

**Livingstone Parish Church
Sunday 17th September 2017**

Rev. Dave Sutherland

Hymn 1 MP 50

Be still, for the presence of the Lord,

the Holy One, is here;
come bow before Him now
with reverence and fear:
in Him no sin is found –
we stand on holy ground.

Be still,
for the presence of the Lord,
the Holy One is here.

Be still, for the glory of the Lord
is shining all around;
He burns with holy fire,
with splendour He is crowned:
how awesome is the sight –
our radiant King of light!

Be still,
for the glory of the Lord
is shining all around.

Be still, for the power of the Lord
is moving in this place:
He comes to cleanse and heal,
to minister His grace –
no work too hard for Him.
In faith receive from Him.
Be still,
for the power of the Lord
is moving in this place.

David J. Evans (b. 1957)

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Hymn 2 MP 499

O happy day! that fixed my choice

on Thee, my Saviour and my God!
Well may this glowing heart rejoice,
and tell its raptures all abroad.

*O happy day! O happy day!
when Jesus washed my sins away;
He taught me how to watch and pray,
and live rejoicing every day; (hallelujah!)*

*O happy day! O happy day!
when Jesus washed my sins away.*

'Tis done, the great transaction's done!
I am my Lord's and He is mine!
He drew me, and I followed on,
charmed to confess the voice divine.
O happy day...

Now rest, my long-divided heart,
fixed on this blissful centre, rest;
nor ever from the Lord depart,
with Him of every good possessed.
O happy day...

High heaven, that heard the solemn vow,
that vow renewed shall daily hear;
till in life's latest hour I bow,
and bless in death a bond so dear.
O happy day...

Philip Doddridge (1702-1751)

Hymn 3 MP 757

When peace like a river attendeth my way,

when sorrows like sea-billows roll;
whatever my lot You have taught me to say,
'It is well, it is well with my soul.'
*It is well with my soul;
it is well, it is well with my soul.*

Though Satan should buffet, if trials should come,
let this blessed assurance control,
that Christ has regarded my helpless estate,
and has shed His own blood for my soul.
It is well...

My sin – O the bliss of this glorious thought –
my sin – not in part – but the whole
is nailed to His cross; and I bear it no more;
praise the Lord, praise the Lord, O my soul.
It is well...

But Lord, it's for You – for Your coming we wait,
the sky, not the grave, is our goal:
O trump of the angel! O voice of the Lord!
Blessèd hope! blessed rest of my soul.

It is well...

Horatio Gates Spafford (1828-1888)

Hymn 4 MP 506

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,
the power throughout the universe displayed;
*Then sings my soul,
my Saviour God, to Thee,
how great Thou art,
how great Thou art!*
*Then sings my soul,
my Saviour God to Thee,
how great Thou art,
how great Thou art!*

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;
Then sings my soul...

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:
Then sings my soul...

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!
Then sings my soul...

Russian hymn

tr. Stuart Wesley Keene Hine (1899-1989)

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Hymn 5 MP 708

To God be the glory! great things He hath done;

so loved He the world that He gave us his Son;
who yielded His life an atonement for sin,
and opened the life gate that all may go in.
*Praise the Lord, praise the Lord!
let the earth hear His voice;
praise the Lord, praise the Lord!
let the people rejoice:
O come to the Father, through Jesus the Son
and give Him the glory; great things He hath done!*

O perfect redemption, the purchase of blood!
to every believer the promise of God;
the vilest offender who truly believes,
that moment from Jesus a pardon receives.
Praise the Lord...

Great things He hath taught us,
great things He hath done,
and great our rejoicing through Jesus the Son;
but purer, and higher, and greater will be
our wonder, our rapture, when Jesus we see.
Praise the Lord...

Frances van Alstyne (1820-1915)
(Fanny Jane Crosby)

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