

Prayer

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1 Our Father, it's indeed a privilege for us to come to You, to bow our heads in humility to the dust where we were taken from and someday shall return, if Jesus tarries. But, oh, how we thank Thee for this glorious, marvelous hope that we have, that that dust shall put on immortality someday, and we'll be made liken unto His own image. And then we shall see Him as He is, the lovely One: the One that was crucified for us; buried and rose again the third day; and now setting at the right hand of the Father, making intercessions upon our professions. How we thank Thee for Him.

2 We thank Thee for this church tonight, Lord, for this little ol' tabernacle, though it's crude: few concrete blocks thrown together by the efforts of some of the people; a little roof over the top; a few seats. But, Lord, You humble Yourself; that's what we can't understand. Come down, because it's all we've got to offer You: set You a welcome place in each service. And You come talk with us, commune with us, bless us. And we go home rejoicing, happy. When we're sick, You meet us here and lay Your healing hand on us; we get well. Oh, we're so happy about all this; we're very happy. And we pray, Father, that You'll continue to be with us.

3 Thank You, tonight, for our pastor, Brother Neville. I pray that You'll be with them, Lord, and his little family there. God bless them. So glad that we're living in the day that You let our paths cross here on earth, that we can be [unclear] have real fellowship around the Word, fellowship with one another.

4 Thank You for Brother Thom, Lord, also, his lovely little family; for all the other ministers and families in the building tonight. So thankful for all of our friends everywhere. Bless us together now tonight, as the Word may go forth; may it go anointed, Lord: seed that's alive coming out of the Bible. "Thy Word have I hid in my heart, O Lord, that I sin not against Thee."

May it go forth tonight and the seed of God be planted in every heart. And may it bring forth a great, great service. Grant it, Father. Forgive us of our sins now. Draw us near to Thee, and we'll praise Thee. In Jesus' name, we ask it. Amen.