

WORSHIP RESOURCE

April 23, 2023 | Third Sunday of Easter

OPEN UP THE HEAVENS

**Words & Music by James McDonald, Jason Ingram,
Meredith Andrews, Stuart Garrard, Andi Rozier, 2012**

We've waited for this day, we're gathered in Your name,
Calling out to You. Your glory like a fire awakening desire,
Will burn our hearts with truth.
You're the reason we're here; You're the reason we're singing.

*Open up the heavens, we want to see You. Open up the floodgates,
a mighty river flowing from Your heart, filling every part of our praise.*

Your presence in this place, Your glory on our face,
We're looking to the sky. Descending like a cloud,
You're standing with us now, Lord unveil our eyes.

Show us, show us Your glory. Show us, who us Your power.
Show us, show us Your glory, Lord.

THIS IS OUR GOD

**Words and Music by Phil Wickham, Steven Furtick,
Brandon Lake, and Pat Barrett, 2023**

Remember those wall that we called sin and shame?
They were like prisons that we couldn't escape.
But He came and He died and He rose; those wall are rubble now.

Remember those giants we called death and grave?
They were like mountains that stood in our way.
But He came and He died and He rose; those giants are dead now.

*This is our God, this is who He is: He loves us. This is our God,
this is what He does, He saves us. He bore the cross, beat the grave.
Let heaven and earth proclaim this is our God, King Jesus.*

Remember that fear that took our breath away? Faith so weak that
we could barely pray? But He heard every word, every whisper.
Now those altars in the wilderness tell the story of His faithfulness.
Never once did He fail, and He never will.

Who pulled me out of that pit? He did, He did.
Who paid for all of our sin? Nobody but Jesus.
Who rescued me from that grave? Yahweh, Yahweh.
Who gets the glory and praise? Nobody but Jesus.

I STAND AMAZED (HOW MARVELOUS)

Words and Music by Charles H. Gabriel (1856-1932)

I stand amazed in the presence of Jesus the Nazarene;
and wonder how he could love me, a sinner condemned, unclean.

*How marvelous, how wonderful! And my song shall ever be.
How marvelous, how wonderful is my Savior's love for me.*

He took my sins and my sorrows, he made them his very own.
He bore the burden to Calvary and suffered and died alone.

When with the ransomed in glory, his face I at last shall see.
'Twill be my joy through the ages to sing of his love for me.

COME BEHOLD THE WONDROUS MYSTERY

**Words and Music by Matt Boswell, Matt Papa,
and Michael Bleecker, 2013**

Come behold the wondrous myst'ry, in the dawning of the King.
He, the theme of heaven's praises, robed in frail humility.
In our longing, in our darkness, now the light of life has come.
Look to Christ, who condescended, took on flesh to ransom us.

Come behold the wondrous myst'ry, He, the perfect Son of Man.
In his living, in his suff'ring, never trace no stain of sin.
See the true and better Adam, come to save the hellbound man.
Christ, the great and sure fulfillment of the law in Him we stand.

Come behold the wondrous myst'ry, Christ, the Lord upon the tree.
In the stead of ruined sinners, hangs the Lamb in victory.
See the price of our redemption, see the Father's plan unfold.
Bringing many sons to glory, grace unmeasured, love untold.

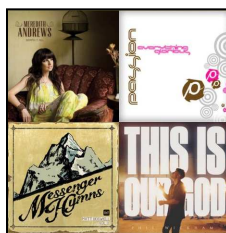
Come behold the wondrous myst'ry, slain by death, the God of life.
But no grave could e'er restrain him, praise the Lord, He is alive.
What a foretaste of deliv'rance, how unwavering our hope.
Christ, in power, resurrected, as we will be when He comes.

DAILY READINGS | BOOK OF COMMON WORSHIP

SUNDAY | Ps. 93; Daniel 4:1-18; 1 Peter 4:7-11; John 21:15-25
MONDAY | Ps. 97; Daniel 4:19-27; 1 John 3:19-4:6; Luke 4:14-30
TUESDAY | Ps. 116; Daniel 4:28-37; 1 John 4:7-21; John 4:31-37
WEDNESDAY | Ps. 118; Daniel 5:1-12; 1 John 5:1-12; John 4:38-44
THURSDAY | Ps. 68; Daniel 5:13-30; 1 John 5:13-21; Luke 5:1-11
FRIDAY | Ps. 49; Daniel 6:1-15; 2 John 1-13; Luke 5:12-26
SATURDAY | Ps. 92; Daniel 6:16-28; 3 John 1-15; Luke 5:27-39

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Jesus, our Lord and Messiah, forgive us of our sins and fill us with the Holy Spirit. Like the disciples on the road to Emmaus, may we enjoy communion with you in the breaking of the bread and in the reading of your holy word. Open our eyes to your work of redemption and grant us the joy of sharing the good news that the Lord is risen. In the name of Jesus we pray. Amen.



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