

**Preparatory**
**On Jordan's Stormy Banks**

On Jordan's stormy banks I stand, and cast a wishful eye  
 to Canaan's fair and happy land, where my possessions lie.  
 All o'er those wide extended plains, shines one eternal day;  
 there God, the Son forever reigns, and scatters night away.

**(Chorus with "echos")**

**I am bound, I am bound, I am bound for the Promised Land.  
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No chilling winds or poisonous breath, can reach that healthful shore,  
 sickness, sorrow, pain and death, are felt and feared no more.

**(Chorus with "echos")**

When shall I reach that happy place, and be forever blessed?  
 When shall I see my Father's face, and in His bosom rest?

**(Chorus with "echos") (repeat chorus)**

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**Sermon**
**Pastor Nathan Allen**
**Post-lude after sermon for quiet meditation**
**Post-sermon song**

**Events**

TODAY College & Career Lunch  
 1 PM

Annual Budget Meeting 7 PM

4/18 High School & College

Girls Afternoon Tea 2 PM

4/19 VisionYouth Meeting 7 PM

4/20 Senior Game Night 6 PM

4/26 Members Meeting 7 PM

**Give**

**Upcoming  
 Events**

**Pastors**

Nathan Allen Stephen Byrd

Stu Johnston Jones Ndzi

Kent Thompson

**Service Times**

— Sunday School 9:30 am

— Sunday Morning Worship 11:00 am

— Sunday Evening Worship 5:30 pm

— Wednesday Prayer Meeting 7:15 pm

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# Acts 4:29

And now, Lord,  
 grant to your  
 servants to continue  
 to speak your word  
 with all boldness.

# Morning Worship

## Call to Worship

## Opening Hymn

## Scripture Reading

## Pastoral Prayer

## Offering/Preparatory

Here is love, wide as the ocean, loving kindness as a flood,  
When the Prince of Life, our Ransom shed for us, His precious blood.  
Who His love will not remember? Who can cease to sing His praise?  
He can never be forgotten, throughout Heav'n's eternal days.

**(Chorus) Oh, how marvelous, Oh, how glorious,  
is my Savior's love for me!**

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On the mount of crucifixion, fountains opened deep and wide;  
Through the floodgates of God's mercy, flowed a vast and gracious tide.  
Grace and love, like mighty rivers, poured incessant from above,  
And Heav'n's peace and perfect justice kissed a guilty world in love. **(Chorus)**

Of Your fullness You are pouring Your great love on me anew,  
Without measure, full and boundless, drawing out my heart to You.  
You alone will be my glory, nothing in the world I see,  
You have cleansed and sanctified me, You Yourself have set me free. **(Chorus)**

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## Sermon

## Post-lude after sermon for quiet meditation

## Communion

## Pastor Kent Thompson

## #223 Arise, My Soul, Arise

## Isaiah 11:1-10, page 575

## Pastor Kent Thompson

## Here is Love

**Pastor Jones Ndzi**

**Pastor Kent Thompson**

**Behold the Lamb Who Bears Our Sins  
Away**

1. Behold the Lamb who bears our sins away, slain for us - and we remember  
the promise made that all who come in faith find forgiveness at the cross.  
So we share in this bread of life, and we drink of His sacrifice as a sign  
of our bonds of peace around the table of the King.

2. The body of our Savior Jesus Christ, torn for you – eat and remember  
the wounds that heal, the death that brings us life paid the price to make us one.  
So we share in this bread of life, and we drink of His sacrifice  
as a sign of our bonds of love around the table of the King.

3. The blood that cleanses every stain of sin, shed for you – drink and remember  
He drained death's cup that we may enter in to receive the life of God.  
So we share in this bread of life, and we drink of His sacrifice as a sign  
of our bonds of grace around the table of the King.

4. And so with thankfulness and faith we rise to respond – and to remember  
our call to follow in the steps of Christ as His body here on earth.  
As we share in His suffering, we proclaim Christ will come again!  
And we'll join in the feast of heav'n around the table of the King.

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**#310 Here O My Lord, I See Thee Face to  
Face**

## His Robes for Mine

His robes for mine: O wonderful exchange!  
Clothed in my sin, Christ suffered 'neath God's rage  
Draped in His righteousness, I'm justified  
In Christ I live, for in my place He died

His robes for mine: what cause have I for dread?  
God's daunting law, Christ mastered in my stead  
Faultless I stand, with righteous works not mine  
Saved by my Lord's, vicarious death and life

**(Chorus) I cling to Christ, and marvel at the cost  
Jesus forsaken, and estranged from God  
Bought by such love, my life is not my own  
My praise – my all – shall be for Christ alone**

His robes for mine: God's justice is appeased  
Jesus is crushed, and thus the Father's pleased  
Christ drank God's wrath, on sin, then cried, "'Tis done!"  
Sin's wage is paid; propitiation won  
**(Chorus) (key change)**

His robes for mine: such anguish none can know  
Christ, God's beloved, condemned as though His foe  
He, as though I, accursed and left alone  
I, as though He, embraced and welcomed home!

**(Chorus) I cling to Christ, and marvel at the cost  
Jesus forsaken, and estranged from God  
Bought by such love, my life is not my own  
My praise – my all –  
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# Evening Worship

## Call to Worship

## Opening Hymn

## Scripture Reading

## Pastoral Prayer

## Offering

## Dana Goodnight

## #89 Come Thou Almighty King

## Isaiah 61, page 620

## Pastor Nathan Allen

## #699 Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus