

KING OF KINGS MAJESTY
God of heaven living in me
Gentle Saviour closest friend
Strong deliv'rer beginning and end
All within me falls at Your throne

*Your majesty I can but bow
I lay my all before You now
In royal robes I don't deserve
I live to serve Your majesty*

Earth and heav'n worship You
Love eternal faithful and true
Who bought the nations ransomed souls
Brought this sinner near to Your throne
All within me cries out in praise

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HEAR THE CALL OF THE KINGDOM,

Lift your eyes to the King;
Let His song rise within you
As a fragrant offering
Of how God, rich in mercy, came in Christ to redeem
All who trust in His unfailing grace.

Hear the call of the kingdom,
To be children of light
With the mercy of heaven the humility of Christ;
Walking justly before Him,
Loving all that is right,
That the life of Christ may shine through us.

*King of heaven, we will answer the call.
We will follow, bringing hope to the world,
Filled with passion, filled with power to proclaim
Salvation in Jesus' name.*

Hear the call of the kingdom
To reach out to the lost
With the Father's compassion
In the wonder of the cross,
Bringing peace and forgiveness,
And a hope yet to come:
Let the nations put their trust in Him.

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Prayer
Risen Christ, you filled your disciples with boldness and fresh hope: strengthen us to proclaim your risen life and fill us with your peace, to the glory of God the Father. Amen.

Go in peace to speak and shine for Jesus,
In the name of Christ, Amen.

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A Warm Welcome to St. Andrew's

14th April 2024, 6:30pm . Evening Service. The 3rd Sunday of Easter.

Phil Cairns will be leading and **Joe Dent** will be speaking on **Acts 2:42-47**

Alleluia, Christ is risen
He is risen indeed, Alleluia

CROWN HIM WITH MANY CROWNS,
The Lamb upon His throne.
Hark! how the heavenly anthem drowns
All music but its own!
Awake, my soul, and sing
Of Him who died for thee,
And hail Him as thy matchless King
Through all eternity.

2. Crown Him the Lord of life
Who triumphed o'er the grave,
And rose victorious in the strife
For those He came to save!
His glories now we sing
Who died and rose on high,
Who died eternal life to bring,
And lives that death may die.

3. Crown Him the Lord of love;
Behold His hands and side,
Rich wounds yet visible above
In beauty glorified.
No angel in the sky
Can fully bear that sight,
But downward bends each burning eye
At mysteries so bright.

Opening Prayer

Almighty Father, who in your great mercy gladdened the disciples with the sight of the risen Lord: give us such knowledge of his presence with us, that we may be strengthened and sustained by his risen life and serve you continually in righteousness and truth. Amen.

4. Crown Him the Lord of peace,
Whose power a sceptre sways
From pole to pole
That wars may cease,
And all be prayer and praise.
His reign shall know no end,
And round His pierced feet
Fair flowers of paradise extend
Their fragrance ever sweet.

5. Crown Him the Lord of years,
The Potentate of time,
Creator of the rolling spheres
Ineffably sublime!
All hail Redeemer, hail!
For Thou hast died for me;
Thy praise shall never, never fail
Throughout eternity.

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TO HIM BE THE GLORY FOR ALL HE HAS DONE.

Praise to the Father who gave us His son.
A ransom for many, He bled and died,
Then rose in victory, Enthroned on high.

To Him be the glory in heaven and earth.
All of creation is shouting his worth.
The saints and the angels all live to proclaim:
The wonderful story, the glorious Name.

*Oh look and see our God,
and celebrate
The power of the cross,
and the empty grave,
And now we're free let the redeemed
lift up your heads
Oh look and see our God*

To Him be the glory He's coming again,
And all of the sadness will come to an end.
Oh, what a reunion; The bride and her King.
Forever we'll praise Him, forever we'll sing.

*Glory, glory to our God.
Glory, glory to our God.*

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Confession

Almighty God our heavenly Father, we have sinned against You in thought and word and deed, through negligence, through weakness, through our own deliberate fault. We are truly sorry and repent of all our sins. For the sake of Your Son Jesus Christ, who died for us, forgive us all that is past; and grant that we may serve You in the newness of life to the glory of Your name. Amen.

Prayers

*Lord in your mercy,
Hear our prayer.*

*Ending with...
Merciful Father,*

Accept these prayers for the sake of your Son, our Saviour Jesus Christ. Amen.

Our Father in Heaven, hallowed be your name; your Kingdom come, your will be done on earth as in Heaven. Give us today our daily bread; forgive us our sins, as we forgive those who sin against us. Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For the Kingdom, the power and the glory are yours, now and forever. Amen.

YOUR WORD IS GOOD, IT'S EVER FAITHFUL.

Worth more than gold, the heart's delight.
Your word gives life to all who hear
and obey.
Your word endures forever.

Your word is true, it never changes.
It formed the earth; sustains it still.
Your word defends; providing refuge
and strength.
Your word endures forever.

*Your word is a lamp unto my feet.
Your word is a light unto my path.
For your word is my hope; it's my joy
and my song.
Your word endures forever.*

Your word transforms, it lifts the humble,
Rebukes the proud, protects the poor.
Your word discerns the mind and spirit of all.
Your word endures forever.
Your word endures forever.

*Your word is more than just letters on pages; it's life and it's love and it's freedom for us.
Your word is more than just wisdom of ages; its treasures are endless, it's always enough.
Your word is more than just stories of old; it's the truth and the way and the story of love.
Your word is more than just breath into dust; it's your Son, as a man, come to dwell here
with us.*

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Reading– Acts 2:42-47, p 1094

This is the word of The Lord
Thanks be to God.

Sermon– Joe Dent