

**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

Rejoice, rejoice  
Let every tongue rejoice  
One heart one voice  
Oh, 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

Come, young and old from every 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 every age  
Our God is all in all

**CALL TO WORSHIP**

Our souls wait in silence; **our hope rests in God** our  
rock **our salvation** our refuge. **We will not be shaken.**  
In this time of worship, we **pour out our hearts**  
**because we trust in God's steadfast love.**  
—adapted from Psalm 62—

**FATHER LONG BEFORE CREATION**

Father, long before creation  
Thou hadst chosen us in love,  
And that love so deep, so moving,  
Draws us close to Christ above.  
Still it keeps us, still it keeps us.  
Firmly fixed in Christ alone.

Though the world may change its fashion,  
Yet our God is e'er the same;  
His compassion and His covenant  
Through all ages will remain.  
God's own children, God's own children  
Must forever praise His name.

**FATHER LONG BEFORE CREATION cont.**

God's compassion is my story,  
Is my boasting all the day;  
Mercy free and never failing  
Moves my will, directs my way.  
God so loved us, God so loved us  
That His only Son He gave.

Loving Father now before Thee  
We will ever praise Thy love,  
And our songs will sound unceasing  
'Til we reach our home above,  
Giving glory, giving glory  
To our God and to the Lamb;  
Giving glory, giving glory  
To our God and to the Lamb.

**JESUS WHAT A FRIEND FOR SINNERS**

Jesus what a friend for sinners!  
Jesus! Lover of my soul  
Friends may fail me, foes assail me  
He, my Savior, makes me whole  
Hallelujah! What a Savior!  
Hallelujah! what a Friend!  
Saving, helping, keeping, loving  
He is with me to the end

Jesus! what a Strength in weakness!  
Let me hide myself in Him.  
Tempted, tried and often failing  
He, my Strength, my vic'try wins  
REPEAT CHORUS

Jesus! What a help in sorrow!  
While the billows o'er me roll,  
Even when my heart is breaking.  
He, my comfort, helps my soul.  
REPEAT CHORUS

Jesus! I do now receive Him,  
More than all in Him I find  
He hath granted me forgiveness,  
I am His, and He is mine  
REPEAT CHORUS

**Heidelberg Catechism Lord's Day 44**

Q113. What is the aim of the tenth commandment?

**A. That not even the slightest desire or thought contrary to any one of God's commandments should ever arise in our hearts. Rather, with all our hearts we should always hate sin and take pleasure in whatever is right.**

Q114. But can those converted to God obey these commandments perfectly?

**A. No. In this life even the holiest have only a small beginning of this obedience. Nevertheless, with all seriousness of purpose, they do begin to live according to all, not only some, of God's commandments.**

Q115. Since no one in this life can obey the Ten Commandments perfectly, why does God want them preached so pointedly?

**A. First, so that the longer we live the more we may come to know our sinfulness and the more eagerly look to Christ for forgiveness of sins and righteousness. Second, so that we may never stop striving, and never stop praying to God for the grace of the Holy Spirit, to be renewed more and more after God's image, until after this life we reach our goal: perfection.**

#### CONFESSION OF SIN

Lord, we have sinned, without considering how much you love us. You see our sins more clearly than we can ourselves. Lord, you know when we are indifferent to your Word, the Bible; how often we forget to pray; the times we come unwillingly to worship; and yet we turn to you when we are in trouble. Lord, you know when we are untruthful and when we think evil of others. You see our anger and unfairness to our friends. You know how hard it is for us to forgive. Forgive us and make us clean, so that we can obey your call to take up your cross and follow you. Through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

#### ASSURANCE OF PARDON

This saying is sure and worthy of full acceptance, that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners. He himself bore our sins in his body on the cross, that we might be dead to sin, and alive to all that is good. I declare to you in the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven.

—based on 1 Timothy 1:15; 1 Peter 2:24—

#### HOW DEEP THE FATHER'S LOVE FOR US

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 sons to glory.

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.

#### HOW DEEP THE FATHER'S LOVE FOR US

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.

#### SERMON

#### DOXOLOGY

Praise God from whom all blessings flow;  
Praise him, all creatures here below;  
Praise him above, ye heav'nly host:  
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

#### COMMUNION

#### 10,000 REASONS (BLESS THE LORD)

The sun comes up, it's a new day dawning  
It's time to sing Your song again  
Whatever may pass, and whatever lies before me  
Let me be singing when the evening comes

Bless the Lord, O my soul, O my soul  
Worship His holy name  
Sing like never before, O my soul  
I'll worship Your holy name

You're rich in love, and You're slow to anger  
Your name is great, and Your heart is kind  
For all Your goodness I will keep on singing  
Ten thousand reasons for my heart to find  
REPEAT CHORUS

And on that day when my strength is failing  
The end draws near and my time has come  
Still my soul will sing Your praise unending  
Ten thousand years and then forevermore  
REPEAT CHORUS 2X

Jesus, I'll worship Your holy name  
Lord, I'll worship Your holy name