic bags. If you would like to donate any of these items, please put donations in the red wagon.

**Offering:** Weekly needs \$10,210.77; Apr 25 \$27,528.92; Over budget YTD \$25,624.45

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