

10.00 am Sunday Morning Service



13 March 2022

Welcome

Prayer

This is the day the Lord has made!

We will rejoice, and be glad in it!

The Lord is our strength and our song; he has become our victory!

You are our God, and we will praise you;

You are our God, and we will exalt you.

Give thanks to the Lord, for he is good!

His faithful loves endures forever!

Song: The Lord Reigns

The Lord reigns (3 times)

Let the earth rejoice (3 times)

Let the people be glad,

that our God reigns.

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Our God reigns, our God reigns

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Song: What the Lord has done in Me

Let the weak say I am strong

Let the poor say I am rich

Let the blind say I can see

It's what the Lord has done in me

**Hosanna hosanna
To the Lamb that was slain
Hosanna hosanna
Jesus died and rose again**

Into the river I will wade
There my sins are washed away
From the heaven's mercy stream
Of the Saviour's love for me

I will rise from waters deep
Into the saving arms of God
I will sing salvation songs
Jesus Christ has set me free

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Multi age – Thanksgiving

The Confession

**Heavenly Father,
You have loved us with an everlasting love,
But we have broken your holy laws
And have left undone what we ought to have done.
We are sorry for our sins and turn away from them.
For the sake of your Son who died for us,
Forgive us, cleanse us and change us.
By your Holy Spirit, enable us to live for you;
Through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

Declaration of Forgiveness

God is slow to anger and full of compassion,
Forgiving all who humbly repent
And trust in his Son as Saviour and Lord
God therefore forgives you in Christ Jesus,
In whom there is no condemnation. **Amen.**

The Great Thanksgiving

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

It is right to praise you, faithful God, always and everywhere,
for with your only begotten Son, and life giving Spirit,
you are the one true God from everlasting to everlasting.

At the dawn of time you wrought from nothing a universe of beauty
and splendour, bringing light from darkness and order from chaos.
You formed us, male and female, in your image and endowed us with
creative power.

We turned away from you but you did not abandon us.

You called us by name and searched us out, making a covenant of
mercy, giving law, and teaching justice by the prophets.

And so we praise you, joining with your faithful people of every time
and place, singing the eternal song:

**Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth
are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest.**

When the fullness of time was come, you sent your Son to be born of
Mary. Bright image of your glory, he learnt obedience to you in all
things, even to death on a cross, breaking the power of evil, freeing
us from sin, and putting death to flight. You raised him from death,
exalting him to glory, and the new day dawned.

On the night he was betrayed your Son Jesus Christ shared food with
his friends, his companions on the way.

While at the table he took bread, blessed, and broke it, and giving it
to them, said: 'Take eat; this is my body'.

He took the cup of wine, and, giving thanks, he gave it to them, and said, 'This is my blood of the covenant, Which is poured out for many. Do this in remembrance of me'.

Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.

Therefore, living God, as we obey his command, we remember his life of obedience to you, his suffering and death, his resurrection and exaltation, and his promise to be with us for ever. With this bread and this cup we celebrate his saving death until he comes.

Accept, we pray, our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving, and send your Holy Spirit upon us and our celebration that all who may eat or drink at this table may be strengthened by Christ's body and blood to serve you in the world.

As one body and one holy people, may we proclaim the everlasting gospel of Jesus Christ our Lord, through whom, with whom and in whom, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all glory is yours, eternal God, now and for ever.

Blessing and honour and glory and power are yours for ever and ever. Amen.

Prayer

Bountiful God, at this table you graciously feed us

With the bread of life and the cup of eternal salvation.

May we who have reached out our hands to receive this sacrament be strengthened in your service.

We who have sung your praises

tell of your glory and truth in our lives;

we who have seen the greatness of your love

See you face to face in your kingdom

And come to worship you with all your saints for ever.

Father,
**we offer ourselves to you as a living sacrifice
through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Send us out in the power of your Spirit
to live and work to your praise and glory.**

Bible Reading: Luke 16:1-15

Message

Song: This I Believe (The Creed)

Our Father everlasting
The all creating One, God Almighty
Through Your Holy Spirit
Conceiving Christ the Son, Jesus our Saviour

**I believe in God our Father
I believe in Christ the Son
I believe in the Holy Spirit
Our God is three in One
I believe in the resurrection
That we will rise again
For I believe in the Name of Jesus**

Our judge and our defender
Suffered and crucified
Forgiveness is in You
Descended into darkness
You rose in glorious life
Forever seated high

I believe in You
I believe You rose again
I believe that Jesus Christ is Lord

**I believe in life eternal
I believe in the virgin birth
I believe in the saints' communion
And in Your holy Church
I believe in the resurrection
When Jesus comes again
For I believe in the Name of Jesus**

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Thanks for the Offering

Blessed are you, Lord, God of all creation.
Through your goodness we have these gifts to share.
Accept and use our offerings for your glory
and for the service of your kingdom.
Blessed be God forever.

Prayers for the Church and our World

The 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 from the time of trial and deliver us from evil
For the kingdom, the power and the glory
Are yours now and forever. Amen.**

Notices

Song: Shine Jesus Shine

Lord the light of Your love is shining
In the midst of the darkness shining
Jesus Light of the world shine upon us

Set us free by the truth You now bring us
Shine on me shine on me

Shine Jesus shine, fill this land
With the Father's glory
Blaze Spirit blaze, set our hearts on fire
Flow river flow, flood the nations
With grace and mercy
Send forth Your word Lord, and let there be light

Lord I come to Your awesome presence
From the shadows into Your radiance
By the blood I may enter Your brightness
Search me try me consume all my darkness
Shine on me shine on me

As we gaze on Your kingly brightness
So our faces display Your likeness
Ever changing from glory to glory
Mirrored here may our lives tell Your story
Shine on me shine on me

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The Blessing

May the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ
The love of God the Father
And the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with us all
Forevermore. Amen