5:30 & 10:30 Worship

DECEMBER 19-20, 2009 ACTS SERIES: THE AMAZING GRACE OF CHRISTMAS...

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SING WE NOW OF CHRISTMAS





ANGELS WE HAVE HEARD ON HIGH

TRADITIONAL FRENCH CAROL ARR. DEAN CHRISTENSEN

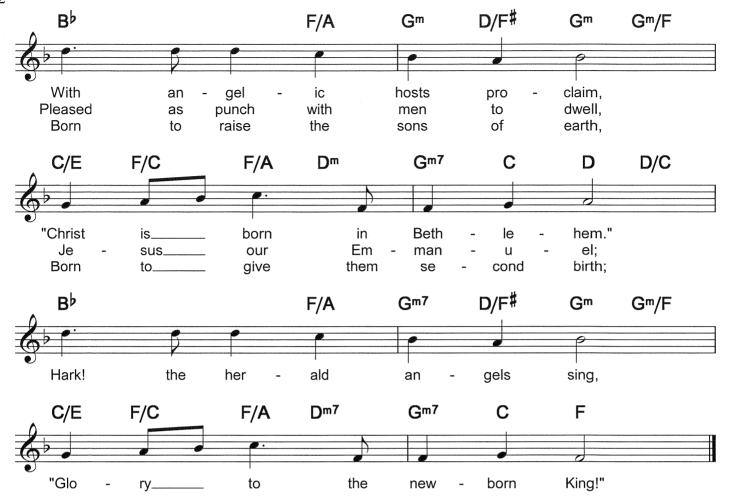






HARK, THE HERALD ANGELS





Week Four

In the first week of Advent, we remembered that Jesus comes as our Wonderful Counselor – Pure Wisdom. In the second week of Advent we celebrated that He comes as Mighty God – the omnipotent creator of all. In the third week, we considered that He comes to us as Everlasting Father – the source of all life.

In this last week of Advent, we embrace Him as the Prince of Peace.

Living in a world that is so full of strife, who of us hasn't longed for peace? The Hebrew word for peace, however, means much more than the absence of conflict or the end of turmoil. Shalom conveys a deep sense of tranquility, wholeness and completion. When peace was announced at Christmas, it was the coming of the transformation of the world from the way it's not supposed to be into "the way things ought to be." God was bringing Shalom to the world!

Christmas brought the good news that the Prince of Shalom had come to conquer sin and death and to establish His Kingdom on earth. This gives us real hope in the here and now. But it also sends us on mission. While we wait for the return of our King Jesus to bring the final restoration of ultimate Shalom, we must move obediently with His Spirit to bring His Shalom Kingdom into our broken and needy world.

As we light this week's candle, we do so asking Him to bring His Shalom into our brokenness – and to empower and send us into the world to be His peacemakers.

Prayer

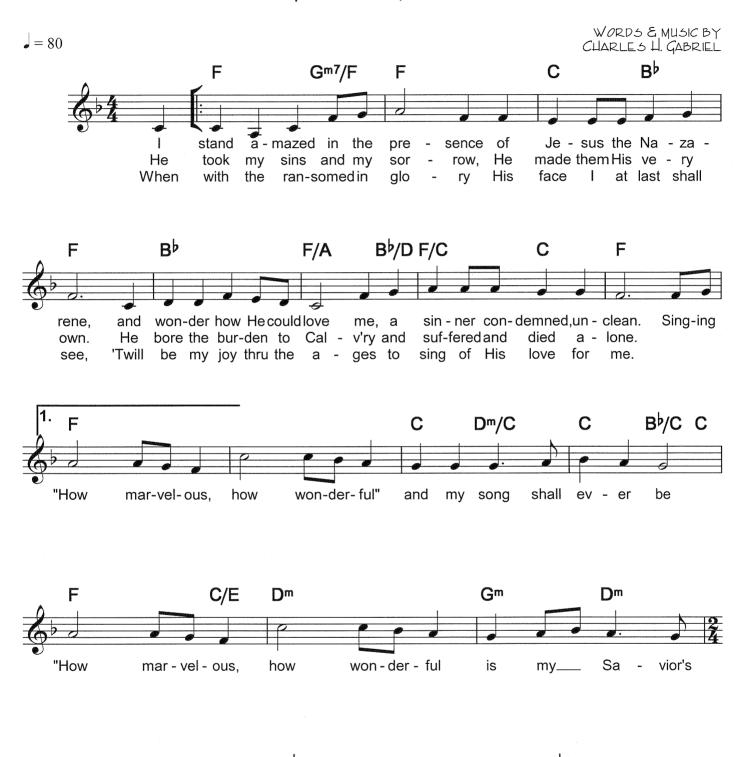
Lord Jesus, Prince of Peace, speak Your shalom into our chaos. May Your deep shalom rule in our hearts, bringing wholeness to our brokenness. Teach us to become peacemakers – loving justice, doing right, and leading others along the path of peace.

O COME ALL YE FAITHFUL





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AMAZING GRACE - MY CHAINS ARE GONE

WORDS & MUSIC BY JOHN NEWTON THIS ARR. - CHRIS TOMLIN



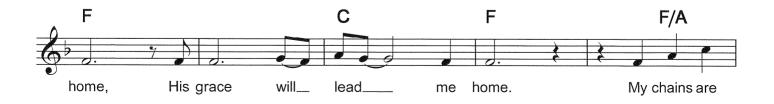


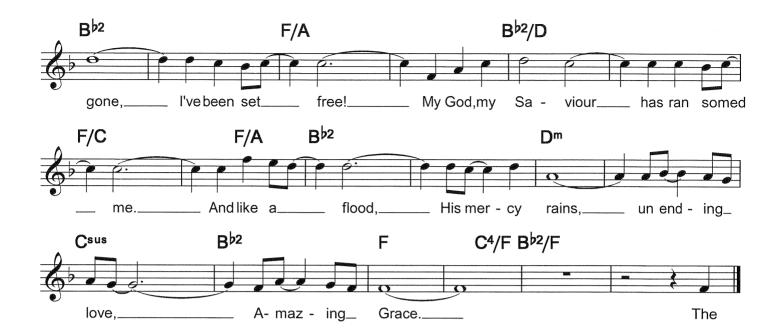












GLORIOUS DAY

WORDS BY WILBUR CHAPMAN (1908) MUSIC BY JEFF JOHNSON (2007)

