



**PACIFIC  
CROSSROADS  
CHURCH**

**September 25, 2016**

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# Reflections

Consumerism diverts us from thinking about women's rights, it stops us from thinking about Iraq, it stops us from thinking about what's going on in Africa – it stops us from thinking in general.

*Pink*

Consumerism is at once the engine of America and simultaneously one of the most revealing indicators of our collective shallowness.

*Henry Rollins*

...The major threat to the viability of our faith is that of consumerism. This is a far more heinous and insidious challenge to the gospel, because in so many ways it infects each and every one of us.

*Alan Hirsch, The Forgotten Ways*

The heart of the early Christian confession is the Lordship of Christ.

*George Eldon Ladd, A Theology of the New Testament*

Mission is... a movement from God to the world; the church is viewed as an instrument for that mission. There is a church because there is mission, not vice versa... mission is not primarily an activity of the church, but an attribute of God. God is a missionary God.

*David Bosch, Transforming Mission*

We are settling for a Christianity that revolves around catering to ourselves when the central message of Christianity is actually about abandoning ourselves.

*David Platt, Radical*

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# Scripture

Book of Acts, selected verses

## Acts 1:8

“But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you, and you will be My witnesses in Jerusalem and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the end of the earth.”

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# Sermon

*Our Lord and Mission* Paul Kim

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## Events & News

Membership Seminar, October 8.

Learn more about our beliefs, history, and what it means to be a member of Pacific Crossroads Church. Get more info and RSVP at [PacificCrossroads.org/Membership](https://PacificCrossroads.org/Membership).

“Sex: Passion & Intimacy in Marriage,” October 15.

Men and women often have different expectations about sex. Explore ways to clarify expectations, build intimacy, spark passion, and determine steps toward mutual enjoyment in the bedroom. RSVP at [PacificCrossroads.org/Marriage](https://PacificCrossroads.org/Marriage).

Teachers Needed for Downtown Children.

Volunteer teachers for the 3rd-4th grade, kindergarten, and preschool classrooms are needed (3 hours per month). For more info, please contact Kristine Eller at [keller@pacificcrossroads.org](mailto:keller@pacificcrossroads.org).

*Visit [PacificCrossroads.org/Events](https://PacificCrossroads.org/Events) to view our upcoming events, or pick up our events brochure at the Connect Center.*

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## Ministry Resources

Pastoral Care

Our pastoral care team is here to care for you if you are in a difficult place. Email [pastoralcare@pacificcrossroads.org](mailto:pastoralcare@pacificcrossroads.org) or call our office at 310.551.0081.

Celebrate Recovery

Join together weekly with others to celebrate God’s healing power in our lives. Visit [PacificCrossroads.org/CelebrateRecovery](https://PacificCrossroads.org/CelebrateRecovery).

Community Groups

Community Groups meet all around LA to know and care for one another and grow as followers of Jesus. Learn more and sign up for a CG in your neighborhood at [PacificCrossroads.org/Community](https://PacificCrossroads.org/Community).

*Sinking Deep*

Words and Music: Joel Davies and Aodhan King

Standing here in Your presence  
In a grace so relentless  
I am won by perfect love  
Wrapped within the arms of heaven  
In a peace that lasts forever  
Sinking deep in mercy's sea

*Chorus* I'm wide awake drawing close  
Stirred by grace  
And all my heart is Yours  
All fear removed  
I breathe You in  
I lean into Your love  
Oh Your love

When I'm lost You pursue me  
Lift my head to see Your glory  
Lord of all so beautiful  
Here in You I find shelter  
Captivated by the splendor of Your face  
My secret place

*Bridge* Your love so deep  
Is washing over me  
Your face is all I seek  
You are my ev'rything  
Jesus Christ  
You are my one desire  
Lord hear my only cry  
To know You all my life

*You're Beautiful*

Words and Music by Phil Wickham

I see Your face in every sunrise  
The colors of the morning  
Are inside Your eyes  
The world awakens in the light of the day  
I look up to the sky and say  
You're beautiful

I see Your power in the moonlit night  
Where planets are in motion  
And galaxies are bright  
We are amazed in the light of the stars  
It's all proclaiming who You are  
You're beautiful

I see You there hanging on a tree  
You bled and then You died  
And then You rose again for me  
Now You are sitting  
On Your heavenly throne  
Soon we will be coming home  
You're beautiful

When we arrive at eternity's shore  
Where death is just a memory  
And tears are no more  
We'll enter in as the wedding bells ring  
Your bride will come together  
And we'll sing  
You're beautiful

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*Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing*

Words: Robert Robinson; Music: American Folk Melody

Come, Thou Fount of every blessing  
Tune my heart to sing Thy grace;  
Streams of mercy, never ceasing,  
Call for songs of loudest praise.  
Teach me some melodious sonnet  
Sung by flaming tongues above;  
Praise the mount! I'm fixed upon it,  
Mount of Thy redeeming love.

Here I find my greatest treasure;  
Hither, by Thy help I've come;  
And I hope, by Thy good pleasure,  
Safely to arrive at home.  
Jesus sought me when a stranger  
Wandering from the fold of God;  
He, to rescue me from danger,  
Bought me with His precious blood.

O, to grace how great a debtor  
Daily I'm constrained to be!  
Let Thy goodness, like a fetter,  
Bind my wandering heart to Thee.  
Prone to wander, Lord I feel it,  
Prone to leave the God I love;  
Here's my heart, O take and seal it,  
Seal it for Thy courts above.

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*Image of Invisible God*  
*(Colossians 1:15-20)*

Words and Music: Chris Weldon

Image of invisible God  
High above everything  
Everything by Him and through Him  
Made for Him, He is King  
Hallelujah, made for Him, He is King

Over all that's seen and unseen  
Firstborn from the dead  
All the thrones, dominions and powers  
Jesus Christ is our head  
Hallelujah, Jesus Christ is our head

*Chorus* All things are held by the Son  
Beginning before all,  
The first risen One  
Peace by the blood of the Son  
Everlasting, most excellent One

Evermore the fullness of God  
Pleased to dwell in this man  
Heaven, earth and all who would hate Him  
Reconciled by the Lamb  
Hallelujah, reconciled by the Lamb

*Chorus*

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***Worthy Of It All (+Exalt)***

Words: David Brymer;

Music: David Brymer and Ryan Hall

“Exalt” Words and Music: Pete Sanchez, Jr.

All the saints and angels  
Bow before Your throne  
All the elders cast their crowns  
Before the Lamb of God and sing

*Chorus* You are worthy of it all  
You are worthy of it all  
For from You are all things,  
And to You are all things;  
You deserve the glory.

*Bridge* Day and night, night and day  
Let incense arise  
Day and night, night and day  
Let incense arise

*Chorus* I exalt Thee, I exalt Thee  
I exalt Thee, O Lord

**Musicians (9 am and 11 am)**

Gavin Salmon – Drums

David Hughes – Bass

Sean Halley – Electric Guitar

Chris Weldon – Keys/Vocals

Craig Paddock – Acoustic Guitar/Vocals

Paris Carney – Vocals

Nate Miller – Vocals

**Musicians (5 pm)**

Gavin Salmon – Drums

Chris Weldon – Keys/Vocals

Craig Paddock – Acoustic Guitar/Vocals

Paris Carney – Vocals

Nate Miller – Vocals

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