

## Jesus Messiah

He became sin  
Who knew no sin  
That we might become  
His Righteousness  
He humbled himself  
and carried the cross

Love so amazing, love so amazing

### Chorus:

Jesus Messiah  
Name above all names  
Blessed Redeemer  
Emmanuel  
The rescue for sinners  
The ransom from Heaven  
Jesus Messiah  
Lord of all  
His body the bread

### Welcome to the Table

All are welcome to share the bread and the cup,  
remembering the love, life and sacrifice of Christ.

### Prayers of the People

All are invited to share in our time of prayer  
for celebrations and concerns.

### Weekly Grace

The Lenten Season has arrived...  
What would a new prayer/meditation habit look like for you?

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### Closing Blessing:

"The Lenten Season has come again  
to remind us of who we are, and whose we are...  
Go now in love and service to your neighbors!"

### Response:

"Thanks be to God!"

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## Sundays of Lent 2010... Feb. 21<sup>st</sup>.

We're walking with Jesus during his years of ministry and public life:



- † **Jesus the Teacher, February 21<sup>st</sup>**
- † Jesus the Companion, February 28<sup>th</sup>
- † Jesus the Healer, March 7<sup>th</sup>
- † Jesus the Jew, March 14<sup>th</sup>
- † Jesus the Messiah, March 21<sup>st</sup>

### Welcome to worship at Church in Bethesda!

"Our Father, who art in Heaven, hallowed be thy name  
Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in Heaven  
Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our trespasses  
As we forgive those who trespass against us  
Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil  
For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory,  
Forever and ever. Amen."

### Matthew 7:24-29, page

*"Therefore everyone who hears these words of mine and puts them into practice is like a wise man who built his house on the rock. The rain came down, the streams rose, and the winds blew and beat against that house; yet it did not fall, because it had its foundation on the rock. But everyone who hears these words of mine and does not put them into practice is like a foolish man who built his house on sand. The rain came down, the streams rose, and the winds blew and beat against that house, and it fell with a great crash."*

*When Jesus had finished saying these things, the crowds were amazed at his teaching, because he taught as one who had authority, and not as their teachers of the law."*

### Everything Glorious

The day is brighter here with You  
The night is lighter than its hue  
Would lead me to believe  
Which leads me to believe

### Chorus:

You make everything glorious  
You make everything glorious  
You make everything glorious  
And I am Yours  
What does that make me?

My eyes are small  
but they have seen  
the beauty of enormous things  
Which leads me to believe  
there's light enough to see that

### Second Chorus:

You make everything glorious  
You make everything glorious  
You make everything glorious  
And I am Yours

From glory to glory  
You are glorious  
You are glorious  
From glory to glory  
You are glorious.  
You are glorious

Which leads me to believe  
why I can believe that

### Second Chorus:

You make everything glorious  
You make everything glorious  
You make everything glorious  
And I am Yours

## Your Love, Oh Lord

Your love, oh Lord  
Reaches to the heavens  
Your faithfulness  
stretches to the sky  
Your righteousness  
is like the mighty mountains  
Your justice flows  
like the ocean's tide

## Hope To Carry On

I can see Jesus  
hanging on the cross  
I can see Jesus  
hanging on the cross  
I can see Jesus  
hanging on the cross

He came looking for the lost ...

Love has come  
Love has come  
Love has come  
And it's giving me hope to carry on

I can hear Jesus  
saying "Father forgive"  
I can hear Jesus  
saying "Father forgive"  
I can hear Jesus  
saying "Father forgive"

What a thing he did...

Love has come  
Love has come  
Love has come  
And it's giving me hope to carry on

### Chorus:

I will lift my high voice  
To worship You, my King  
I will find my strength  
In the shadow of your wings

I can see Love  
Love is all I want to see  
Love can make a beggar rich  
and set a prisoner free  
I know He can do it for you  
And God knows  
He did it for me.

I can see Love  
Love is all I want  
to show you, Love.  
Love's the only way to go,  
And love!  
Love is all a man  
might need to know  
Yes, I know...

You know Peter  
put away his sword  
I can see Peter  
puttin' away his sword  
I can see Peter,  
he put away his sword  
He won't fight no more

## Give Me Jesus

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

### Chorus:

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

When I am alone,  
When I am alone,  
When I am alone,  
Give me Jesus.

When I come to die,  
When I come to die,  
When I come to die,  
Give me Jesus.

Give me Jesus.  
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.

## Jesus as Teacher

Notice how the sermon ends... amazed people seeing him as  
**"one who had authority, and not as their teachers..."**

### Begs two big questions:

- † *Are we taking Jesus seriously as a teacher of religion and life?*
- † *What were their teachers like? What are ours like?*

**Charles Spurgeon** pointed out that Jesus "touched their conscience," and he didn't quote his sources... he was **self-evident**.

### Jesus Was...

**Anti-Proverbial** ~ turning things upside down  
flipping "rights" and blessing on themselves  
never tying life to a wealth of things

**Internalizing the Will of God** ~ no external rationalizing  
no more "What's the least I can do?"  
no more hiding behind the externals... engage!

**Mandating Attention & Response** ~ "Listen to me and act!"  
these are words to live by  
message of the Transfiguration: "Listen to him!"

**Stylistically** ~ Jesus asked questions, challenged people to  
radical sacrifice and commitment, and  
told simple stories.

**Our Response** ~ to listen and do.