

# Christ The King Sunday, Online Worship Contemporary Service, November 22, 2020

## Welcome

### The Father's House

#### Verse 1

Sometimes on this journey I get lost in my mistakes  
What looks to me like weakness Is a canvas for  
your strength  
And my story isn't over My story's just begun  
And failure won't define me 'Cause that's what my  
Father does  
Yeah, failure won't define me 'Cause that's what my  
Father does

#### Chorus

Ooh, lay your burdens down Ooh, here in the  
Father's house  
Check your shame at the door Cause it ain't  
welcome anymore  
Ooh, you're in the Father's house

#### Verse 2

Arrival's not the end game The journey's where you  
are  
You never wanted perfect You just wanted my  
heart  
And the story isn't over If the story isn't good  
And failure's never final When the Father's in the  
room  
And failure's never final When the Father's in the  
room

#### Chorus

#### Bridge

Prodigals come home The helpless find hope  
Love is on the move When the Father's in the room  
Prison doors fling wide The dead come to life  
Love is on the move When the Father's in the room  
Miracles take place The cynical find faith  
And love is breaking through When the Father's in  
the room  
The Jericho walls are quaking Strongholds now are  
shaking  
Love is breaking through When the Father's in the  
room  
I said, love is breaking through When the Father's  
in the room

#### Chorus

### Better

#### Verse 1

All the money that the world could hold Mountains  
made of solid gold  
Riches that could buy my dreams You are better  
than all these things  
The prettiest face to turn their eyes Beauty that  
could hypnotize  
The open doors that looks may bring You are better  
than all these things

#### Chorus

Your love is better than life You are the well that  
won't run dry  
I have tasted and I have seen Oh, You are better  
than all these things

#### Verse 2

Power that could shake the moon Most important  
one in every room  
Status matched by only kings You are better than  
all these things

#### Chorus

#### Verse 3

Being liked and loved by everyone Approval that  
outshines the sun  
Cheered by all who think of me You are better than  
all these things  
You are better than all these things You are better,  
oh, You're better  
I have tasted and I have seen You are better than  
all these things

#### Chorus

### Confession and Forgiveness

Confession and Forgiveness:

Together we pray: **Lord, we come before you in  
prayer today, asking for your forgiveness. We  
have not loved as we ought to love, we have not  
given as we ought to give, and we have fallen  
short of the mark of truly being your obedient  
sons and daughters. We recognize our sin and  
in this moment of silence, we privately  
remember our shortcomings in love and life.**

God our heavenly Creator, hears the prayers of all children and answers those prayers. Our prayer for forgiveness is answered in the person of Jesus Christ, God's Son, who died for our sin that we might have new life. The distance between God and ourselves has been bridged by the love made perfect in the sacrifice of Jesus. To those who believe, God's Word of truth comes with the power to be the people of God. Praise God for the gift of his love and forgiveness. Amen.

### **Scripture Readings**

#### **Ephesians 1:15-23**

15 I have heard of your faith in the Lord Jesus and your love toward all the saints, and for this reason  
16 I do not cease to give thanks for you as I remember you in my prayers. 17 I pray that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, may give you a spirit of wisdom and revelation as you come to know him, 18 so that, with the eyes of your heart enlightened, you may know what is the hope to which he has called you, what are the riches of his glorious inheritance among the saints, 19 and what is the immeasurable greatness of his power for us who believe, according to the working of his great power. 20 God put this power to work in Christ when he raised him from the dead and seated him at his right hand in the heavenly places, 21 far above all rule and authority and power and dominion, and above every name that is named, not only in this age but also in the age to come. 22 And he has put all things under his feet and has made him the head over all things for the church, 23 which is his body, the fullness of him who fills all in all.

#### **Matthew 25:31-46**

31 "When the Son of Man comes in his glory, and all the angels with him, then he will sit on the throne of his glory. 32 All the nations will be gathered before him, and he will separate people one from another as a shepherd separates the sheep from the goats, 33 and he will put the sheep at his right hand and the goats at the left. 34 Then the king will say to those at his right hand, "Come, you that are blessed by my Father, inherit the kingdom prepared for you from the foundation of the world; 35 for I was hungry and you gave me food, I was thirsty and you gave me something to drink, I was a stranger and you welcomed me, 36 I was naked and you gave me clothing, I was sick and you took care of me, I was in prison and you visited me.' 37

Then the righteous will answer him, "Lord, when was it that we saw you hungry and gave you food, or thirsty and gave you something to drink? 38 And when was it that we saw you a stranger and welcomed you, or naked and gave you clothing? 39 And when was it that we saw you sick or in prison and visited you?' 40 And the king will answer them, "Truly I tell you, just as you did it to one of the least of these who are members of my family, you did it to me.' 41 Then he will say to those at his left hand, "You that are accursed, depart from me into the eternal fire prepared for the devil and his angels; 42 for I was hungry and you gave me no food, I was thirsty and you gave me nothing to drink, 43 I was a stranger and you did not welcome me, naked and you did not give me clothing, sick and in prison and you did not visit me.' 44 Then they also will answer, "Lord, when was it that we saw you hungry or thirsty or a stranger or naked or sick or in prison, and did not take care of you?' 45 Then he will answer them, "Truly I tell you, just as you did not do it to one of the least of these, you did not do it to me.' 46 And these will go away into eternal punishment, but the righteous into eternal life."

### **Message "Everything begins and ends with Christ"**

**Pastor Jody Becker**

### **Prayers of the Church**

#### **Let the Redeemed**

##### **Verse 1**

He led me out of the desert Brought me into His streams  
River of living water Turned my bitter into sweet  
And all my burdens are lifted You took the shackles  
off my feet  
There's no sound louder than a captive set free

##### **Chorus**

So let the redeemed of the Lord say so Sing of His promises ever more  
Pour out your thankfulness, let it overflow Let the redeemed of the Lord say so

##### **Verse 2**

There is joy in the morning Springing up in my soul  
There is life worth living 'Cause He calls me His own.

And there's a hallelujah After sweet victory  
Oh there's no sound louder than a captive set free  
No there's no sound louder than a captive set free

## **Chorus**

### **Bridge**

You are my Deliverer The freedom I'm livin' in  
You are my Deliverer You are my promised land  
You are my Deliverer The freedom I'm livin' in  
God, You are my Deliverer You are my promised  
land  
You are my Deliverer The freedom I'm livin' in  
You are my Deliverer You are my promised land  
You are my Deliverer The freedom I'm livin' in  
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## **Chorus**

### **Sending Blessing**