#### SEPTEMBER 27-29, 2024 | HILTON HEAD, SC

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#### **FRIDAY 11/15**

4:30 PM - 5:30 PM: Welcome Reception

7:00 PM - 9:00 PM: Meeting | Prayer

#### **SATURDAY 11/16:**

8:00 AM: Guided Prayer Walk (Optional)

9:00 AM – 1:30 PM: Meeting | Interactive Sessions | Lunch

> 6:30 PM - 9:00 PM: Dinner | Meeting

#### SUNDAY 11/17:

8:00 AM: Guided Prayer Walk (Optional)

9:00 AM - 12:30 PM: Meeting | Lunch | Communion





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"Roots, Branches, and Abiding in Our
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## Roots, Branches, and Abiding in Our Master

Others fell on the rocky places, where they did not have much soil; and they sprang up immediately, because they had no depth of soil. But after the sun rose, they were scorched; and because they had no root, they withered away. —Matthew 13:5-6

These things I have spoken to you so that My joy may be in you, and that your joy may be made full. —John 15:11

- I. 1987: Time enough to measure the journey and our pathway
  - A. As planted seed has gone into the soil, what is the condition of our roots and what are the changes in the soil?
    - 1. The environment of cultural war
    - 2. All things are "political."
    - 3. Power is supplanting truth.
    - 4. Are we closer or further away from hope in our corporate future?
  - B. Looking at "roots" that have lasted
    - 1. Relational tests.
    - 2. Faith that lasted but adjusted and matured
    - 3. Facing a future of "wheat and tares." John 15:11: balancing in a world of extremes (joy).

## II. Jesus prepares His brethren for another environment. (Is this coming for us?)

- A. Getting clear on changes we need to navigate the future:
  - 1. John 14: I am going, so I am getting you ready theologically and relationally: Jesus and the Father
  - 2. John 15: Abide in Me, and I am sending someone to abide in you.
  - 3. John 16:17: Is our journey for wages or love? (the "cash register")
- B. Strengthening our roots, pruning our branches, and following our Master (Christianity as an "inside-out experience")
  - 1. What will the Ekklesia do to balance government with its priestly responsibility?
  - 2. Will the "left-right battle" divide and/or cleanse the Ekklesia?
  - 3. How do we close the generational gap and the effects of theological fantasy?
  - 4. Will we continue to hold to the reality of essential relationships versus discretionary relationships and help rescue the wounded?
  - 5. Who will teach us to age well for our next meeting in 2063?

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#### I Love You, Lord

I love you, Lord And I lift my voice To worship You Oh, my soul, rejoice! Take joy, my King In what You hear May it be a sweet, sweet sound In Your ear





### Nothing But the Blood of Jesus

What can wash away my sin? Nothing but the blood of Jesus What can make me whole again? Nothing but the blood of Jesus

O precious is the flow That makes me white as snow No other fount I know Nothing but the blood of Jesus

This is all my hope and peace Nothing but the blood of Jesus This is all my righteousness Nothing but the blood of Jesus

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#### Set a Fire

No place I would rather be (x3) Than here in Your love, here in Your love No place I would rather be (x3) Than here in Your love, here in Your love

Set a fire down in my soul That I can't contain and I can't control I want more of You God, I want more of You God Set a fire down in my soul That I can't contain and I can't control I want more of You God

I want more (x6) Won't You pour it out? I want more (x6) Won't You pour it out?



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## **Holy Spirit**

There's nothing worth more That will ever come close No thing can compare You're our living hope Your presence, Lord

I've tasted and seen Of the sweetest of loves Where my heart becomes free And my shame is undone Your presence, Lord

Holy Spirit, You are welcome here Come flood this place & fill the atmosphere Your glory, God, is what our hearts long for To be overcome by Your presence, Lord Your presence, Lord

Let us become more aware of Your presence Let us experience the glory of Your goodness

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#### Great Are You, Lord

You give life, You are love You bring light to the darkness You give hope, You restore Every heart that is broken And great are You, Lord

It's Your breath in our lungs So we pour out our praise We pour out our praise It's Your breath in our lungs So we pour out our praise to You only

And all the earth will shout Your praise Our hearts will cry, these bones will sing Great are You, Lord! (repeat)



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### O Come to the Altar

Are you hurting and broken within? Overwhelmed by the weight of your sin? Jesus is calling Have you come to the end of yourself Do you thirst for a drink from the well? Jesus is calling

Oh come to the altar The Father's arms are open wide Forgiveness was bought with The precious blood of Jesus Christ

Leave behind your regrets and mistakes Come today, there's no reason to wait Jesus is calling Bring your sorrows and trade them for joy From the ashes a new life is born Jesus is calling

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Oh what a Savior Isn't He wonderful? Sing Hallelujah, Christ is risen Bow down before Him For He is Lord of all Sing Hallelujah, Christ is risen

Bear your cross as you wait for the crown Tell the world of the treasure you found





**How Great Thou Art** 

Oh Lord, my God When I in awesome wonder Consider all The worlds Thy hands have made I see the stars I hear the rolling thunder Thy power throughout The universe displayed

Then sings my soul My Savior God to Thee How great Thou art How great Thou art (repeat)

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And when I think That God His Son not sparing Sent Him to die I scarce can take it in That on a cross My burden gladly bearing He bled and died To take away my sin

When Christ shall come With shout of acclamation And take me home What joy shall fill my heart Then I shall bow In humble adoration And then proclaim My God, how great Thou art



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#### **Ten Thousand Reasons**

Bless the Lord, O my soul O my soul, worship His holy name Sing like never before, O my soul I'll worship Your holy name

The sun comes up; it's a new day dawning It's time to sing Your song again Whatever may pass and whatever lies before me Let me be singing when the evening comes

You're rich in love and You're slow to anger Your Name is great and Your heart is kind For all Your goodness I will keep on singing Ten thousand reasons for my heart to find

And on that day when my strength is failing The end draws near and my time has come Still my soul sings Your praise unending Ten thousand years and then forevermore



Worthy of It All

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

I exalt thee I exalt thee I exalt thee, o Lord





## Way Maker

You are here... moving in our midst I worship You... I worship You You are here... working in this place I worship You... I worship You (repeat)

You are... way maker, miracle worker Promise keeper, light in the darkness My God, that is who You are (repeat)

You are here... touching every heart I worship You... I worship You You are here... healing every heart I worship You... I worship You You are here... turning lives around I worship You... I worship You You are here... mending every heart I worship You... I worship You

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You are... way maker, miracle worker Promise keeper, light in the darkness My God, that is who You are (repeat)

Even when I don't see it, You're working Even when I don't feel it, You're working You never stop, You never stop working You never stop, You never stop,



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#### **Goodness of God**

I love You, Lord Oh Your mercy never fails me All my days I've been held in Your hands From the moment that I wake up Until I lay my head I will sing of the goodness of God

All my life You have been faithful All my life You have been so so good With every breath that I am able Oh I will sing of the goodness of God

I love Your voice You have led me through the fire In the darkest night You are close like no other I've known You as a Father

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I've known You as a friend I have lived in the goodness of God

And all my life You have been faithful All my life You have been so so good With every breath that I am able Oh I will sing of the goodness of God

Your goodness is running after... It's running after me Your goodness is running after... It's running after me With my life laid down I'm surrendered now I give You everything

Your goodness is running after... It's running after me



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#### **Trust in God**

Blessed Assurance Jesus is mine He's been my fourth man in the fire, time after time Born of His Spirit Washed in His blood And what He did for me on Calvary is more than enough

I trust in God, my Savior The one who will never fail He will never fail (repeat)

Perfect submission All is at rest I know the author of tomorrow has ordered my steps

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So this is my story And this is my song I'm praising my risen King and Savior all the day long

I trust in God, my Savior The one who will never fail He will never fail (repeat)

I sought the Lord, and He heard, and He answered I sought the Lord, and He heard, and He answered I sought the Lord, and He heard, and He answered That's why I trust Him That's why I trust Him (repeat)





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