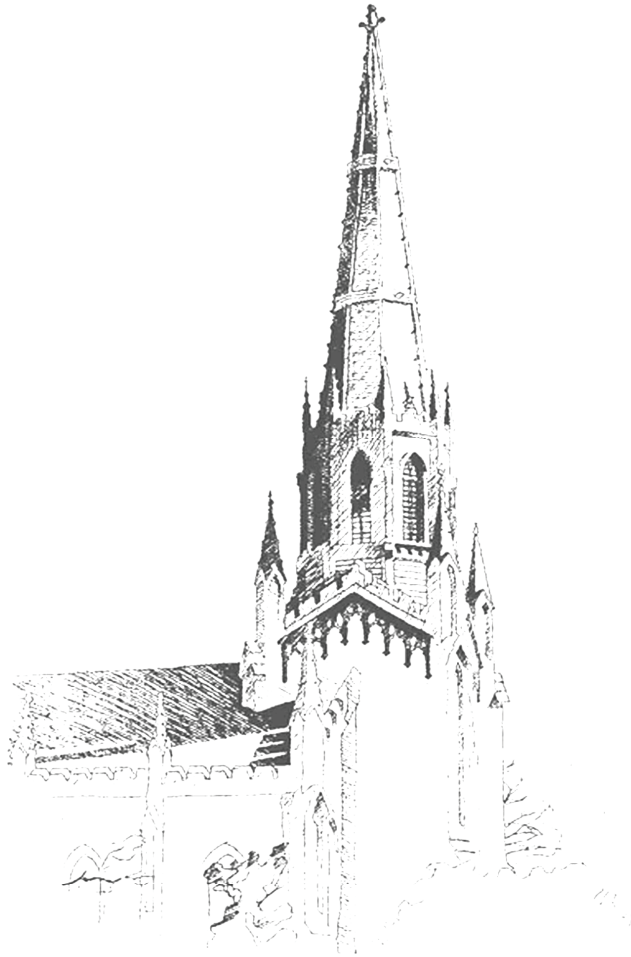


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Lord's Day, September 20, 2026

6:00 P.M.

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Steve Cook and Vikki Cook

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+ **CATECHISM HYMN**

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SERMON "The Coronation You Might Have Missed"

Dr. Neil C. Stewart

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+ **BENEDICTION**

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We declare the name of the Lamb once slain,
Christ eternal, the King of kings.*

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I Will Glory in My Redeemer

Steve Cook and Vikki Cook



1. I will glo - ry in my Re - deem - er whose price - less blood has ran - somed
 (2. I will) glo - ry in my Re - deem - er; my life He bought, my love He
 (3. I will) glo - ry in my Re - deem - er who car - ries me on ea - gle's



me. Mine was the sin that drove the bit - ter nails, and hung Him on that judg - ment
 owns. I have no long - ings for an - oth - er; I'm sat - is - fied in Him a -
 wings. He crowns my life with lov - ing - kind - ness; His tri - umph song I'll ev - er



tree. I will glo - ry in my Re - deem - er who crushed the pow'r of sin and
 lone. I will glo - ry in my Re - deem - er, His faith - ful - ness my stand - ing
 sing. I will glo - ry in my Re - deem - er who waits for me at gates of



death; my on - ly Sav - ior be - fore the ho - ly Judge; the
 place; though foes are might - y and rush up on me, my
 gold; and when He calls me it will be par - a - dise; His



Lamb, Who is my right - eous - ness, the Lamb, Who is my right - eous - ness.
 feet are firm, held by His grace, my feet are firm, held by His grace.
 face for - ev - er to be - hold, His face for - ev - er to be - hold.

We Will Feast in the House of Zion

Sandra McCracken

Refrain



Verse



His Mercy is More

Matt Papa and Matt Boswell

Chorus



Praise the Lord_ His mer-cy is more._____ Strong-er than dark-ness,

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new ev - ry morn. Our sins, they are man - y; His mer - cy is more.

Verse



1. What love could re - mem - ber no wrongs we have done? Om -

2. What pa - tience would wait as we con - stant - ly roam? What

3. What rich - es of kind - ness He lav - ished on us. His

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ni-scient, all know-ing, He counts not the sum. Thrown in - to a sea with-out
Fa-ther, so ten - der, is cal - ling us home? He wel - comes the weak - est, the
blood was the pay - ment; His life was the cost. We stood 'neath a debt we could

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bot-tom or shore, our sins, they are man-y; His mer-cy is more.
vil - est, the poor. Our sins, they are man-y; His mer-cy is more.
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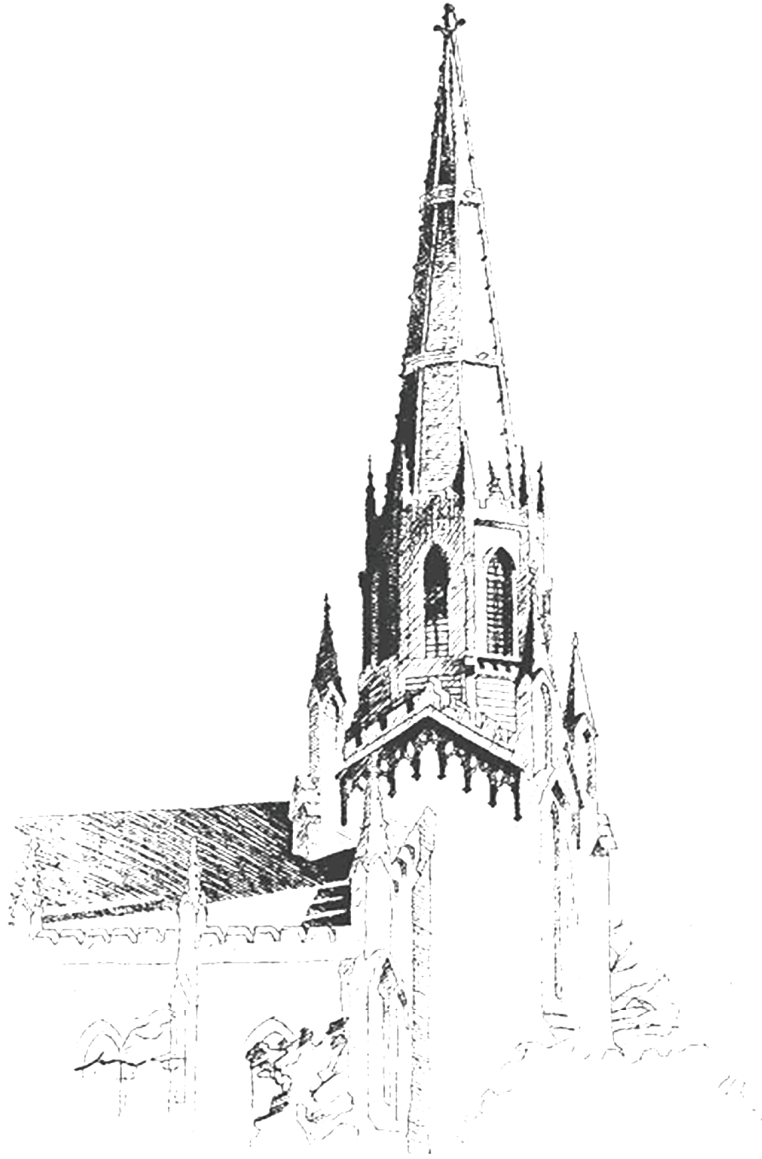
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My life He bought, my love He owns
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His faithfulness my standing place
Though foes are mighty and rush upon me
My feet are firm, held by His grace
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I will glory in my Redeemer
Who carries me on eagles' wings
He crowns my life with lovingkindness
His triumph song I'll ever sing
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Who waits for me at gates of gold
And when He calls me, it will be paradise
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He has done great things, we will say together;
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We will not be burned by the fire;
He is the Lord our God.
We are not consumed by the flood;
Upheld, protected, gathered up.

In the dark of night before the dawn,
My soul, be not afraid.
For the promised morning, oh, how long?
O God of Jacob, be my strength.

Ev'ry vow we've broken and betrayed,
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And from the garden to the grave,
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Shout to God with loud songs of joy!
- ² For the Lord, the Most High, is to be feared,
a great king over all the earth.
- ³ He subdued peoples under us,
and nations under our feet.
- ⁴ He chose our heritage for us,
the pride of Jacob whom he loves. *Selah*
- ⁵ God has gone up with a shout,
the Lord with the sound of a trumpet.
- ⁶ Sing praises to God, sing praises!
Sing praises to our King, sing praises!
- ⁷ For God is the King of all the earth;
sing praises with a psalm!

⁸ God reigns over the nations;
God sits on his holy throne.
⁹ The princes of the peoples gather
as the people of the God of Abraham.
For the shields of the earth belong to God;
he is highly exalted!

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What Father so tender is calling us home
He welcomes the weakest, the vilest, the poor
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