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UPCOMING EVENTS

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

After Worship Service: Coffee Hour Thursday, March 21, 2024

Today: Carolyn

Next Sunday: Juyoun

Pastor's Office Hour 10am-12noon

Monday, March 18, 2024

Monday Methodists 9am

Knitting Circle 10am

Wednesday, March 20, 2024

**Lenten Bible Study with Soup for
the Soul 11am**

World Down Syndrome Day

#LotsofSocks

**Please send a picture of your feet
wearing mismatched socks
to Pastor Daein**

by Wednesday, March 20, 2024

GREETING

This is the fifth step on our Lenten journey,
the step of sacrifice.

Be with us, Lord, as we take this step.

This requires the willingness
to give all of your life to the Lord.

Be with us, Lord, as we commit our lives to you.

Come, let us worship
and offer our voices of praise to God.

Let us open our hearts and spirits to God this day.

AMEN.

PRAYER

**Lord, be with us this day
as we commit ourselves to being your disciples.
Help us to face the future unafraid,
trusting in your loving care and presence with us.
We pray this in Jesus' name. AMEN.**

Nothing but the Blood



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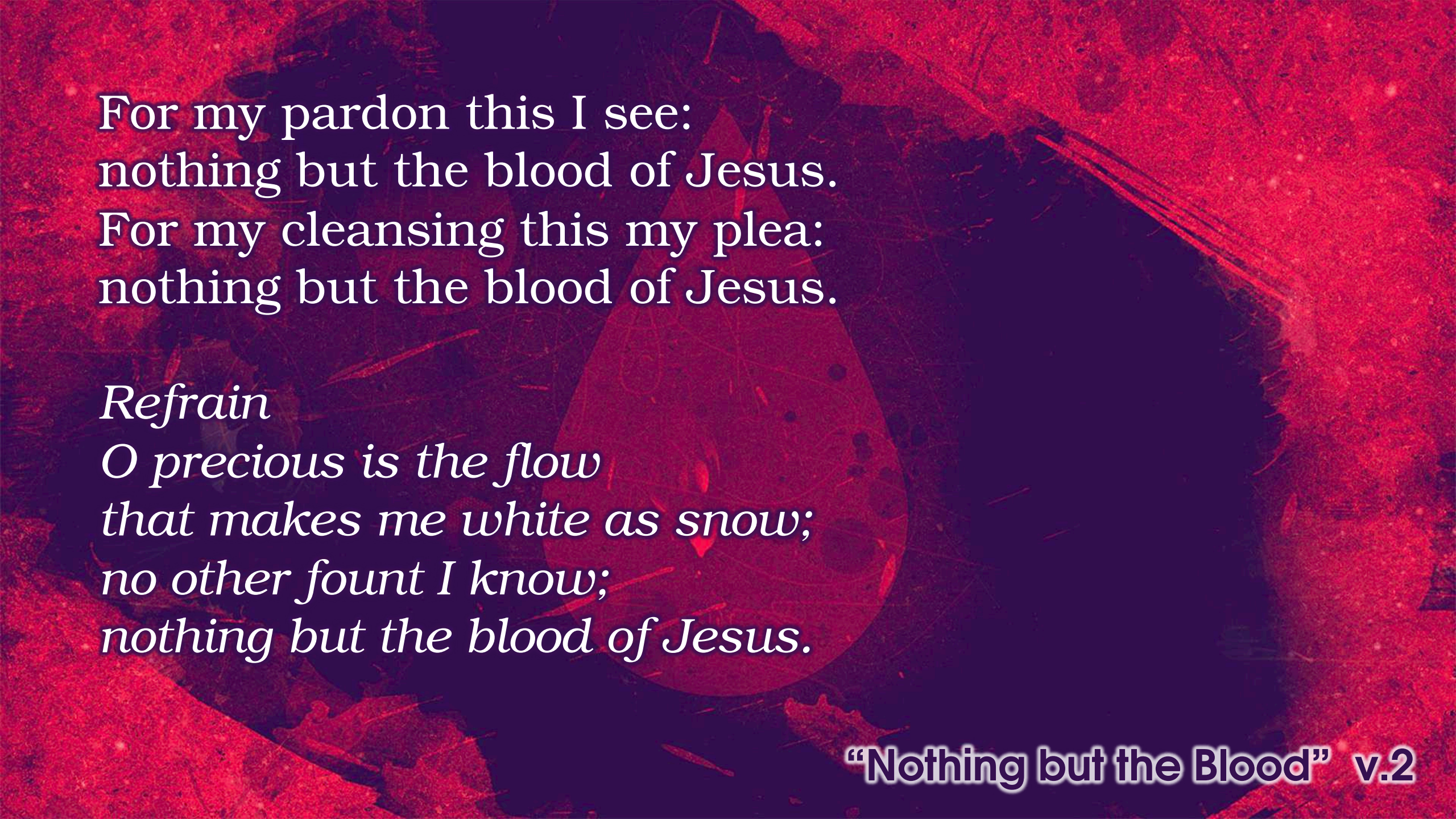
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What can wash away my sin?
Nothing but the blood of Jesus.
What can make me whole again?
Nothing but the blood of Jesus.

Refrain

*O precious is the flow
that makes me white as snow;
no other fount I know;
nothing but the blood of Jesus.*

“Nothing but the Blood” v.1



For my pardon this I see:
nothing but the blood of Jesus.
For my cleansing this my plea:
nothing but the blood of Jesus.

Refrain

*O precious is the flow
that makes me white as snow;
no other fount I know;
nothing but the blood of Jesus.*

Nothing can for sin atone:
nothing but the blood of Jesus.
Naught of good that I have done:
nothing but the blood of Jesus.

Refrain

*O precious is the flow
that makes me white as snow;
no other fount I know;
nothing but the blood of Jesus.*

This is all my hope and peace:
nothing but the blood of Jesus.
This is all my righteousness:
nothing but the blood of Jesus.

Refrain

*O precious is the flow
that makes me white as snow;
no other fount I know;
nothing but the blood of Jesus.*

+PASSING OF THE PEACE

SPECIAL MUSIC

SHARING OF JOYS AND CONCERNS

PASTORAL PRAYER

Lord, listen to your children praying,
Lord, send your Spirit in this place;
Lord, listen to your children praying.
Send us love, send us pow'r, send us grace.

*Writer: Ken Medema (1973)
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“Lord, Listen to Your Children Praying”



The background is a dark, textured still life. In the upper left, a wooden book is open, with a red egg resting on its pages. In the upper right, a hand is visible, holding a scroll. The overall tone is somber and historical.

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

**And lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.**

**For thine is the kingdom, and the power,
and the glory forever. Amen.**



God Is So Good

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God is so good,
God is so good,
God is so good,
God's so good to me.

God cares for me,
God cares for me,
God cares for me,
God's so good to me.

God loves me so,
God loves me so,
God loves me so,
God's so good to me.

God is so good,
God is so good,
God is so good,
God's so good to me.

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON

Jeremiah 31:31-34 NRSV

31 The days are surely coming, says the LORD, when I will make a new covenant with the house of Israel and the house of Judah. **32** It will not be like the covenant that I made with their ancestors when I took them by the hand to bring them out of the land of Egypt—a covenant that they broke, though I was their husband, says the LORD.

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON

Jeremiah 31:31-34 NRSV

33 But this is the covenant that I will make with the house of Israel after those days, says the LORD: I will put my law within them, and I will write it on their hearts, and I will be their God, and they shall be my people. **34** No longer shall they teach one another or say to each other, "Know the LORD," for they shall all know me, from the least of them to the greatest, says the LORD, for I will forgive their iniquity and remember their sin no more.

NEW TESTAMENT LESSON

John 3:14-21 NRSV

⁵ So also Christ did not glorify himself in becoming a high priest but was appointed by the one who said to him, “You are my Son; today I have begotten you”;
⁶ as he says also in another place, “You are a priest forever, according to the order of Melchizedek.”

NEW TESTAMENT LESSON

John 3:14-21 NRSV

⁷ In the days of his flesh, Jesus offered up prayers and supplications, with loud cries and tears, to the one who was able to save him from death, and he was heard because of his reverent submission.

⁸ Although he was a Son, he learned obedience through what he suffered, ⁹ and having been made perfect, he became the source of eternal salvation for all who obey him, ¹⁰ having been designated by God a high priest according to the order of Melchizedek.



SERMON

*The All-Encompassing
Embrace*

Rev. Daein Park

OFFERTORY “Above All”

Author: Paul Baloche, Lenny LeBlanc

Tune: ABOVE ALL POWERS

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Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;

Praise God, all creatures here below;

Praise God above, ye heavenly host;

Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

OFFERTORY PRAYER



Where He Leads Me *vs. 1,2, and 4*

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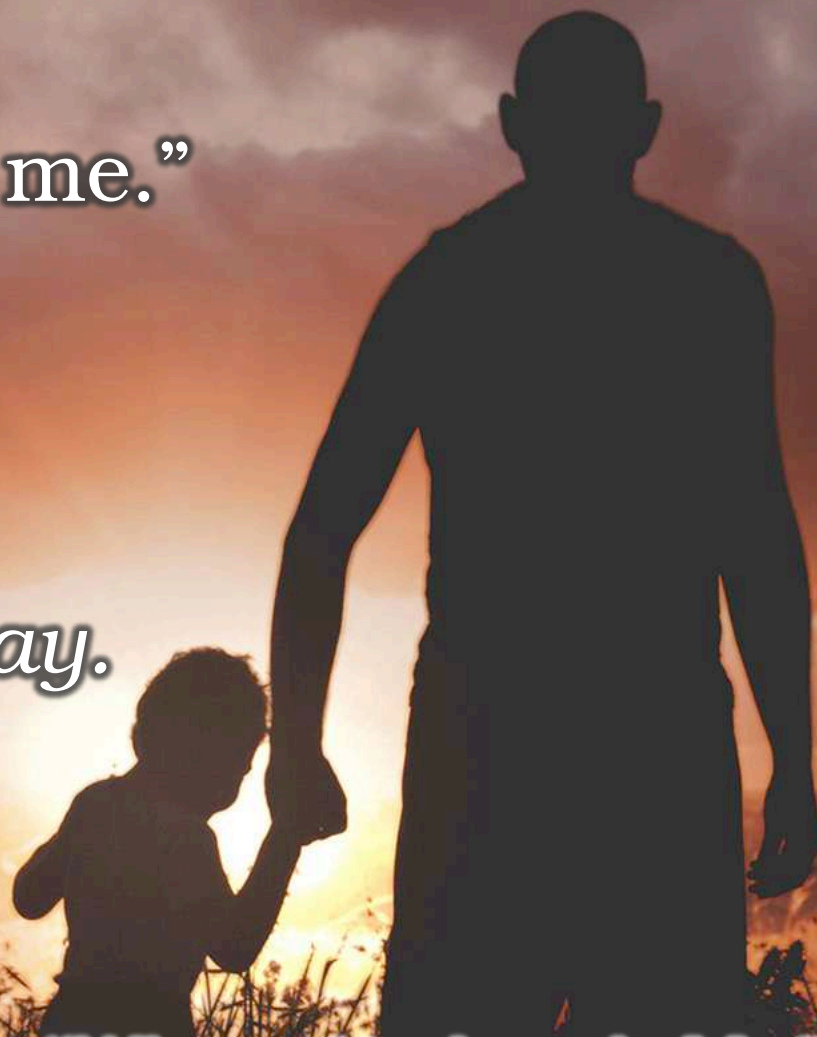
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I can hear my Savior calling,
I can hear my Savior calling,
I can hear my Savior calling,
“Take thy cross and follow, follow me.”

*Where he leads me I will follow,
where he leads me I will follow,
where he leads me I will follow;
I'll go with him, with him all the way.*



“Where He Leads Me” v.1

I'll go with him through the garden,
I'll go with him through the garden,
I'll go with him through the garden,
I'll go with him, with him all the way.

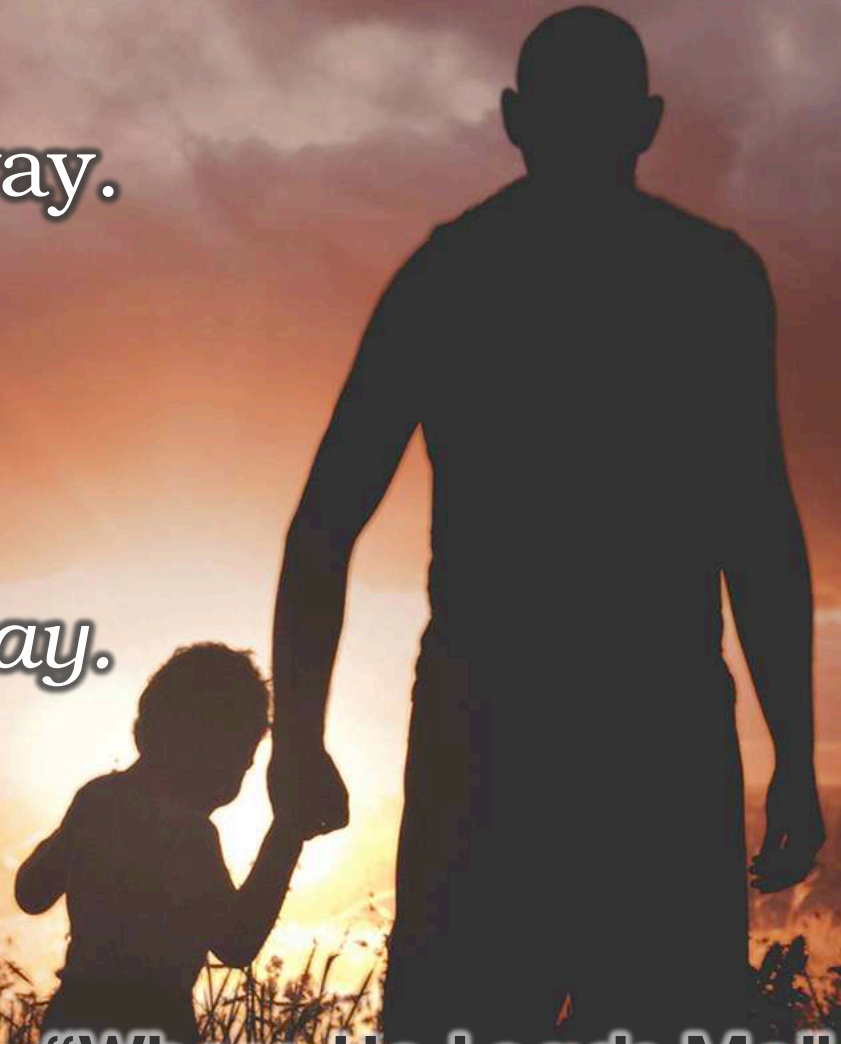
*Where he leads me I will follow,
where he leads me I will follow,
where he leads me I will follow;
I'll go with him, with him all the way.*



"Where He Leads Me" v.2

He will give me grace and glory,
He will give me grace and glory,
He will give me grace and glory,
and go with me, with me all the way.

*Where he leads me I will follow,
where he leads me I will follow,
where he leads me I will follow;
I'll go with him, with him all the way.*



"Where He Leads Me" v.4

+BENEDICTION

THANK YOU
FOR COMING

SEE YOU NEXT WEEK

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