THE LORD IS MY STRENGTH AND MY SONG



"Behold, God is my salvation; I will trust, and will not be afraid; for the Lord God is my strength and my song, and He has become my salvation." Isaiah 12:2 ESV

Song: Oh For a Thousand Tongues - Charles Wesley

Oh for a thousand tongues to sing, My great Redeemer's praise, The glories of my God and King, The triumphs of His grace!

My gracious Master and my God, Assist me to proclaim, To spread through all the earth abroad, The honors of Your name.

Jesus! the name that charms our fears, That bids our sorrows cease; 'Tis music in the sinner's ears, 'Tis life, and health, and peace.

He breaks the power of canceled sin, He sets the prisoner free; His blood can make the foulest clean, His blood availed for me.

Leader: I will give thanks to You, O Lord, for though You were angry with me, Your anger turned away, that You might comfort me. Behold, God is my salvation; I will trust, and will not be afraid; for the Lord God is my strength and my song, and He has become my salvation.

All: Give thanks to the Lord, call upon His name, make known His deeds among the peoples, proclaim that His name is exalted. Sing praises to the Lord, for He has done gloriously; let this be made known in all the earth. Shout, and sing for joy, for great in your midst is the Holy One of Israel." *Isaiah* 12:1-6 ESV

All: I acknowledged my sin to you, and I did not cover my iniquity; I said, "I will confess my transgressions to the Lord," and You forgave the iniquity of my sin. *Psalm 32:5 ESV*

Leader: Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation. The old has passed away; behold, the new has come. Therefore, we are ambassadors for Christ, God making His appeal through us. We implore you on behalf of Christ, be reconciled to God.

All: For our sake He made Him to be sin who knew no sin, so that in Him we might become the righteousness of God. 2 Cor. 5:17, 20-21

Song: Come Thou Almighty King - Author Unknown

Come Thou almighty King, Help us Thy name to sing, Help us to praise, Father all glorious, In all victorious, Come and reign over us, Ancient of Days.

Come Thou incarnate Word, Gird on Thy mighty sword, Our prayer attend. Come and Thy people bless, And give Thy Word success, Spirit of Holiness, On us descend.

Come Holy Comforter, Thy sacred witness bear, In this glad hour. Thy seven-fold gifts impart, Rule now in every heart, Never from us depart, Spirit of Power.

To the great One in Three, The highest praises be, Hence ever-more! Thy sovereign majesty May we in glory see, And to eternity, Love and adore!

Message

Prayers and 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 and ever. Amen

Song: Jesus Keep Me Near the Cross - Fanny Crosby

Jesus, keep me near the cross, There a precious fountain, Free to all, a healing stream, Flows from Calvary's mountain. In the cross, in the cross, Be my glory ever, Till my ransomed soul shall find, Rest beyond the river.

Near the cross, a trembling soul, Love and mercy found me. There the Bright and Morning Star, Shed His beams around me. In the cross, in the cross, Be my glory ever, Till my ransomed soul shall find, Rest beyond the river.

Near the cross! I'll watch and wait, Hoping, trusting ever, Till I reach the golden strand, Just beyond the river. In the cross, in the cross, Be my glory ever, Till my ransomed soul shall find, Rest beyond the river.

Blessing

The Lord bless you and keep you; the Lord make His face to shine upon you and be gracious to you; the Lord lift up His countenance upon you and give you peace. *Numbers 6:24-26 ESV*

Doxology - Thomas Ken

Praise God from whom all blessings flow, Praise Him all creatures here below. Praise Him above, you heavenly hosts, Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.