

A. M. Rider 5th October. 2018

**1. Christ is here, within this place!
Bringing his redemptive grace.
Stop: be still and hear his voice,
Bid him welcome and rejoice. *Chorus:*
*Light of the world, Redeemer King,
We our heartfelt praises sing.***

**2. Christ is here, both God and man:
God contracted to a span;
Emptied out of all but love;
When he came from heav'n above. *Chorus:***

**3. Christ is here to tend each soul,
Seek the lost and make us whole.
Christ came here to set us free
On a cross at Calvary. *Chorus:***

**4. Christ is here! He lives again,
Shares our joys, our woes, our pain.
Christ is here, his word receive;
Fear no more, trust and believe. *Chorus:***

**5. Christ is here and he must reign
In our hearts, or all is vain.
Christ is here! Come one, come all,
Worship him and heed his call. *Chorus:*
*(To 'Lucerna Laudoniae' StF 102i)***

B. © David J. Mansell (1936 -)

**1. Jesus is Lord! Creation's voice proclaims it,
For by his power each tree and flower was planned and
made.
Jesus is Lord! The universe declares it;
Sun, moon and stars in heaven cry: Jesus is Lord!
*Chorus***

Jesus is Lord! Jesus is Lord!

Praise him with alleluias, for Jesus is Lord!

**2. Jesus is Lord! Yet from his throne eternal
In flesh he came to die in pain on Calvary's tree.
Jesus is Lord! From him all life proceeding –
Yet gave his life a ransom, thus setting us free: *Chorus***

**3. Jesus is Lord! O'er sin the mighty conqueror,
From death he rose; and all his foes shall own his name.
Jesus is Lord! God sends his Holy Spirit
To show by works of power that Jesus is Lord: *Chorus***

C. © Daniel Iverson (b. 1890)

**Spirit of the living God,
Fall afresh on me.**

**Spirit of the living God,
Fall afresh on me.**

**Break me, melt me,
Mould me, fill me.**

**Spirit of the living God,
Fall afresh on me.**

D. © Edwin Hatch (1835 – 1889)

**1. Breathe on me, Breath of God;
Fill me with life anew,
That I may love what thou dost love,
And do what thou wouldst do.**

**2. Breathe on me, Breath of God;
Until my heart is pure.
Until with thee I will one will,
To do and to endure.**

**3. Breathe on me, Breath of God;
Till I am wholly thine,**

Until this earthly part of me
Glows with thy fire divine.

4. Breathe on me, Breath of God;
So shall I never die,
But live with thee the perfect life
Of thine eternity.

E. © *Charles Wesley (1707 – 1788)*

1. Father of everlasting grace,
Thy goodness and thy truth we praise,
Thy goodness and thy truth we prove;
Thou hast, in honour of thy Son,
The gift unspeakable sent down,
The Spir't of life and power and love.

2. Send us the Spirit of thy Son,
To make the depths of Godhead known,
To make us share the life divine;
Send him the sprinkled blood to apply,
Send him our souls to sanctify,
And show and seal us ever thine.

3. So shall we pray and never cease,
So shall we thankfully confess
Thy wisdom, truth, and power, and love,
With joy unspeakable adore,
And bless and praise thee evermore,
And serve thee as thy hosts above:

4. Till, added to that heavenly choir,
We raise our songs of triumph higher,
And praise thee in a bolder strain,
Out-soar the first-born seraph's flight,
And sing, with all our friends in light,
Thy everlasting love to man.

F. *M. Rider – after 'Ignite' at Brierley Hill 18th May, 2019.*

1. Dare to dream! God's kingdom's here,
Off'ring hope throughout the earth:
Dare to speak of Christ the Lord,
God, who shared our mortal birth;
Dare to strive to live out love,
Raise the fallen, show their worth.

2. Dare to teach Christ's love for all –
Of his death at Calvary:
Dare proclaim his sacrifice
From our sins has set us free;
Dare affirm Christ rose again,
Off'ring life eternally.

3. Dare to love – which is God's Law –
Serving all in Jesus' name:
Dare to trust the Spirit's power;
Dare ignite the Holy Flame:
Dare to follow in his stead,
Spread abroad our Saviour's fame.

4. Dare to serve through good or ill,
Trusting in his saving grace:
Dare to seek and do his will,
Spirit-bound in Love's embrace;
Till our calling we fulfil
And we see him face-to-face.

*Suggested settings: "Madrid" StF 154 or "Heathlands" StF 134
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