

July 3rd Home Worship Plan

This weekend as we celebrate as our nation celebrates Independence Day, let's remember that our Creator God is the author of our freedom and that He wants to set us free from whatever binds us. And most importantly, His Son, Jesus Christ, died to set us free from our bondage to sin and death. Hallelujah!

~~OPENING PRAYER~~

Dear Heavenly Father, we want to take this time to thank You for all the precious freedoms that You have given to us through our nation. And especially the freedom to come together as your people to worship you freely and publicly!

Galatians 5:13 says, "For you have been called to live in freedom, my brothers and sisters. But don't use your freedom to satisfy your sinful nature. Instead, use your freedom to serve one another in love."

Lord God, thank you so much for setting us free from our bondage to sin and death through Your Son, Jesus Christ. We know that with much freedom also comes much responsibility. Please show us how we may use our freedoms to serve one another in love!

In Jesus Name, Amen

~~SONGS~~

Amazing Grace (My Chains are Gone) – by Chris Tomlin youtu.be/Jbe7OruLk8I

Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing youtu.be/ax_NMWLEb6U

~~CALL TO WORSHIP READING~~

In our distress, we prayed to the Lord, And he answered us and set us free (Psalm 118:5).

So if the Son sets us free, we are truly free (John 8:36).

And because Christ has indeed set us free,
We know that is how we must stay.
Being careful not to get tied up again in slavery (Galatians 5:1).

The Lord gives justice to the oppressed and food to the hungry.

The Lord frees the prisoners (Psalm 146:7).

And remember, if we were slaves when the Lord called us,
We are now free in Christ.
And if we were free when the Lord called us,
We are now slaves of Christ (1 Corinthians 7:22).

And since the Spirit of the Sovereign Lord is upon us,
He has anointed us to bring good news to the poor.
He has sent us to comfort the brokenhearted
And proclaim that captives will be released
And prisoners will be freed (Isaiah 61:1) (NLT)

www.learnreligions.com/independence-day-prayers-699929

Watch an inspiring 2 minute video on RightNow Media of how one woman put her faith and freedom into action to serve others in love:

"Blessings for a Day" app.rightnowmedia.org/en/content/details/158238

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COMMUNION RESPONSIVE READING (from the hymnal)

1 Corinthians 11:23-25

To prepare for taking Communion together, have juice and bread available.

LEADER: The Lord Jesus, on the night he was betrayed, took bread, and when he had given thanks, he broke it and said, "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is for you; do this in remembrance of me." GROUP: Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.

Eat the bread together

LEADER: In the same way, after supper he took the cup, saying, "This cup is the new covenant in my blood; do this, whenever you drink it, in remembrance of me."

GROUP: We remember his death, We proclaim his resurrection, We await his coming in glory.

Drink the juice together

WORSHIP THROUGH GIVING

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CLOSING SONG
Way Maker by Sinach
youtu.be/n4XWfwLHeLM

CLOSING BLESSING

Numbers 6:24-26 (NLT) "May the Lord bless you and protect you. May the Lord smile on you and be gracious to you. May the Lord show you his favor and give you his peace."

Amazing Grace (My Chains are Gone) – by Chris Tomlin

Amazing grace

How sweet the sound

That saved a wretch like me

I once was lost, but now I'm 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

My chains are gone

I've been set free

My God, my Savior has ransomed me

And like a flood His mercy reigns

Unending love, amazing grace

The Lord has promised good to me

His word my hope secures

He will my shield and portion be

As long as life endures

My chains are gone

I've been set free

My God, my Savior has ransomed me

And like a flood His mercy reigns

Unending love, amazing grace

My chains are gone

I've been set free

My God, my Savior has ransomed me

And like a flood His mercy reigns

Unending love, amazing grace

The earth shall soon dissolve like snow

The sun forbear to shine

But God, who called me here below

Will be forever mine

Will be forever mine

You are forever mine

Songwriters: Chris Tomlin, Louie Giglio. For non-commercial use only.

Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing

Come Thou fount of every blessing Tune my heart to sing Thy grace Streams of mercy never ceasing Call for songs of loudest praise Teach me some melodious sonnet Sung by flaming tongues above Praise the mount, I'm fixed upon it Mount of Thy redeeming love Here I raise my Ebenezer Here by Thy great help I've come And I hope by Thy good pleasure Safely to arrive at home Jesus sought me when a stranger Wandering from the fold of God He to rescue me from danger Interposed His precious blood (Precious blood) Oh, that day when freed from sinning I shall see Thy lovely face Clothed then in blood washed linen How I'll sing Thy sovereign grace Come my Lord, no longer tarry Take my ransomed soul away Send Thine angels now to carry Me to realms of endless days Oh, to grace how great a debtor Daily I'm constrained to be Let Thy goodness like a fetter Bind my wandering heart to Thee Prone to wander, Lord I feel it Prone to leave the God I love Here's my heart, oh take and seal it Seal it for Thy courts above Here's my heart Oh take and seal it Seal it for Thy courts above

Songwriters: Christopher M. Rice, Dp. For non-commercial use only.

WAY MAKER - BY SINACH

You are here, moving in our midst

I worship You, I worship You

You are here, working in this place

I worship You, I worship You

You are here, moving in our midst

I worship You, I worship You

You are here, working in this place

I worship You, I worship You

Way maker, miracle worker, promise keeper

Light in the darkness, my God

That is who You are

Way maker, miracle worker, promise keeper

Light in the darkness, my God

That is who You are

You are here, touching every heart

I worship You, I worship You

You are here, healing every heart

I worship You, I worship You

You are here, turning lives around

I worship You, I worship You

You are here, mending every heart

I worship You, I worship You

Way maker, miracle worker, promise keeper

Light in the darkness

That is who You are

Way maker, miracle worker, promise keeper

Light in the darkness, my God

That is who You are

You wipe away all tears, You mend the broken heart

You're the answer to it all, Jesus

You wipe away all tears, You mend the broken heart

You're the answer to it all, to it all Jesus, yeah!

Way maker, miracle worker, promise keeper

Light in the darkness, my God

That is who You are

Way maker, miracle worker, promise keeper

Light in the darkness, my God

That is who You are

You are here touching every life

I worship You, I worship You

You are here meeting every need

I worship You. I worship You

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