# WORSHIP RESOURCE December 1, 2019 | First Sunday of Advent

### **WORSHIP SONGS**

# THE LION AND THE LAMB Words and Music by Brenton Brown, Brian Johnson, and Leeland Mooring, 2015

He's coming on the clouds kings and kingdoms will bow down, And every chain will break as broken hearts declare His praise. For who can stop the Lord Almighty?

Our God is the Lion the Lion of Judah, He's roaring with power and fighting our battles, and every knee will bow before Him.
Our God is the Lamb the Lamb that was slain, for the sins of the world His blood breaks the chains, and every knee will bow before the Lion and the Lamb, every knee will bow before Him.

So open up the gates make way before the King of kings. Our God who comes to save is here to set the captives free. For who can stop the Lord Almighty?

#### COME, THOU LONG EXPECTED JESUS

Words by Charles Wesley, Jacob Sooter, Meredith Andrews, 2017 Music by Rowland Pritchard, Jacob Sooter, Meredith Andrews, 2017

Come, Thou long expected Jesus; born to set Thy people free. From our fears and sins release us; let us find our rest in Thee. Israel's strength and consolation, Hope of all the earth Thou art. Dear Desire of every nation, Joy of every longing heart.

Born Thy people to deliver; born a child and yet a King. Born to reign in us forever, now Thy gracious kingdom bring. By Thine own eternal spirit rule in all our hearts alone. By Thine all sufficient merit raise us to Thy glorious throne.

You draw the hearts of shepherds. You draw the hearts of kings; Even as a baby You were changing everything. You called me to Your kingdom before Your lips could speak; and even as a baby You were reaching out for me. And now we are awaiting the day of your return, when every eye will see You as heaven comes to earth. Until the sky is opened; until the trumpet sounds, The bride is getting ready, the Church is singing out

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# O COME, O COME, EMMANUEL Latin Antiphons, 12th Century | Plainsong, 13th Century

O come, O come, Emmanuel, and ransom captive Israel, that mourns in lonely exile here, until the Son of God appear.

Rejoice! Rejoice! Emmanuel shall come to Thee, O Israel.

O come, Thou Rod of Jesse, free thine own from Satan's tyrrany; from depths of hell thy people save, and give them victory o'er the grave.

O come, thou Dayspring from on high, and cheer us by Thy drawing nigh; disperse the gloomy clouds of night, and death's dark shadows put to flight.

O come, Thou Key of David come and open wide our heavenly home; make safe the way that leads on high, and close the path to misery.

#### HIS MERCY IS MORE

# Words and Music by Matt Papa and Matt Boswell, 2019

What love could remember no wrongs we have done? Omniscient, all knowing, He counts not their sum. Thrown into a sea without bottom or shore, our sins, they are many, His mercy is more.

Praise the Lord, His mercy is more. Stronger than darkness, new every morn. Our sins, they are many, His mercy is more.

What patience would wait as we constantly roam? What Father, so tender, is calling us home? He welcomes the weakest, the vilest the poor. Our sins, they are many, His mercy is more.

What riches of kindness He lavished on us. His blood was the payment; His life was the cost. We stood 'neath a debt we could never afford. Our sins, they are many, His mercy is more.

# DAILY READINGS | BOOK OF COMMON WORSHIP

SUNDAY | Ps. 24; Amos 1:1-2:8; 1 Thess. 5:1-11; Luke 21:5-19 MONDAY | Ps. 122; Amos 2:6-16; 2 Peter 1:1-11; Matthew 21:1-11 TUESDAY | Ps. 33; Amos 3:1-11; 2 Peter 1:12-21; Matthew 21:12-22 WEDNESDAY | Ps. 50; Amos 3:12-4:5; 2 Peter 3:1-10; Matt. 21:23-32 THURSDAY | Ps. 126; Amos 4:6-13; 2 Peter 3:11-18; Matt. 21:33-46 FRIDAY | Ps. 102; Amos 5:1-17; Jude 1-16; Matthew 22:1-14 SATURDAY | Ps. 90; Amos 5:18-27; Jude 17-25; Matthew 22:15-22

## PRAYER OF ADORATION

God of glory,
we know that you are coming at an unexpected hour.
Come to us now, in spirit and truth.
Take us up into your presence,
and make us ready for your reign of peace;
through Jesus Christ our Savior. Amen.



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