# Welcome to Worship at Zion Lutheran Church

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### He Reigns

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It's the song of the redeemed, rising from the African plain.

It's the song of the forgiven, drowning out the Amazon rain.

The song of Asian believers, filled with God's holy fire.

It's every tribe, every tongue, every nation. A love song born of a grateful choir.

It's all God's children singing.
Glory, Glory, Hallelujah, he reigns, he reigns.
It's all God's children singing.
Glory, Glory, Hallelujah, he reigns, he reigns.

Let it rise above the four winds, caught up in the heavenly sound.

Let praises echo from the towers of cathedrals to the faithful gathered underground.

Of all the songs sung from the dawn of creation some were meant to persist.

Of all the bells rung from a thousand steeples none rings truer than this.

It's all God's children singing. Glory, Glory, Hallelujah, he reigns, he reigns.

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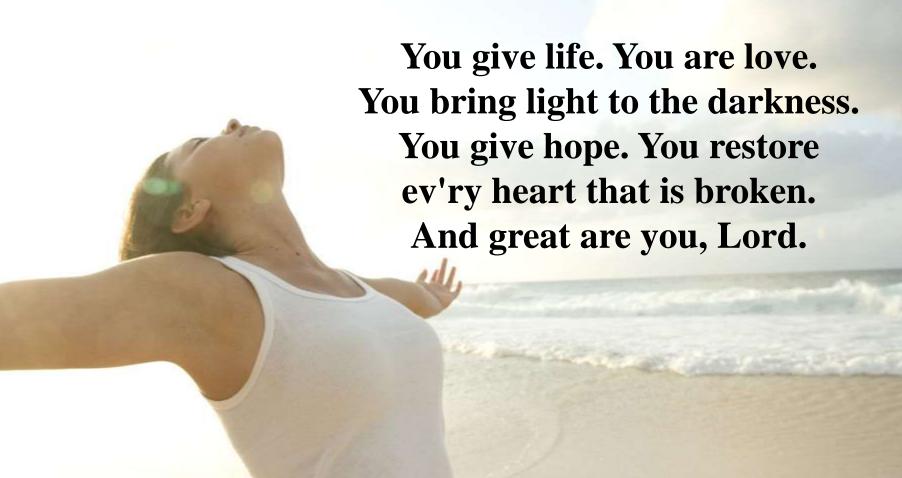
And all the powers of darkness tremble at what they've just heard. 'Cause all the powers of darkness can't drown out a single word.

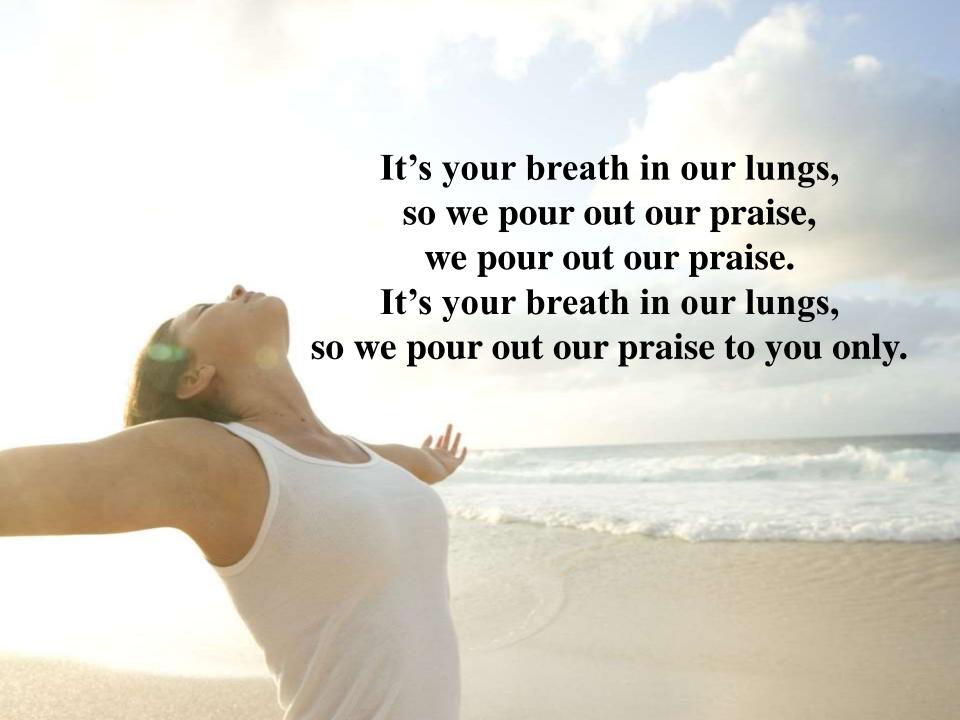
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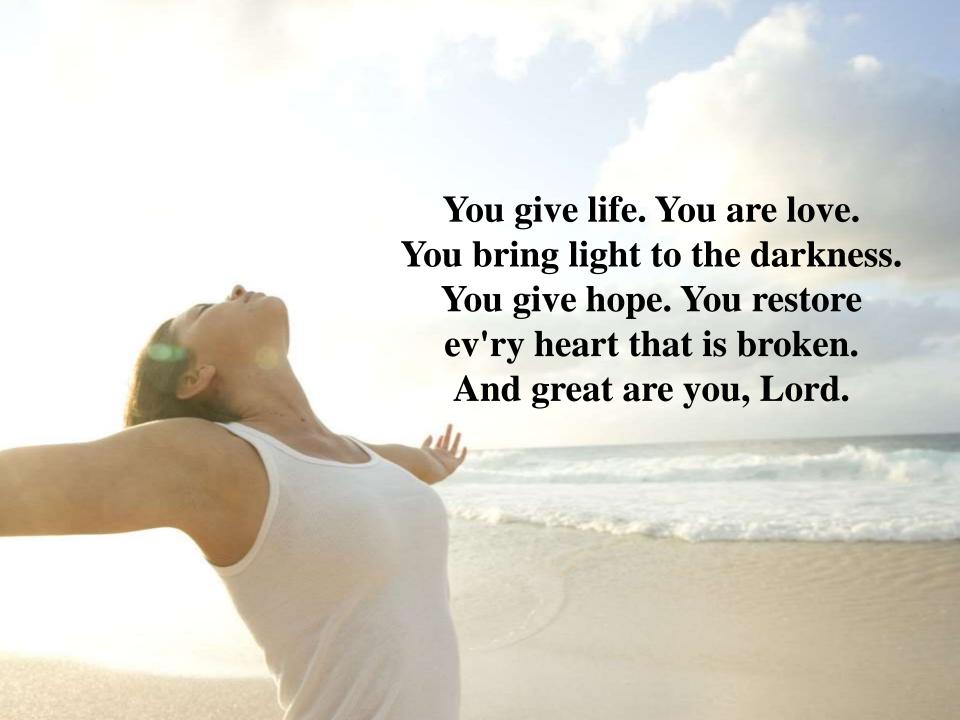
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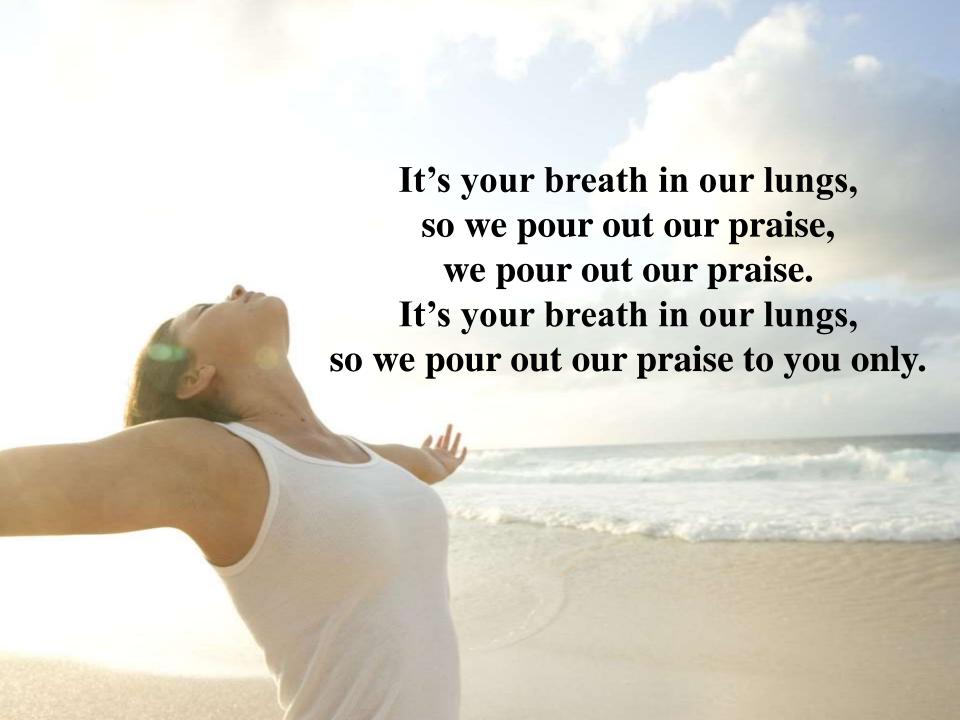
#### **Great Are You Lord**

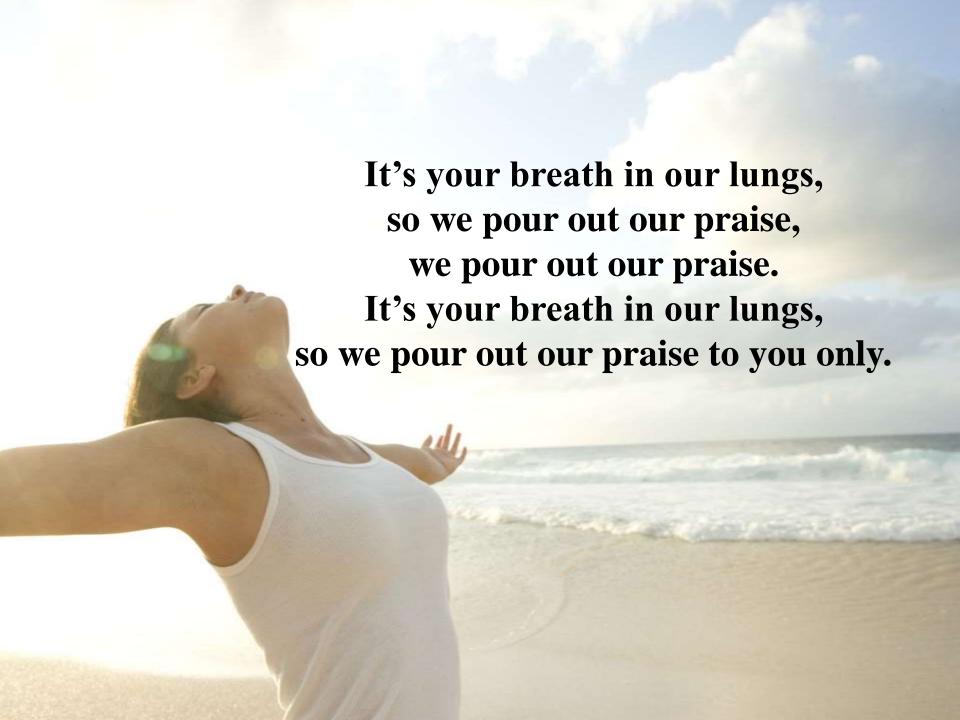
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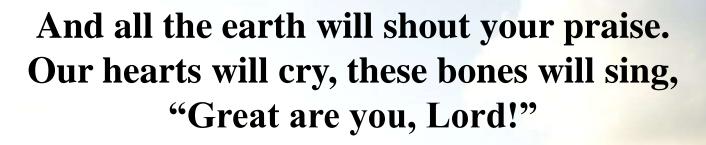


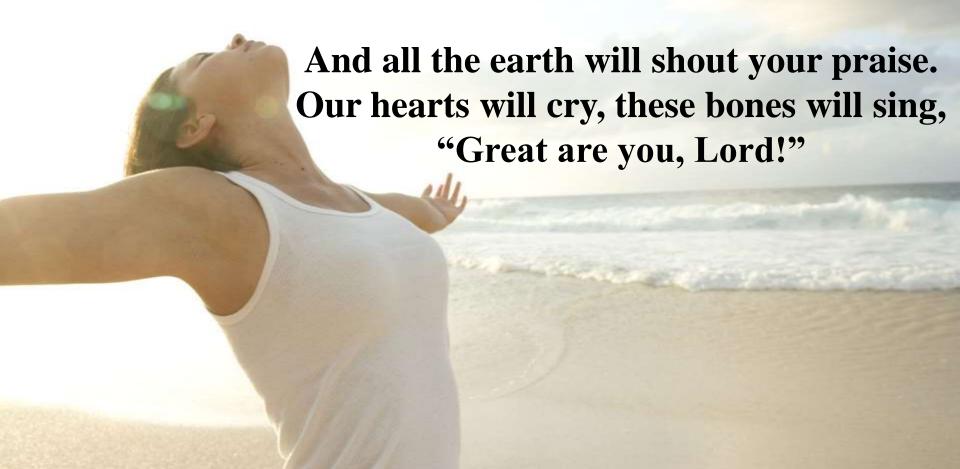


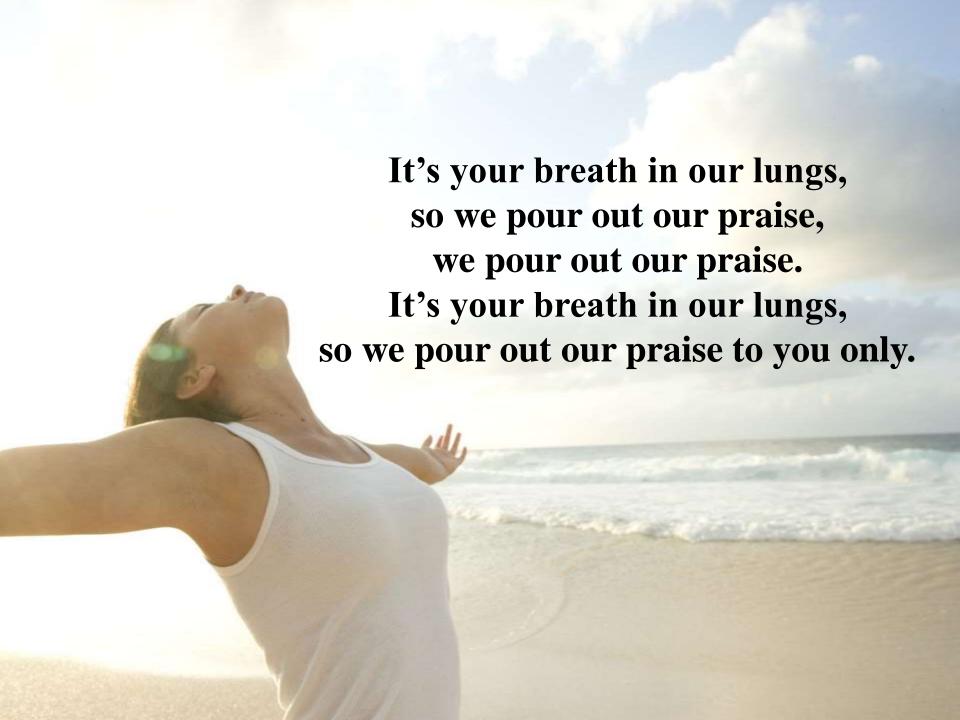












### My Jesus

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Are you past the point of weary?
Is your burden weighing heavy?
Is it all too much to carry?
Let me tell you 'bout my Jesus.

Do you feel that empty feeling 'cause shame's done all its stealing, and you're desperate for some healing? Let me tell you 'bout my Jesus.

He makes a way where there ain't no way.

Rises up from an empty grave.

Ain't no sinner that he can't save.

Let me tell you 'bout my Jesus.

His love is strong and his grace is free, and the good news is I know that he can do for you what he's done for me.

Let me tell you 'bout my Jesus.

And let my Jesus change your life.

## Hallelujah. Hallelujah. Hallelujah, amen, amen.

Who can wipe away the tears from broken dreams and wasted years, and tell the past to disappear?
Oh, and let me tell you 'bout my Jesus, and all the wrong turns that you would go and undo if you could.
Who can work it all for your good?
Let me tell you about my Jesus.

He makes a way where there ain't no way.

Rises up from an empty grave.

Ain't no sinner that he can't save.

Let me tell you 'bout my Jesus.

His love is strong and his grace is free, and the good news is I know that he can do for you what he's done for me.

Let me tell you 'bout my Jesus and let my Jesus change your life.

Hallelujah. Hallelujah. Hallelujah, amen, amen. (amen)

Who would take my cross to Calvary?

Pay the price for all my guilty?

Who would care that much about me?

Let me tell you 'bout my Jesus, oh.

He makes a way where there ain't no way.
Rises up from an empty grave.
Ain't no sinner that he can't save.
Let me tell you 'bout my Jesus.

His love is strong and his grace is free, and the good news is I know that he can do for you what he's done for me.

Let me tell you 'bout my Jesus.

And let my Jesus change your life.

Hallelujah. Hallelujah. Hallelujah, amen, amen.

Hallelujah. Hallelujah. Hallelujah, Let my Jesus change your life!



### This Little Light Of Mine

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1.

This little light of mine,
I'm goin'-a let it shine;
this little light of mine,
I'm goin'-a let it shine,
this little light of mine,
I'm goin'-a let it shine;
let it shine, let it shine,

2.

Ev'rywhere I go,
I'm goin'-a let it shine;
ev'rywhere I go,
I'm goin'-a let it shine,
ev'rewhere I go,
I'm goin'-a let it shine;
let it shine, let it shine,

**3.** 

Jesus gave it to me,
I'm goin'-a let it shine;
Jesus gave it to me,
I'm goin'-a let it shine,
Jesus gave it to me,
I'm goin'-a let it shine;
let it shine, let it shine, let it shine.









### Take My Life

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Holiness,
holiness
is what I long for.
Holiness is what I need.
Holiness,
holiness is what you want from me.

Faithfulness,
faithfulness
is what I long for.
Faithfulness is what I need.
Faithfulness,
faithfulness
is what you want from me.

So take my heart and form it.
Take my mind, transform it.
Take my will, conform it
to yours, to yours, oh Lord.

Righteousness,
righteousness
is what I long for.
Righteousness is what I need.
Righteousness,
righteousness
is what you want from me.

So take my heart and form it.
Take my mind, transform it.
Take my will, conform it
to yours, to yours, oh Lord.

To yours, to yours, oh Lord.

### Confession and Forgiveness

L: We all sin and fall short of the glory of God.

Let us, now, offer our confessions.

We live in a broken and hurting world,

Compassionate God.

All: Come and restore us, Reconciling God.

L: Greed, hate, power, jealousy, pride, and anger are only a few of the behaviors that separate us from each other.

All: Come and renew us, Loving God.

L: We nurse old wounds; we refuse to consider a different point of view; we are afraid of those we don't know; we act as if we have the best and only way.

All: Come and heal us, Merciful God.

L: We succumb to the idea that things will never change, that situations are hopeless, that conflicts will never cease, that relationships will remain broken.

All: But the good news is that God has the last word in our brokenness and that word is Jesus.

L: So, come, Lord Jesus, with your saving love and grace.

All: Come to save us from our sin. Come to save us from ourselves.

L: Come, Lord Jesus, to restore and mend broken lives, broken families, broken communities, and broken churches.

All: Amen.

L: The good news is this – Jesus came into the world to save us – to save us from our divisions, our greed, our selfishness, our hatred, our sins. This day we are saved to live our life in a new way – a life that reflects the restorative love of Jesus.

Amen.

## Scripture Reading Ephesians 4:11-16

#### Message

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#### **God of This City**

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You're the God of this city, you're the King of these people, you're the Lord of this nation, you are.

You're the light in this darkness, you're the hope to the hopeless, you're the peace to the restless, you are.

There is no one like our God. There is no one like you, God. Greater things have yet to come and greater things have still to be done in this city.

Greater things have yet to come and greater things have still to be done here

You're the Lord of creation, the Creator of all things, you're the King above all kings, you are.
You're the strength in the weakness, you're the love to the broken, you're the joy in the sadness,

There is no one like our God. There is no one like you, God.

you are.

Greater things have yet to come and greater things have still to be done in this city, where glory shines from hearts alive with praise for you and love for you in this city.

Greater things have yet to come and greater things have still to be done in this city.

Greater things have yet to come and greater things have still to be done in this city.

There is no one like our God.
There is no one like our God.
There is no one like you, God.
There is no one like you, God.

Greater things have yet to come and greater things have still to be done in this city.

Where glory shines from hearts alive with praise for you and love for you in the city.

Greater things have yet to come and greater things have still to be done in this city.

Greater things have yet to come and greater things have still to be done here.

#### Apostles' Creed

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to the dead.

On the third day he rose again;
he ascended into heaven,
he is seated at the right hand of the Father,
and he will come to judge
the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting.
Amen.



#### We Are an Offering

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We lift our voices, we lift our hands,
We lift our lives up to you,
we are an offering.
Lord, use our voices, Lord, use our hands,
Lord, use our lives, they are yours:
We are an offering.

All that we have, all that we are, all that we hope to be. we give to you, we give to you. We lift our voices,
we lift our hands,
we lift our lives up to you:
we are an offering,
we are an offering.

#### Offering Prayer

L: Please join me in the offering prayer...

C: For the blessings of this and all our days, we thank you, gracious God. Accept, we pray, not just this offering but also our lives freely offered in gratitude for all you have done for us. Use them both, in this place and wherever you might take us. Amen.



#### The Lord's Prayer

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.

### Blessing

L: May the peace of God reign in this place and the love of God forever hold you tight. May the Spirit of God flow through your life and the joy of God uphold you day and night.

C: Amen.

#### You've Already Won

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There's peace that outlasts darkness, hope that's in the blood.
There's future grace that's mine today that Jesus Christ has won.

So I can face tomorrow, for tomorrow's in your hands. All I need, you will provide, just like you always have.

I'm fighting a battle you already won.

No matter what comes my way,
I will overcome.

Don't know what you're doing,
but I know what you've done.
I'm fighting a battle you've already won.

There's mercy in the waiting, manna for today.
And when it's gone, I know you're not, you are my hope and stay.

When the sea is raging, your Spirit is my help.
He'll fix my eyes on Jesus Christ.
I'll say that it is well.
Oh, I know that it is well.

I'm fighting a battle you already won.

No matter what comes my way,
I will overcome.

Don't know what you're doing,
but I know what you've done.
I'm fighting a battle you've already won.

I know how the story ends.
We will be with you again.
You're my Savior, my defense.
No more fear in life or death.

I know how the story ends.
We will be with you again.
You're my Savior, my defense.
No more fear in life or death.
I know how this story ends.

I'm fighting a battle you already won.

No matter what comes my way,
I will overcome.

Don't know what you're doing,
but I know what you've done.
I'm fighting a battle you've already won.
I'm fighting a battle you've already won.

#### Dismissal

L: May God the Father prepare your journey,
Jesus the Son guide your footsteps, the
Spirit of Life strengthen your body, the
Three in One watch over you, on every road
that you may follow.

C: Amen.

# Thank you for worshipping with us!

God bless you!

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