WELCOME TO PIONEER EVANGELICAL CHURCH

New Year's Sunday, January 1, 2017

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Services are broadcast live and recorded

2 Hymn # 222 SING THEM OVER AGAIN TO ME

Sing them over again to me,
Wonderful words of Life;
Let me more of their beauty see,
Wonderful words of Life.
Words of life and beauty,
Teach me faith and duty:

3 Refrain

Beautiful words, wonderful words, Wonderful words of Life. (repeat)

4 **Verse 2**

Christ, the blessed One, gives to all Wonderful words of Life; Sinner, list to the loving call, Wonderful words of Life.
All so freely given, Wooing us to Heaven:

5 Refrain

Beautiful words, wonderful words, Wonderful words of Life. (repeat)

6 Verse 3

Sweetly echo the gospel call, Wonderful words of Life; Offer pardon and peace to all, Wonderful words of Life.

Jesus, only Savior, Sanctify forever:

7 Refrain

Beautiful words, wonderful words, Wonderful words of Life. (repeat)

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PRAYER

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GREETING

10 ANNOUNCEMENTS

- TODAY-10:30-11:30 Worship only
- MON-6-Nar-Anon in Fellowship Hall
- · WED-10 am Bible Study, lunch at Izzy's
- NEXT SUNDAY-Jan 7-MISSIONARY Krista Landaas of the American Indian Field in Arizona will speak, Potluck afterwards.

11 WORSHIP MUSIC

Congregational Reading-"I Will Be With You" From Isaiah 43: 1 – 3; 41:10; Jeremiah 29: 12 – 13 (NIV)

WORSHIP LEADER-This is what the Lord says – He who created you; Fear not, for I have redeemed you. I have summoned you by name;

EVERYONE-You are Mine.

13

Worship Leader-When you pass through the waters. EVERYONE-I will be with you Worship Leader-When you walk through the fire, EVERYONE-You will not be burned.

14

Worship Leader-I am the Lord, your God. So do not fear for I am with you. Do not be dismayed, for I am your God. EVERYONE-I will strengthen you and help you; I will uphold you with my righteous right hand.

15

Worship Leader-When you call upon Me, I will listen to you. EVERYONE-You will seek Me and find Me when you seek Me with all your heart

16 O GOD, OUR HELP IN AGES PAST

O God, our help in ages past, Our hope for years to come, Our shelter from the stormy blast And our eternal home!

17

Under the shadow of Thy throne Still may we dwell secure, Sufficient is Thine arm alone And our defense is sure!

18

O God--You are, You are our help, You are our helper-To all generations, You will be--forever and ever.

19

Our shield and our eternal hope-O-Lord-, You are the Ancient of Days And worthy of our praise.

20

O God, our help in ages past, Our hope for years to come, Be Thou our guide while life shall last And our eternal home!

21

O God--You are, You are our help, You are our helper-To all generations, You will be--forever and ever,

22

Our shield and our eternal hope-O-Lord-, You are the Ancient of Days And worthy of our praise.

Joyful, joyful, we adore Thee
God of glory, Lord of love
Hearts unfold like flowers before thee
Opening to the sun above

24

Melt the clouds of sin and sadness Drive the dark of doubt away Giver of immortal gladness Fill us with the light of day

25 Chorus

Rejoice, Rejoice our God is here with us Emmanuel, our God is still with us, Rejoice, Rejoice our God is here with us Emmanuel, our God is still with us.

26 **Verse 2**

All thy works with joy surround thee Earth and heaven reflect thy rays Stars and angels sing around thee Center of unbroken praise 27

Ever singing, march we onward Victors in the midst of strife Joyful music leads us sunward In the triumph song of life.

28 Chorus

Rejoice, Rejoice our God is here with us Emmanuel, our God is still with us, Rejoice, Rejoice our God is here with us Emmanuel, our God is still with us.

29 Hymn # 321 SAVIOR, LIKE A SHEPHERD LEAD US

Savior, like a shepherd lead us, much we need thy tender care; in thy pleasant pastures feed us, for our use thy folds prepare.

30

Blessed Jesus, blessed Jesus! Thou hast bought us, thine we are. Blessed Jesus, blessed Jesus! Thou hast bought us, thine we are.

31 **Verse 2**

We are thine, thou dost befriend us, be the guardian of our way; keep thy flock, from sin defend us, seek us when we go astray.

32

Blessed Jesus, blessed Jesus! Hear, O hear us when we pray. Blessed Jesus, blessed Jesus! Hear, O hear us when we pray.

33 **Verse 3**

Thou hast promised to receive us, poor and sinful though we be; thou hast mercy to relieve us, grace to cleanse and power to free.

34

Blessed Jesus, blessed Jesus! We will early turn to thee. Blessed Jesus, blessed Jesus! We will early turn to thee.

35 **Verse 4**

Early let us seek thy favor, early let us do thy will; blessed Lord and only Savior, with thy love our bosoms fill.

36

Blessed Jesus, blessed Jesus! Thou hast loved us, love us still. Blessed Jesus, blessed Jesus! Thou hast loved us, love us still.

37 GIVE ME JESUS

In the morning, when I rise In the morning, when I rise In the morning, when I rise Give me Jesus

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Give me Jesus, Give me Jesus You can have all this world Just give me Jesus

39

When I am alone, When I am alone Oh, when I am alone, Give me Jesus

40

Give me Jesus, Give me Jesus You can have all this world Just give me Jesus, Jesus Give me Jesus

41

When I come to die, When I come to die Oh, when I come to die, Give me Jesus

42

Give me Jesus,
Give me Jesus
You can have all this world
Just give me Jesus

43

Give me Jesus,
Give me Jesus
You can have all this world
You can have all this world
You can have all this world
Just give me Jesus

44 OFFERING

45 Hymn # 360 ANOTHER YEAR IS DAWNING

Another year is dawning! Dear Father, let it be, In working or in waiting, Another year with Thee;

46

Another year of progress, Another year of praise, Another year of proving Thy presence all the days.

47 **Verse 2**

Another year of mercies, Of faithfulness and grace, Another year of gladness, In the shining of Thy face;

48

Another year of learning Upon Thy loving breast, Another year of trusting, Of quiet, happy rest.

49 **Verse 3**

Another year of service, Of witness for Thy love, Another year of training For holier work above;

50

Another year is dawning!
Dear Father, let it be,
On earth, or else in heaven,
Another year for Thee.

51 CELEBRATION OF THE WORD

Pastor Steve Hopper
WISE MEN STILL SEEK-Matt 2:1-12

52

- 1. SEEK TRUTH not TREASURES-v. 2-"His star".
- 2. SEEK SACRIFICIALLY not SUPERFICIALLY-v. 5-"Prophetic".
- 3. SEEK HUMBLE not ROYAL-v. 11.
- 4. WORSHIP "HIM" not "HEROES"-v. 11.
- 5. RETURN REJOICING not REJECTING-v. 12, Lk 2:20-shepherds, 29-35, 38.

53 COMMUNION

54 MERCY

I will kneel in the dust at the foot of the cross, where mercy paid for me. Where the wrath I deserve, it is gone, it has passed. Your blood has hidden me.

55 Chorus

Mercy, mercy, as endless as the sea. I'll sing Your hallelujah for all eternity.

56 **Verse 2**

We will lift up the cup and the bread we will break, remembering Your love. We were fallen from grace, but You took on our shame and nailed it to a cross.

57 Chorus

Mercy, mercy,

as endless as the sea. I'll sing Your hallelujah for all eternity.

58

May I never lose the wonder, oh, the wonder of Your mercy. May I sing Your hallelujah. Hallelujah, Amen. (repeat 3x)

59

I will kneel in the dust at the foot of the cross, where mercy paid for me.