

COME, PEOPLE OF THE RISEN KING

Come, people of the risen King, who delight to bring Him praise.
Come, all, and tune your hearts to sing to the Morning Star of grace.
From the shifting shadows of the earth, we will lift our eyes to Him,
where steady arms of mercy reach to gather children in.

Chorus: Rejoice! Rejoice! Let ev'ry tongue rejoice!
One heart, one voice, O Church of Christ, rejoice!

Come, those whose joy is morning sun,
and those weeping through the night.
Come, those who tell of battles won, and those struggling in the fight.
For His perfect love will never change, and His mercies never cease,
but follow us through all our days with the certain hope of peace.

Chorus

Come young and old from ev'ry land, men and women of the faith.
Come, those with full or empty hands; find the riches of His grace.
Over all the world His people sing; shore to shore we hear them call
the Truth that cries through ev'ry age: "Our God is all in all."

Chorus 2x

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I LOVE TO TELL THE STORY - (G) 530; all 3

I love to tell the story of unseen things above,
of Jesus and His glory, of Jesus and His love;
I love to tell the story because I know 'tis true,
it satisfies my longings as nothing else can do.

Chorus: I love to tell the story! 'Twill be my theme in glory -
To tell the old, old story of Jesus and His love.

I love to tell the story - 'tis pleasant to repeat
what seems, each time I tell it, more wonderfully sweet;
I love to tell the story, for some have never heard
the message of salvation from God's own holy Word. **Chorus**

I love to tell the story, for those who know it best
seem hungering and thirsting to hear it like the rest;
and when in scenes of glory I sing the new, new song,
'twill be the old, old story that I have loved so long. **Chorus**

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HOLY SPIRIT, LIVING BREATH OF GOD

Holy Spirit, living breath of God, breathe new life into my willing soul;
bring the presence of the Risen Lord,
to renew my heart and make me whole.
Cause Your Word to come alive in me;
give me faith for what I cannot see.
Give me passion for Your purity; Holy Spirit breathe new life in me.

Holy Spirit, come abide within; may Your joy be seen in all I do.
Love enough to cover ev'ry sin in each thought and deed and attitude.
Kindness to the greatest and the least;
gentleness that sows the path of peace.
Turn my striving into works of grace;
Breath of God, show Christ in all I do.

Holy Spirit, from creation's birth, giving life to all that God has made.
Show Your power once again on earth,
cause Your church to hunger for Your ways.
Let the fragrance of our prayers arise; lead us on the road of sacrifice,
that in unity the face of Christ will be clear for all the world to see.

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CHRISTIAN HEARTS IN LOVE UNITED - (G) 513; all 3

Christian hearts in love united: search to know God's holy will.
Let His love, in us ignited, more and more our spirits fill.
Christ the head, and we His members we reflect the light He is.
Christ the master, we disciples He is ours and we are His.

Grant, Lord, that with Your direction "Love each other" we comply.
Help us live in true affection, Your love to exemplify.
Let our mutual love be glowing brightly so that all may view
that we, as on one stem growing, living branches are in You.

Come, then, living church of Jesus, covenant with Him a-new.
Unto Him who conquered for us may we pledge our service true.
May our lives reflect the brightness of God's love in Jesus shown,
to the world we then bear witness: we belong to God alone.

Text: Nicolaus L. von Zinzendorf, 1723 Tune: Moravian chorale book manuscript, Herrnhut, 1735. Church CCLI License #133103

THEY'LL KNOW WE ARE CHRISTIANS BY OUR LOVE - (B) 284

We are one in the Spirit, we are one in the Lord,
We are one in the Spirit, we are one in the Lord.
And we pray that all unity may one day be restored:

Refrain: And they'll know we are Christians by our love, by our love,
Yes, They'll know we are Christians by our love.

We will walk with each other, we will walk hand in hand.
We will walk with each other, we will walk hand in hand.
And together we'll spread the news that God is in our land: **Refrain**

We will work with each other, we will work side by side,
We will work with each other, we will work side by side,
And we'll guard each one's dignity and save each one's pride: **Refrain**

All praise to the Father, from whom all things come,
and all praise to Christ Jesus, His only Son;
and all praise to the Spirit, who makes us one: **Refrain**

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Welcome to Our Evening Worship Service

Sunday, February 27th, 2022

6:00 PM

WE GATHER TO WORSHIP

Prelude

Welcome & Announcements

Call to Worship

Opening Prayer

*Opening Song of Praise & Adoration

"Come, People of the Risen King"

*God's Greeting

*Apostles' Creed

*Song of Response

"I Love to Tell the Story" (G) 530; all 3

Prayer Requests & Time of Prayer

Offering: Gideons

*Song of Preparation

"Holy Spirit, Living Breath of God"

WE HEAR GOD'S WORD

Text: Philemon 1-25 (p. 1186)

Sermon: "**A Useful Son**"

Prayer of Application

*Song of Application

"Christian Hearts in Love United" (G) 513; all 3

WE LEAVE TO SERVE

*Benediction

*Closing Song

"They'll Know We Are Christians by Our Love" (B) 284; all 4

*Postlude

Preaching: Pastor Dave Vander Meulen

Piano: Heidi Veldstra **Guitar:** Corey Van Vliet

Praise Team: Kevin & Lori Prins, Corey Van Vliet, Heidi Veldstra

***Please stand if able (G) denotes gray hymnal in pew racks**

(B) blue songbooks under pews