PRAY, LEARN and CELEBRATE the TRUTHS of OUR FAITH

JOHN BURLAND

WORKSHOP 203
COME GATHER

Chorus
Gather, come gather
Gather in Jesus’ name (We come to…)
Gather, come gather
Gather in Jesus’ name

Verse 1
We welcome everyone today
Gather in Jesus’ name ***
Friends and family here to pray
Gather in Jesus’ name ***

Verse 2
We come and listen to God’s Word
Gather in Jesus’ name ***
To praise our God and to give thanks
Gather in Jesus’ name ***

Verse 3
We raise our voice and praise his name
Gather in Jesus’ name ***
To tell all people why he came
Gather in Jesus’ name ***

GLORY BE TO THE FATHER

Glory be to the Father
and to the Son
and to the Holy Spirit,
as it was in the beginning
is now, and ever shall be
world without end.
Amen.

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I BELIEVE

Verse 1
I believe in the Father
I believe in the Son
I believe in the Holy Spirit …
God- three in one

I believe the Father
Created all for us
The Father loved the world so much
and sent Jesus his Son

** Pre-Chorus
Gathered in your name
Called to sing your praise

Chorus
I believe whoa ooo I believe
I believe whoa ooo I believe (I believe)

Verse 2
I believe in Jesus
The Word made flesh and blood
Who healed and blessed the lowly ones
And saved us from our sin

I believe upon a cross
Our Saviour and our King
Sacrificed his life in love
So we could live again.

Verse 3
I believe in the Holy Spirit
And the power we receive
To be a witness of God’s love
To those who don’t believe

I believe that Mary
Is the Mother of God’s Son
Her “yes” gave birth to love so pure
He conquered sin and death

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All Are Welcome Here
THE GREAT COMMANDMENT

Adapted from Matthew 22:37-39

You shall love the Lord with all your heart,
With all your soul, and with all your mind.
This is the greatest and first commandment,
To love your God with all your heart.

The second is like it, so listen well:
You shall love your neighbor as yourself.
These two commandments are the greatest of all.
They are the heart of God’s Law.

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THE TRINITY

Chorus
The Trinity
Three in one
Father Son and Holy Spirit
The Trinity
Joined in love
A mystery of our faith

Verse 1
God the Father loves us so
And made us just like Him
From high above God watches us
And cares for us each day

Verse 2
Jesus Christ God’s only Son
Our brother and our friend
He came to us and saved our world
To show us how to live

Verse 3
The Holy Spirit is here with us
And brings us love and peace
The strength for us as we walk on
To share God’s love each day

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HAVE YOU EVER SEEN A MUSTARD SEED?

Based on Matthew: 13:31-32

Verse 1
Have you ever seen a mustard seed,
A tiny, tiny seed that grows big and strong?
Jesus told the story of the mustard seed,
A tiny, tiny seed that grows big and strong.

Chorus
From very small seed
Grows a very big tree.
God’s Kingdom grows through you and me
With our hearts,
With our hands,
From a mustard seed into a tree,
From a mustard seed into a tree.

Verse 2
The Kingdom of God is like a mustard seed,
A tiny, tiny seed that grows big and strong.
God puts it in ground and we help it grow,
A tiny, tiny seed that grows big and strong

Verse 3
Our love for God is like a mustard seed,
A tiny, tiny seed that grows big and strong.
Our love must grow just like the mustard seed,
A tiny, tiny seed that grows big and strong.

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**ACT OF CONTRITION**

My God,
I am sorry for my sins with all my heart. In choosing to do wrong
and failing to do good,
I have sinned against you
whom I should love above all things.
I firmly intend, with your help,
to do penance,
to sin no more,
and to avoid whatever leads me to sin. Our Savior Jesus Christ
suffered and died for us.
In his name, my God, have mercy.

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Let’s Sing! Let’s Pray!
Source: The Rites Vol. I, Rite of Penance, #45, p. 546

**“GOD’S LOVE IS…”**

God’s love is
Bigger than the biggest mountain
Deeper than the deepest sea
Taller than the tallest tree
It’s there for you and me
God’s love is
Stronger than the strongest person
Brighter than the brightest star
Warmer than the warmest day
God’s love is in my heart
Because God loves me
God loves me

1. Clap your hands in the air
   Reach up and touch the sky
   Put your hands on your heart
   Love is all around

2. Wave your arms in the air
   Now put your hands on your head
   Give yourself a big hug
   Love is all around

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**MARY OUR MOTHER**

*Verse 1*
Mary our Mother you answered God’s call
We come to praise you today
Mother of Jesus with Joseph you cared for Him
We come to praise you today

*Chorus*
Mother of Jesus be with us everyday
We want to stay close to you always
You are our Mother
We are your children
Guide us in everyday each day
Guide us in everyday

*Verse 2*
Mary our Mother you live in Heaven
We come to praise you today
Mother of Jesus a hope for all people
We come to praise you today

*Verse 3*
Mary our Mother you lead us to Jesus
We come to praise you today
Mother of Jesus Mother to everyone
We come to praise you today

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**NEW LIFE**

1. Jesus has given us new life
   Jesus has given us new life
   Just as He said
   Just as He said
   Jesus has risen today

2. Jesus has given us new hope
   Jesus has given us new hope
   Just as He said
   Just as He said
   Jesus has risen today

3. Jesus has given us a new start
   Jesus has given us a new start
   Just as He said
   Just as He said
   Jesus has risen today

4. Jesus has given us a new heart
   Jesus has given us a new heart
   Just as He said
   Just as He said
   Jesus has risen today

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CHOICES

Chorus

God gives us choices everyday
In every single way (Repeat)

Verse 1
I can run or I can walk
I can sing or I can talk
I can be the best that I can be
Just like God wants me to

Verse 2
I can grow and I can change
I don’t have to be the same
I can be the best that I can be
Just like God wants me to

Verse 3
I can listen to God’s call
I can talk of hope for all
I know I can always start again
Because God loves me so

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CHRISTMAS STAR

Chorus

Christmas Star shining bright
Lead us to this child tonight
Up in the sky a guiding light
A king is born for us this night
We’re following the Christmas Star so bright
We’re following the Christmas Star
We’re following the Christmas Star so bright
We’re following the Christmas Star

Verse 1
Three Wise men came from afar
Bringing gifts for the new born child
To worship him and give God thanks
To find the Promised One

Verse 2
Shining bright up in the sky
Leading them to Bethlehem
A star they’d followed from the East
Will guide them on this night

Verse 3
In a stable Christ was born
They knelt before him joyously
Gifts of gold, myrrh and frankincense
Were brought before our King

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COME TO THE TABLE

Based on: Luke 22:14-20

Refrain
We come to the table of the Lord
As one body formed in your love
We come to the table of the Lord
As one body formed in your love

Verse 1
Bread broken and shared to nourish us
Bread broken and shared to nourish us
At the table of the Lord
At the table of the Lord

Verse 2
Cup poured out so we will never thirst
Cup poured out so we will never thirst
At the table of the Lord
At the table of the Lord

Bridge
Come, come share with me
Come, come to my feast

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YES LORD I BELIEVE

(John Burland)
(Revised 2011 Version)

Verse 1
Do you believe in God the Father
Yes Lord I believe
Who made the earth and all we see
Yes Lord I believe
Do you believe in Jesus Christ
Yes Lord I believe
Conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit
Yes Lord I believe

Chorus
I believe in God the Father
I believe in God the Son
I believe in the Holy Spirit
And the strength that makes us one
I believe that Mother Mary
Is the Mother of God’s Son
I believe I do believe

Verse 2
Do you believe that Jesus died
Yes Lord I believe
He died for us so we could live
Yes Lord I believe
Do you believe He rose again
Yes Lord I believe
He’s seated now at God’s right hand
Yes Lord I believe

Verse 3
Do you believe in the Holy Spirit
Yes Lord I believe
The Catholic Church and communion of saints
Yes Lord I believe
Do you believe in God’s forgiveness
Yes Lord I believe
That we will rise to life again
Yes Lord I believe

This is our Faith
Which we profess Yes Lord I Believe

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NOW GO

Will you be my witness? will you be my light?
Will you be my voice lighting up the night?
Burning with the spirit, every heart ablaze
Singing out the Gospel, every voice in praise.

Now go, now go.
Go out and tell the world
let every nation hear my voice
now go, now go.
Go out and live my Word
let every nation know my love
now go, now go.

Called to serve your neighbor humbly in faith,
the meek and the lowly see God’s face.
The power of the Spirit with you as you go,
carrying the Good News of God’s Grace.

Sent out to share the Good News with the world,
We go.
Sent out to share the Good News with the world,
We go.
Sent out to share the Good News with the world,
We go.
Sent out to share the Good News with the world,
We go.
Sent out to share the Good News with the world,
Now go.

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The Act of Contrition

Music by John Burland

My God, I'm sor-ry for my sins with all my heart. In choos-ing to do wrong and fail-ing to do good, I have sinned a- gainst you whom I should love a-bove all things.

I firm-ly in-tend, with your help, to do pe-ness, to sin no more, and to a-void what-ever leads me to sin.

Sa-vi-or Je-sus Christ suf-fered and died for us. In his name, my God, have mer-cy.

Source: Catholic Family Prayer Book, P.57

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JOHN BURLAND
Teacher/Composer

John Burland is a teacher and composer who has been writing and recording religious music for children and adults for over twenty years. During this time he has written and recorded over 200 songs and published fifteen music collections which are used extensively in school/parish communities across Australia, New Zealand, the United States, the United Kingdom and Canada.

In 2008, two of John's liturgical compositions, Come O Holy Spirit and Lord By Your Cross were included in the official World Youth Day liturgies in Sydney, Australia.

John regularly works with children, parents and educators in school/parish communities and educational institutions promoting catechesis and celebration through song, movement, meditative prayer and story. He is a sought after speaker, workshop leader and internationally published author in the area of music and catechesis.

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