

HOPE CHAPEL

IN THE CITY. FOR THE CITY.



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OCTOBER 31, 2010

Hope Chapel Greensboro

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CALLED BY GOD

Welcome & Call to Worship - from Psalm 47

Leader: Clap your hands, all you nations;
shout to God with cries of joy.

**All: How awesome is the LORD Most High,
the great King over all the earth!**

Leader: Sing praises to God, sing praises;
sing praises to our King, sing praises.

**All: For God is the King of all the earth;
sing to him a psalm of praise.**

Songs of Praise

Awesome Is the Lord Most High

Great are You, Lord, mighty in strength.
You are faithful and You will ever be.
We will praise You all of our days.
It's for Your glory we offer ev'rything.

*Raise your hands all you nations,
Shout to God all creation,
How awesome is the Lord most high!
We will praise You together for now and forever,
How awesome is the Lord most high!*

Where You send us, God we will go.
You're the answer we want the world to know.
We will trust You when You call our name.
Where You lead us we'll follow all the way .

Glory to God

Glory to God on high! Let heav'n and earth reply, Praise his name!
His love and grace adore, Who all our sorrows bore, Praise his name!

Sing aloud evermore: Worthy the Lamb!

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Jesus, our Lord and God, bore sin's tremendous load, Praise his name!
Tell what his arm has done, what spoils from death he won, Praise his name!

Let all the hosts above join in one song of love, Praise his name!
To him ascribed be Honor and majesty, Praise his name!

CLEANSED BY GOD

Lead Us Back

Falling down upon our knees, sharing now in common shame,
We have sought security, not the cross that bears Your name.
Fences guard our hearts and homes -- comfort sings a siren tune.
We're a valley of dry bones; lead us back to life in You.

Lord we fall upon our knees, we have shunned the weak and poor,
Worshipped beauty, courted kings and the things their gold affords,
Prayed for those we'd like to know -- favor sings a siren tune.
We've become a talent show; lead us back to life in You.

You have caused the blind to see, we have blinded him again
With our man-made laws and creeds, eager, ready to condemn.
Now we plead before Your throne -- power sings a siren tune.
We've been throwing heavy stones; lead us back to life in You.

Words of Forgiveness & Peace

The God who challenges us through His word
is also the God who encourages us.

The God who confronts us by His law
is also the God who accepts us in the gospel.

So be assured that God is with us even now, accepting, guiding, and forgiving.

Thanks be to God.

Your Love Never Fails

Nothing can separate, even if I ran away,
Your love never fails.
I know I still make mistakes,
But You have new mercies for me everyday,
Your love never fails.

*You stay the same through the ages, Your love never changes.
There maybe pain in the night, but joy comes in the morning.*

*And when the oceans rage, I don't have to be afraid.
Because I know that You love me; Your love never fails.*

The wind is strong and the water's deep,
But I'm not alone in these open seas,
Cause Your love never fails.
The chasm is far too wide,
I never thought I'd reach the other side,
But Your love never fails.

Thy Mercy, My God

Thy mercy my God is the theme of my song,
The joy of my heart, and the boast of my tongue.
Thy free grace alone, from the first to the last,
Hath won my affection and bound my soul fast.

Without Thy sweet mercy, I could not live here.
Sin would reduce me to utter despair,
But through Thy free goodness, my spirit's revived
And He that first made me still keeps me alive.

Thy mercy is more than a match for my heart,
Which wonders to feel its own hardness depart.
Dissolved by Thy goodness, I fall to the ground
And weep for the praise of the mercy I've found.

Great Father of mercies, Thy goodness I own
In the covenant love of Thy crucified Son.
All praise to the Spirit, Whose whisper divine
Seals mercy and pardon and righteousness mine.

Prayer of Renewal

Scripture Reading

¹Therefore, I urge you, brothers, in view of God's mercy, to offer your bodies as living sacrifices, holy and pleasing to God—this is your spiritual act of worship. ²Do not conform any longer to the pattern of this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind. Then you will be able to test and approve what God's will is—his good, pleasing and perfect will.

³For by the grace given me I say to every one of you: Do not think of yourself more highly than you ought, but rather think of yourself with sober judgment, in accordance with the measure of faith God has given you. ⁴Just as each of us has one body with many members, and these members do not all have the same function, ⁵so in Christ we who are many form one body, and each member belongs to all the others.

Acts 5:17-42

Sermon- Jim Osborne
Transformation, not Conformation

Offering

Sending Song

Jesus Paid It All

I hear the Savior say, "Thy strength indeed is small;
Child of weakness, watch and pray, find in Me thine all in all."

*Jesus paid it all, all to Him I owe;
Sin had left a crimson stain,
He washed it white as snow.*

Lord, now indeed I find Thy power and Thine alone,
Can change the leper's spots and melt the heart of stone.

And when before the throne I stand in Him complete,
"Jesus died my soul to save," my lips shall still repeat.

O praise the one who paid my debt
And raised this life up from the dead.
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Community Life

Blessing & Sending

Go now, knowing that all our God and Father asks of us,
He provides through the power of His Spirit and through the work of His Son.

Amen.

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Leading in Worship Today

Jim Osborne, elder
Michael Van Patter, director of worship arts
Ryan Bowles, guitar
Patrick Collins, drums
Teri Fredette, vocals & guitar
Greg Phipps, vocals & guitar

Song Information

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Awesome Is the Lord Most High—Pierce, Tomlin, Reeves, Abel (2006)
Glory to God—James Allen (1831), Ryan Bowles, Charlie Swing, Todd Van Patter,
Michael Van Patter (2009)
Lead Us Back—Bobby Gilles, Brooks Ritter (2007)
Your Love Never Fails—Chris McClarney (2009)
Thy Mercy, My God—John Stocker (1776), Sandra McCracken (2001)
Jesus Paid It All—Elvina M. Hall (1865), Alex Nifong (2006)

Community Groups are central to the life of Hope Chapel.

We would love to have you visit one of our five groups, which are multi-generational and geographically based. They meet on Sunday evenings for dinner, fellowship, prayer and Bible study.

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