

WORSHIP RESOURCE

May 14, 2023 | Sixth Sunday of Easter

O FOR A THOUSAND TONGUES TO SING

Words by Charles Wesley, 1739 / Music by Carl Glaser (1784-1829)

O for a thousand tongues to sing my great Redeemer's praise;
The glories of my God and King, the triumphs of his grace.

My gracious Master and my God, assist me to proclaim;
To spread through all the earth abroad, the honors of thy name.

Jesus, the name that charms our fears, that bids our sorrows cease;
'Tis music in the sinner's ears, 'tis life and health and peace.

He breaks the power of reigning sin; he sets the prisoner free.
His blood can make the foulest clean; his blood availed for me.

GRATITUDE

Words and Music by Brandon Lake, 2019

All my words fall short, I've got nothing new. How could I
express all my gratitude? I could sing these songs,
as I often do, but every song must end, and you never do.

*So I throw up my hands and praise you again and again,
'Cause all that I have is a hallelujah, hallelujah.
And I know it's not much, but I've nothing else fit for a king,
except for a heart singing hallelujah, hallelujah.*

I've got on response; I've got just one move.
With my arms stretched wide, I will worship you.

Come on my soul, oh don't you get shy on me.
Lift up your song, 'cause you've got a lion inside of those lungs.
Get up and praise the Lord (3x).

BEHOLD HIM

Words and Music by Paul Baloche and Mitch Wong, 2019

He who was before there was light, walked across the pages of time.
He who made every living thing, behold Him.
He who heard humanity's cry, left His throne to wake as a child.
He became like the least of us, behold Him.

*Jesus, Son of God, Messiah, the Lamb, the roaring Lion.
Oh, be still and behold Him. Jesus, Alpha and Omega,
our God the risen Savior. Oh, be still and behold Him.*

He who dined with sinners and saints, healed the blind, the lost and
the lame, even now He is in our midst. Behold Him.
He who chose a criminal's end, paid with blood to settle our debt,
buried death as He rose to life, behold Him.

Holy, holy, holy is the Lord Almighty.
Worthy, worthy, worthy to receive all praise.

YET NOT I BUT THROUGH CHRIST IN ME

**Words and Music by Jonny Robinson, Rich Thompson,
and Michael Farren, 2018**

What gift of grace is Jesus, my Redeemer. There is no more for
heaven not to give. He is my joy, my righteousness and freedom,
my steadfast love, my deepest boundless peace. To this I hold: my
hope is only Jesus. For my life is wholly bound to his. Oh how strange
and divine, I can sing: all is mine! Yet not I, but through Christ in me.

The night is dark, but I am not forsaken, for by my side the Savior,
he will stay. I labor on in weakness and rejoicing, for in my need, his
power is displayed. To this I hold: my Shepherd will defend me.
Through the deepest valley he will lead. Oh the night has been won,
and I shall overcome! Yet not I, but through Christ in me.

No fate I dread, I know I am forgiven, the future sure, the price,
it has been paid. For Jesus bled and suffered for my pardon, and he
was raised to overthrow the grave. To this I hold: my sin has been
defeated. Jesus now, and ever, is my plea. Oh the chains are released
I can sing: I am free! Yet not I, but through Christ in me.

DAILY READINGS | BOOK OF COMMON WORSHIP

SUNDAY | Ps. 136; Deut. 15:1-11; 1 Timothy 3:14-4:5; Matt. 13:24-34

MONDAY | Ps. 124; Deuteronomy 8:1-10; James 1:1-15; Luke 9:18-27

TUESDAY | Ps. 98; Deut. 8:11-20; James 1:16-27; Luke 11:1-13

WEDNESDAY | Ps. 99; Deut. 19:1-7; James 5:13-18; Luke 12:22-31

THURSDAY | Ps. 47; Ezekiel 1:1-28; Hebrews 2:5-18; Matt. 28:16-20

FRIDAY | Ps. 138; Ezekiel 1:28-3:3; Hebrews 4:14-5:6; Luke 9:28-36

SATURDAY | Ps. 114; Ezekiel 3:4-17; Hebrews 5:7-14; Luke 9:37-50

PRAYER OF RENEWAL

Risen Lord Jesus, you have not left us as orphans,
but have given us the promised Holy Spirit
who leads us into righteousness and truth.

We confess that we do not always follow the Spirit's promptings
and that our conscience is not always clear.

Too often, we fail to keep your commandments and go our own way.
By your grace and power within us,
help us to love you and live in a manner
that brings honor and glory to your name. Amen.



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