

11th April 2021

Morning Worship Online & in Church

Rev Rob Powell will be leading and preaching on:
Evidence that Demands a Verdict: The Empty Tomb (Matt 28:11-15)

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 CAST MY MIND TO CALVARY

Where Jesus bled and died for me.
I see His wounds, His hands, His feet.
My Saviour on that cursed tree.

His body bound and drenched in tears,
They laid Him down in Joseph's tomb.
The entrance sealed by heavy stone,
Messiah still and all alone.

*O praise the name of the Lord our God,
O praise His name forever more,
For endless days we will sing Your praise,
Oh Lord, oh Lord our God.*

Then on the third at break of dawn,
The Son of heaven rose again.
O trampled death where is your sting?
The angels roar for Christ the King.

He shall return in robes of white,
The blazing Son shall pierce the night.
And I will rise among the saints,
My gaze transfixed on Jesus' face.

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OPENING PRAYER

**Blessed are You, Lord God of our
salvation,**

**to You be praise and glory for ever.
As once You ransomed Your people from
Egypt and led them to freedom in the
promised land,
so now You have delivered us from the
dominion of darkness and brought us into
the kingdom of Your Risen Son.
May we, the first fruits of Your new
creation, rejoice in this new day You
have made, and praise You for your
mighty acts.**

**Blessed be God, Father, Son, and Holy
Spirit. Blessed be God for ever.**

CONFESSION

Jesus Christ, risen Master and triumphant Lord, we come to you in sorrow for our sins, and confess to you our weakness and unbelief.

When we have lived by our own strength, and not by the power of your resurrection. In your mercy, forgive us.

Lord, hear us and help us.

When we have lived by the light of our own eyes, as faithless and not believing. In your mercy, forgive us.

Lord, hear us and help us.

When we have lived for this world alone, and doubted our home in heaven. In your mercy, forgive us.

Lord, hear us and help us.

ABSOLUTION

May the God of love and power forgive you and free you from your sins, heal and strengthen you by his Spirit, and raise you to new life in Christ our Lord.

Amen.

ACTION SONG



FROM MY HEAD TO MY SHOULDERS

My knees to my toes
I'll praise the Lord everyday
With my eyes and my ears
My hands and my feet
I'll praise the Lord everyday

*When my mouth talks
I will praise the Lord
When my feet walk
I will praise the Lord
With a smile on my face
I will praise the Lord
God made all of me
To praise the Lord*

Hallelu, hallelu, hallelu, hallelujah

Praise the Lord

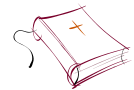
(Repeat)

Praise the Lord, hallelujah

Praise the Lord, Hallelujah,

Praise the Lord, hallelujah, Praise the Lord

TIME IN THE WORD



The Bible Reading is Matthew 28:11-15

This is the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

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

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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



O LORD MY GOD!

When I in awesome wonder
Consider all the works
Thy hand hath made,
I see the stars,
I hear the mighty thunder,
Thy power throughout
The universe displayed.

*Then sings my soul,
My Saviour God, to Thee,
How great Thou art!
How great Thou art!
(Repeat)*

When through the woods
And forest glades I wander
And hear the birds
Sing sweetly in the trees;
When I look down
From lofty mountain grandeur,
And hear the brook
And feel the gentle breeze.

And when I think
That God His Son not sparing,
Sent Him to die
I scarce can take it in.
That on the cross
My burden gladly bearing,
He bled and died
To take away my sin.

When Christ shall come
With shout of acclamation
And take me home
What joy shall fill my heart!
Then shall I bow
In humble adoration
And there proclaim
My God, How great Thou art!

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THE BLESSING

THE DISMISSAL

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

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