

The Readings for January 10, 2021



Genesis 1:1-5

1In the beginning when God created the heavens and the earth, **2**the earth was a formless void and darkness covered the face of the deep, while a wind from God swept over the face of the waters. **3**Then God said, "Let there be light"; and there was light. **4** And God saw that the light was good; and God separated the light from the darkness. **5**God called the light Day, and the darkness he called Night. And there was evening and there was morning, the first day.

Psalm 29

- 1**Ascribe to the | Lord, you gods,
ascribe to the Lord glo- | ry and strength.
- 2**Ascribe to the Lord the glory | due God's name;
worship the Lord in the beau- | ty of holiness.
- 3**The voice of the Lord is upon the waters; the God of | glory thunders;
the Lord is upon the | mighty waters.
- 4**The voice of the Lord is a pow- | erful voice;
the voice of the Lord is a | voice of splendor. R
- 5**The voice of the Lord breaks the | cedar trees;
the Lord breaks the ce- | dars of Lebanon;
- 6**the Lord makes Lebanon skip | like a calf,
and Mount Hermon like a | young wild ox.
- 7**The voice | of the Lord
bursts forth in | lightning flashes.
- 8**The voice of the Lord | shakes the wilderness;
the Lord shakes the wilder- | ness of Kadesh. R
- 9**The voice of the Lord makes the oak trees writhe and strips the | forests bare.
And in the temple of the Lord all are | crying, "Glory!"
- 10**The Lord sits enthroned a- | bove the flood;
the Lord sits enthroned as king for- | evermore.
- 11**O Lord, give strength | to your people;
give them, O Lord, the bless- | ings of peace. R

Acts 19:1-7

1While Apollos was in Corinth, Paul passed through the interior regions and came to Ephesus, where he found some disciples. **2**He said to them, "Did you receive the Holy Spirit when you became believers?" They replied, "No, we have not even heard that there is a Holy Spirit." **3**Then he said, "Into what then were you baptized?" They answered, "Into John's baptism." **4**Paul said, "John baptized with the baptism of repentance, telling the people to believe in the one who was to come after him, that is, in Jesus." **5**On hearing this, they were baptized in the name of the Lord Jesus. **6**When Paul had laid his hands on them, the Holy Spirit came upon them, and they spoke in tongues and prophesied—**7**altogether there were about twelve of them.



Mark 1:4-11

4John the baptizer appeared in the wilderness, proclaiming a baptism of repentance for the forgiveness of sins. **5**And people from the whole Judean countryside and all the people of Jerusalem were going out to him, and were baptized by him in the river Jordan, confessing their sins. **6**Now John was clothed with camel's hair, with a leather belt around his waist, and he ate locusts and wild honey. **7**He proclaimed, "The one who is more powerful than I is coming after me; I am not worthy to stoop down and untie the thong of his sandals. **8**I have baptized you with water; but he will baptize you with the Holy Spirit."

9In those days Jesus came from Nazareth of Galilee and was baptized by John in the Jordan. **10**And just as he was coming up out of the water, he saw the heavens torn apart and the Spirit descending like a dove on him. **11**And a voice came from heaven, "You are my Son, the Beloved; with you I am well pleased."

Hymns for January 10, 2021

There Is A Balm In Gilead

Spiritual

F B^b F C⁷

There is a balm in Gil - e - ad to make the wound - ed whole,

5 F B^b F/C C⁷ F

there is a balm in Gil - e - ad to heal the sin - sick soul.

9 F B^b F C

1 Some times I feel dis - cour - aged and - think my work's in vain,
2 If you can - not preach like Pe - ter, if you can - not pray like Paul,

13 B^b F B^b F⁷ Gm F/C C⁷ Dm B^b

but - then the Ho - ly Spir - it re - vives my soul a - gain.
you can tell the love of Je - sus and say, "He died for all."

We Shall Overcome



1 We shall o - ver - come, we shall o - ver - come,
 2 We'll walk hand in hand, we'll walk hand in hand,
 3 We shall all have peace, we shall all have peace,
 4 We shall see the Lord, we shall see the Lord,
 5 We are not a - fraid, we are not a - fraid,
 6 God is on our side, God is on our side,



we shall o - ver - come some - day. Oh, deep in our
 we'll walk hand in hand some - day. Oh, deep in our
 we shall all have peace some - day. Oh, deep in our
 we shall see the Lord some - day. Oh, deep in our
 we are not a - fraid to - day. Oh, deep in our
 God is on our side to - day. Oh, deep in our



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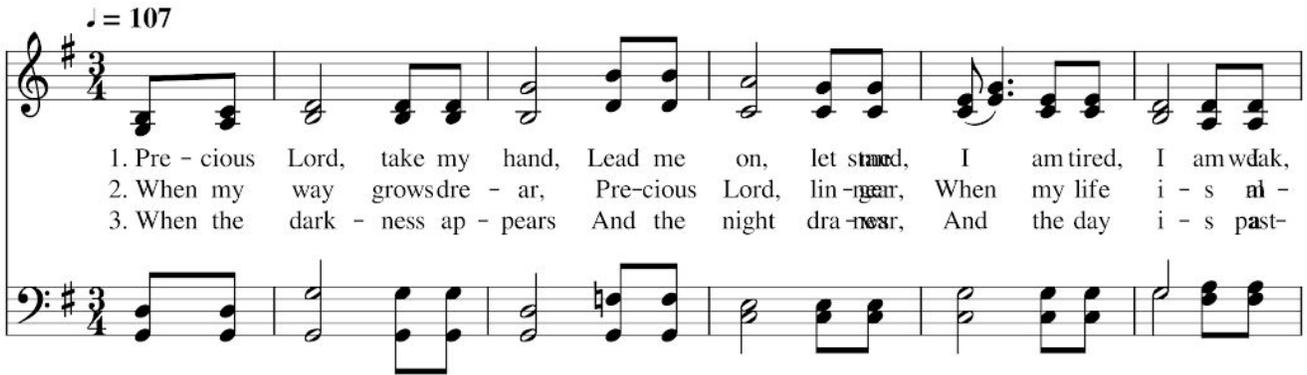
Text: traditional
 Music: WE SHALL OVERCOME, African American spiritual

Precious Lord, Take My Hand

Thomas Andrew Dorsey, 1932

George Nelson Allen, 1844

$\text{♩} = 107$



1. Pre - cious Lord, take my hand, Lead me on, let stand, I am tired, I am weak,
2. When my way grows dre - ar, Pre-cious Lord, lin - gear, When my life i - s ai -
3. When the dark - ness ap - pears And the night dra - w - ar, And the day i - s past -

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am worn; Throgh storm, through the night, Lead me on to the light:
ost gone, Hear cry, hear my call, Hold my hand lest I fall: Take my
nd gone, the ri - ver I stand, Guide my feet, hold my hand:

13 Refrain



hand, pre - cious Lord, lead me home.