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Doctrine of Atonement Sunday, April 18, 2021

Scriptural Selection

1. I Tim 2:5 there, 6

- 5 *there is* one God, and one mediator between God and men, the man Christ Jesus;
- 6 Who gave himself a ransom for all, to be testified in due time.

2. John 12:44

¶ Jesus cried and said, He that believeth on me, believeth not on me, but on him that sent me.

3. John 17:1-6, 9 (to :), 10, 11, 17-22, 26

- 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:
- 2 As thou hast given him power over all flesh, that he should give eternal life to as many as thou hast given him.
- 3 And this is life eternal, that they might know thee the only true God, and Jesus Christ, whom thou hast sent.
- I have glorified thee on the earth: I have finished the work which thou gavest me to do.
- And now, O Father, glorify thou me with thine own self with the glory which I had with thee before the world was.
- 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.
- 9 I pray for them:
- And all mine are thine, and thine are mine; and I am glorified in them.
- 11 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*.
- 17 Sanctify them through thy truth: thy word is truth.
- 18 As thou hast sent me into the world, even so have I also sent them into the world.
- And for their sakes I sanctify myself, that they also might be sanctified through the truth.
- Neither pray I for these alone, but for them also which shall believe on me through their word;
- That they all may be one; as thou, Father, *art* in me, and I in thee, that they also may be one in us: that the world may believe that thou hast sent me.

- And the glory which thou gavest me I have given them; that they may be one, even as we are one:
- 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.

<u>Hymns 524, 449 (MBE), 351</u> 524

Refrain

Like a river that runs to the ocean, Like a ray reaching out from the sun, Like a branch and the tree, a drop and the sea, I and my Father are one.

And may each of us claim it as truly
As Jesus, who came as God's son,
And may each of us know in the depths of our soul,
I and my Father are one.

One in beauty, one in truth,
One in the asking, one in the proof,
One in the time and one in space,
One in the goodness that flows from God's grace.

Refrain

Like a river that runs to the ocean, Like a ray reaching out from the sun, Like a branch and the tree, a drop and the sea, I and my Father are one.

Though our fears may estrange and divide us, May we seek to dissolve them through love, We are sister and brother, each bound to the other, One with our Father above.

One in purpose, one in power,
One in the Spirit, blessing each hour,
One in kindness, one in peace,
One in the Mind that makes all trouble cease.

Refrain

Like a river that runs to the ocean, Like a ray reaching out from the sun, Like a branch and the tree, a drop and the sea, I and my Father are one.

449 (Mary Baker Eddy)

Blest Christmas morn, though murky clouds Pursue thy way, Thy light was born where storm enshrouds Nor dawn nor day! .

Dear Christ, forever here and near, No cradle song, No natal hour and mother's tear, To thee belong.

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Thou God-idea, Life-encrowned,
The Bethlehem babe—
Beloved, replete, by flesh embound—
Was but thy shade!

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Thou gentle beam of living Love, And deathless Life! Truth infinite,—so far above All mortal strife,

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Or cruel creed, or earth-born taint: Fill us today With all thou art—be thou our saint, Our stay, alway.

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Through the night of doubt and sorrow Onward goes the pilgrim band, Singing songs of expectation, Marching to the promised land. Clear before us through the darkness Gleams and burns the guiding light; Brother clasps the hand of brother, Stepping fearless through the night.

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One, the light of God's own presence, O'er His ransomed people shed, Chasing far the gloom and terror, Brightening all the path we tread: One, the object of our journey, One, the faith which never tires, One, the earnest looking forward, One, the hope our God inspires;

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One, the strain the lips of thousands Lift as from the heart of one; One the conflict, one the peril, One, the march in God begun: One, the gladness of rejoicing On the far eternal shore Where the one Almighty Father Reigns in love forevermore.

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Solo Behold, they stand in robes of white

Gwen Eagleton

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BenedictionRom. 15:5 the, 6

- 5 the God of patience and consolation grant you to be like-minded one toward another according to Christ Jesus:
- 6 That ye may with one mind *and* one mouth glorify God, even the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ.

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