



Crossway
Multinational
Church

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The Lord Almighty is with us;
the God of Jacob is our fortress.
Psalm 46:11

Jacob = another name for Israel

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Our greeting time will begin shortly,
thank you for coming early!

June 7, 2020

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Welcome to
Crossway Multinational Church!

We strive to be a **church** that is
for, of and by
the **peoples** of many **nations**

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

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	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
JUNE	7			10	11	12	13
	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
	21	22	23	24	25	26	27
	28			1	2	3	4
JULY	5	6	7	8	9	10	11

Lord's Supper (June 7)

Prayer gathering (June 28)

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GREETINGS

Take a moment to turn on video and “look around”

- Feel free to use the chat function to greet others too

Waving poll: **Give a big wave if ...**

- You plan to get your hair cut on June 15!
- You plan to go to a restaurant this week
- You have family or friends in another country who are concerned about you being in the US
- You are distressed during these days

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Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing

English



Come, Thou Fount of every blessing,

全能真神，萬福源頭，

Quánnéng zhēnshén, wànfú yuántóu,

tune my heart to sing Thy grace;

懇求使我常歌頌；

kěnniú shǐ wǒ cháng gēsòng

Fount = source of good

tune = adjust

grace = love and forgiveness

6

streams of mercy, never ceasing,

恩澤無窮，不息湧流，

Ēnzé wúqióng, bù xī yǒngliú,

call for songs of loudest praise.

應當頌讚主恩寵；

yīngdāng sòng zàn zhǔ ēnchǒng

streams = continuous flow

call for = make necessary

7

Teach me some melodious sonnet,

願主教我，優美音樂，

yuànzhuǐjiào wǒ, yōuměi yīnyuè,

sung by flaming tongues above;

天使天軍常誦唱；

tiānshǐ tiān jūn cháng sòng chàng;

melodious sonnet = beautiful song

flaming tongues = the voices of angels

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Praise the mount! I'm fixed upon it,
 讚美我主，救恩穩妥，
 zànměi wǒ zhǔ, jiù ēn wěntuǒ,
mount of Thy redeeming love.
 永遠堅定愛深長。
 yǒngyuǎn jiāndìng ài shēncháng

mount = Mount Zion, a sign of God's love
 fixed = staying forever

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This my glad commemoration
 我要立石，以便以謝，
 Wǒ yào lìshí, yǐbiàn yǐ xiè,
that 'til now I've safely come;
 蒙主幫助到如今；
 méng zhǔ bāngzhù dào rújīn;

commemoration = remembrance
 'til = until

10

And I hope, by Thy good pleasure
 尚望恩主，一生導引，
 shàng wàng ēn zhǔ, yīshēng dǎo yǐn,
safely to arrive at home.
 安抵天家蒙福蔭；
 ān dǐ tiān jiā méng fú yīn;

at home = be with God

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Jesus sought me when a stranger,
 我本失喪，遠離父家，
 wǒ běn shī sàng, yuǎnlí fù jiā,
wandering from the fold of God;
 耶穌親自來引路；
 yēsū qīnzì lái yǐnlù;

sought = searched for
 fold of God = within God's protection

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He, to rescue me from danger,
 恩主救我，免於危險，
 ēn zhǔ jiù wǒ, miǎn yú wéixiǎn,
interposed His precious blood.
 流出寶血洗罪污。
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Oh, to grace how great a debtor
 浩大恩典，每日加添，
Hàodà ēndiǎn, měi rì jiā tiān,
 daily I'm constrained to be!
 主恩難報永虧欠；
zhǔ ēn nán bào yǒng kuīqiàn;

grace = God's great love and forgiveness
debtor = one who owes
constrained = forced (because I daily do wrong)

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Let Thy goodness, like a fetter,
 願主恩惠，如鏈相牽，
yuàn zhǔ ēnhuì, rú liàn xiāng qiān,
bind my wandering heart to Thee:
 繫我心與主相連；
xì wǒ xīn yǔ zhǔ xiānglián;

fetter = chain, restraint
bind = fasten

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Prone to wander, Lord, I feel it,
 主我深知，內心軟弱，
zhǔ wǒ shēn zhī, nèixīn ruǎnrào,
prone to leave the God I love:
 總是偏行走己路；
zǒng shì piān xíngzǒu jǐ lù;

Prone = likely to

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Here's my heart, oh, take and seal it,
 獻我身心，求加烙印，
xiàn wǒ shēnxīn, qiú jiā làoyìn,
seal it for Thy courts above.
 與主同在蒙祝福。
yǔ zhǔ tóng zài méng zhùfú.

**seal it = fasten it securely
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Psalm 103:6-14

The Lord works righteousness
 and justice for all the oppressed.

He made known his ways to Moses,
 his deeds to the people of Israel:
 The Lord is compassionate and gracious,
 slow to anger, abounding in love.

**righteousness = what is just and right
 Moses = the prophet who revealed God's Law**

23

He will not always accuse,
 nor will he harbor his anger forever;
 he does not treat us as our sins deserve
 or repay us according to our iniquities.

**accuse = point out our sins and shortcomings
 harbor = keep in mind, keep active
 sins, iniquities = immoral and disloyal actions, attitudes, and words**

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For as high as the heavens are above the earth,
 so great is his love for those who fear him;
 as far as the east is from the west,
 so far has he removed our transgressions from us.

transgressions = immoral and disloyal actions, attitudes, and words

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As a father has compassion on his children,
 so the Lord has compassion on those who fear him;
 for he knows how we are formed,
 he remembers that we are dust.

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Grace Awaiting Me

I will see the world to come
 for One has suffered in my place.
 Now there is grace awaiting me, awaiting me.
 Judgment's done, atonement's made,
 the ransom's paid, no guilt remains.
 Now there is grace awaiting me, awaiting me!

**see = live in
 world to come = heaven
 grace = forgiveness and love
 atonement = payment for sin**

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Grace - a welcome from the Father.
 Grace - forgiveness full and free.
 Grace - that's greater than our failings.
 Oh there is grace awaiting me!

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I take comfort in the hope
 of the thief upon the cross,
 for I am worthy of as little love as he.
 Like this man, I won't despair
 for life's ahead -- what joy we'll share.
 Now there is grace awaiting me, awaiting me!

thief = guilty man who first trusted Jesus while he was dying
 despair = give up all hope

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Jesus you have loved and bought me.
 By your death my debts are paid.
 I am yours, I stand beside you,
 fearless, face the coming day.

bought = gave His live to rescue me
 debts = what I owe God for my sins

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I will see the world to come
 despite the sin that I have done.
 For there is grace awaiting me, awaiting me.
 All who call upon the Lord
 will rise to life with peace assured
 for there is grace awaiting me, awaiting me.

see = live in
 world to come = heaven
 sin = immoral and unloving words and actions
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There's a Wideness

There's a wideness in God's mercy
 that is wider than the greatest sea;
 and so I know it covers even me.
 There's a depth to His compassion
 that is deeper than I'll understand;
 and so my life is safe within His hands.

wideness = available to all peoples
depth = reaches the worst trouble

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His love is deep enough for me,
 to cause these blinded eyes to see,
 to set this lowly captive free from sin.
 His grace is flowing from above,
 reflected in the Savior's love—
 O precious Father help me take it in.

captive = prisoner
grace = kind forgiveness and healing
take it in = realize and accept His love

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Gracias

Spanish

→ Me has tomado en tus brazos
Lord, you took me into your arms
Y me has dado salvación.
And you've given me salvation
De tu amor has derramado en mi corazón.
In my heart you have poured down Your Love

salvation = rescue from guilt and shame

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→ No sabré agradecerte
Lord, I don't know how to thank You
Lo que has hecho por mi.
Everything you've done for me
Solo puedo darte ahora mi canción.
All I can do now is offer my own song

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→ Gracias, gracias Señor
Thank you, thank you my Lord
 Gracias, mi Señor Jesús
Thank you from the bottom of my heart
 Gracias, gracias Señor
Lord, I thank you, thank you dear Lord
 Gracias, mi Señor Jesús.
Thank you from the bottom of my heart

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En la cruz diste tu vida
 → At the cross you gave your life for me
Entregaste todo allí.
 and you gave it all away.
Vida eterna regalaste al morir.
 When you died You gave eternal life to us all.

English

cross = where Jesus died

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Por tu sangre tengo entrada
 → By Your blood I am set free
Ante el trono celestial.
 to Your heavenly throne.
Puedo entrar con confianza ante Ti.
 I can boldly come before You and adore.

blood = Jesus' death on the cross
 throne = God's presence

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PRAYER OF INTERCESSION

Marco de Leon

Mary Bonnell

“I keep asking that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the glorious Father, may give you the Spirit of wisdom and revelation, so that you may know him better. I pray that the eyes of your heart may be enlightened in order that you may know the hope to which he has called you, the riches of his glorious inheritance in his holy people, and his incomparably great power for us who believe.”

Ephesians 1:17-19

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“In the same way, the Spirit helps us in our weakness. We do not know what we ought to pray for, but the Spirit himself intercedes for us through wordless groans. And he who searches our hearts knows the mind of the Spirit, because the Spirit intercedes for God’s people in accordance with the will of God.”

Romans 8:26-27

“Come to me, all you who are weary and burdened, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you and learn from me, for I am gentle and humble in heart, and you will find rest for your souls. For my yoke is easy and my burden is light.”

Matthew 11:28-30

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Diagnosis & Treatment

Diagnose

- What is the nature of an illness or problem?

Treatment

- What should we do about it?

I go to the doctor and say...

- “Whenever I exercise, I experience shortness of breath”

A student in office hours says...

- “I failed the midterm. What should I do now?”

We go to God in prayer and say...

- “What is to be done about humanity?”

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But God...
Ephesians 2:1-10

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The Lord's Supper Sundays

Celebration of Jesus' death that brought us life

First Sunday of each month

Cycle through key elements of the Gospel

Holiness: Holy, creator God over all

Sin: immorality and disloyalty to God by all people

Grace: God's gift of forgiveness through Jesus' death

Faith: Our genuine trust in Him to receive this free gift

Mission: Our submission to our **Lord** Jesus Christ

Heaven: The hope of the perfect Kingdom restored

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Setting of Ephesians 2

Letter from the Apostle Paul

To the church in Ephesus where he had spent about 3 years teaching in the midst of conflict

Paul presents **God's diagnosis and treatment** for humanity's condition

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Ephesians 2:1-10

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1-3: **Diagnosis:** humanity is "dead"

- 4-9: • Deserving of "wrath": God's action to move
10: what is impure and ungodly away from His holiness
- Without God's overflowing goodness
 - Every person in every time and every context
 - **Contrast: infection with coronavirus**
 - **Inherited** from our parents: "by nature"
 - By **personal choices**: "cravings, desires, thoughts"
 - In a **broken system**: "the ways of this world"
 - Led by an **active enemy**: "spirit who is now at work in those who are disobedient"
 - There is no place for pride or naïve hope

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Ephesians 2:1-10

1-3: **Diagnosis:** humanity is "dead"

4-9: **Treatment:** God, in His mercy, gives us life through faith

- 10: • **Solution:** we need outside intervention
- God's great love and rich mercy
 - Religion: find good people & make more people good
 - Grace:
 - Withholding deserved punishment
 - Giving the undeserved generous gift of profound love
 - **We were dead. God "made us alive with Christ"!**
 - Received through **faith** alone, **not** by our goodness
 - By the death of Jesus Christ, the Son of God

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Ephesians 2:1-10

1-3: Diagnosis: humanity is “dead”

4-9: Treatment: God, in His mercy, gives us life through faith

10: Purpose: to do God’s good works

- We are God’s good work (“handiwork”)
- We are created to do God’s good works
 - Live out God’s character and purposes
 - We are saved by Jesus’ good work, so that we would join Him in doing His good works
 - “Take up your cross daily and follow me” *Luke 9:23*
- In the church
- In the world

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- The purpose of God: diverse unity of all peoples
 - “His purpose was to create in himself one new humanity out of the two, thus making peace.” 2:15
 - God’s plan: “through the gospel the Gentiles are heirs together with Israel, members of one body” 3:6
 - “Make every effort to keep the unity of the Spirit through the body of peace. There is one body and one Spirit” 4:3-4

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The Big Idea

**Every single person
is by nature broken and cut off from God
and can be made alive forever with Christ
by the grace and love of God
through faith alone
to do His good works wholeheartedly**

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The world’s goodness:
A façade over a broken nature
Human solutions have good parts,
but are never enough
Human solutions always
reintroduce brokenness
By birth
By personal action
In a broken system
Pursued and promoted
by the active enemy of God

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God's work to rescue us

- He brings new life as His gift of grace
- He causes that new life to grow into abundant good works
- In the church
- In the world

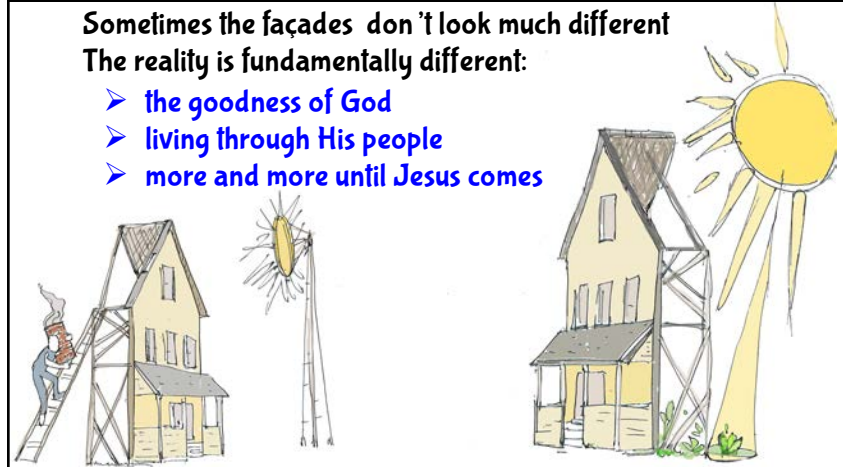


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Sometimes the façades don't look much different

The reality is fundamentally different:

- the goodness of God
- living through His people
- more and more until Jesus comes



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Application

Repent of our pride and self-righteousness

- Every single person is fatally broken by sin
...in a broken world, guided by the enemy of God
- My biggest problem is **my** sin and brokenness
- Every good action must begin with the recognition that I am part of the problem
 - Jesus: "First, remove the log from your own eye..."
 - I will answer to God first for my sin and brokenness
 - Then for those hurt by my sin and brokenness

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Application

Repent of our pride and self-righteousness

Rejoice in God's great mercy and rich love

- When we were utterly lost, God rescued us
 - “My sins, they are many. His mercy is more!”
- Every human failure for a Christian is bounded by...
- Every hopeless situation is bounded by...
- Every action of injustice is bounded by...
- Every attack of the enemy is bounded by...

**“But God, who is rich in mercy, because of His great love,
made us alive with Christ”**

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Application

Repent of our pride and self-righteousness

Rejoice in God's great mercy and rich love

Tirelessly and wholeheartedly do His good works

- A tragic weakness of much of Christianity: skips this
- Good works flow **from** the mercy of God
 - We are saved **apart from** good works
 - We are saved **for** good works
- Boldly, humbly, courageously, patiently, joyfully, ...
 - Care for the vulnerable and oppressed (“pure religion”)
 - Pursue diverse unity in Christ

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God's diagnosis of humanity

- Broken people in a broken system with an active enemy
- Progress is always limited and uncertain

God's treatment for humanity

- God's great work:
 - “But God, who is rich in mercy, because of his great love for us, made us alive with Christ”
- So that we would wholeheartedly do God's good works
- **God, who began this good work, will carry it on to completion in the day of Christ Jesus!**

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PRAYER OF CONFESSION

“Like the rest, we were by nature deserving of wrath.”
 Jesus said, “Do not judge, or you too will be judged.
 For in the same way you judge others, you will be judged,
 and with the measure you use, it will be
 measured to you.”

Matthew 7:1-2

My biggest problem is my brokenness. Yet I am quick to blame.

“I am not rejoicing because...” “I don’t have peace because...”

“I am not generous because...” “I did wrong because...”

“I am not patient because...” “I am bitter because...”

“I lost by self-control because...” “I cannot forgive because...”

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WORDS OF ASSURANCE

Who will bring any charge against those whom God has chosen? It is God who justifies.

Who then is the one who condemns? No one.

Christ Jesus who died—more than that, who was raised to life—is at the right hand of God and is also interceding for us.

Romans 8:33-34

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You are the perfect and Righteous God

You are the perfect and righteous God
 whose presence bears no sin;
 You bid me come to your holy place;
 how can I enter in
 when your presence bears no sin?

bears no sin = cannot tolerate any wrong
 bid me come = invite me
 holy place = in His presence

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Through him
 who poured out his life for me,
 the atoning Lamb of God,
 through him, and His work alone,
 I boldly come!

poured out his life = willingly died
 atoning Lamb of God = Jesus Christ
 boldly = with confidence

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I come by the blood, I come by the cross,
 where your mercy flows
 from hands pierced for me.
 For I dare not stand on my righteousness,
 my every hope rests
 on what Christ has done,
 and I come by the blood.

come by the blood = by Jesus' sacrifice
hands pierced for me = Jesus' wounds
stand on = depend upon
rests = depends upon
by the blood = by Jesus' sacrifice

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You are the high and exalted King,
 the One the angels fear;
 so far above me in every way,
 Lord, how can I draw near
 to the One the angels fear?

fear = bow down and worship

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Through him who laid down his life for me
 and ascended to your side,
 through him, through Jesus alone,
 I boldly come.

laid down his life = willingly died
ascended = came to live, and was honored

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The Lord's Supper

A celebration for Christians

It is a regular reminder of...

- Our need to be rescued because of sin
- The mercy and love of God that fully rescues us

First the bread

– reminder of the death of Jesus for us

Then the “cup” (the juice)

– reminder of the New Covenant/Promise of God

We celebrate the reality that our salvation is
 by God's grace, through our faith, for good works

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“For I received from the Lord what I also passed on to you:
 The Lord Jesus, on the night he was betrayed, took bread,
 and when he had given thanks, he broke it and said, “This
 is my body, which is for you; do this in remembrance of
 me.”

In the same way, after supper he took the cup, saying,
 “This cup is the new covenant in my blood; do this,
 whenever you drink it, in remembrance of me.” For
 whenever you eat this bread and drink this cup, you
 proclaim the Lord's death until he comes. *1 Corinthians 11:23-26*

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Living Hope

How great the chasm that lay between us
 How high the mountain I could not climb
 In desperation I turned to heaven
 And spoke Your name into the night

chasm = giant separation
 desperation = having lost almost all hope

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Then through the darkness Your loving kindness
 Tore through the shadows of my soul
 The work is finished, the end is written
 Jesus Christ, my living hope

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Who could imagine so great a mercy?
 What heart could fathom such boundless grace?
 The God of ages stepped down from glory
 To wear my sin and bear my shame

fathom = fully understand
 grace = forgiveness and love
 wear = take as His own
 bear = take responsibility for

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The cross has spoken, I am forgiven
 The King of kings calls me His own
 Beautiful Savior, I'm Yours forever
 Jesus Christ, my living hope

spoken = declared my forgiveness

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Hallelujah, praise the One who set me free!
Hallelujah, death has lost its grip on me!
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 claim on = control over

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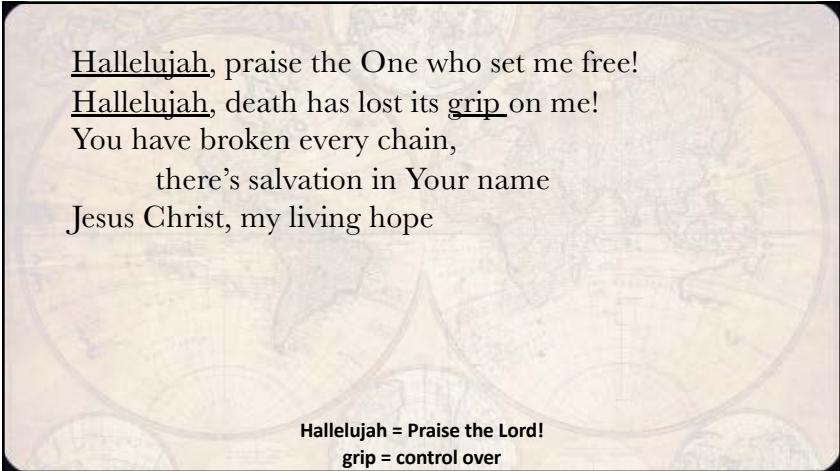
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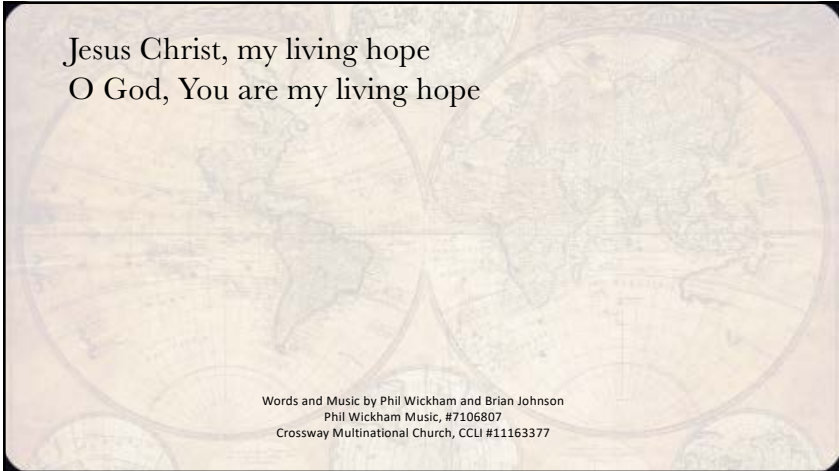
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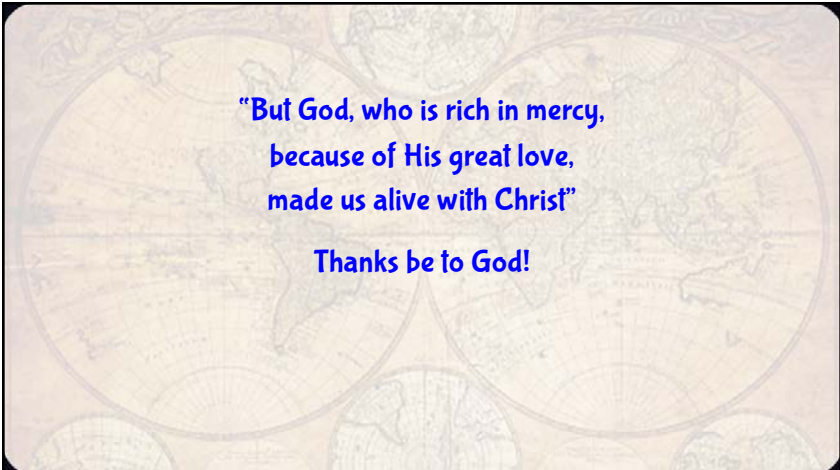
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 O God, You are my living hope

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**"But God, who is rich in mercy,
 because of His great love,
 made us alive with Christ"**

Thanks be to God!

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