

ALL OF LIFE FOR CHRIST

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13th September 2020

Morning Worship Online and in Church

Rev Rob Powell will be leading and preaching on: All of Life is Here: Confidence (Psalm 46)

WELCOME & INTRODUCTION

HE'S COMING ON THE CLOUDS

 Kings and kingdoms will bow down And every chain will break
As broken hearts declare His praise
For who can stop the Lord Almighty.

Our God is the Lion, The Lion of Judah He's roaring in power And fighting our battles And every knee will bow before Him Our God is the Lamb The Lamb that was slain For the sin of the world His blood breaks the chains And every knee will bow before The Lion and the Lamb. Every knee will bow before Him.

So, open up the gates, Make way before the King of kings The God who comes to save Is here to set the captives free For who can stop the Lord Almighty.

Bridge:

Who can stop the Lord Almighty? Who can stop the Lord Almighty? Who can stop the Lord Almighty? Who can stop the Lord!

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I LOVE YOU LORD

Oh Your mercy never fails me
All my days
I've been held in Your hands

From the moment that I wake up Until I lay my head I will sing of the goodness of God

> All my life You have been faithful All my life You have been so so good With every breath that I am able I will sing of the goodness of God

I love Your voice You have led me through the fire In darkest night You are close like no other I've known You as a father I've known You as a friend I have lived in the goodness of God

Your goodness is running after It's running after me Your goodness is running after It's running after me With my life laid down I'm surrendered now I give You everything Your goodness is running after It's running after me ©2018 Alletrop Music



OPENING PRAYER

We have come together in the name of Christ,

to offer our praise and thanksgiving, to hear and receive God's holy word, to pray for the needs of the world, and to seek the forgiveness of our sins, that by the power of the Holy Spirit we may give ourselves to the service of God.

CONFESSION

Almighty God, long-suffering and of great goodness:

I confess to you,

I confess with my whole heart my neglect and forgetfulness of your commandments,

my wrong doing, thinking, and speaking;

the hurts I have done to others, and the good I have left undone. O God, forgive me, for I have sinned against you;

and raise me to newness of life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

ABSOLUTION

Almighty God, who in Jesus Christ has given us a kingdom that cannot be destroyed, forgive us our sins, open our eyes to God's truth, strengthen us to do God's will and give us the joy of his kingdom through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

ACTION SONG

So much noise inside my head And when I'm scared And when I'm feeling all alone All I gotta do is speak Your name

Say it by day, say it by night Say it till the end of time All I gotta do is speak Your name

When I wake up in the morning You're my friend throughout the day And when I close my eyes To sleep the night away All I gotta do is speak Your name

Jesus Your name covers my heart Covers my mind all of the time Jesus Your name covers my heart Covers my mind all of the time All I gotta do is speak Your name All I gotta do is speak Your name

TIME IN THE WORD



The Bible Reading is **Psalm 46**

SERMON by Rev Rob Powell

WHAT IS OUR HOPE IN LIFE AND DEATH

Christ alone, Christ alone
What is our only confidence
That our souls to Him belong
What holds our days within His hand
What comes apart from His command
And what will keep us to the end
The love of Christ in which we stand

O sing hallelujah Our hope springs eternal O sing hallelujah Now and ever we confess Christ our hope in life and death

What truth can calm the troubled soul God is good, God is good Where is His grace and goodness known In our great Redeemer's blood Who holds our faith when fears arise Who stands above the stormy trial Who sends the waves that bring us nigh Unto the shore the rock of Christ

Unto the grave what shall we sing Christ He lives, Christ He lives And what reward will heaven bring Everlasting life with Him There we will rise to meet the Lord Then sin and death will be destroyed

And we will feast in endless joy When Christ is ours forevermore © Getty Music Hymns and Songs



PRAYERS & LORD'S PRAYER

As our Saviour taught us,

so we pray: 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 for ever. Amen.

NOTICES

GUIDE ME O THOU GREAT REDEEMER Pilgrim through this barren land I am weak but Thou art mighty Hold me with Thy powerful hand Bread of heaven Bread of heaven Feed me now and ever more Feed me now and ever more

Open now the crystal fountain Whence the healing stream doth flow Let the fiery cloudy pillar Lead me all my journey through Strong Deliverer strong Deliverer Be Thou still my strength and shield Be Thou still my strength and shield

When I tread the verge of Jordan Bid my anxious fears subside Death of death and hell's destruction Land me safe on Canaan's side Songs of praises songs of praises I will ever give to Thee I will ever give to Thee ©John Hughes, Peter Williams, and William Williams

THE BLESSING

THE DISMISSAL

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord. In the name of Christ. Amen.

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