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who have not seen  
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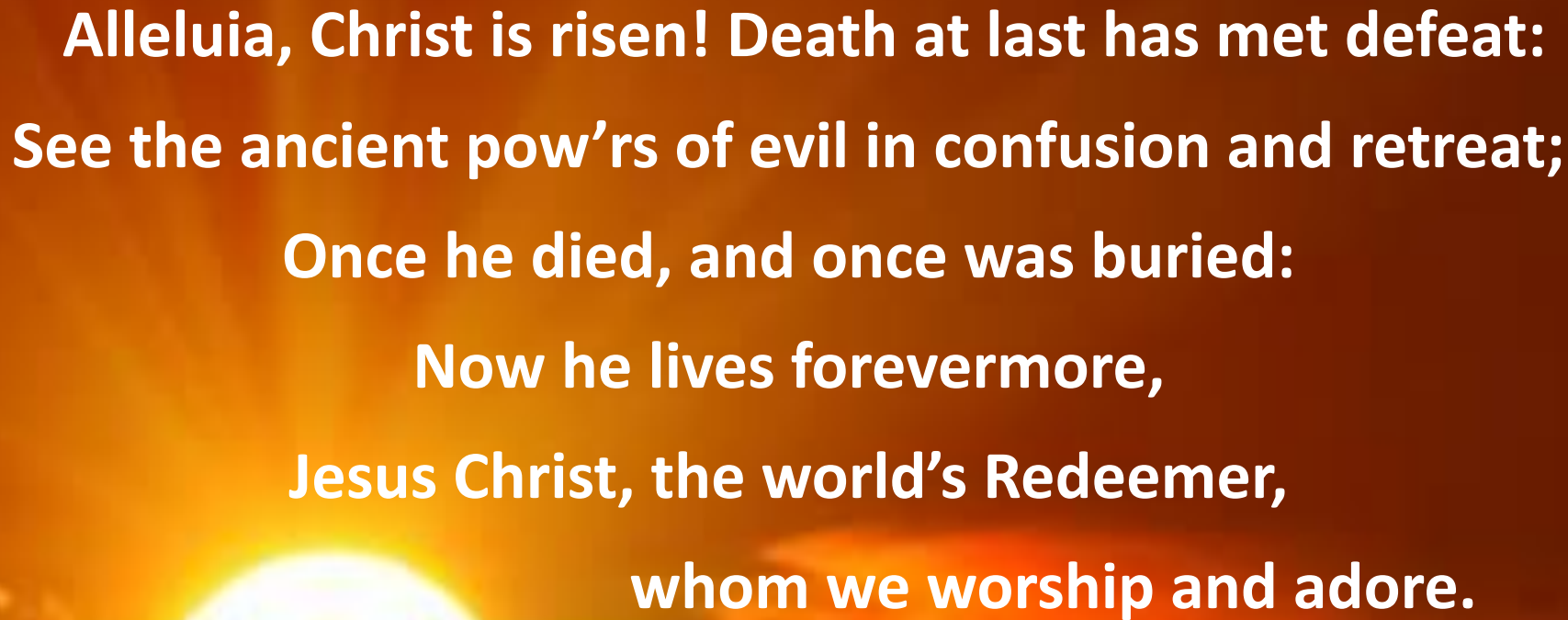
John 20:29b



*He is Risen!*

**Alleluia, Alleluia! Hearts to heav'n and voices raise:  
Sing to God a hymn of gladness,  
sing to God a hymn of praise;  
He who on the cross a victim for the world's salvation bled-  
Jesus Christ, the King of glory, now is risen from the dead.**





**Alleluia, Christ is risen! Death at last has met defeat:  
See the ancient pow'rs of evil in confusion and retreat;  
Once he died, and once was buried:  
Now he lives forevermore,  
Jesus Christ, the world's Redeemer,  
whom we worship and adore.**

**Alleluia, Alleluia!**

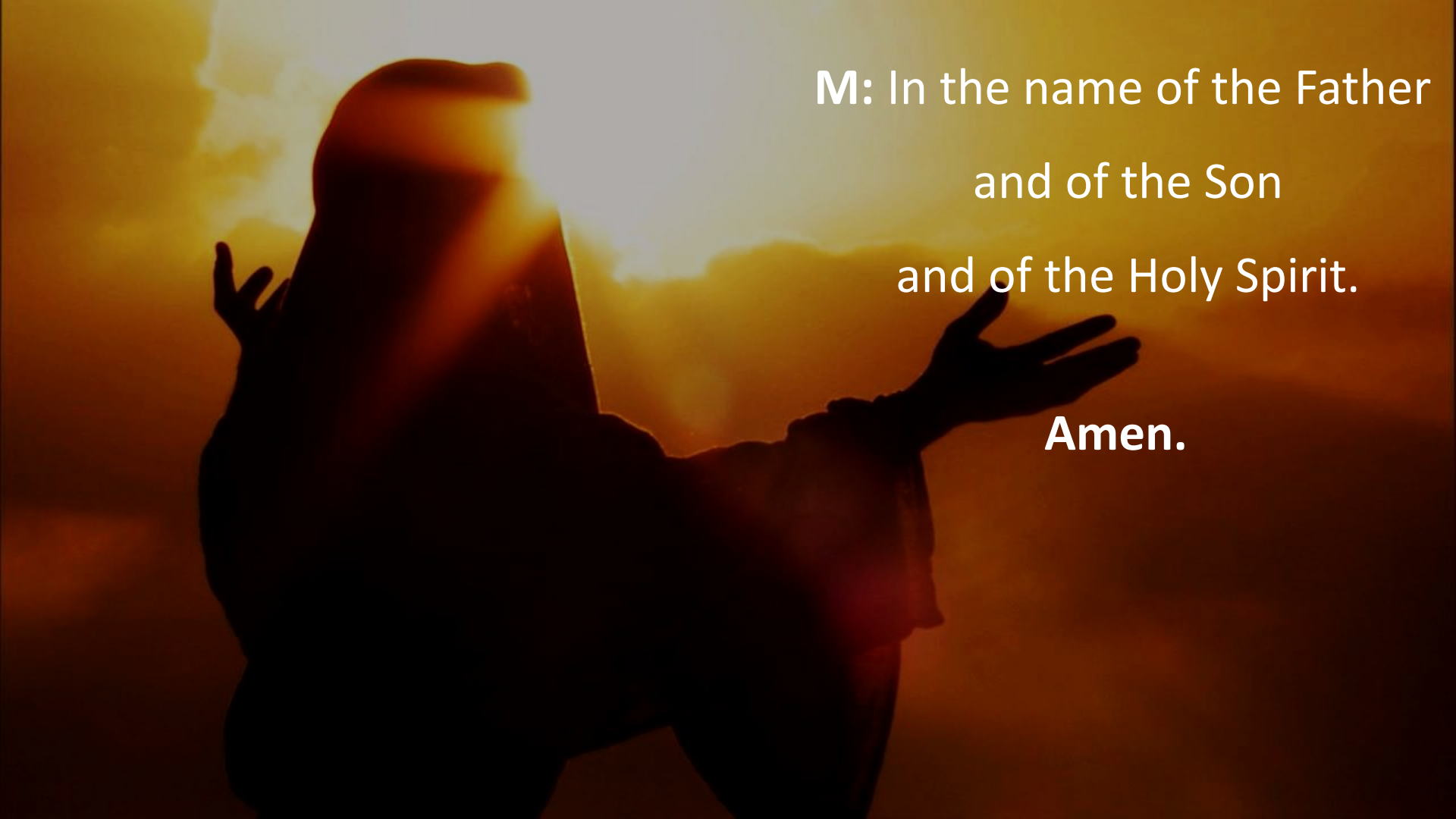
**Glory be to God on high:**

**Alleluia to the Savior who has gained the victory;**

**Alleluia to the Spirit, fount of love and sanctity!**

**Alleluia, alleluia to the triune Majesty!**



A silhouette of a person with their arms raised in a gesture of praise or prayer, set against a warm, golden sunset sky with soft clouds. The person's head is tilted back, and their hands are open with fingers slightly spread.

**M:** In the name of the Father  
and of the Son  
and of the Holy Spirit.

**Amen.**

## CONFESSION OF SINS

**M:** If we claim to be without sin,  
we deceive ourselves and the truth is not in us.

**C:** If we confess our sins, God is faithful and just  
and will forgive us our sins and purify us from all  
unrighteousness.

**M:** Let us confess our sins to the Lord.

**C:** Holy God, gracious Father, I am sinful by nature and have sinned against you in my thoughts, words, and actions. I have not loved you with my whole heart; I have not loved others as I should. I deserve your punishment both now and forever. But Jesus, my Savior, paid for my sins with his innocent suffering and death. Trusting in him, I pray: God, have mercy on me, a sinner.

*Silence for meditation and reflection*

**M:** Our gracious Father in heaven has been merciful to us. He sent his only Son, Jesus Christ, who gave his life as the atoning sacrifice for the sins of the whole world. Therefore, as a called servant of Christ and by his authority, I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

**C: Amen.**





## *Kyrie*

M: In peace let us pray to the Lord.

**C: Lord, have mercy.**

M: For the peace from above and for  
our salvation, let us pray to the Lord.

**C: Lord, have mercy.**



M: For the peace of the whole world,  
for the well-being of the church of  
God, and for the unity of all, let us  
pray to the Lord.

**C: Christ, have mercy.**




**M:** For this holy house and for all who offer here their worship and praise, let us pray to the Lord.

**C: Lord, have mercy.**

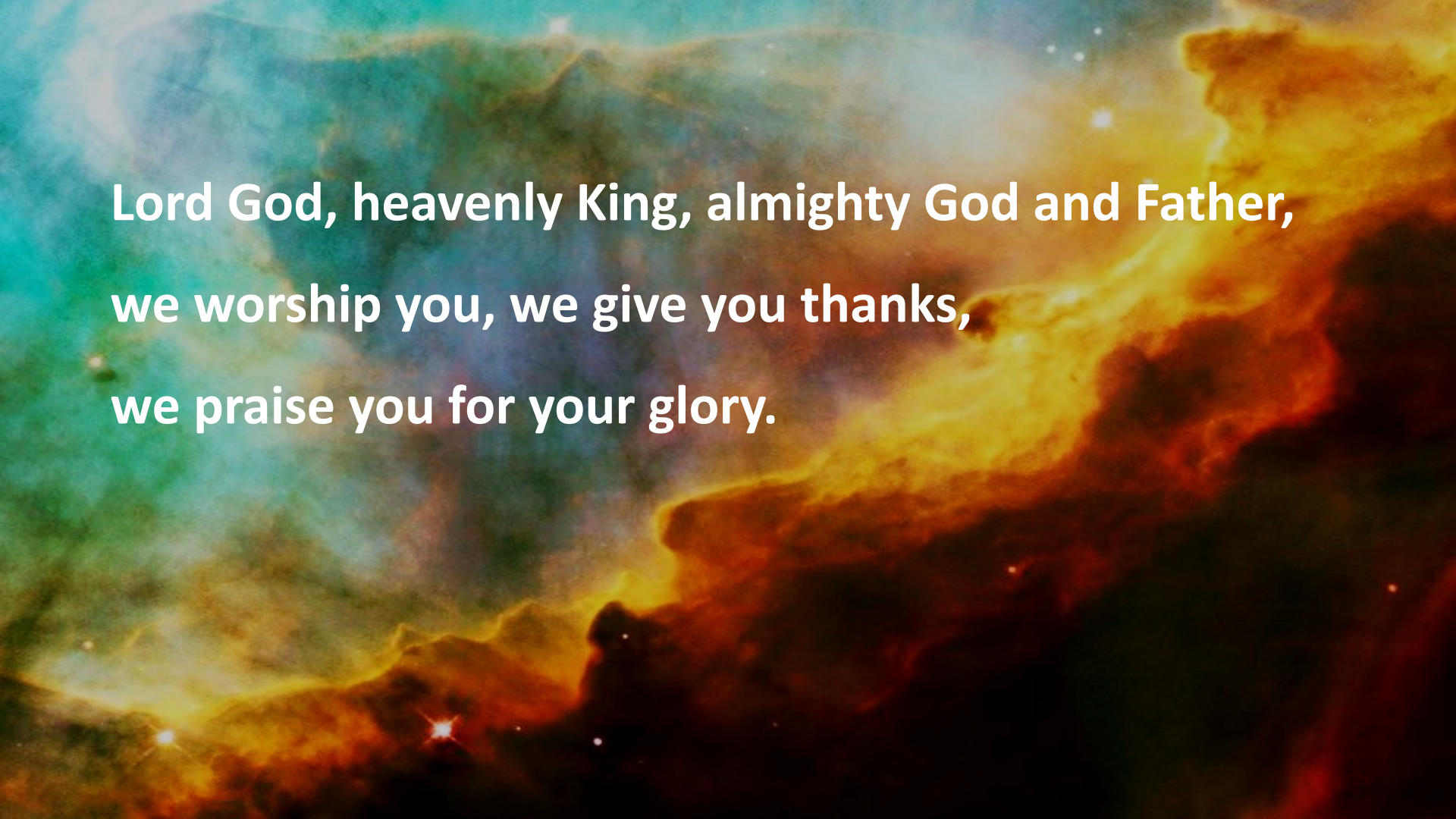
**M:** Help, save, comfort, and defend us, gracious Lord.

**C: Amen.**




**Glory to God in the highest,  
and peace to his people on earth.**

*The Word became flesh, and lived among us.*



**Lord God, heavenly King, almighty God and Father,  
we worship you, we give you thanks,  
we praise you for your glory.**



**Glory to God in the highest,  
and peace to his people on earth.**

*The Word became flesh, and lived among us.*





**Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father,**


**Lord God, Lamb of God,**

**You take away the sin of the world;**

**have mercy on us.**

**You are seated at the right hand of the Father;**

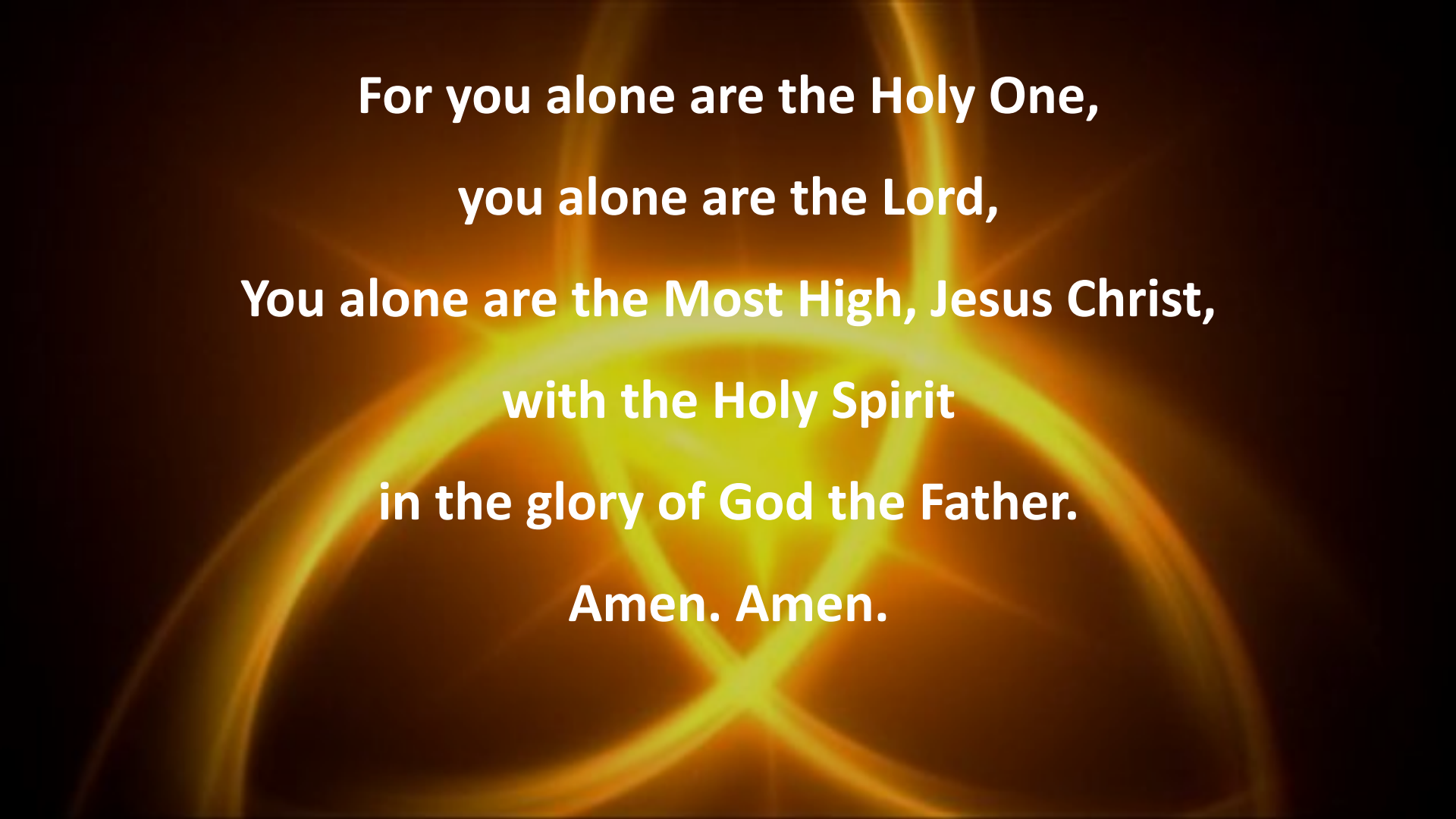
**receive our prayer.**




**Glory to God in the highest,  
and peace to his people on earth.**

*The Word became flesh, and lived among us.*





**For you alone are the Holy One,  
you alone are the Lord,  
You alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ,  
with the Holy Spirit  
in the glory of God the Father.  
Amen. Amen.**



**Glory to God in the highest,  
and peace to his people on earth.**

*The Word became flesh, and lived among us.*

M: The Lord be with you.

**C: And also with you.**





# Prayer of the Day

## **ECCLESIASTES 4:9-10**

Two are better than one, because they have a good return  
for their labor:

If either of them falls down, one can help the other up.

But pity anyone who falls and  
has no one to help them up.



M: The Word of the Lord.

**C: Thanks be to God!**







**Now all the vault of heav'n resounds**

**In praise of love that still abounds:**

**“Christ has triumphed! He is living!**

**Sing, choirs of angels, loud and clear!**

**Repeat their song of glory here:**

**“Christ has triumphed! He is living!”**

**Alleluia, alleluia, allelu-u-u-ia!**



## Psalm 150

**M:** Praise God in his sanctuary;

**C: Praise him in his mighty heavens!**

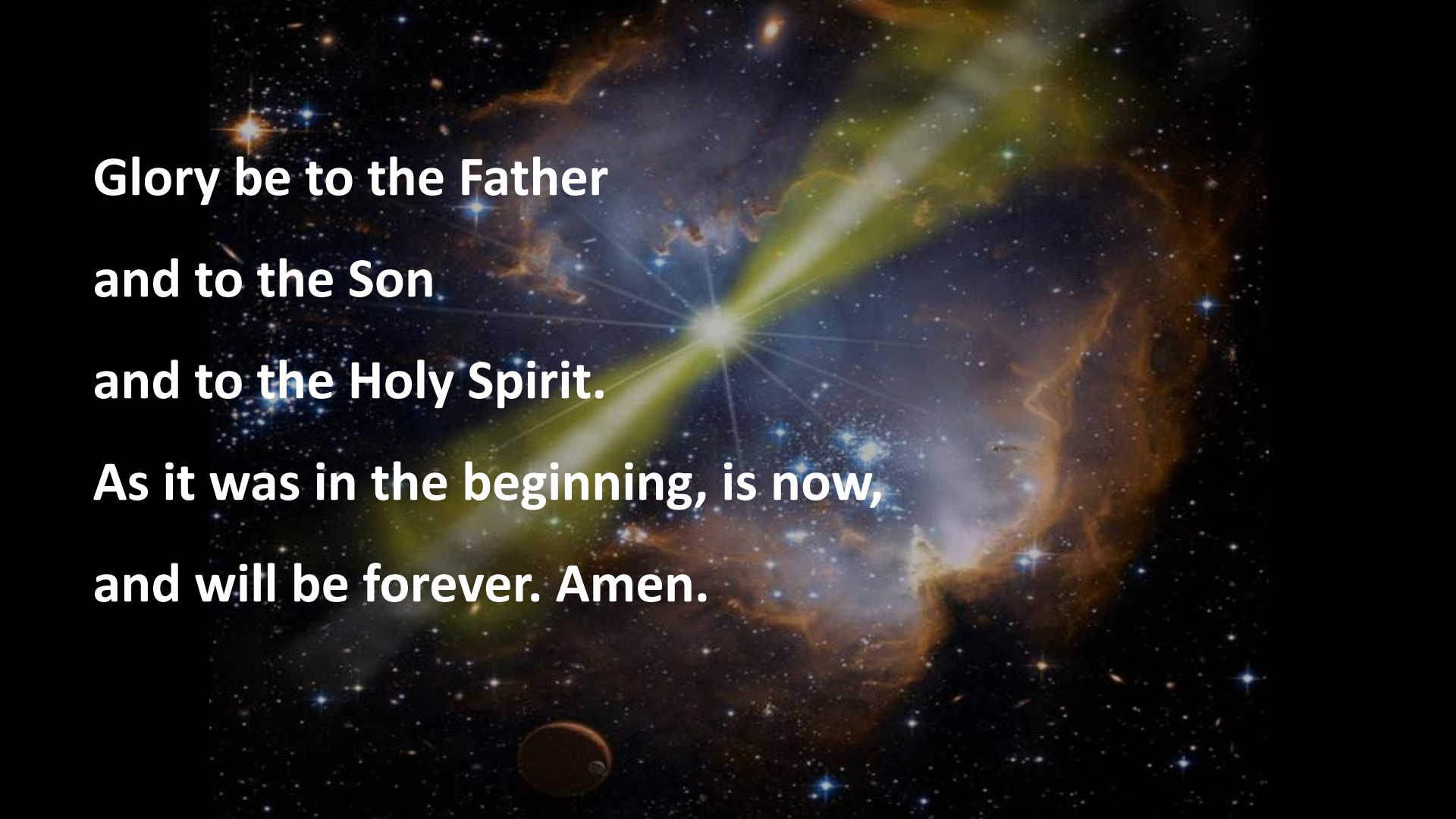
**M:** Praise him for his acts of power;

**C: Praise him for his surpassing greatness!**

**M:** Let everything that has breath praise the Lord!

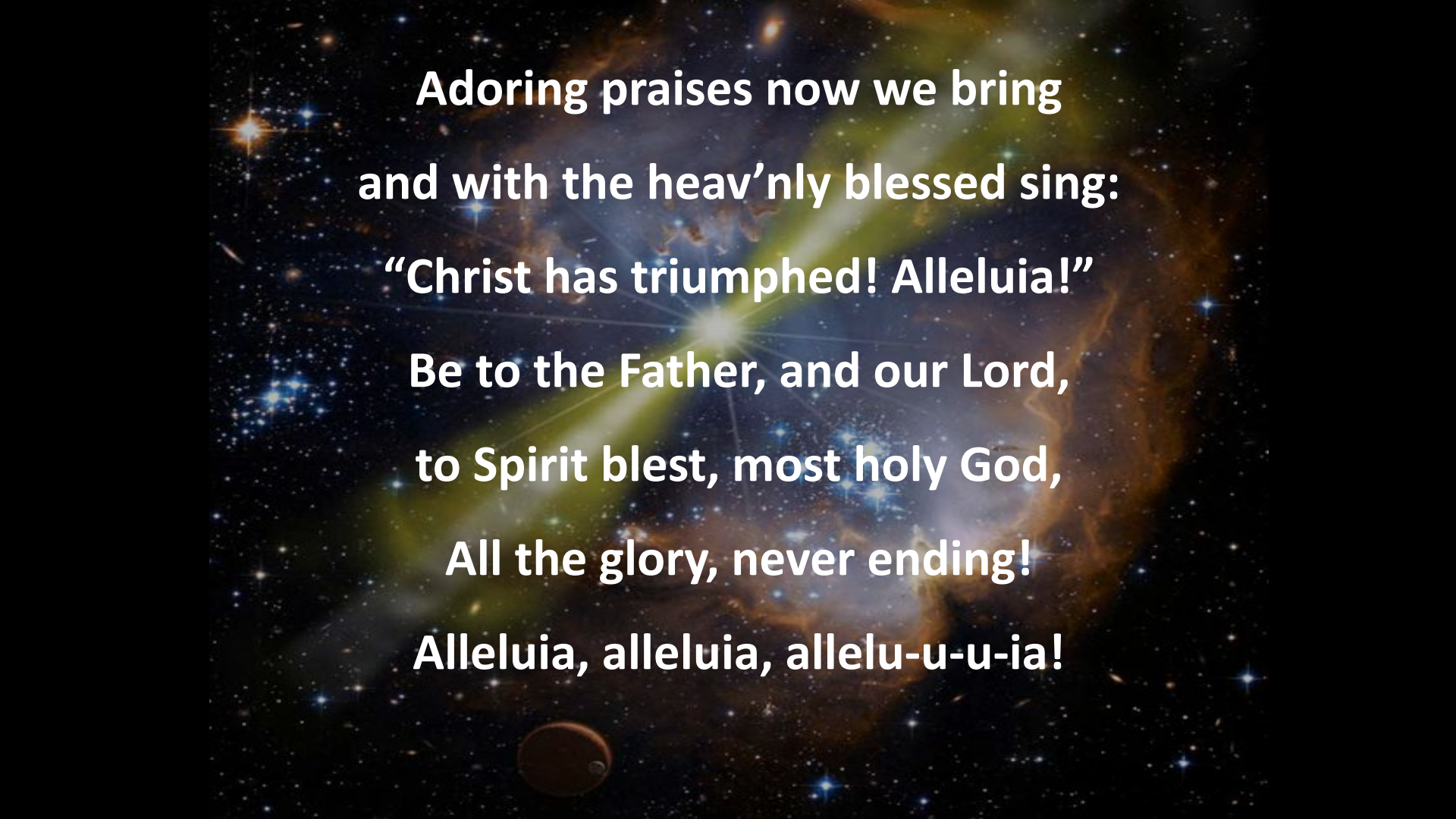
**C: Praise the Lord!**





**Glory be to the Father  
and to the Son  
and to the Holy Spirit.**

**As it was in the beginning, is now,  
and will be forever. Amen.**



**Adoring praises now we bring  
and with the heav'nly blessed sing:  
"Christ has triumphed! Alleluia!"  
Be to the Father, and our Lord,  
to Spirit blest, most holy God,  
All the glory, never ending!  
Alleluia, alleluia, allelu-u-u-ia!**

### 3 JOHN 3-4

Indeed, I was overjoyed when brothers came and testified to your truthfulness because you are walking in the truth.

I have no greater joy than when I hear that my children are walking in the truth.



M: The Word of the Lord.

**C: Thanks be to God!**





## **VERSE OF THE DAY**

**M:** Christ is risen!

**C:** He is risen indeed! Hallelujah!

**M:** Blessed are those who have not seen  
and yet have believed.”

**C:** Hallelujah!

**John 20:29**



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“I am the Good Shepherd. I know my sheep and my sheep know me (just as the Father knows me and I know the Father).

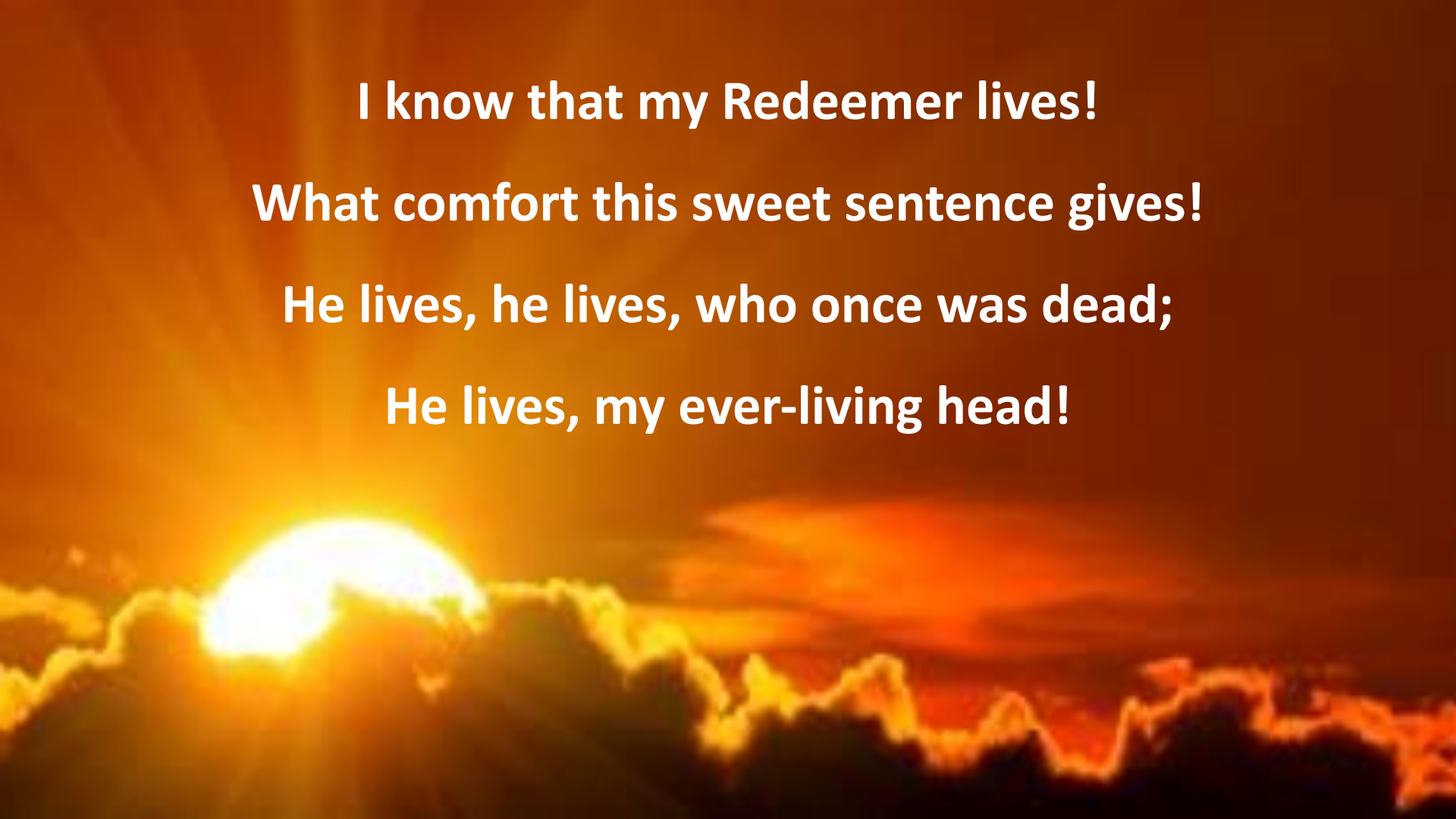
And I lay down my life for the sheep.

A dramatic scene of an open tomb entrance. A bright, golden light emanates from the opening, illuminating the interior of the tomb. A large, smooth, light-colored stone is rolled away from the entrance. Through the opening, a cross is visible against a bright, hazy background. The surrounding rock is dark and textured.

M: Praise God for a living hope:

**C: Christ is risen from the dead!**





**I know that my Redeemer lives!  
What comfort this sweet sentence gives!  
He lives, he lives, who once was dead;  
He lives, my ever-living head!**

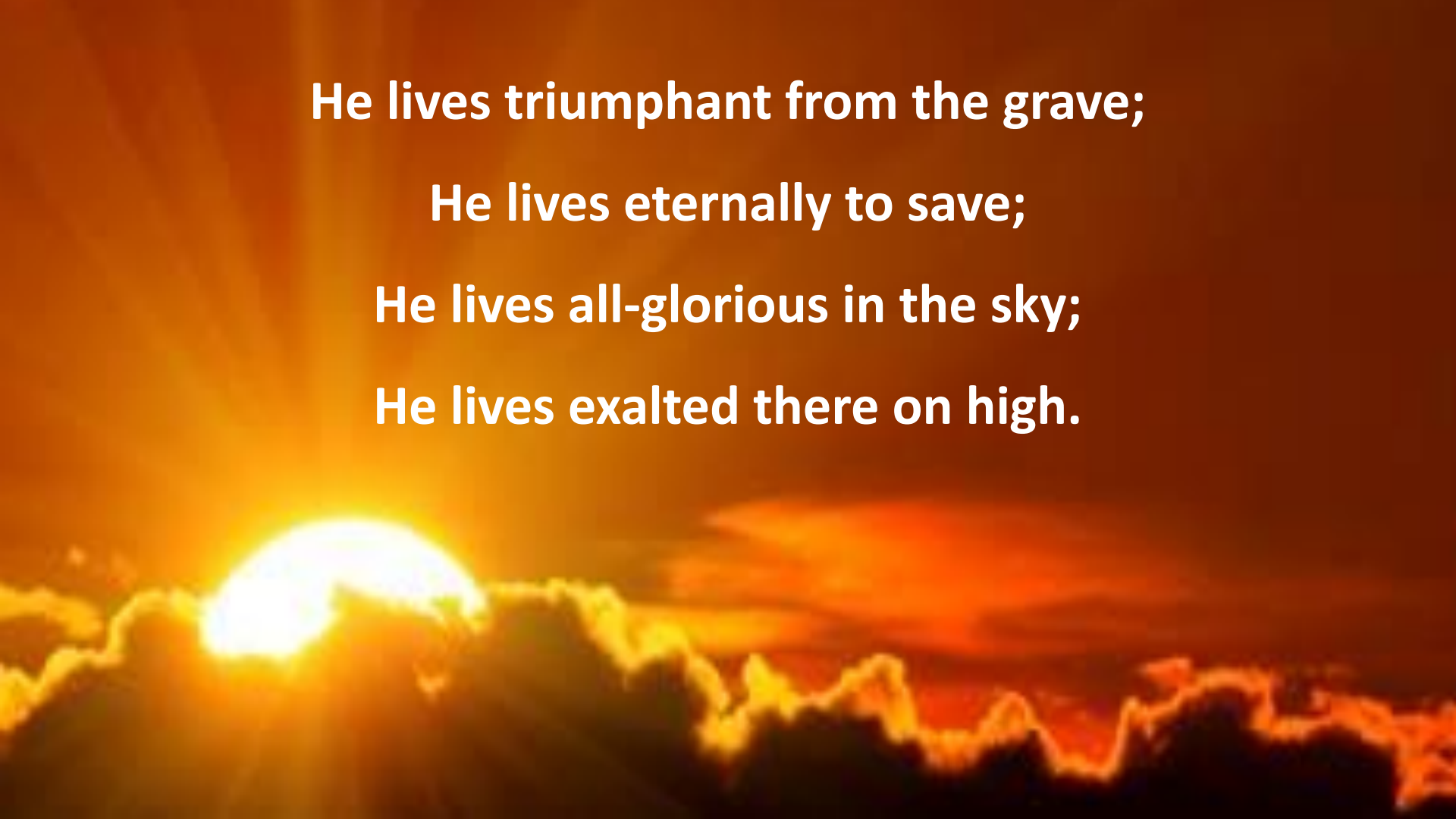


**He lives triumphant from the grave;**

**He lives eternally to save;**

**He lives all-glorious in the sky;**

**He lives exalted there on high.**

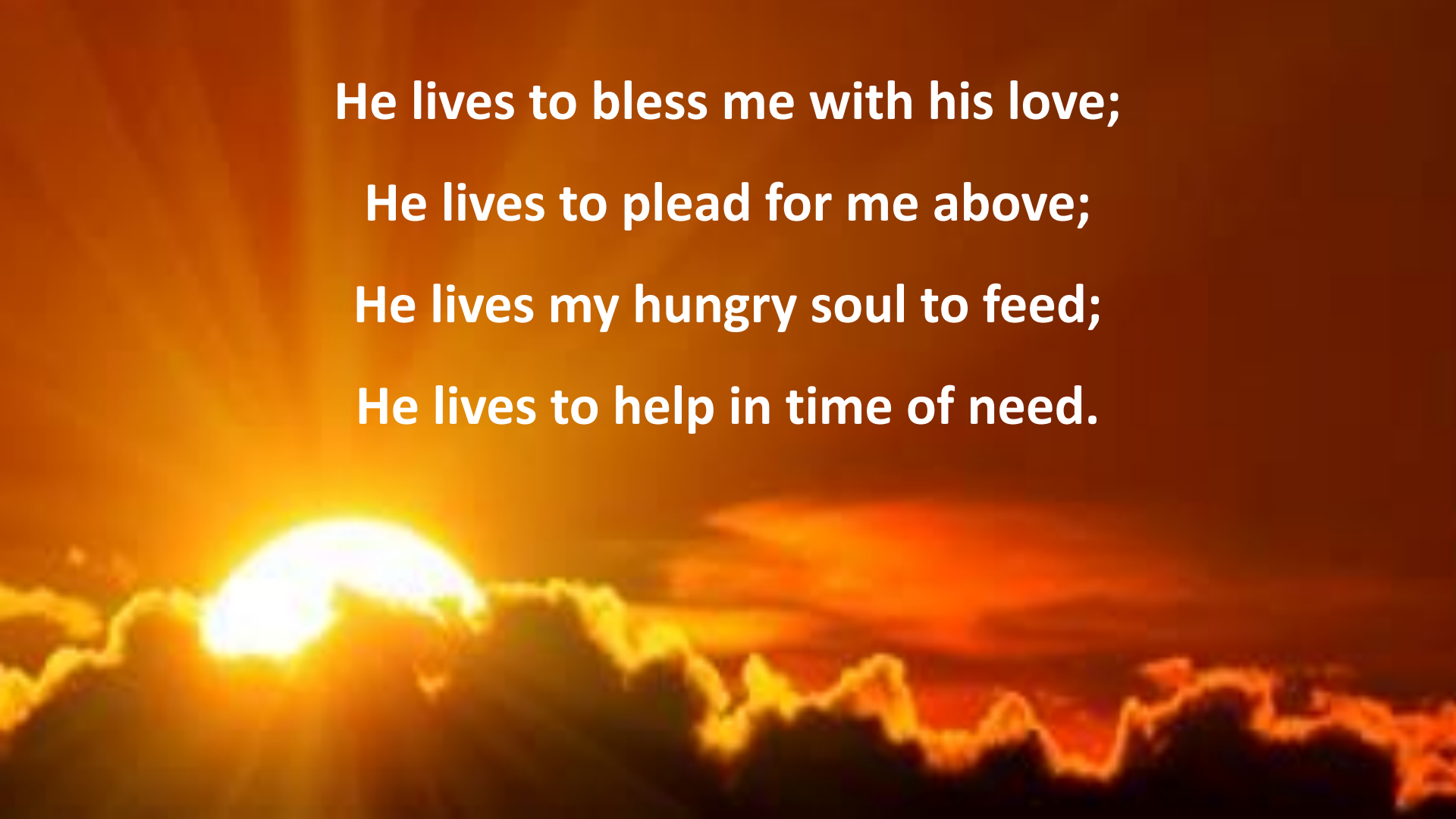


**He lives to bless me with his love;**

**He lives to plead for me above;**

**He lives my hungry soul to feed;**

**He lives to help in time of need.**



**He lives to grant me rich supply;  
He lives to guide me with his eye;  
He lives to comfort me when faint;  
He lives to hear my soul's complaint.**



**He lives, my kind, wise, heavenly friend;**

**He lives and loves me to the end;**

**He lives, and while he lives, I'll sing;**

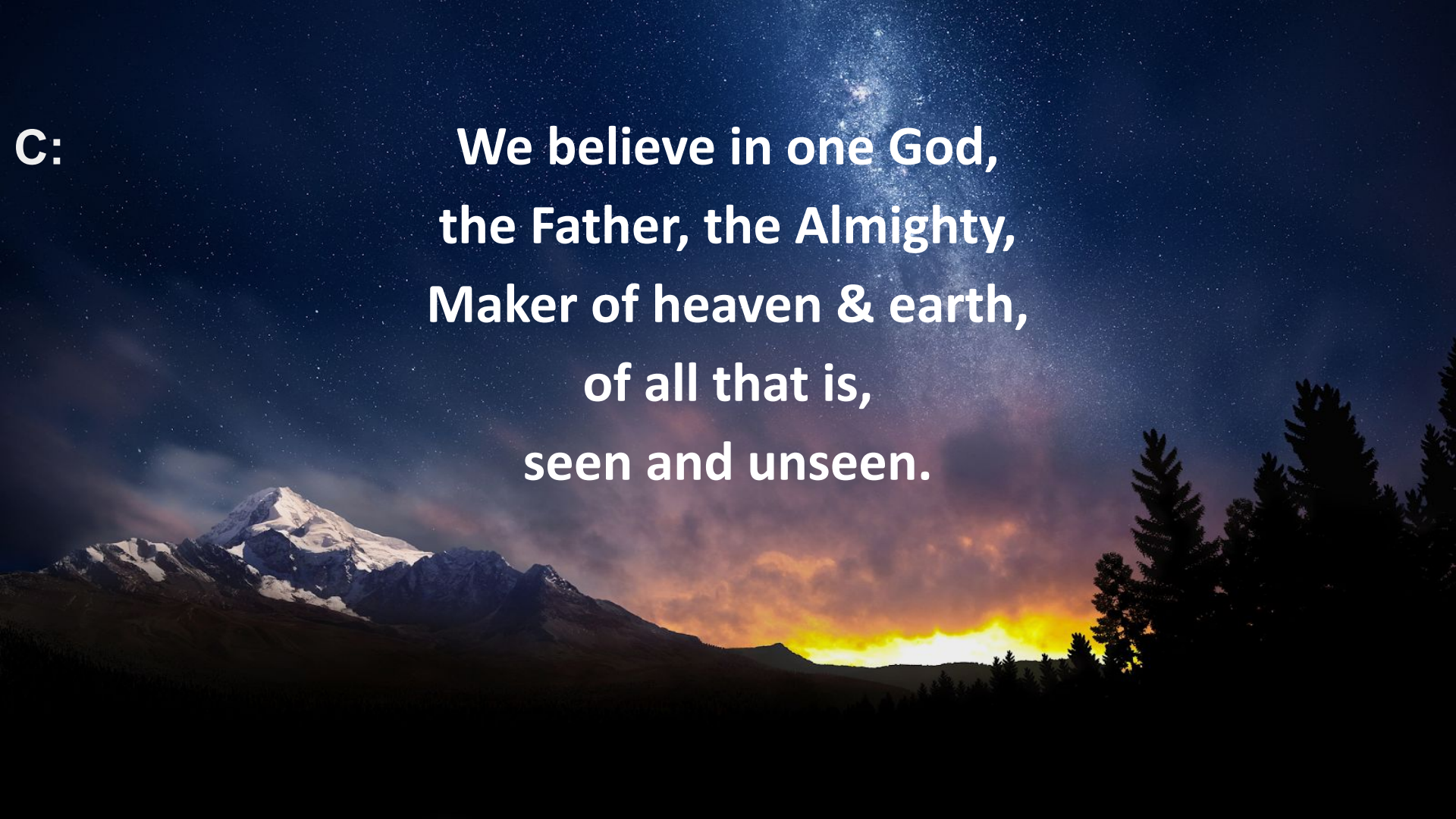
**He lives, my Prophet, Priest, and King.**



**M:** In a world that can only guess  
it was created somehow  
and by something,  
what do you believe?

**C:**

**We believe in one God,  
the Father, the Almighty,  
Maker of heaven & earth,  
of all that is,  
seen and unseen.**



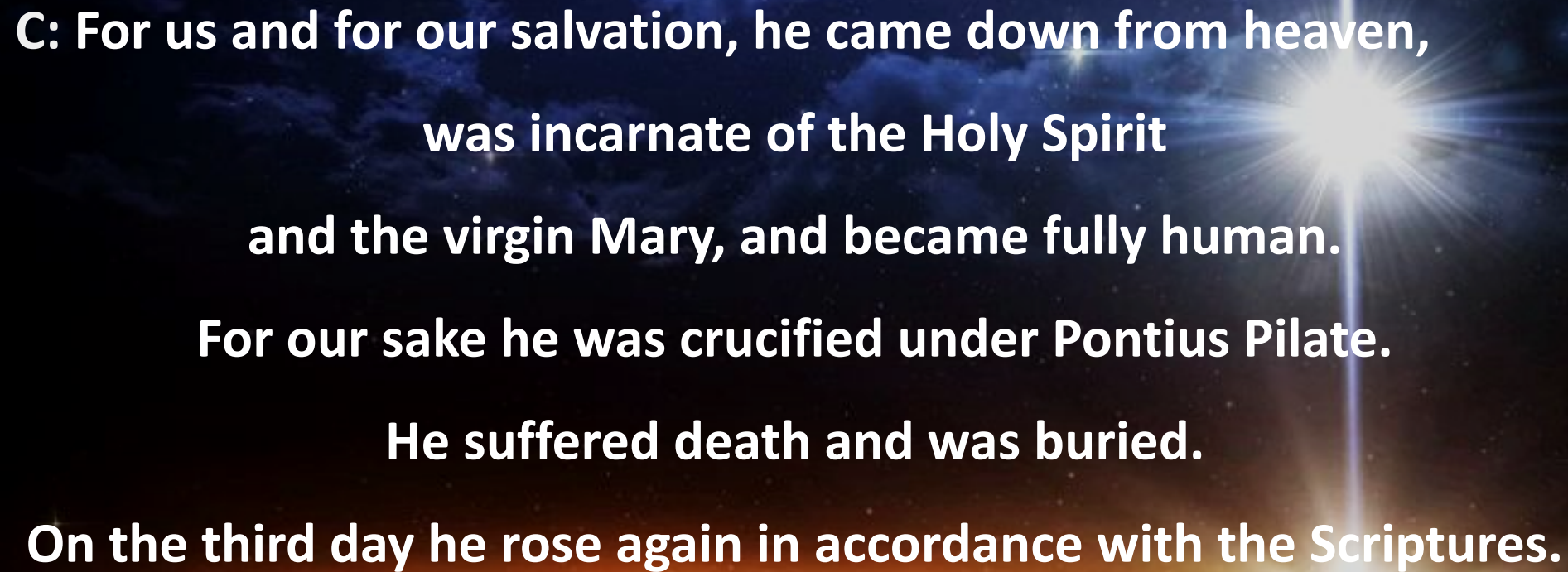
**M:** In a world that often teaches  
Jesus was just a great human teacher,  
a wise prophet  
or just another way to God,  
what do you believe?



**We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,  
the only Son of God,  
eternally begotten of the Father,  
God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God,  
begotten, not made, of one being with the Father.  
Through him all things were made.**



**M:** In a world that still believes  
salvation is through the good  
and helpful things we do,  
what do you believe?

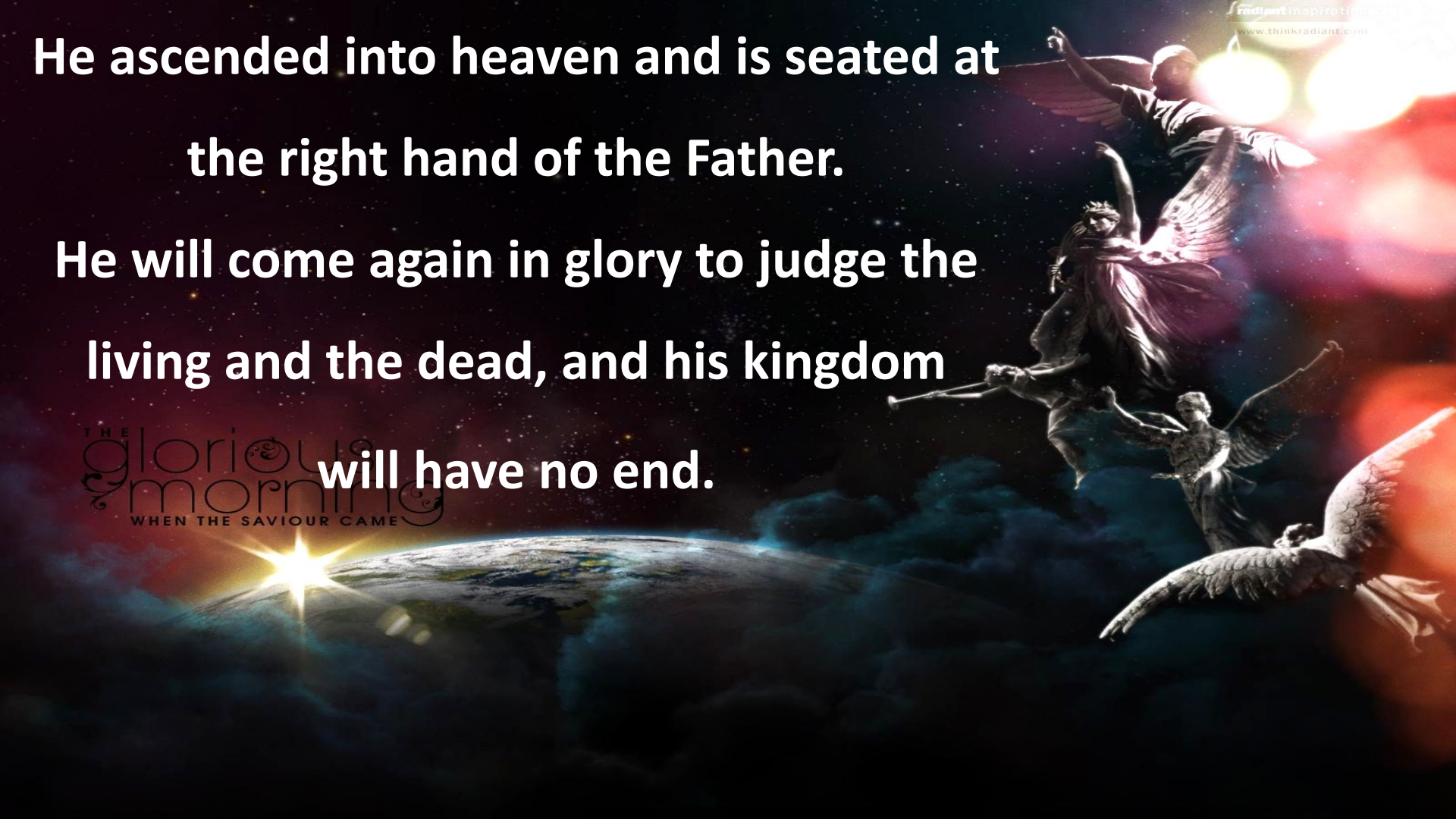
The background of the image is a dramatic sky. A bright, glowing sunburst is positioned in the upper right quadrant, with a vertical beam of light extending downwards from it. The sky transitions from a deep blue at the top to a warm orange and yellow near the horizon. Silhouetted against this horizon are dark, jagged mountain peaks. On the right side, a small cluster of buildings, possibly a church or a town, is visible on a hilltop.

**C: For us and for our salvation, he came down from heaven,  
was incarnate of the Holy Spirit  
and the virgin Mary, and became fully human.  
For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate.  
He suffered death and was buried.  
On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures.**

He ascended into heaven and is seated at  
the right hand of the Father.

He will come again in glory to judge the  
living and the dead, and his kingdom  
will have no end.

THE glorious  
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**M:** In a world that loosely holds on  
to every word that sounds  
spiritual or religious,  
what do you believe?

**We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,  
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,  
who in unity with the Father and the Son is worshiped  
and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets.**







**We believe in one holy Christian and apostolic Church.**

**We acknowledge one baptism  
for the forgiveness of sins.**

**We look for the resurrection of the dead  
and the life of the world to come.**

**Amen.**





**OFFERING**



# PRAYERS

**M:** The Lord be with you.

**C:** And also with you.

**M:** Lift up your hearts.

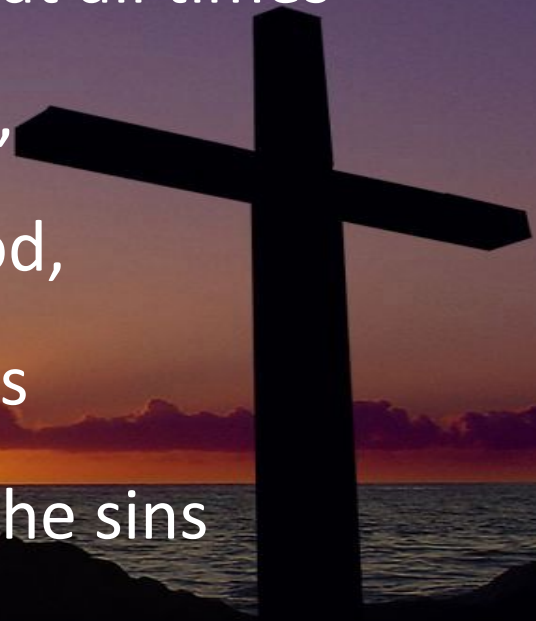
**C:** We lift them up to the Lord.

**M:** Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**C:** It is right to give him thanks and praise.



M: It is truly good and right that we should at all times  
and in all places give you thanks, O Lord,  
holy Father, Almighty and everlasting God,  
through Jesus Christ our Lord, who by his  
willing sacrifice on the cross took away the sins  
of the world and by his glorious resurrection  
restored everlasting life.



Therefore with all the saints on earth  
and hosts of heaven, we praise Your holy name  
and join their glorious song!



**Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power, God of might.**

**Heaven and earth are full of your glory.**

**Hosanna in the highest.**

**Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.**

**Hosanna in the highest, hosanna in the highest!**





# **PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING**



**Our Father in heaven,  
hallowed be your name, your kingdom come,  
your will be done on earth as in heaven.**

**Give us today our daily bread.**

**Forgive us our sins, as we forgive those who sin against us.**

**Lead us not into temptation,  
but deliver us from evil.**

**For the kingdom, the power, and the glory  
are yours now and forever. Amen.**

M: Our Lord Jesus Christ, on the night he was betrayed,  
took bread; and when he had given thanks, he broke it  
and gave it to his disciples, saying,

**“Take and eat; this is my body, which is given for you.  
Do this in remembrance of me.”**

Then he took the cup, gave thanks, and gave it to them, saying, **“Drink from it, all of you; this is my blood of the new covenant, which is poured out for you for the forgiveness of sins. Do this, whenever you drink it, in remembrance of me.”**

The peace of the Lord be with you always.

***Sing:***

**C: Amen.**

**C: (Sing)**

**O Christ, Lamb of God,**

**you take away the sin of the world, have mercy on us.**

**O Christ, Lamb of God,**

**you take away the sin of the world, have mercy on us.**

**O Christ, Lamb of God,**

**you take away the sin of the world, grant us your peace.**

**Amen.**

# Distribution

*A note to our visitors: Out of sincere love for the truth of God's Word and for precious souls (1 Corinthians 11:27-29), we practice close communion. This practice is thoroughly Scriptural. It questions the faith of no individual, yet asks that there be full doctrinal agreement among those who commune. (1 Corinthians 10:16-17)*

*If you have questions, please speak with Pastor Glende after the service.*



# Thanksgiving

**M:** Give thanks to the Lord, for he is good;

**C:** His mercy endures forever.

**M:** Whenever we eat this bread  
and drink this cup,

**C:** We proclaim the Lord's death  
until he comes.



# PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING



# The Blessing of Our Risen LORD



**God's Word is our great heritage and shall be ours forever;**

**To spread its light from age to age**

**Shall be our chief endeavor.**

**Through life it guides our way; In death it is our stay!**

**Lord, grant while worlds endure, We keep its teachings pure**

**Throughout all generations!**



**Schedule**

<b>TUES</b>	<b>Women's gathering</b>	<b>on hold, resume next week</b>
<b>WED</b>	<b>Youth Catechism Class</b>	<b>6:15pm</b>
<b>THURS</b>	<b>Bible Information Class</b>	<b>4:30pm</b> (Topic: the Lord's Supper)
<b>Next Sunday</b>	<b>MORNING BIBLE HOUR</b>	<b>9am</b>
	<b>Worship</b>	<b>10am</b>
	<b>Potluck gathering</b>	<b>following worship</b>

**A New Bible Information Class, A Christian Foundations Class, is being organized.** If you're a visitor, this class covers what our church teaches from the Bible. If you are a member, come join in for a review – or, invite someone you know, and offer to accompany them. Ask Pastor Glende if you have any questions, or would like more details.

- **Start date is being determined; verbal announcement if anything has been set.**

**Potluck next Sunday:** When possible, we like to send off families or individuals with a little extra time to together. You're invited to bring some food to share and stay around following the worship next Sunday as we have another farewell.