

Sunday @ Seven August 2025
"Amen to that"

Welcome/Intro

All glory, laud and honour
to Thee Redeemer, King,
to whom the lips of children
made sweet hosannas ring.
Thou art the King of Israel,
Thou David's royal Son,
who in the Lord's name comest,
the King and blessed one.

The company of angels
are praising Thee on high,
and mortal men and all things
created make reply.
The people of the Hebrews
with psalms before Thee went;
our praise and prayer and anthems
before Thee we present.

To Thee before Thy passion
they sang their hymns of praise;
to Thee now high exalted
our melody we raise.
Thou didst accept their praises;
accept the prayers we bring,
who in all good delightest,
Thou good and gracious King.

Opening prayer – from Psalm 34

**I will always praise the Lord.
With all my heart, I will praise the
Lord.
Let all who are helpless, listen and be
glad. Honour the Lord with me!
Celebrate his great name.
I asked the Lord for help, and he
saved me from all my fears.
Keep your eyes on the Lord! You will
shine like the sun and never blush
with shame.
I was a nobody, but I prayed, and the
Lord saved me from all my troubles.
AMEN.**

Blessed be the name of the Lord,
Blessed be the name of the Lord,
Blessed be the name of the Lord Most High!
(repeat)
*The name of the Lord is a strong tower,
The righteous run into it and they are
saved. (repeat)*

Glory to the name of the Lord,
Glory to the name of the Lord,
Glory to the name of the Lord Most High!
(repeat)
The name of the Lord is a strong tower....

Holy is the name of the Lord,
Holy is the name of the Lord,
Holy is the name of the Lord Most High!
(repeat)
The name of the Lord is a strong tower...

A General Confession -

**Almighty and most merciful father, we
have erred and strayed from thy ways
like lost sheep, we have followed too
much the devices and desires of our
own hearts, we have offended against
thy holy laws, we have left undone
those things which we ought to have
done and we have done those things
which we ought not to have done,
and there is no health in us:**

**but thou, O Lord, have mercy upon us
miserable offenders; spare thou them,
O God, which confess their faults,
restore thou them that are penitent,
according to thy promises declared
unto mankind in Christ Jesu our Lord:
and grant, O most merciful Father, for
his sake, that we may hereafter live a
godly, righteous, and sober life, to the
glory, of thy holy name.
AMEN.**

I believe in Jesus,
I believe He is the Son of God.
I believe He died and rose again,
I believe He paid for us all.
And I believe He's here now
standing in our midst,
here with the power to heal now
and the grace to forgive.

I believe in You Lord,
I believe You are the Son of God;
I believe You died and rose again;
I believe You paid for us all.
And I believe You're here now
standing in our midst,
here with the power to heal now,
and the grace to forgive.

A General Thanksgiving -

**Almighty God, Father of all mercies,
we thine unworthy servants do give
thee most humble and hearty thanks
for all thy goodness and loving-
kindness to us and to all men.
We bless thee for our creation,
perservation, and all the blessings of
this life;**

**but above all for thine inestimable
love in the redemption of the world by
our Lord Jesus Christ, for the means of
grace, and the hope of glory.
And we beseech thee, give us that due
sense of all thy mercies, that our
hearts may be unfeignedly thankful,
and that we shew forth thy praise, not
only with our lips, but in our lives;
by giving up ourselves to thy service,
and by walking before thee in holiness
and righteousness all our days;
through Jesus Christ our Lord, to
whom with thee and the Holy Ghost
be all honour and glory, world without
end. AMEN.**

I'm gonna give Him all the thanks
and give Him all the glory
for everything he's done;
for giving me a brand new life
and for giving me His Son.
I'm gonna thank Him for the Holy Spirit
and everything that's free;
I'm gonna thank the Lord for
giving all of these things to me.

I'm gonna sing Alleluia;
I'm gonna give Him all the praise.
I'm gonna sing alleluia for
all the rest of my days.
I'm gonna give Him all the thanks
and give Him all the glory,
again, and again, and again.

***Amen – a small word, but of profound
significance.***

Jubilate, everybody,
serve the Lord in all your ways,
and come before His presence singing:
enter now His courts with praise.
For the Lord our God is gracious,
and His mercy everlasting.
Jubilate, Jubilate, Jubilate Deo!

A word or three about worship.

I give you all the honour
and praise that's due your name,
for you are the King of glory,
the creator of all things.
*And I worship you, I give my life to you,
I fall down on my knees.
Yes, I worship you, I give my life to you,
I fall down on my knees.*

As your Spirit moves upon me now
you meet my deepest need,
and I lift my hands up to your throne,
your mercy I've received.
And I worship you.....

You have broken chains that bound me,
you've set this captive free;
I will lift my voice to praise your name
for all eternity.
And I worship you.....

Let's talk.....

- *What are we looking for in our worship?*
- *Do we find it a giving/receiving experience?*
- *Do we feel ourselves using "Amen" thoughtfully or by rote?*
- *What is our preference – a variety of worship styles or are we more comfortable sticking with one style that we know well?*

Time for our prayers.....

A song...

Open our eyes, Lord,
we want to see Jesus,
to reach out and touch him
and say that we love him.

Open our ears, Lord,
and help us to listen;
open our eyes Lord
we want to see Jesus.

A moment of quiet personal reflection and prayer

**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 forever.
AMEN**

Abide with me; fast falls the eventide;
the darkness deepens; Lord, with me abide
when other helpers fail, and comforts flee,
help of the helpless, O abide with me.

Swift to its close ebbs out life's little day;
Earth's joys grow dim,
its glories pass away;
change and decay in all around I see:
O Thou who changest not, abide with me!

I need Thy presence every passing hour;
what but Thy grace
can foil the tempter's power?
Who like Thyself my guide and stay can be?
Through cloud and sunshine,
O abide with me.

I fear no foe, with Thee at hand to bless;
Ills have no weight,
and tears no bitterness;
Where is death's sting?
Where, grave thy victory?
I triumph still, if Thou abide with me.

Hold Thou Thy Cross
before my closing eyes,
Shine through the gloom,
and point me to the skies;
Heaven's morning breaks,
and Earth's vain shadows flee:
In life, in death, O Lord, abide with me!

We say together.....

**Lighten our darkness, we beseech
thee, O Lord; and by thy great mercy
defend us from all perils and dangers
of this night; for the love of thy only
Son, our Saviour Jesus Christ. AMEN**

**And may the grace of our Lord Jesus
Christ, and the love of God, and the
fellowship of the Holy Spirit, be with
us all evermore. AMEN.**

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