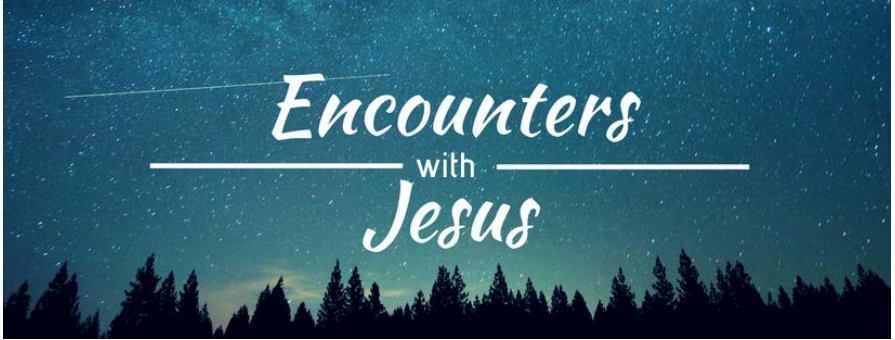


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“How beautiful on the mountains
are the feet of the messenger who brings good news,
the good news of peace and salvation,
the news that the God of Israel reigns!”

Isaiah 52:7 NLT

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Sieg Wall

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PLEASE PRAY FOR

- Herta Unruh staying in Concordia Hospital dealing with health complications
- Melissa Evans along with Mackenzie and Colton grieving the loss of their father and grandfather. The funeral for Barry Evans is Tuesday, August 21st, 11 am at Friends Funeral Home

All the People Said Amen

Matt Maher / Paul Moak / Trevor Morgan

Verse 1

You are not alone, if you are lonely
When you feel afraid, you're not the only
We are all the same, in need of mercy, to be forgiven and be free
It's all you got to lean on but thank God it's all you need

Chorus

And all the people said amen
And all the people said amen
Give thanks to the Lord for His love never ends
And all the people said amen

Verse 2

If you're rich or poor, well it don't matter
Weak or strong, you know love is what we're after
We're all broken but we're all in this together
God knows we stumble and fall
And He so loved the world He sent His Son to save us all

{Chorus}

Bridge

Blessed are the poor in spirit who are torn apart
Blessed are the prosecuted and the pure in heart
Blessed are the people hungry for another start
For theirs is the Kingdom, the Kingdom of God

{Chorus} x2

53 Immortal, Invisible

Now to the King eternal, immortal, invisible, the only God, be honor and glory. 1 Tim. 1:17

>1. Im - mor - tal, in - vis - i - ble, God on - ly wise,
 >2. Un - rest - ing, un - hast - ing, and si - lent as light,
 3. To all, life Thou giv - est— to both great and small,
 >4. Great Fa - ther of glo - ry, pure Fa - ther of light,

In light in - ac - ces - si - ble hid from our eyes.
 Nor want - ing, nor wast - ing, Thou rul - est in might;
 In all life Thou liv - est— the true life of all;
 Thine an - gels a - dore Thee, all veil - ing their sight;

Most bless - ed, most glo - rious, the An - cient of Days,
 Thy jus - tice, like moun - tains, high soar - ing a - bove
 We blos - som and flour - ish as leaves on the tree,
 All praise we would ren - der— O help us to see

Al - might - y, vic - to - rious— Thy great name we praise.
 Thy clouds, which are foun - tains of good - ness and love.
 And with - er and per - ish— but naught chang - eth Thee.
 'Tis on - ly the splen - dor of light hid - eth Thee!

Good, Good Father

Anthony Brown & Pat Barrett

Verse 1

I've heard a thousand stories of what they think you're like
But I've heard the tender whisper of love in the dead of night
And you tell me that you're pleased
And that I'm never alone

Chorus

You're a good, good Father
It's who you are, It's who you are, It's who you are
And I'm loved by you
It's who I am, It's who I am, It's who I am

Verse 2

I've seen many searching for answers far and wide
But I've known we're all searching
For answers only you provide
Because you know just what we need
Before we say a word

{Chorus}

Bridge x2

You are perfect in all of your ways
You are perfect in all of your ways
You are perfect in all of your ways to us

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Verse 3

Love so undeniable
I can hardly speak
Peace so unexplainable
I can hardly think
As you call me deeper still
As you call me deeper still
As you call me deeper still
Into love, love, love

Chorus x2

You're a good, good Father
It's who you are, It's who you are, It's who you are
And I'm loved by you
It's who I am, It's who I am, It's who I am

How Deep The Father's Love For Us

Stuart Townend

Verse 1

How deep the Father's love for us
How vast beyond all measure
That He should give His only Son
to make a wretch His treasure
How great the pain of searing loss
the Father turns His face away
As wounds which mar the Chosen One
bring many souls to glory

Verse 2

Behold the Man upon a cross
my sin upon His shoulders
Ashamed, I hear my mocking voice
call out among the scoffers
It was my sin that held Him there
until it was accomplished
His dying breath has brought me life
I know that it is finished

Verse 3

I will not boast in anything
no gifts no pow'r no wisdom
But I will boast in Jesus Christ
His death and resurrection
Why should I gain from His reward?
I cannot give an answer
But this I know with all my heart
His wounds have paid my ransom

Jesus Paid it All

E. Hall & J. Grape

Verse 1

I hear the Saviour say, "Thy strength indeed is small,
Child of weakness, watch and pray; Find in Me thine all in all"

Chorus

Jesus paid it all; All to Him I owe.
Sin had left a crimson stain; He washed it white as snow.

Verse 2

Lord, now indeed I find Thy pow'r, and Thine alone
Can change the leper's spots and melt the heart of stone.

{Chorus}

Verse 3

For nothing good have I whereby Thy grace to claim;
I'll wash my garments white in the blood of Calv'ry's Lamb.

{Chorus}

Verse 4

And when, before the throne, I stand in Him complete,
"Jesus died my soul to save," My lips shall still repeat.

{Chorus}

THIS WEEK

Mon. 9:00am – Youth Internship

Mon. 7:00pm Sing! Book Study

Wed. 6:45pm Leadership Council

Sun. 10am Worship Service

Speaker: Phil Kernaghan

LOOKING AHEAD

Don't forget about the Church Picnic following today's service at Fraser's Grove Park!

Sing! Book Study – Pastor Ken Stoesz and Marni Enns will lead a study of the book “Sing!” for worship leaders and anyone else who is interested. The study will run August 20 and 27 at 7:00pm. Please sign up at the info desk if you are interested.

Thursday, August 23, 7:00pm – Youth Volunteer kickoff meeting at Cody & Jessica Forsman's house.

Monday, August 27 and Tuesday 28 – Victoria Kornelsen will be leading a children's ministry kickoff orientation. More details to follow.

Wednesday, September 12, 10:00am – Moms group begins and will continue to meet every Wednesday until Christmas.

Saturday, September 15, 9:00am – EMBC will hold a congregational meeting focused on the history of our church, led by Paul Kornelsen.

Baby Den and Kids Loft - Registration forms are now available for children ages 0 - grade 6 for our 2018-2019 Children's Ministry Program. A form can be found in mailboxes or at the info desk. Families, could you please complete one form for each child and return it to Victoria Kornelsen as soon as possible.

Youth – If you are in grade 7-12 and would like to participate in our weekly youth program this year, please pick up a registration form from the info desk, fill it out and return it to Cody Forsman as soon as you are able. If you have friends who do not attend our church but would like to come to youth, please take a form for them as well.

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