

GRACE EVANGELICAL CHURCH

SUNDAY

OCT. 13, 2013

The organ prelude marks the beginning of the worship service. It calls us to quiet ourselves and to direct our hearts and minds toward Him.

Prelude	“The Call to Serve” by Tod Kendall	
Call to Worship	“This Is the Day” “Blessed Be the Lord”	Insert
Invocation		
Gloria Patri		Insert
Announcements		
Hymn	“Safely Through Another Week”	72
Hymn	“It Is Well with My Soul”	73
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In His Word	“Waiting to Live? Carpe Diem”	XXX
Benediction		
Closing Chorus	“Freely, Freely”	Insert

*“This is the day which the LORD hath made;
 we will rejoice and be glad in it.”*
Psalm 118:24

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We Two

We two make home of any place we go;
 We two find joy in any kind of weather;
 Or if the earth is clothed in bloom or snow;
 What matters it if we two are together/
 We two, we two, we make our world and weather.

We two make banquets of the plainest fare;
 In every cup we find the thrill of pleasure;
 We hide with wreaths the furrowed brow of care,
 And win to smiles the set lips of despair.
 For us life always moves with lifting measure;
 We two, we two, we make our world, our pleasure.

We two find youth renewed with every dawn;
 Each day holds something of an unknown glory.
 We waste no thought on grief or pleasure gone;
 Tricked out like hope, time leads us on and on,
 And thrums upon his harp new song or story.
 We two, we two, we find our path of glory.

We two make heaven here on this little earth;
 We do not need to wait for realms eternal.
 We know the use of tears, know sorrow’s worth,
 And pain for us is always love’s rebirth.
 Our paths lead closely by the paths supernal;
 We two, we two we live love eternal.

Ella Wheeler Wilcox

ANNOUNCEMENTS.....

10/13	Sun.	10:30 AM	Sunday School
		11:30 AM	Fellowship & Refreshments
		11:45 AM	World Communion Service
10/02	Wed.	7:00 PM	Mid-Week Services
			Prayer, Praise, and Bible Study
			Adult Study; "The Gospel of Luke"
			Kids Club "Beginner Explorers"
			Tens; "Teen Talk"
11/03	Sun.	11:45APM	Voice of Martyrs Service

Remember soup collection for Metropolitan Ministries.

On the table at the entrance to the sanctuary you will find visitor cards, prayer cards, the attendance register, and the offering box. If you have never completed a visitor card, please complete one and place it in the offering box. If you have completed a visitor card on a previous visit, please register your attendance today by signing the attendance register.

A MERRY HEART DOETH GOOD LIKE A MEDICINE

YOU'VE BEEN DRINKING TOO MUCH COFFEE . . .

You don't even wait for the water to boil anymore.

PARAPROSDOKIANS

Paraprosdokians (Winston Churchill loved them) are figures of speech in which the latter part of a sentence or phrase is surprising or unexpected; frequently humorous.

5. Going to church doesn't make you a Christian any more than standing in a garage makes you a car.

SMILE Cowboy Joe

Cowboy Joe was telling his fellow cowboys back on the ranch about his first visit to a big-city church. "When I got there, they had me park my old truck in the corral," Joe began. "You mean the parking lot," interrupted Charlie, a more worldly fellow. "I walked up the trail to the door," Joe continued. "The sidewalk to the door," Charlie corrected him. "Inside the door, I was met by this dude," Joe went on. "That would be the usher," Charlie explained. "Well, the usher led me down the chute," Joe said. "You mean the aisle," Charlie said. "Then, he led me to a stall and told me to sit there," Joe continued. "Pew," Charlie retorted. "Yeah," recalled Joe. "That's what that pretty lady said when I sat down beside her."

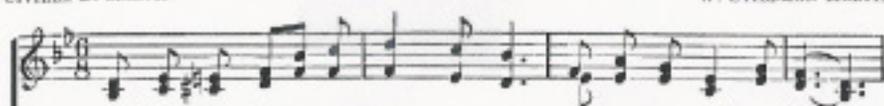
WHY MOTHER YELL SO MUCH



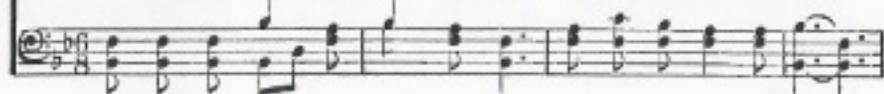
PROVERBS FOR LIVING

"The rich and poor meet together
the LORD is the maker of them all."

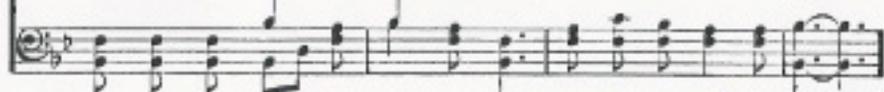
Proverbs 22:22



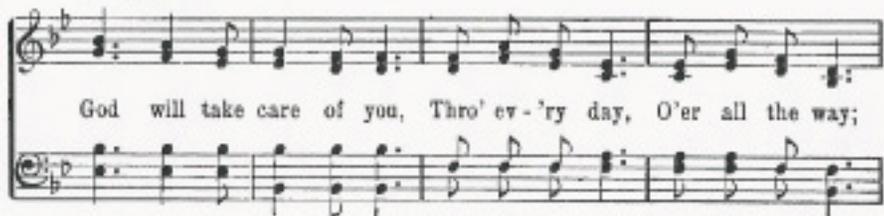
1. Be not dis - mayed what-e'er be - tide, God will take care of you;
2. Thro' days of toil when heart doth fail, God will take care of you;
3. All you may need He will pro - vide, God will take care of you;
4. No mat - ter what may be the test, God will take care of you;



Be - neath His wings of love a - bide, God will take care of you.
 When dan - gers fierce your path as - sail, God will take care of you.
 Noth - ing you ask will be de - nied, God will take care of you.
 Lean, wear - y one, up - on His breast, God will take care of you.



CHORUS



God will take care of you, Thro' ev - 'ry day, O'er all the way;



He will take care of you, God will take care of you. . .
 take care of you.



THIS IS THE DAY

This is the day. This is the day.
 That the Lord hath made. That the Lord hath made.
 I will rejoice. I will rejoice.
 And be glad in it. And be glad in it.
 This is the day that the Lord hath made.
 I will rejoice and be glad in it.
 This is the day. This is the day.
 That the lord hath made. Ps 118:24

BLESSED BE THE LORD

Blessed be the Lord
 O blessed be the Lord
 Who loadeth us daily with benefits
 Even the God, the God of our salvation. Ps 68:19

GLORIA PATRI

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost
 As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be
 World without end. Amen. Amen

A HAPPY BIRTHDAY/ANNIVERSARY TO YOU

A happy birthday to you...a happy anniversary to you.
 Every day of the year...may you find Jesus near.
 A happy birthday to you...a happy anniversary to you.
 The best you have ever had

REELY, FREELY

Freely, freely you have received, freely, freely give.
 Go in My name and because you believe Others will know that I live.

1. Safe - ly through an - oth - er week God has brought us on our way;
2. While we pray for par-d'ning grace, Thro' the dear Re-deem-er's name,
3. Here we come Thy name to praise, Let us feel Thy pres-ence near;
4. May Thy gos-pel's joy - ful sound Con-quer sin-ners, com-fort saints;

Let us now a bless-ing seek, Wait-ing in His courts to - day;
Show Thy rec - on - cil - ed face; Take a - way our sin and shame:
May Thy glo - ry meet our eyes, While we in Thy house ap - pear:
Make the fruits of grace a - board, Bring re - lief for all com-plaints:

Day of all the week the best, Em-blem of e - ter - nal rest: Day of
From our world-ly cares set free, May we rest this day in Thee: From our
Here af - ford us, Lord, a taste Of our ev - er - last-ing feast: Here af -
Thus may all our Sab-baths prove, Till we join the Church a - bove: Thus may

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1. When peace, like a riv - er, at - tend-eth my way, When sor-rows like
2. Though Sa-tan should buf - fet, tho' tri - als should come, Let this blest as -
3. My sin - oh, the bliss of this glo - ri - ous tho't—My sin—not in
4. And, Lord, haste the day when the faith shall be sight, The clouds be rolled

sea - bil - lows roll; What - ev - er my lot, Thou hast taught me to say,
sur - ance con - trol, That Christ has re - gard - ed my help - less es - tate,
part, but the whole, Is nailed to the cross and I bear it no more,
back as a scroll, The trump shall re - sound and the Lord shall de - scend,

Crescendo

It is well, it is well with my soul.
And hath shed His own blood for my soul. It is well with my
Praise the Lord, praise the Lord, O my soul!
"E - ven so"—it is well with my soul. *It is well*

soul, It is well, it is well with my soul.
with my soul,

10/13/13
“Waiting to Live? Carpe Diem”
Psalm 118:24

(Psa 90:12) So teach *us* to number our days, that we may apply *our* hearts unto wisdom.

(Mat 6:34) Take therefore no thought for the morrow: for the morrow shall take thought for the things of itself. Sufficient unto the day *is* the evil thereof.

(Eph 5:16) Redeeming the time, because the days are evil.

(Psa 118:24) This *is* the day *which* the LORD hath made; we will rejoice and be glad in it.

(Psa 68:19) Blessed *be* the Lord, *who* daily loadeth us *with benefits, even* the God of our salvation. Selah.

(Dan 12:4) But thou, O Daniel, shut up the words, and seal the book, *even* to the time of the end: many shall run to and fro, and knowledge shall be increased.

Seize the Day-*Carol Arends*

I know a girl who was schooled in Manhattan
She reads dusty books and learns phrases in Latin
She is an author, or maybe a poet
A genius, but it's just this world doesn't know it
She works on her novel most every day
If you laugh she will say

Seize the day seize whatever you can
Cause life slips away just like hourglass sand
Seize the day pray for grace from God's hand
Then nothing will stand in your way
Seize the day

Well I know a doctor, a fine young physician
Left his six figure job for a mission position
He's healing the sick in an African clinic
He works in the dirt and writes home to the cynics
He says, We work through the night so most every day
As we watch the sun rise we can say.

Chorus

I know a man who's been doing some thinking
He's as bitter and cold as the whiskey he's drinking
He's talking 'bout fear, about chances not taken
If you listen to him you can hear his heart breaking
He says, One day you're a boy and the next day you're dead
I wish way back when someone had said.

Chorus

Well one thing I've noticed wherever I wander
Everyone's got a dream he can follow or squander
You can do what you will with the days you are given
I'm trying to spend mine on the business of living
So I'm singing my songs off of any old stage
You can laugh if you want I'll still say.

Chorus