



## **The Gospel that Transforms Lives**

October 17, 2021

Prelude: ..... Ann Forman

Greeting, Announcements, Invocation: ..... Pastor Casey Dwyer

Call to Worship: from Lamentations 3 and Hebrews 12 ... Worship Team

“Way Maker”

“Build Your Kingdom Here”

Scripture Reading: Isaiah 53:4-12 ..... Preethi Muthyala

Children’s Story ..... Pastor Casey Dwyer

Confession & Assurance: Words of Assurance from Romans 5:8-10

Prayer for the Church ..... Jennifer Sutton

Offering: “How Deep the Father’s Love for Us”

Sermon: ..... Pursuing the Gospel’s Goal ..... Pastor Jim Renke  
*Colossians 1:9-14*

Our Response: “Living Hope”

Benediction

Postlude

## Way Maker

You are here moving in our midst  
I worship You I worship You  
You are here working in this place  
I worship You I worship You

Chorus

(You are) Way Maker Miracle Worker Promise Keeper  
Light in the darkness my God that is who You are

You are here touching ev'ry heart  
I worship You I worship You  
You are here healing ev'ry heart  
I worship You I worship You

You are here turning lives around  
I worship You I worship You  
You are here mending ev'ry heart  
I worship You yeah I worship You Lord

That is who You are  
That is who You are  
That is who You are  
That is who You are

Even when I don't see it You're working  
Even when I don't feel it You're working  
You never stop You never stop working  
You never stop You never stop working

# Build Your Kingdom Here

Come set Your rule and reign  
In our hearts again  
Increase in us we pray  
Unveil why we're made  
Come set our hearts ablaze with hope  
Like wildfire in our very souls  
Holy Spirit come invade us now  
We are Your church  
We need Your pow'r in us

We seek Your kingdom first  
We hunger and we thirst  
Refuse to waste our lives  
For You're our joy and prize  
To see the captives' hearts released  
The hurt the sick the poor at peace  
We lay down our lives for heaven's cause  
We are Your church  
We pray revive this earth

## Chorus

Build Your kingdom here  
Let the darkness fear  
Show Your mighty hand  
Heal our streets and land  
Set Your church on fire  
Win this nation back  
Change the atmosphere  
Build Your kingdom here we pray

Unleash Your kingdom's pow'r  
Reaching the near and far  
No force of hell can stop  
Your beauty changing hearts  
You made us for much more than this  
Awake the kingdom seed in us  
Fill us with the strength and love of Christ  
We are Your church  
We are the hope on earth

## How Deep the Father's Love for Us

How deep the Father's love for us  
How vast beyond all measure  
That He should give His only Son  
To make a wretch His treasure  
How great the pain of searing loss  
The Father turns His face away  
As wounds which mar the Chosen One  
Bring many sons to glory

Behold the Man upon a cross  
My sin upon His shoulders  
Ashamed I hear my mocking voice  
Call out among the scoffers  
It was my sin that held Him there  
Until it was accomplished  
His dying breath has brought me life  
I know that it is finished

I will not boast in anything  
No gifts no pow'r no wisdom  
But I will boast in Jesus Christ  
His death and resurrection  
Why should I gain from His reward  
I cannot give an answer  
But this I know with all my heart  
His wounds have paid my ransom

## Living Hope

How great the chasm that lay between us  
How high the mountain I could not climb  
In desperation I turned to heaven  
And spoke Your name into the night  
Then through the darkness Your loving-kindness  
Tore through the shadows of my soul  
The work is finished the end is written  
Jesus Christ my living hope

Who could imagine so great a mercy  
What heart could fathom such boundless grace  
The God of ages stepped down from glory  
To wear my sin and bear my shame  
The cross has spoken I am forgiven  
The King of kings calls me His own  
Beautiful Savior I'm Yours forever  
Jesus Christ my living hope

### Chorus

Hallelujah praise the One who set me free  
Hallelujah death has lost its grip on me  
You have broken every chain  
There's salvation in Your name  
Jesus Christ my living hope

Then came the morning that sealed the promise  
Your buried body began to breathe  
Out of the silence the Roaring Lion  
Declared the grave has no claim on me  
(REPEAT)  
Jesus Yours is the victory whoa

Jesus Christ my living hope  
Oh God You are my living hope

# Pursuing the Gospel's Goal | Colossians 1:9-14

Sermon Notes

## **Introduction.**

1 Thessalonians 5:23-24

## **I. We need to know God's \_\_\_\_\_.** (v.9)

*1 Cor. 2:11b,14*

## **II. For the sake of \_\_\_\_\_ like Christ.** (v.10-12)

A. Worthy of all he's done.

B. Living to please him.

## **III. \_\_\_\_\_ of what He's done.** (v.13-14)

## **Conclusion.**