

Words for Worship Sunday 30 August 2026

Almighty and ever living God,

you are the author and giver of all good things.
Graft in our hearts the love of your name
and nourish us with all goodness
keeping us in your great mercy;
through Jesus Christ our Lord,
who lives and reigns
with you and the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever. Amen

Praise to the Lord,

the almighty the king of creation;
O my soul praise him,
for he is thy health and salvation;
All ye who hear
Now to his temple draw near,
Joining in glad adoration.

Praise to the Lord,
Who o'er all things so wondrously reigneth,
Shieldeth thee gently from harm,
Or when fainting sustaineth;
Hast thou not seen
How thy heart's wishes have been
Granted in what he ordaineth?

Praise to the Lord

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Let every voice join

Heaven's song

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Join heaven's song

Praise to the Lord,
Who doth prosper thy work and defend thee;
Surely his goodness and mercy
Shall daily attend thee;
Ponder anew
What the almighty can do,
Who with his love doth befriend thee.

Praise to the Lord!

O let all that is in me adore him!

All that hath life and breath,

Come now with praises before him!

Let the Amen

Sound from his people again:

Gladly for aye we adore him.

Amen

Let the Amen

Spirit of God fill up our hearts today

Move us to live, lives that honour you
In every way, your love display
Your grace overwhelm.

Wind of God stir in our hearts today
Move us to live, lives that honour you
In every way, your love display
Your grace overwhelm

Here we stand in your river
In your grace Lord we come
Here we stand in your river
Holy Spirit fill our lives
fill our lives, fill our lives

Breath of God speak to our hearts today
Move us to live, lives that honour you
In every way, your love display
Your grace overwhelm

Fire of God burn in our hearts today
Move us to live, lives that honour you
In every way, your love display
Your grace overwhelm

Here we stand in your river
In your grace Lord we come
Here we stand in your river
Holy Spirit wash our land
Wash our land, heal our land

Wind of God come to us
Breath of God speak to us
Fire of God burn in us
River of God flow from us
Spirit of God rise in us
Spirit of God rise in us

The Lord's my Shepherd, I'll not want.

He makes me lie in pastures green.
He leads me by the still, still waters,
His goodness restores my soul

*And I will trust in You alone.
And I will trust in You alone,
For Your endless mercy follows me,
Your goodness will lead me home.*

He guides my ways in righteousness,
And He anoints my head with oil,
And my cup, it overflows with joy,
I feast on His pure delights.

And though I walk the darkest path,
I will not fear the evil one,
For You are with me, and your rod and staff
Are the comfort I need to know.

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You are the Potter and I am the clay,

The work of Your hand.
Your Spirit within me,
By Your grace shape me,
To be more like You.

*You make me, You form me, You shape me.
So take me, and use me, fill me.
To be all for You.
To be all for You.*

Spirit come, fall on us.
Spirit come, revive us.

*To be all for You.
To be all for You.
To be all for You.
Jesus, all for You.*

Your Spirit within me,
By Your grace shape me,
To be more like You.

Church of God, elect and glorious,

holy nation, chosen race;
called as God's own special people,
royal priests and heirs of grace:
know the purpose of your calling,
show to all his mighty deeds;
tell of love which knows no limits,
grace which meets all human needs.

God has called you out of darkness
into his most marvellous light;
brought his truth to life within you,
turned your blindness into sight.
Let your light so shine around you
that God's name is glorified;
and all find fresh hope and purpose
in Christ Jesus crucified.

Once you were an alien people,
strangers to God's heart of love;
but he brought you home in mercy,
citizens of heaven above.
Let his love flow out to others,
let them feel a Father's care;
that they too may know his welcome
and his countless blessings share.

Church of God, elect and holy,
be the people he intends;
strong in faith and swift to answer
each command your master sends:
royal priests, fulfil your calling
through your sacrifice and prayer;
give your lives in joyful service
sing his praise, his love declare.

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