

# BAYSHORE GARDENS COMMUNITY CHURCH



**LOVING GOD, LOVING OTHERS**

**To all who are spiritually weary and seek rest; to all who are sad and long for comfort; to all who struggle and desire victory; to all who sin and need a Savior; to all who are strangers and want friendship; to all who hunger and thirst for something real and lasting; and to all who come here, this church opens wide her doors and offers welcome in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ**

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**Please  
Silence  
Cell  
Phones  
At This  
Time**

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# Because He Lives

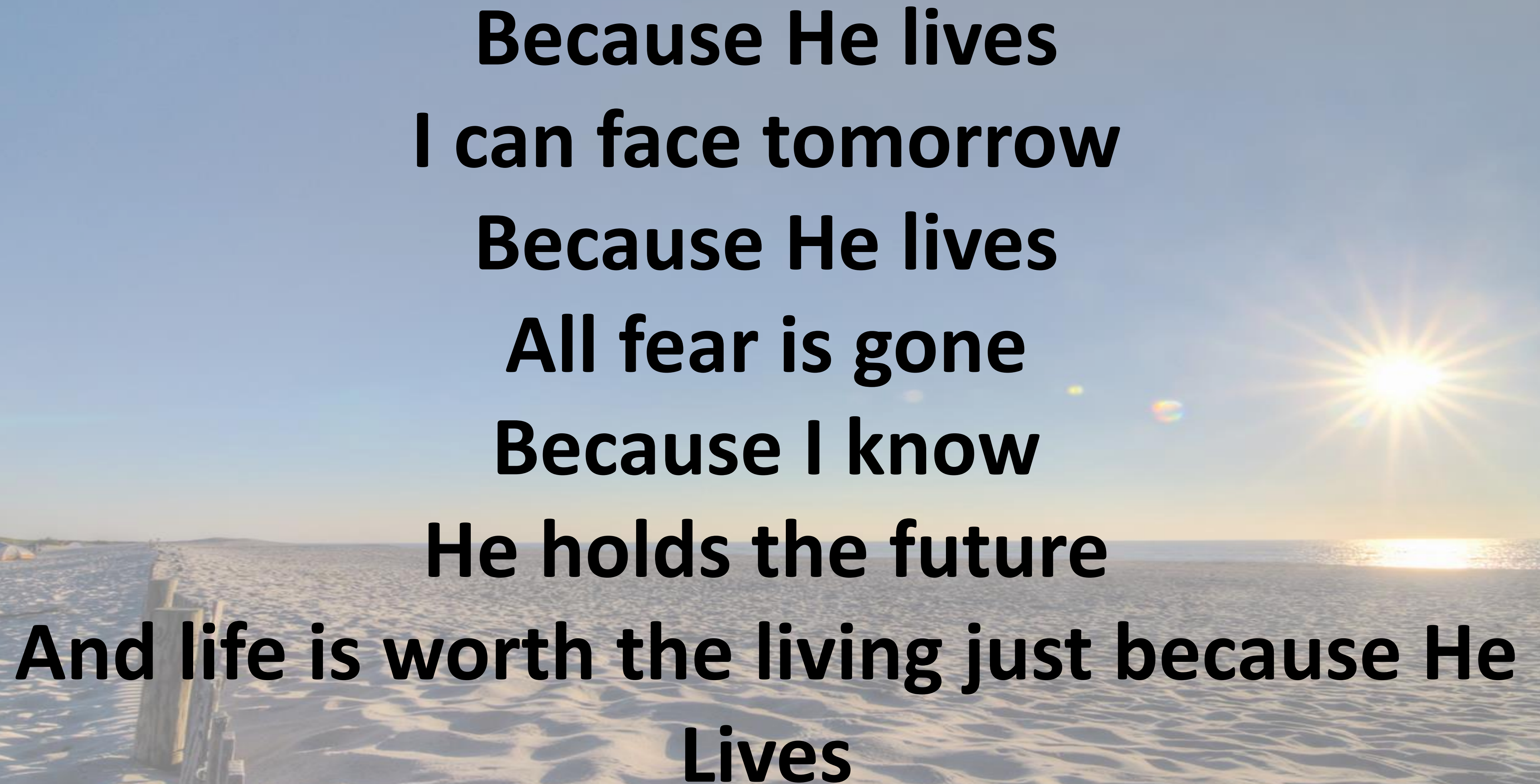
Hymn # 358

A serene sunset over a beach. The sun is low on the horizon, casting a golden glow across the sky and reflecting on the water. The foreground shows a wooden pier extending into the sea, with shadows cast on the sand. The overall atmosphere is peaceful and contemplative.

**God sent His Son-  
they called Him Jesus**

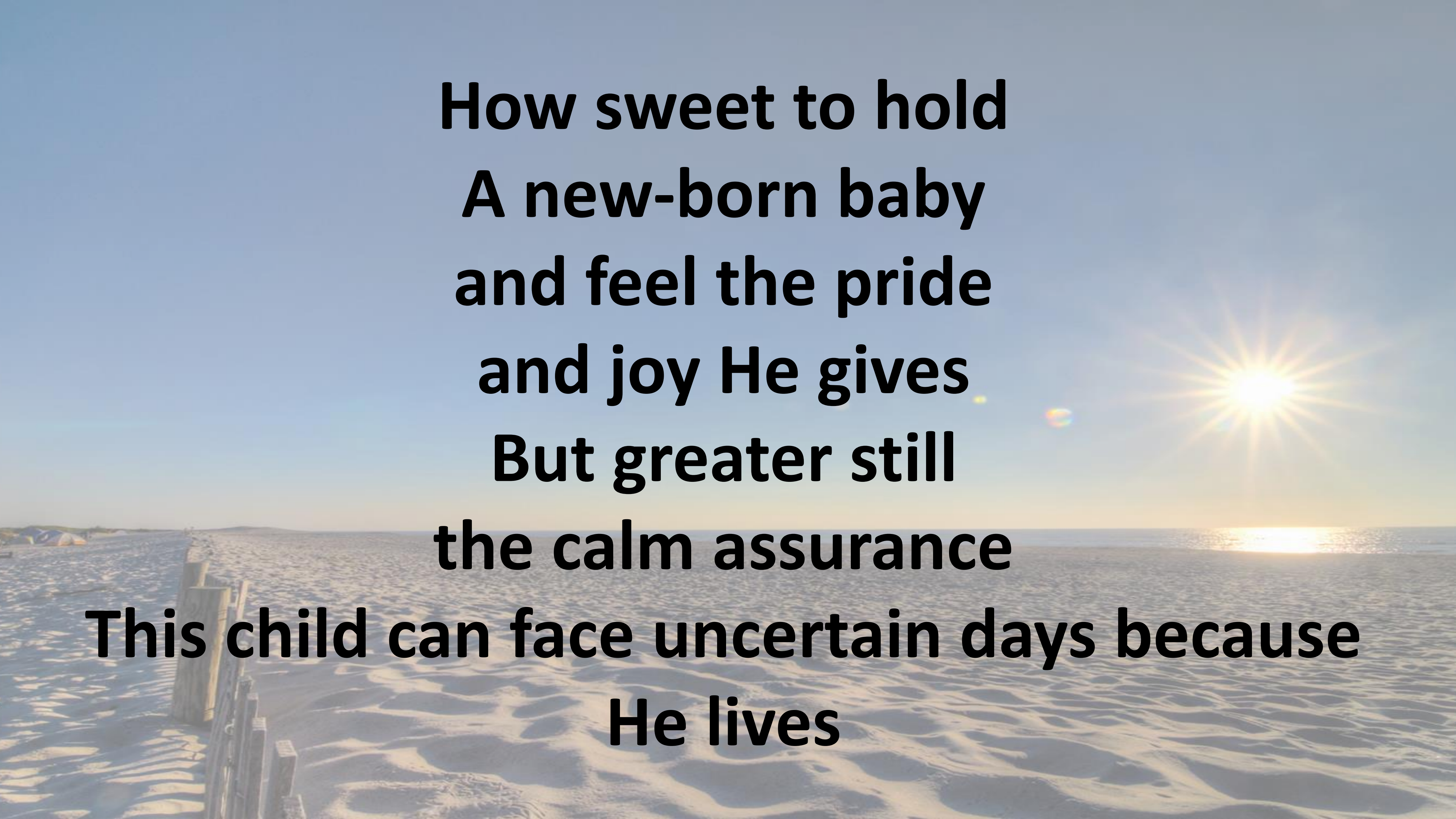
**He came to love  
heal and forgive**

**He lived and died to buy my pardon;  
An empty grave is there to prove my  
Savior lives**

A serene sunset over the ocean with a wooden pier in the foreground. The sun is low on the horizon, creating a bright glow and a reflection on the water. The sky is a clear, light blue. The water is calm with gentle ripples. The pier is made of wooden posts and runs along the left side of the frame.

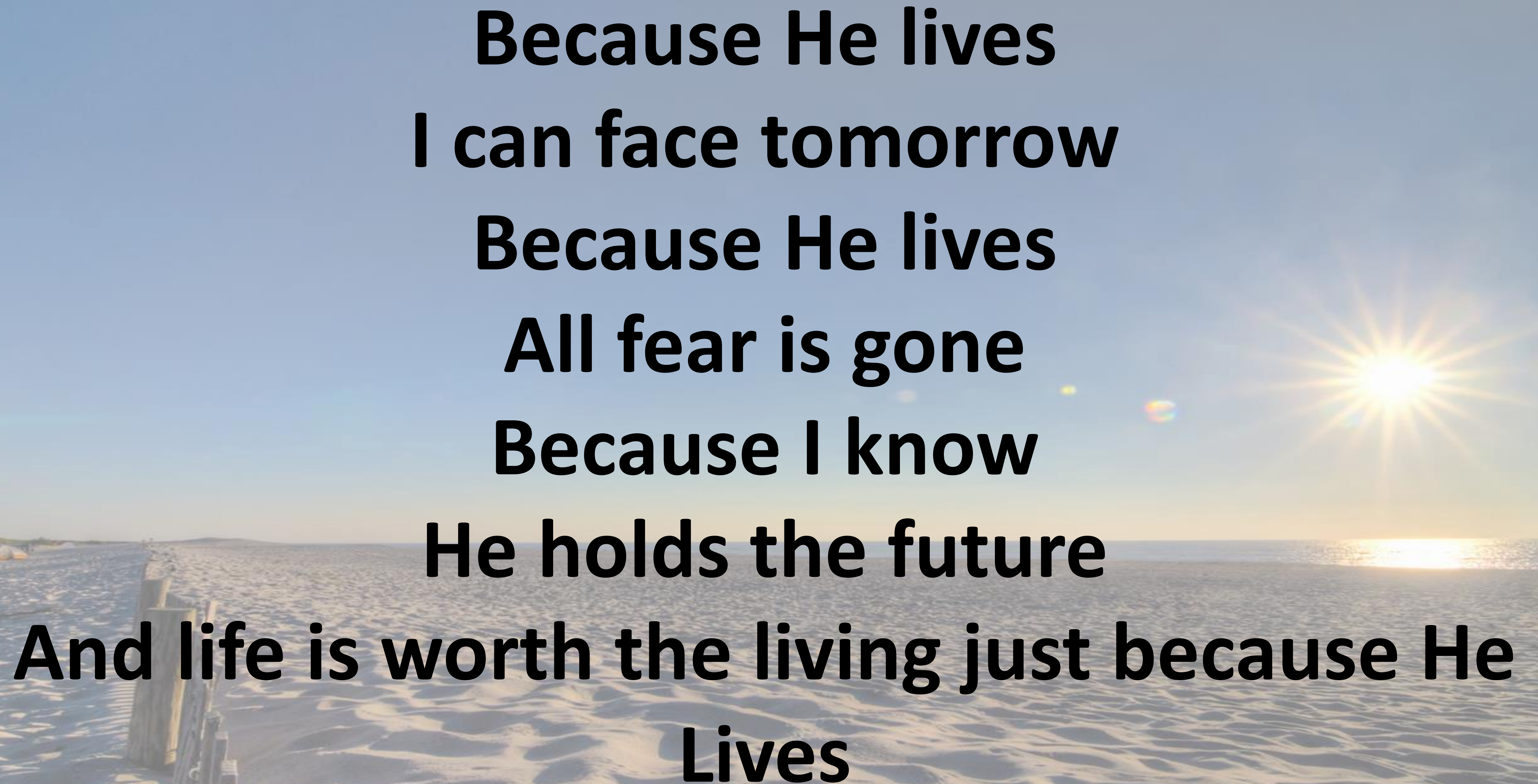
**Because He lives  
I can face tomorrow  
Because He lives  
All fear is gone  
Because I know  
He holds the future  
And life is worth the living just because He  
Lives**



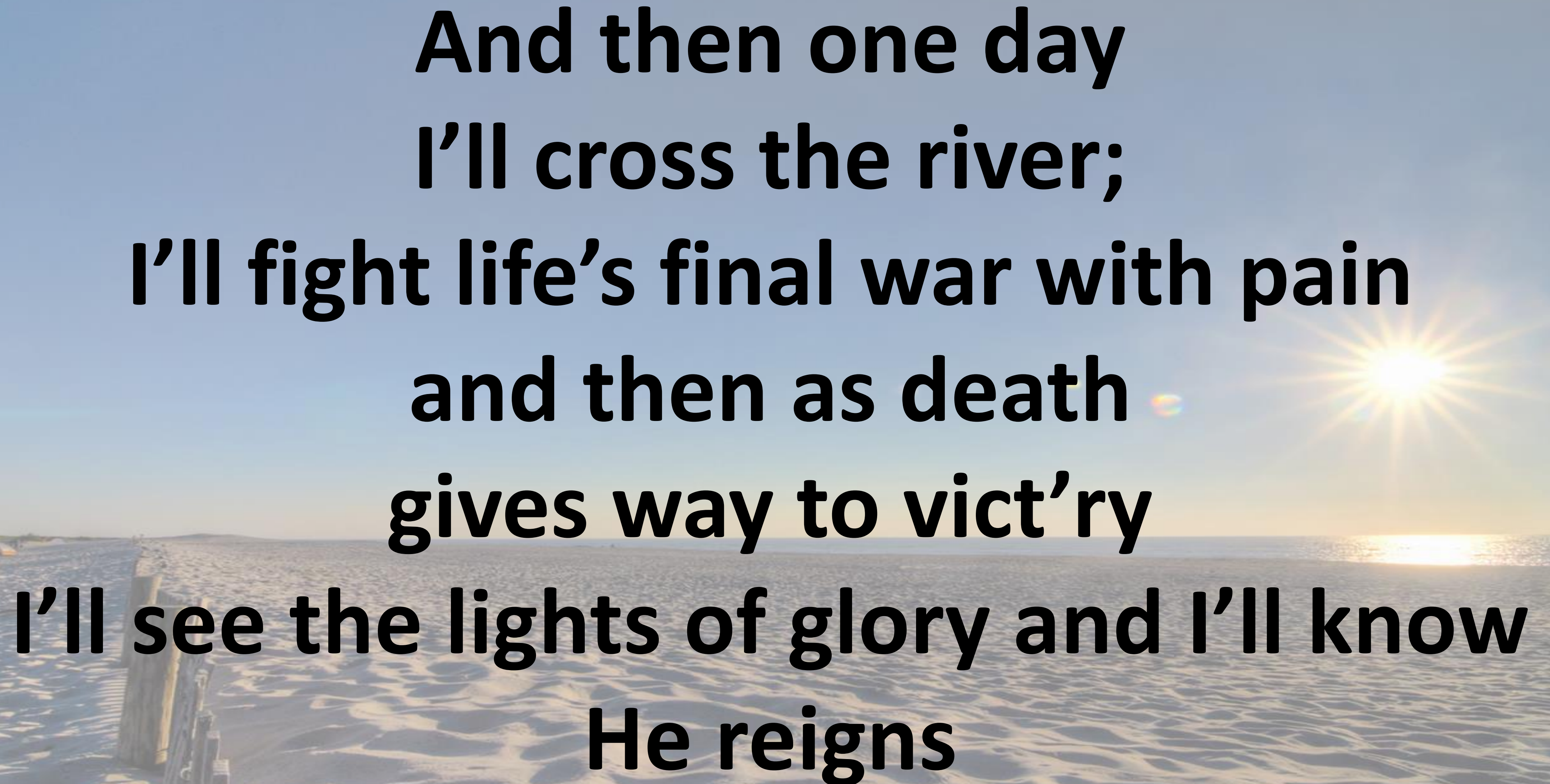


**How sweet to hold  
A new-born baby  
and feel the pride  
and joy He gives  
But greater still  
the calm assurance**

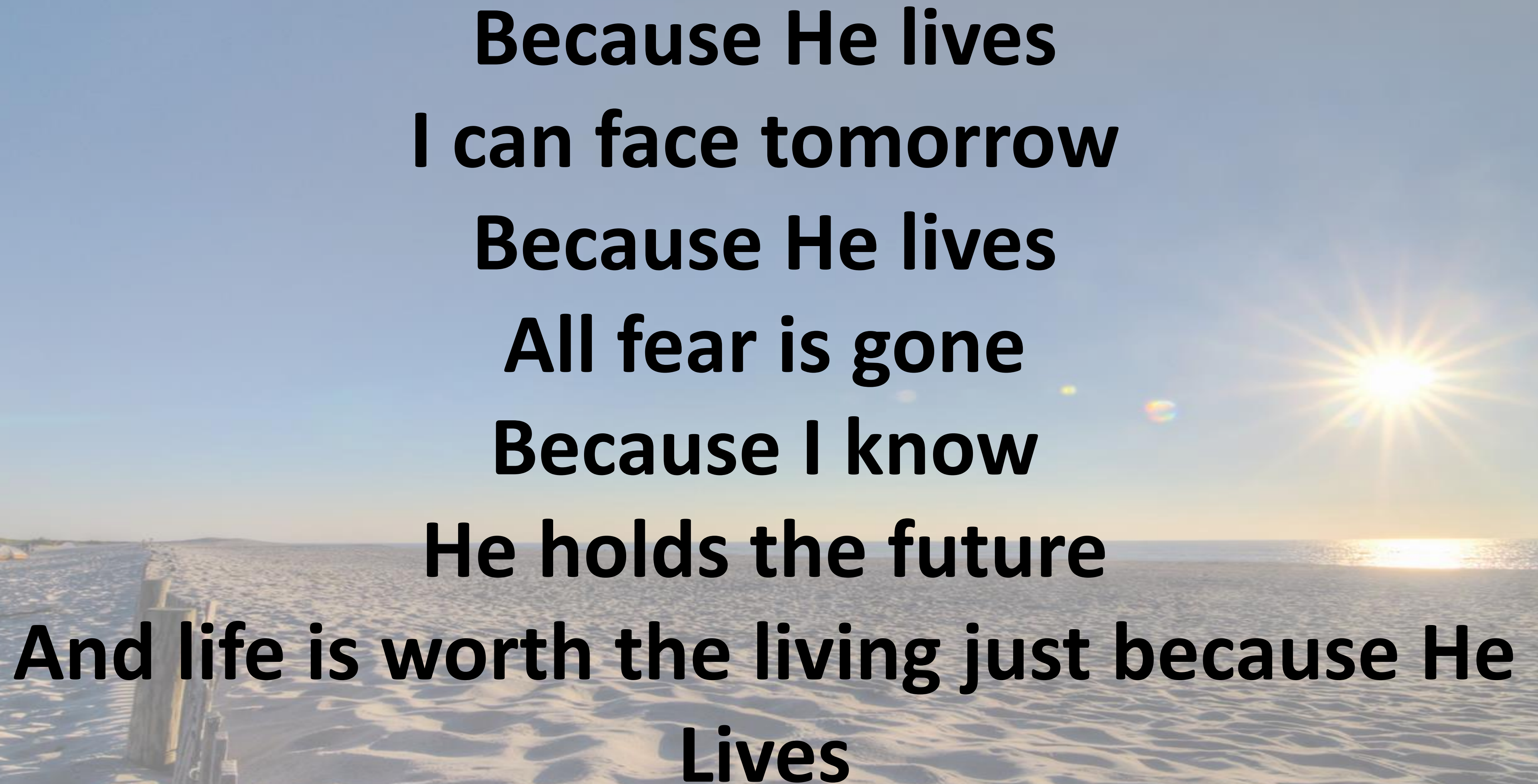
**This child can face uncertain days because  
He lives**

A serene sunset over the ocean with a wooden pier in the foreground. The sun is low on the horizon, creating a bright glow and reflecting on the water. The sky is a clear, light blue. The text is overlaid in a bold, black, sans-serif font.

**Because He lives  
I can face tomorrow  
Because He lives  
All fear is gone  
Because I know  
He holds the future  
And life is worth the living just because He  
Lives**

A sunset over a body of water with a wooden pier in the foreground. The sun is low on the horizon, creating a bright glow and reflecting on the water. The sky is a mix of light blue and yellow. The water is dark blue with white foam from the pier's wake.

**And then one day  
I'll cross the river;  
I'll fight life's final war with pain  
and then as death  
gives way to vict'ry  
I'll see the lights of glory and I'll know  
He reigns**

A serene sunset over the ocean with a wooden pier in the foreground. The sun is low on the horizon, creating a bright glow and a reflection on the water. The sky is a clear, light blue. The water is calm with gentle ripples. The pier is made of wooden posts and runs along the left side of the frame.

**Because He lives  
I can face tomorrow  
Because He lives  
All fear is gone  
Because I know  
He holds the future  
And life is worth the living just because He  
Lives**



welcome

# **Call To Worship**

**Deacon David Smukala**

**Liturgist**

# *Leader:*

**Now is Christ is risen from the  
dead, and become the first fruits of  
them that slept. O death, where is  
your sting? O grave, where is your  
victory?**



People:

**Christ is risen!**

*Leader:*

**Christ is risen!**

**People:**

**(with a great voice)**

**The Lord is risen indeed!**

**Alleluia! Alleluia!**





# CHOIR

**“Christ The Lord is Risen  
Today”**

**PRAYER OF  
CONFESSION**

**ALL:**

**Father, forgive and help us to no longer live for ourselves but for Him who died and rose again for us.**

**ALL:**

**We admit that sometimes we do not  
share in the joy of the resurrection,  
but we get caught in the worries of  
the world.**



**ALL:**

**We confess that we do not  
always live in the spirit of new  
life but remain unhappy,  
grumbling and anxious.**

**ALL:**

**Forgive us when we choose to  
worry and complain instead of  
seeking the joy and  
encouragement of new life in  
Christ.**

**ALL:**

**Call us back to You and Your ways, to  
seek hope and reconciliation,  
restoration and peace. In the name of  
the Risen Christ, we ask.  
Lord, Hear our prayers.**

*A Moment for*

*Silent*

*Confession*

**Words of Assurance  
and  
Pardon of the  
Gospel**

Jeanie Smith, Liturgist  
(Colossians 2.13-15)

**You were dead because of your sins  
and because your sinful nature was  
not yet cut away. Then God made  
you alive with Christ, for he forgave  
all our sins.**

**He canceled the record of the charges against us and took it away by nailing it to the cross. In this way, he disarmed the spiritual rulers and authorities. He shamed them publicly by his victory over them on the cross.**







# **Christ The Lord Is Risen Today**

**Hymn 367**



**Christ the Lord is risen today!  
Alleluia!**

**Sons of men and angels say!  
Alleluia!**

**Raise your joys and triumphs  
high! Alleluia!**

**Sing, ye heavens, and earth reply!  
Alleluia!**



**Lives again our glorious King!**

**Alleluia!**

**Where O death is now your sting,**

**Alleluia!**

**Dying once, He all doth save!**

**Alleluia!**

**Where your victory, o grave,**

**Alleluia!**



**Love's redeeming work is done!**

**Alleluia!**

**Fought the fight, the battle won!**

**Alleluia!**

**Death in vain forbids Him rise!**

**Alleluia!**

**Christ has opened paradise!**

**Alleluia!**



**Soar we now where Christ has  
led, Alleluia!**

**Following our exalted head,  
Alleluia!**

**Made like him, like him we rise,  
Alleluia!**

**Ours the cross, the grave, the  
skies, Alleluia!**



# **Teaching Moment:**

**Pastor Dustin Sedlak**

***“Scam Alert:  
A Story of Fraud”***





# **The Lord's Prayer**

**OUR FATHER, WHO ART IN HEAVEN,  
HALLOWED BE THY NAME.**

**THY KINGDOM COME, THY WILL BE DONE,  
ON EARTH AS IT IS IN HEAVEN.**

**GIVE US THIS DAY OUR DAILY BREAD,  
AND FORGIVE US OUR DEBTS AS WE FORGIVE OUR DEBTORS;  
AND LEAD US NOT INTO TEMPTATION  
BUT DELIVER US FROM EVIL.**

**FOR THINE IS THE KINGDOM,  
AND THE POWER, AND THE GLORY FOREVER**

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***“Christ Arose”***

***arr. by Ken Gallo***

*He is Risen*

**Bluegrass medley**



**What a fellowship what a joy**

*He is Risen*

**Leaning on the everlasting**

**arms**

**What a blessedness what a**

**peace is mine**

**Leaning on the everlasting**

**arms**

**Leaning (leaning on Jesus)**

**Leaning (leaning on Jesus)**

**Safe and secure from all alarms**

**Leaning (leaning on Jesus)**

**Leaning (leaning on Jesus)**

**Leaning on the everlasting  
arms**



**What have I to dread what**

**have I to fear**

**Leaning on the everlasting**

**arms**

**I have blessed peace with my**

**Lord so near**

**Leaning on the everlasting**

**arms**

**Leaning (leaning on Jesus)**

**Leaning (leaning on Jesus)**

**Safe and secure from all alarms**

**Leaning (leaning on Jesus)**

**Leaning (leaning on Jesus)**

**Leaning on the everlasting**

**arms**

**I saw the light, I saw the light  
No more darkness, no more  
night**

**Now I'm so happy, no sorrow in  
sight**

**Praise the Lord, I saw the light  
(repeat)**

**I saw the light, I saw the light**

**No more darkness, no more**

**night**

**Now I'm so happy, no sorrow in**

**sight**

**Praise the Lord, I saw the light**

**Will the circle be unbroken**

**By and by, lord, by and by**

**There's a better home a-**

**waiting**

**In the sky, lord, in the sky**

**(repeat)**

**Will the circle be unbroken**

**By and by, lord, by and by**

**There's a better home a-**

**waiting**

**In the sky, lord, in the sky**

**This little light of mine  
I'm going to let it shine  
this little light of mine  
I'm going to let it shine  
This little light of mine  
I'm going to let it shine  
Let it shine, let it shine, let it  
shine**

**Hide it under a bushel no  
I'm gonna let it shine  
Hide it under a bushel no  
I'm gonna let it shine  
Hide it under a bushel no  
I'm gonna let it shine  
Let it shine let it shine let it  
shine**



**This little light of mine  
I'm going to let it shine  
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I'm going to let it shine  
Let it shine, let it shine, let it  
shine**

*He is Risen*



## THE PASTORAL BLESSING

God has a plan for you and,  
you are EXACTLY where God wants you to be.



**Go In Peace  
Go To Serve**



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