

Here I raise mine Ebenezer; hither by thy help I'm come;
And I hope, by thy good pleasure, safely to arrive at home.
Jesus sought me when a stranger, wandering from the fold of God;
He, to rescue me from danger, interposed his precious blood.

Verse 3

O to grace how great a debtor daily I'm constrained to be!
Let thy goodness, like a fetter, bind my wandering heart to thee.
Prone to wander, Lord, I feel it, prone to leave the God I love;
Here's my heart, O take and seal it, seal it for thy courts above.

Opening Prayer

(unison)

Holy God, Fount of Every Blessing, we come to You today, opening the parched places of our lives to receive the springs of living water You offer to us. Fill us with the Living Water that will satisfy our spirits and transform our souls, so that our lives might burst forth with life and love for Your people, for ourselves, and for the world. We ask this in the name of our Lord Jesus. Amen.

Prayer Response

Fill My Cup, Lord

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Fill my cup, Lord, I lift it up, Lord
Come and quench this thirsting of my soul
Bread of heaven, feed me till I want no more
Fill my cup, fill it up and make me whole

A Message for Young Disciples

Linda Morrison

Proclamation and Response

Gospel Reading

John 4:4-26, 39-42

⁴ Jesus had to go through Samaria. ⁵ He came to a Samaritan city called Sychar, which was near the land Jacob had given to his son Joseph. ⁶ Jacob's well was there. Jesus was tired from his journey, so he sat down at the well. It was about noon.

⁷ A Samaritan woman came to the well to draw water. Jesus said to her, "Give me some water to drink." ⁸ His disciples had gone into the city to buy him some food.

⁹ The Samaritan woman asked, "Why do you, a Jewish man, ask for something to drink from me, a Samaritan woman?" (Jews and Samaritans didn't associate with each other.)

¹⁰ Jesus responded, "If you recognized God's gift and who is saying to you, 'Give me some water to drink,' you would be asking him and he would give you living water."

¹¹ The woman said to him, "Sir, you don't have a bucket and the well is deep. Where would you get this living water?" ¹² You aren't greater than our father Jacob, are you? He gave this well to us, and he drank from it himself, as did his sons and his livestock."

¹³ Jesus answered, “Everyone who drinks this water will be thirsty again, ¹⁴ but whoever drinks from the water that I will give will never be thirsty again. The water that I give will become in those who drink it a spring of water that bubbles up into eternal life.”

¹⁵ The woman said to him, “Sir, give me this water, so that I will never be thirsty and will never need to come here to draw water!”

¹⁶ Jesus said to her, “Go, get your husband, and come back here.”

¹⁷ The woman replied, “I don’t have a husband.”

“You are right to say, ‘I don’t have a husband,’” Jesus answered. ¹⁸ “You’ve had five husbands, and the man you are with now isn’t your husband. You’ve spoken the truth.”

¹⁹ The woman said, “Sir, I see that you are a prophet. ²⁰ Our ancestors worshipped on this mountain, but you and your people say that it is necessary to worship in Jerusalem.”

²¹ Jesus said to her, “Believe me, woman, the time is coming when you and your people will worship the Father neither on this mountain nor in Jerusalem. ²² You and your people worship what you don’t know; we worship what we know because salvation is from the Jews. ²³ But the time is coming—and is here!—when true worshippers will worship in spirit and truth. The Father looks for those who worship him this way. ²⁴ God is spirit, and it is necessary to worship God in spirit and truth.”

²⁵ The woman said, “I know that the Messiah is coming, the one who is called the Christ. When he comes, he will teach everything to us.”

²⁶ Jesus said to her, “I Am—the one who speaks with you.”

³⁹ Many Samaritans in that city believed in Jesus because of the woman’s word when she testified, “He told me everything I’ve ever done.” ⁴⁰ So when the Samaritans came to Jesus, they asked him to stay with them, and he stayed there two days. ⁴¹ Many more believed because of his word, ⁴² and they said to the woman, “We no longer believe because of what you said, for we have heard for ourselves and know that this one is truly the savior of the world.”

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God!

Anthem

Holy Water
~Bergthold | E. Cash | F. Cash | M. Cash | S. Cash

Northside Chapel Praise Band

Message

Stay Hydrated

Pastor Jen Eschliman

Prayers of the People

Pat/Jen

The Lord’s Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name.
Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread.
And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

Offering Ourselves and Our Gifts to God

Offertory

Partita on *Nettleton*, No. 3 & 4
~Alfred V. Fedak

Andy Potts

Doxology

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Praise God from Whom all blessings flow | Praise Him, all creatures here below
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host | Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

Closing Song

Deep (Way Down) Northside Chapel Praise Band
Allan Hall | Nicol Smith | Steve Smallman | Todd Smith

Chorus

Deep, way down deep | Way down deep, down in my heart
Oh deep, way down deep | Way down deep, down in my heart

Verse 1

I've got the love, I've got the love of Jesus | I've got the love, I've got the love of Jesus
I've got the love, I've got the love of Jesus | And it's deep down in my heart

Chorus

Verse 2

I've got the peace, I've got the peace of Jesus
I've got the peace, I've got the peace of Jesus
I've got the peace, I've got the peace of Jesus | And it's deep down in my heart

Chorus

Verse 3

I've got the joy, I've got the joy of Jesus | I've got the joy, I've got the joy of Jesus
I've got the joy, I've got the joy of Jesus | And it's deep down in my heart

Verse 4

I've got the love, I've got the love of Jesus
I've got the peace, I've got the peace of Jesus
I've got the joy, I've got the joy of Jesus | And it's deep down in my heart

Ending

Deep down in my heart | Deep down in my heart

Sending Forth

Benediction

Postlude

Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing
~Setting by Charles Callahan & Mark Hayes

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