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LAP BULLETIN

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 **TUNE IN** **FACEBOOK GROUP (LAP LIVE STREAM)**
SUNDAYS @ 9.30AM | THURSDAYS @ 7.45PM



IMPORTANT: E-ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING BRIEFING
TOMORROW DURING ANNOUNCEMENT TIME



**HYMNS FOR
SUNDAY WORSHIP**

ANYWHERE IS HOME



*Adapted from
Hymnstudiesblog*

**PRAYER REQUESTS, BIRTHDAYS
& MEN-TO-SERVE SCHEDULE**

WE ARE HERE FOR YOU

Elders

Bro Jimmy Lau
Bro Michael Yeo

Deacons

Bro Jerry Cheong
Bro Benjamin Tan

Preacher

Bro Ernest Lau

Administrator

Sis Ser Ern

Beulah Land

Edgar Page

Jno. R. Sweney

1. I've reached the land of love di - vine And all its rich - es free - ly mine; Here
 2. My Sav - ior comes and walks with me, And sweet com - mun - ion here have we; He
 3. A sweet per - fume up - on the breeze, Is borne from ev - er - ver - nal trees, And
 4. The zeph - yrs seem to float to me, Sweet sounds of heav - en's mel - o - dy, As

shines un - dimmed one bliss - ful day, For all my night has passed a - way
 gent - ly leads me by His hand, For this is heav - en's bor - der - land.
 flow'rs that, nev - er - fad - ing, grow Where streams of life for ev - er flow.
 an - gels with the white - robed throng Join in the sweet Re - demp - tion song.

O Beu - lah Land, sweet Beu - lah Land, As on thy high - est mount I stand, I

look a - way a - cross the sea, Where man - sions are pre - pared for me, And

view the shin - ing glo - ry - shore, My heav'n, my home for ev - er - more!

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Christ's Love Is All I Need

George W. Sides, 1924

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1. Tho' dark and drear - y be life's way And bur - dens hard to bear;
 2. Tho' tri - als press on ev - 'ry side And man - y snares there be:
 3. And when I hear the boat-man's call, Come cross the chil - ly tide;

There's One whose love will nev - er fail, My heart shall ne'er de - spair.
 I look in sim - ple faith to Him, Who calmed the storm - y sea.
 I shall not fear to launch my bark, For Christ is at my side.

My hope is staid in Him to - day and He will safe - ly lead;
 He is the Shep - herd kind and true, His sheep He'll ev - er feed;
 He bore the sting of death for me, Has met my ev - 'ry need;

To that sweet home be - yond the sea, Christ's love is all I need.
 This cheers me on and makes me strong, Christ's love is all I need.
 And so I sing the sweet re - frain, Christ's love is all I need.

HYMN #2

CHORUS

Christ's love is all I need each day,
O His love pre - cious love's all I need, need each day,

I know I know Christ's pre - cious love is all I need,
Yes, I know, pre - cious love is all,

He'll lead me safe - ly on life's way,
O He'll lead, yes, He'll lead safe - ly on, on life's way,

I know, I know Christ's pre - cious, pre - cious love is all I need.
O I know His love is all I need (I need)

Hymn
#44

ANYWHERE IS HOME

**“FOR I HAVE LEARNED, IN
WHATSOEVER STATE I AM,
THERewith TO BE CONTENT”
(PHIL. 4:11)**

INTRO.: A song which encourages us to learn to be content in whatever state or condition we happen to be is "Anywhere Is Home." The text was written by James Melvin Henson (1887-1972). The tune was composed by Homer F. Morris (1875-1955). The song was copyrighted in 1927 by Morris and Henson. The copyright was assigned to R. E. Winsett in 1943, and from him passed to Ellis J. Crum. Other songs by him that have appeared in some of our books include "I'll Live in Glory" and "Happy Am I." Another famous tune by Morris was provided for James Rowe's "Won't It Be Wonderful There?"

The song reminds us that spiritually speaking "home" is not a place but a relationship with Christ.

I. Stanza 1 points out that we can be at home without earthly wealth or fame

**“EARTHLY WEALTH AND FAME MAY
NEVER COME TO ME, AND A PALACE FAIR
HERE MINE MAY NEVER BE;
BUT LET COME WHAT MAY,
IF CHRIST FOR ME DOTH CARE,
ANYWHERE IS HOME,
IF HE IS ONLY THERE.”**

1. Some in this world have wealth while others do not: Jas. 1:9-10
2. But it makes no difference whether we live in a palace fair or not because even Jesus did not have a place to lay His head: Lk. 9:58
3. However, we can be at home anywhere if we understand that Christ cares for us: 1 Pet. 5:7

II. Stanza 2 points out that we can be at home even when tossed and driven by the foe

**“OFT I’M TOSSED ABOUT
AND DRIVEN BY THE FOE, SAD WITHIN,
WITHOUT, WHEREVER I MAY GO;
BUT I PRESS ALONG,
STILL LOOKING UP IN PRAYER,
FOR IT’S HOME, SWEET HOME,
IF CHRIST IS ONLY THERE.”**

1. Being tossed about and driven by the foe refers to the various trials that we face in life: Jas. 1:2
2. These trials make us sad or grieved for a little while: 1 Pet. 1:6
3. However, we can be at home anywhere by looking to God through Christ in prayer: Phil. 4:6-7

III. Stanza 3 points out that we can be at home while laboring on

"I WILL LABOR ON
 TILL I AM CALLED AWAY,
 TILL THE MORN SHALL DAWN
 OF THAT ETERNAL DAY,
 LOOKING UNTO HIM
 WHO KEEPS ME IN HIS CARE;
 ANYWHERE IS HOME,
 IF CHRIST MY LORD,
 IS THERE."

1. As long as we are alive and able, we must labor on: 1 Cor. 15:58
2. While doing this, we are waiting for the morn to dawn of that eternal day when we receive our inheritance in heaven: 1 Pet. 1:3-5

3. However, even here, we can be at home anywhere by looking unto Jesus: Heb. 12:1-2

**CONCL.: The chorus
emphasizes the importance
of bearing our cross for
Christ.**

"ANYWHERE IS HOME,
 LET COME AND GO WHAT MAY;
 ANYWHERE I ROAM
 HE KEEPS ME ALL THE WAY.
 SO FOR HIS DEAR SAKE
 MY CROSS I'LL MEEKLY BEAR;
 ANYWHERE IS HOME,
 IF CHRIST, MY LORD, IS THERE."

One of the sweetest words in any language is "home." God has prepared an eternal home for His people in heaven. However, again, "home" is not primarily a place but a relationship, so that even here in this life, if we are true followers of Jesus Christ we can find that "Anywhere Is Home."



Prayer Requests, Birthdays & Men-to-Serve Schedule



HEALTH

- Sis Baby's, sis Yeoh's, sis Rosalind's, sis Swee Inn's & bro Winston's health
- Sis Suan Kiang's, bro Eddy (JCOC)'s health
- Sis Deborah's recovery from her slipped disc surgery
- Sis Adeline's mother's recovery from her cataract surgery
- Sis Jasmine Lim's mother's recovery from fractured ankle
- Claire (sis Rhui Yin's daughter)'s recovery from her fractured leg

OVERSEAS

- Bro Kenneth Liong & sis Iris in San Francisco
- Sis Farah in UK



PREGNANCY

- Sis Sarah (Mar'21)



NSF

- Bro Zachary
- Bro Wei Xiang



THIS WEEK

- 6 Sep (Sun)** - Sek Hoong & Gavin
- 7 Sep (Mon)** - Lawrence
- 8 Sep (Tue)** - Doris
- 9 Sep (Wed)** - Titus
- 11 Sep (Fri)** - Annie Chee

NEXT WEEK

- 14 Sep (Mon)** - Capi
- 15 Sep (Tue)** - Stephanie & Mark
- 16 Sep (Wed)** - Chin Chin
- 17 Sep (Thu)** - Sok Ting
- 18 Sep (Fri)** - Jeremy
- 19 Sep (Sat)** - Winston

- 27 Sep (Sun)** - Carol
- 30 Sep (Wed)** - Amberlyn
- 3 Oct (Sat)** - Seow Hui

- 6 Oct (Tue)** - Chee Beng
- 10 Oct (Sat)** - Zachary

- 13 Oct (Tue)** - Benjamin Kwan
- 16 Oct (Fri)** - Jun Wei
- 17 Oct (Sat)** - Alvin Foo

MEN-TO-SERVE (SUN)

6 SEP

13 SEP

SONG LEADER
& OPENING PRAYER

JEREMY KWAN

ERNEST LAU

SERMON TITLE

APT TO TEACH

PATIENCE

PREACHER

JIMMY LAU

JERRY CHEONG

LORD'S SUPPER, GIVING
& CLOSING PRAYER

ERNEST LAU

TITUS GOH

MEN-TO-SERVE (THU)

10 SEP

17 SEP

BIBLE CLASS TOPIC
& TEACHER

GENESIS 35
TIMOTHY NG

GENESIS 36
TIMOTHY NG