



Call to Worship

Leader: The kingdom of God is.....

All: within us all.

Leader: The kingdom of God is.....

All: found in the most surprising places.

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Leader: The kingdom of God is.....

All: hidden in the everyday things of life.

Leader: The kingdom of God is.....

All: small but very precious.

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Leader: The kingdom of God is.....

All: here and now.

**Let us worship God who reigns over
the kingdom.**

A vast field of yellow rapeseed flowers stretches across the foreground, meeting a clear, bright blue sky at the horizon. The flowers are in full bloom, creating a dense, textured sea of yellow. The sky is a uniform, clear blue, providing a high-contrast background for the text.

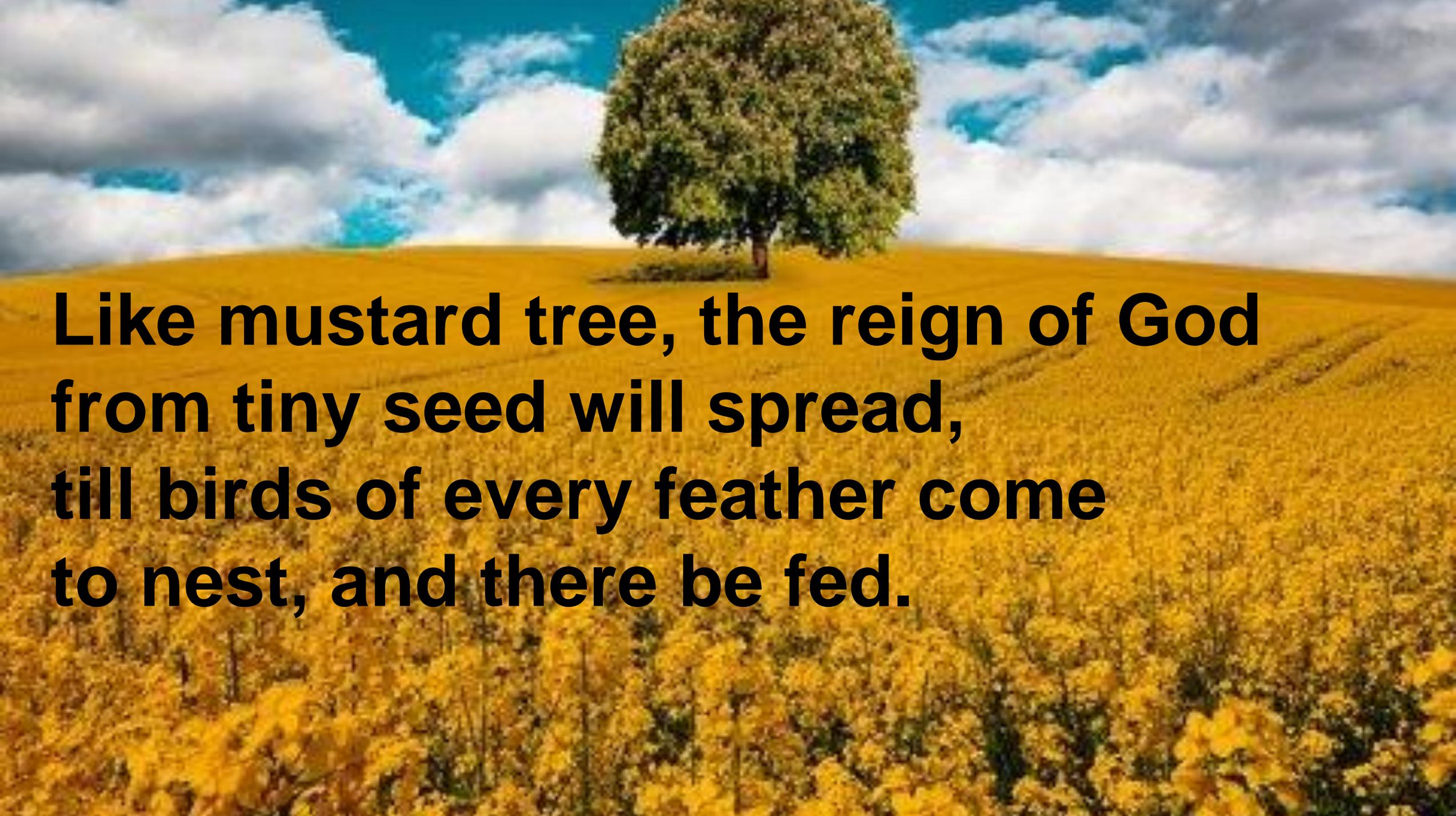
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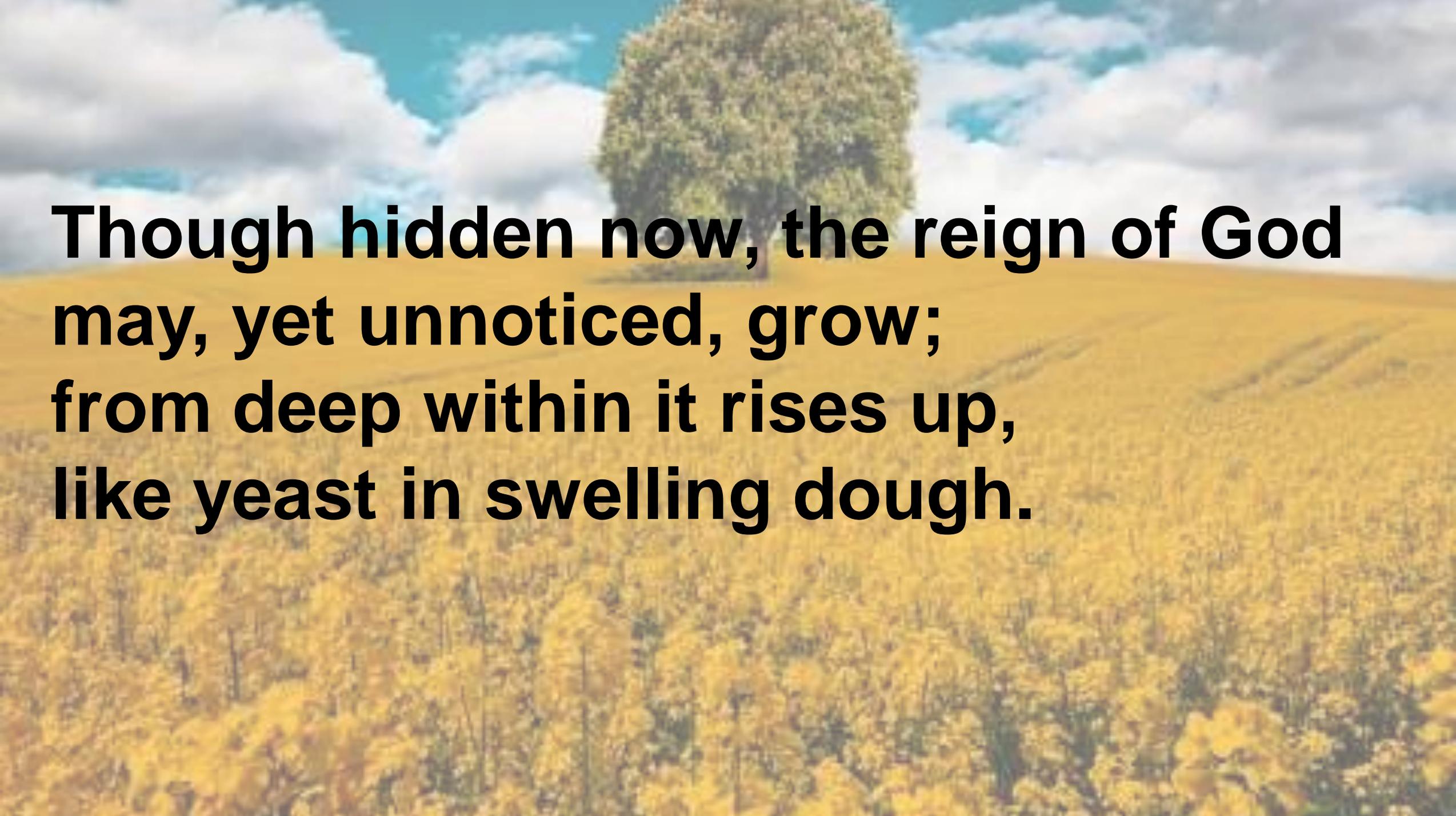
The reign of God, like farmer's field

A photograph of a vast field of bright yellow flowers, likely rapeseed, stretching to the horizon under a clear, light blue sky. The text is overlaid on the upper portion of the image.

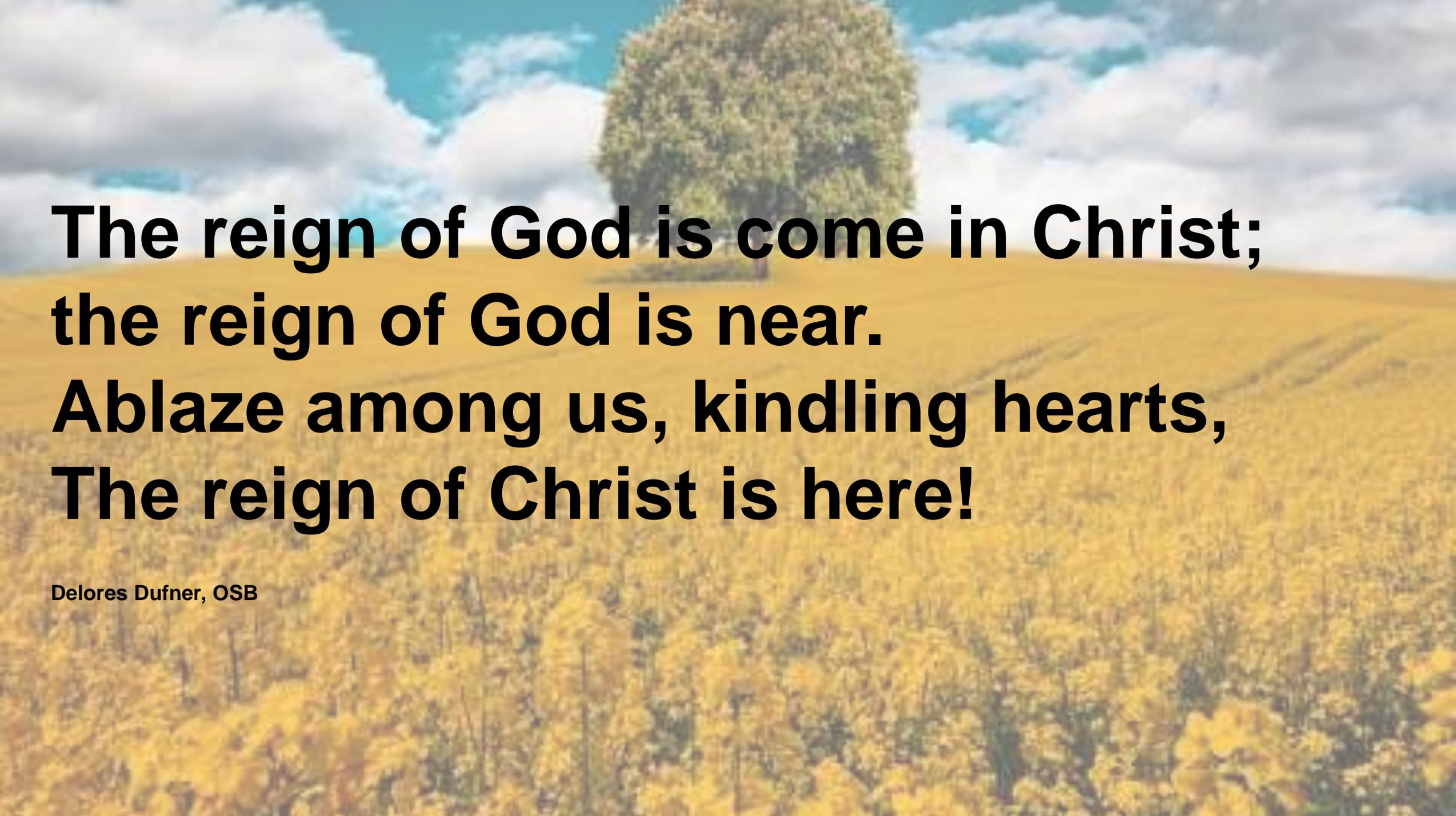
**The reign of God, like farmer's field,
bears weeds along with wheat;
the good and bad are intertwined
till harvest is complete.**



**Like mustard tree, the reign of God
from tiny seed will spread,
till birds of every feather come
to nest, and there be fed.**

A landscape photograph featuring a large, dense green tree in the center background. The foreground is a vast field of bright yellow flowers, possibly rapeseed, stretching towards the horizon. The sky is filled with white and grey clouds, with patches of blue visible. The overall scene is bright and natural.

**Though hidden now, the reign of God
may, yet unnoticed, grow;
from deep within it rises up,
like yeast in swelling dough.**



**The reign of God is come in Christ;
the reign of God is near.
Ablaze among us, kindling hearts,
The reign of Christ is here!**

Delores Dufner, OSB

Prayer & Lord's Prayer

**Our Father in heaven,
hallowed be your name.**

your kingdom come,

your will be done,

on earth as in heaven.

Give us today our daily bread.

Forgive us our sins

as we forgive those who sin against us

**Save us in the time of trial
and deliver us from evil.**

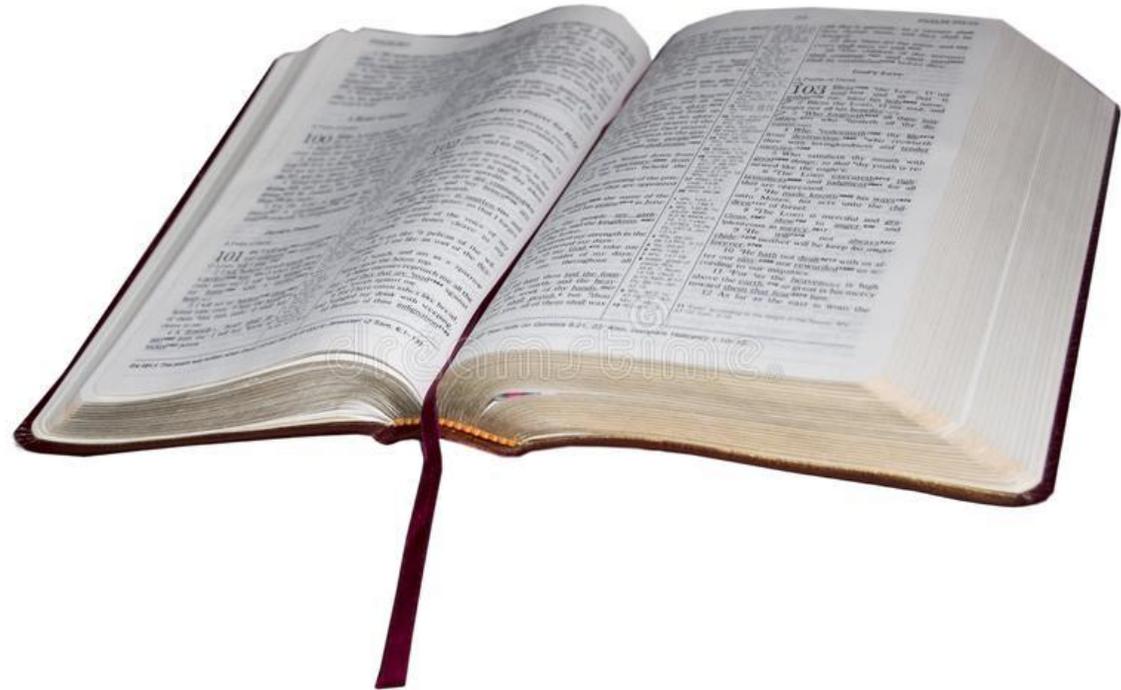
**For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are
yours**

now and for ever.

Amen.

Listen for the Word of God

St Matthew 13: 31-33
& 44-52



Reflection

A large, diverse crowd of people is shown from a high-angle perspective, all clapping their hands. The individuals vary in age, gender, and ethnicity, creating a vibrant and inclusive scene. The background is slightly blurred, emphasizing the collective action of the group. The text "Prayers of the People" is overlaid in the center in a bold, yellow font with a black outline.

Prayers of the People

The Grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with us now and always. Amen

