Community Fellowship

Put on the whole armor of God, that you may be able to stand against the schemes of the devil.

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.

September 12, 2021

We have gathered this morning to worship God, our Provider

Welcome

Call to Worship: Philippians 4:19

Lord Most High No, Not One O Church, Arise

Scripture Reading: Zechariah 3

Prayer of Confession

Scriptural Assurance of Pardon: Titus 2:11-14

Where Shall I Be?

Pastoral Prayer of Intercession

Great is Thy Faithfulness

Sermon: Put on the Whole Armor of God (Ephesians 6:11)

Before the Throne

Benediction

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

Lord Most High

From the ends of the earth,
(From the ends of the earth)
From the depths of the sea,
(From the depths of the sea)
From the heights of the heavens,
(From the heights of the heavens)
Your name be praised.

From the hearts of the weak, (From the hearts of the weak)
From the shouts of the strong, (From the shouts of the strong)
From the lips of all people, (From the lips of all people)
This song we raise, Lord.

Refrain:

Throughout the endless ages
You will be crowned with praises,
Lord Most High.
Exalted in every nation,
Sovereign of all creation,
Lord Most High,
Be magnified.

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No, Not One

There's not a friend like the lowly Jesus, No, not one! No, not one! None else could heal all our soul's diseases, No, not one! No, not one!

No friend like Him is so high and holy, No, not one! No, not one! And yet no friend is so meek and lowly, No, not one! No, not one!

Refrain:

Jesus knows all about our struggles, He will guide till the day is done; There's not a friend like the lowly Jesus, No, not one! No, not one!

There's not an hour that He is not near us, No, not one! No, not one! No night so dark, but His love can cheer us, No, not one! No, not one!

Did ever saint find this friend forsake him? No, not one! No, not one! Or sinner find that He would not take him? No, not one! No, not one! (*Refrain*)

Was e'er a gift like the Savior given? No, not one! No, not one! Will He refuse us a home in heaven? No, not one! No, not one! (Refrain)

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O Church, Arise

O church, arise and put your armor on; Hear the call of Christ our Captain; For now the weak Can say that they are strong In the strength that God has given. With shield of faith and belt of truth We'll stand against the devil's lies; An army bold whose battle cry is "Love!" Reaching out to those in darkness.

Our call to war, to love the captive soul,
But to rage against the captor;
And with the sword
That makes the wounded whole,
We will fight with faith and valor.
When faced with trials on every side,
We know the outcome is secure,
And Christ will have
The prize for which He died:
An inheritance of nations.

Come, see the cross
Where love and mercy meet,
As the Son of God is stricken;
Then see His foes
Lie crushed beneath His feet,
For the Conqueror has risen!
And as the stone is rolled away,
And Christ emerges from the grave,
This victory march continues till the day
Every eye and heart shall see Him.

So Spirit, come! Put strength in every stride, Give grace for every hurdle, That we may run with faith to win the prize Of a servant good and faithful. As saints of old still line the way, Retelling triumphs of His grace, We hear their calls and hunger for the day When, with Christ, we stand in glory!

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Where Shall I Be?

When judgment day is drawing nigh, Where shall I be?

When God the works of men shall try, Where shall I be?

When east and west the fire shall roll, Where shall I be?

How will it be with my poor soul; Where shall I be?

When wicked men his wrath shall see, Where shall I be?

And to the rocks and mountains flee, Where shall I be?

When hills and mountains flee away, Where shall I be?

When all the works of men decay, Where shall I be?

Refrain:

O where shall I be when the first trumpet sounds, O where shall I be when it sounds so loud? When it sounds so loud as to wake up the dead? O where shall I be when it sounds?

When heav'n and earth as some great scroll, Where shall I be?

Shall from God's holy presence roll, Where shall I be?

When all the saints redeemed shall stand, Where shall I be?

Forever blest at God's right hand, Where shall I be? (Refrain)

All trouble done, all conflict past, Where shall I be?

Our enemy o'ercome at last, Where shall I be? When Christ shall reign from shore to shore, Where shall I be?

And peace abide forevermore, Where shall I be? (Refrain)

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Great is Thy Faithfulness

Great is Thy faithfulness, O God my Father. There is no shadow of turning with Thee. Thou changest not, Thy compassions they fail not. As Thou hast been, Thou forever will be.

Refrain:

Great is Thy faithfulness!
Great is Thy faithfulness!
Morning by morning new mercies I see.
All I have needed Thy hand hath provided.
Great is Thy faithfulness, Lord unto me.

Summer and winter,
And springtime and harvest,
Sun, moon and stars in their courses above,
Join with all nature in manifold witness
To Thy great faithfulness, mercy and love.
(Refrain)

Pardon for sin and a peace that endureth,
Thine own dear presence to cheer
And to guide,
Strength for today
And bright hope for tomorrow,
Blessings all mine,
With ten thousand beside. (Refrain)

Thomas Obediah Chisholm; William Marion Runyan 1923. Renewed 1951 Hope Publishing Company, CCLI 663666

Before the Throne of God Above

Before the throne of God above,
I have a strong, a perfect plea,
A great High Priest whose name is Love,
Whoever lives and pleads for me.
My name is graven on His hands,
My name is written on His heart.
I know that while in heaven He stands,
No tongue can bid me thence depart;
No tongue can bid me thence depart.

When Satan tempts me to despair, And tells me of the guilt within, Upward I look and see Him there, Who made an end of all my sin. Because the sinless Savior died, My sinful soul is counted free. For God the Just, is satisfied To look on Him and pardon me; To look on Him and pardon me.

Behold Him there, the Risen Lamb, My perfect, spotless righteousness, The great unchangeable I AM, The King of glory and of grace! One with Himself I cannot die. My soul is purchased by His blood, My life is hid with Christ on high, With Christ, my Savior and my God; With Christ, my Savior and my God.

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Announcements

Today Church Picnic: Join us at 4pm on the church lawn to enjoy a meal and a time of fellowship. Please bring

your lawn chairs!

Sept 15 678 (Youth Ministries): Will be meeting on Wednesday nights from 6:30-8pm at the firehouse.

Sept 19 Morning Service: Join us at 10am; our sermon will be on Ephesians 6:12.

Sunday School: Join us at 9am. Classes offered are: Ephesians Study, Christians at Work, Discovering Joy (membership class), Ten Questions Every Teen Should Ask (6th-12th grade). Promiseland (K-5th Grade). **Childcare:** will be available during Sunday school. Sprouts: 6mos-3 ½ years; Big Red Barn: 3 ½ years-

PreK.

Sunday Evening Prayer Service: Join us in the sanctuary at 5pm for a time of sharing and prayer! **Impact (Youth Ministries):** Will be meeting every other week from 6:30-8pm at the Hope House. **Member Meeting:** Join us at 6pm after the evening prayer service. All members are encouraged to

attend.

Oct 29-30 Women's Weekend: More details to follow.

General Info

Sept 22

Oct 3

Men's Reading Group: Larry will be leading a discussion of JC Ryle's *Holiness* (abridged, modernized version) on the first Saturday morning of each month, from 8-9:30am in church basement. The group will run from October through July. Each chapter stands alone, so feel free to attend as many meetings as you are able. Contact Larry if you are interested, have questions, or to pick up a copy of the book.

Announcements Email Group: If you would like to receive weekly email updates and other information, please contact Gabriella DeFrance at gdefrance@joycf.org

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