

WESTMINSTER PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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Prelude

"The Peace may be exchanged" from *Rubrics*

By Dan Locklair

How Firm a Foundation (#275)

But now, this is what the Lord says—

he who created you, Jacob,

he who formed you, Israel:

"Do not fear, for I have redeemed you;

I have summoned you by name; you are mine."

Isaiah 43:1

VERSE 1

How firm a foundation,
ye saints of the Lord,
is laid for your faith
in his excellent Word!

What more can he say
than to you he hath said,
to you who for refuge
to Jesus have fled?

VERSE 2

"Fear not, I am with thee;
O be not dismayed,
for I am thy God,
and will still give thee aid;

I'll strengthen thee, help thee,
and cause thee to stand,
upheld by my righteous
omnipotent hand."

VERSE 3

"When through fiery trials
thy pathway shall lie,
my grace, all-sufficient,
shall be thy supply:

The flame shall not hurt thee;
I only design
thy dross to consume
and thy gold to refine."

VERSE 4

"The soul that on Jesus
hath leaned for repose,
I will not, I will not
desert to its foes;

That soul, though all hell
should endeavor to shake,
I'll never, no never,
no never forsake."

"How Firm a Foundation"

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Sovereign Over Us

*For I know the plans I have for you," declares the Lord, "plans to prosper you
and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future.*

Jeremiah 29:11

VERSE 1

There is strength within the sorrow,
there is beauty in our tears.
And you meet us in our mourning
with a love that casts out fear.

VERSE 2

You are working in our waiting,
sanctifying us;
when beyond our understanding,
you're teaching us to trust.

CHORUS

Your plans are still to prosper,
you've not forgotten us;
you're with us in the fire and the flood.
Faithful forever, perfect in love;
you are sovereign over us.

VERSE 3

You are wisdom unimagined.
Who could understand your ways,
reigning high above the heavens,
reaching down in endless grace?

VERSE 3

You're the lifter of the lowly,
compassionate and kind.
You surround and you uphold me,
and your promises are my delight.

CHORUS

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you've not forgotten us;
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BRIDGE

Even what the enemy means for evil,
 you turn it for our good,
 you turn it for our good
 and for your glory.

Even in the valley you are faithful;
 you're working for our good,
 you're working for our good
 and for your glory.

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Doxology (#625)

Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
 praise him all creatures here below;
 praise him above, ye heav'nly host;
 praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.
 Amen.

"Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow"

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There's a Wideness in God's Mercy

*And (the LORD) passed in front of Moses, proclaiming, "The LORD, the LORD, the compassionate and gracious God, slow to anger, abounding in love and faithfulness, maintaining love to thousands, and forgiving wickedness, rebellion and sin.
 Exodus 34:6-7*

VERSE 1

There's a wideness in God's mercy
 like the wideness of the sea;
 there's a kindness in his justice,
 which is more than liberty.

There is welcome for the sinner,
 and more graces for the good;
 there is mercy with the Savior;
 there is healing in his blood.

VERSE 2

There is no place where earth's sorrows
 are more felt than up in heaven;
 there is no place where earth's failings
 have such kindly judgment given.

There is plentiful redemption
 in the blood that has been shed;
 there is joy for all the members
 in the sorrows of the Head.

VERSE 3

For the love of God is broader
 than the measure of the mind;
 and the heart of the Eternal
 is most wonderfully kind.

If our love were but more faithful,
 we should take him at his word;
 and our life would be thanksgiving
 for the goodness of the Lord.

"There's a Wideness in God's Mercy"

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Wonderful, Merciful Savior

It was just before the Passover Festival. Jesus knew that the hour had come for him to leave this world and go to the Father. Having loved his own who were in the world, he loved them to the end.

John 13:1

VERSE 1

Wonderful, merciful Savior,
 precious Redeemer and Friend;
 who would have thought that a Lamb could
 rescue the souls of men?
 Oh, you rescue the souls of men.

VERSE 2

Counselor, Comforter, Keeper,
Spirit we long to embrace;
you offer hope when our hearts have
hopelessly lost the way.
Oh, we've hopelessly lost the way.

CHORUS

You are the one that we praise,
you are the one we adore.
You give the healing and grace our
hearts always hunger for,
oh, our hearts always hunger for.

VERSE 3

Almighty infinite Father,
faithfully loving your own;
here in our weakness you find us
falling before your throne.
Oh, we're falling before your throne.

CHORUS

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Postlude

Allegro Moderato from *Water Music*
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