

Anytown Community Church

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Hymns

Amazing grace

Amazing grace! How sweet the
sound

That saved a wretch like me
I once was lost, but now am found,
Was blind, but now I see.

'Twas grace that taught my heart to
fear,

And grace my fears relieved
How precious did that grace appear,
The hour I first believed!

Through many dangers, toils and
snares

I have already come

'Tis grace that brought me safe thus
far,
And grace will lead me home.

The Lord has promised good to me,
His word my hope secures
He will my shield and portion be
As long as life endures.

Yes, when this heart and flesh shall
fail,
And mortal life shall cease,
I shall possess within the veil
A life of joy and peace.

When we've been there a thousand
years,
Bright shining as the sun,
We've no less days to sing God's
praise
Than when we first begun.

John Newton

Guide Me O Thou Great Jehovah

**Guide me, O thou great Jehovah,
Pilgrim through this barren land;
I am weak, but Thou art mighty,
Hold me with Thy powerful hand:
Bread of heaven, Bread of heaven,
Feed me now and ever more,
Feed me now and ever more.**

**Open Thou the crystal fountain
Whence the healing stream doth
flow;
Let the fiery, cloudy pillar
Lead me all my journey through:
Strong Deliverer, strong Deliverer,
Be Thou still my strength and shield,
Be Thou still my strength and shield.**

**When I tread the verge of Jordan
Bid my anxious fears subside;
Death of death, and hell's
 destruction,
Land me safe on Canaan's side:
Songs of praises, songs of praises,
I will ever give to Thee,
I will ever give to Thee.**

William Williams

Abide With Me

**Abide with me, fast falls the
 eventide;
The darkness deepens, Lord, with me
 abide;**

**When other helpers fail and
comforts flee,
Help of the helpless, O abide with
me.**

**Swift to its close ebbs out life's little
day;
Earth's joys grow dim, its glories
pass away;
Change and decay in all around I see;
O Thou who changest not, abide with
me.**

**I need Thy presence every passing
hour;
What but Thy grace can foil the
tempter's power?
Who like Thyself my guide and stay
can be?
Through cloud and sunshine, O abide
with me.**

I fear no foe, with Thee at hand to
 bless;
Ills have no weight, and tears no
 bitterness.
Where is death's sting? Where,
 grave, thy victory?
I triumph still, if Thou abide with me.

Reveal Thyself before my closing
 eyes;
Shine through the gloom, and point
 me to the skies,
Heaven's morning breaks, and
 earth's vain shadows flee;
In life, in death, O Lord, abide with
 me.

W. H. Monk

And can it be

**And can it be that I should gain
An interest in the Saviour's blood?
Died He for me, who caused His pain?
For me, who Him to death pursued?
Amazing love! how can it be
That Thou, my God, shouldst die for
me?**

**'Tis mystery all! The Immortal dies:
Who can explore His strange design?
In vain the first-born seraph tries
To sound the depths of love divine!
'Tis mercy all! let earth adore,
Let angel minds inquire no more.**

**He left His Father's throne above,
So free, so infinite His grace
Emptied Himself of all but love,
And bled for Adam's helpless race.
'Tis mercy all, immense and free
For, O my God, it found out me.**

Long my imprisoned spirit lay
Fast bound in sin and nature's night
Thine eye diffused a quickening ray,
I woke, the dungeon flamed with
light

My chains fell off, my heart was free
I rose, went forth, and followed
Thee.

No condemnation now I dread
Jesus, and all in Him, is mine!
Alive in Him, my living Head,
And clothed in righteousness divine,
Bold I approach the eternal throne,
And claim the crown, through Christ
my own.

Charles Wesley

When We Walk With the Lord

**When we walk with the Lord
In the light of His word,
What a glory He sheds on our way!
While we do His good will,
He abides with us still,
And with all who will trust and obey!**

**TRUST AND OBEY!
FOR THERE'S NO OTHER WAY
TO BE HAPPY IN JESUS,
BUT TO TRUST AND OBEY.**

**Not a shadow can rise,
Not a cloud in the skies,
But His smile quickly drives it away;
Not a doubt nor a fear,
Not a sigh nor a tear,
Can abide while we trust and obey!**

**Not a burden we bear,
Not a sorrow we share,
But our toil He doth richly repay:
Not a grief nor a loss,
Not a frown nor a cross,
But is blessed if we trust and obey!**

**But we never can prove
The delights of His love
Until all on the altar we lay;
For the favour He shows,
And the joy He bestows,
Are for those who will trust and
obey.**

**Then in fellowship sweet
We will sit at His feet,
Or we'll walk by His side in the way;
What He says we will do,
Where He sends we will go;
Never fear, only trust and obey!**

John Henry Sammis

The Lord's my Shepherd

**The Lord's my Shepherd, I'll not
want;**

**He makes me down to lie
In pastures green; he leadeth me
The quiet waters by.**

**My soul he doth restore again,
And me to walk doth make
Within the paths of righteousness,
E'en for his own name's sake.**

**Yea, though I walk through death's
dark vale,
Yet will I fear no ill;
For thou art with me, and thy rod
And staff me comfort still.**

**My table thou hast furnished
In presence of my foes;
My head thou dost with oil anoint,
And my cup overflows.**

**Goodness and mercy all my life
Shall surely follow me,
And in God's house for evermore
My dwelling-place shall be.**

Psalm 23