2020-05-23 Soul and Body

May 24 2020



First Hymn

1. Hymn. 562

Praise, I will praise You, Lord, with all my heart. O God, I will tell the wonders of Your ways, And glorify Your name.

Praise, I will praise You, Lord, with all my heart.

In You I will find the source of all my joy.

Alleluia!

Love, I will love You, Lord, with all my heart. O God, I will tell the wonders of Your ways, And glorify Your name.

Love, I will love You, Lord, with all my heart.

In You I will find the source of all my joy.

Alleluia!

Serve, I will serve You, Lord, with all my heart. O God, I will tell the wonders of Your ways, And glorify Your name.

Serve, I will serve You, Lord, with all my heart. In You I will find the source of all my joy.

Alleluia!

Scriptural selection

1. John 17:1, 6, 11, 13, 16, 17, 19, 22, 23, 26

- ¹ These words spake Jesus, and lifted up his eyes to heaven, and said, Father, the hour is come; glorify thy Son, that thy Son also may glorify thee:
- ⁶ I have manifested thy name unto the men which thou gavest me out of the world: thine they were, and thou gavest them me; and they have kept thy word.
- And now I am no more in the world, but these are in the world, and I come to thee. Holy Father, keep through thine own name those whom thou hast given me, that they may be one, as we are.
- And now come I to thee; and these things I speak in the world, that they might have my joy fulfilled in themselves.
- 16 They are not of the world, even as I am not of the world.
- 17 Sanctify them through thy truth: thy word is truth.
- 19 And for their sakes I sanctify myself, that they also might be sanctified through the truth.
- 22 And the glory which thou gavest me I have given them; that they may be one, even as we are one:
- I in them, and thou in me, that they may be made perfect in one; and that the world may know that thou hast sent me, and hast loved them, as thou hast loved me.

And I have declared unto them thy name, and will declare it: that the love wherewith thou hast loved me may be in them, and I in them.

2. John 5:30

³⁰ I can of mine own self do nothing: as I hear, I judge: and my judgment is just; because I seek not mine own will, but the will of the Father which hath sent me.

3. John 10:30

30 I and my Father are one.

Second and Third Hymn

2. Hymn. 478

From these Your children gathered in Your name, From hearts made whole, from lips redeemed from woe, Your praise, Almighty, shall forever flow. Alleluia! Alleluia!

O perfect Life, in Your completeness held, None can beyond Your omnipresence stray; Safe in Your Love, we live and sing alway Alleluia! Alleluia!

O perfect Mind, reveal Your likeness true, That higher selfhood which we all must prove, Joy and dominion, love reflecting Love. Alleluia! Alleluia!

O Soul, inspiring—give us vision clear, Break earth-bound fetters, sweep away the veil, Show the new heaven and earth that shall prevail. Alleluia! Alleluia!

Solo: "I and My Father are One", by Mindy Jostyn, from her album "Coming Home"

3. Hymn. 51

Eternal Mind the Potter is, And thought th' eternal clay: The hand that fashions is divine, His works pass not away. Man is the noblest work of God, His beauty, power and grace, Immortal; perfect as his Mind Reflected face to face.

God could not make imperfect man His model infinite;

Unhallowed thought He could not plan, Love's work and Love must fit. Life, Truth and Love the pattern make, Christ is the perfect heir; The clouds of sense roll back, and show The form divinely fair.

God's will is done; His kingdom come; The Potter's work is plain.
The longing to be good and true
Has brought the light again.
And man does stand as God's own child,
The image of His love.
Let gladness ring from every tongue,
And heaven and earth approve.

Benediction

SH 578:16

Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life; and I will dwell in the house [the consciousness] 18 of [LOVE] for ever.

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