

## **10am Sunday Morning Service O2T2**

**13 November 2022**

### **Welcome**

#### **Call to Worship**

Great is our God, and worthy of praise!  
God's goodness knows no limit;  
God's faithfulness toward us is boundless!

God, your majesty and glory surround us here.  
We've come together to celebrate your presence,  
and to offer songs of praise and worship.  
We've come to rejoice in your mighty acts,  
and to retell the story of your goodness  
throughout history and in our own lives.

Move among us as we worship together;  
may your Spirit guide and inspire our thoughts and actions  
as we spend this time in your presence.

In the name of our Savior and Lord, Jesus Christ. Amen.

#### **Song: Forever**

Give thanks to the Lord  
Our God and King  
His love endures forever  
For He is good He is above all things  
His love endures forever  
Sing praise sing praise

With a mighty hand  
And an outstretched arm  
His love endures forever  
For the life that's been reborn

His love endures forever  
Sing praise, sing praise, sing praise, sing praise

**Forever God is faithful**  
**Forever God is strong**  
**Forever God is with us**  
**Forever forever**

From the rising to the setting sun  
His love endures forever  
And by the grace of God  
We will carry on  
His love endures forever  
Sing praise sing praise

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**Song: Jesus, God's Righteousness Revealed**

Jesus, God's righteousness revealed,  
The Son of Man, the Son of God,  
His kingdom comes.  
Jesus, redemption's sacrifice,  
Now glorified, now justified,  
His kingdom comes.

**And His kingdom will have no end,**  
**And His glory shall know no bounds,**  
**For the majesty and power**  
**Of this kingdom's King has come,**  
**And this kingdom's reign,**  
**And this kingdom's rule,**  
**And this kingdom's power and authority,**  
**Jesus, God's righteousness revealed.**

Jesus, the expression of God's love,  
The grace of God, The word of God,

Revealed to us.  
Jesus, God's holiness displayed,  
Now glorified, Now justified,  
His kingdom comes.

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## **Multi-age**

### **Bible Reading: John 15.12-17**

This is my commandment, that you love one another as I have loved you. No one has greater love than this, to lay down one's life for one's friends. You are my friends if you do what I command you. I do not call you servants any longer, because the servant does not know what the master is doing, but I have called you friends, because I have made known to you everything that I have heard from my Father. You did not choose me, but I chose you. And I appointed you to go and bear fruit, fruit that will last, so that the Father will give you whatever you ask him in my name. I am giving you these commands so that you may love one another.

## **Message**

### **Offering Song: What a Friend**

What a friend we have in Jesus  
All our sins and griefs to bear  
What a privilege to carry  
Everything to God in prayer  
O what peace we often forfeit  
O what needless pain we bear  
All because we do not carry  
Everything to God in prayer

Have we trials and temptations  
Is there trouble anywhere  
We should never be discouraged

Take it to the Lord in prayer  
Can we find a friend so faithful  
Who will all our sorrows share  
Jesus knows our every weakness  
Take it to the Lord in prayer

Are we weak and heavy laden  
Cumbered with a load of care  
Precious Savior still our refuge  
Take it to the Lord in prayer  
Do thy friends despise forsake thee  
Take it to the Lord in prayer  
In His arms He'll take and shield thee  
Thou wilt find a solace there

Blessed Savior Thou hast promised  
Thou wilt all our burdens bear  
May we ever Lord be bringing  
All to Thee in earnest prayer  
Soon in glory bright unclouded  
There will be no need for prayer  
Rapture praise and endless worship  
Will be our sweet portion there

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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.**

### **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.**

### **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.**

### **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.**

### **Notices**

#### **Song: Send us Out**

Send us out in the power of your Spirit  
to shine your light in the way we live.

Send us out in the power of your Spirit  
as we've received, may we freely give

**Send us out, send us out,  
send us out for your glory.  
Let all we do be praise to you;  
send us out for your glory**

Send us out in the power of your Spirit  
to show your love everywhere we go.  
Send us out in the power of your Spirit  
Lord, fill us up so we overflow.

We're laying down our lives,  
a living sacrifice,  
we're living for your glory  
and your praise.  
We're taking up our cross,  
we've counted up the cost,  
we're living for your glory  
and your praise.

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### **Blessing**

May the Lord bless us and keep us; the Lord make his face to shine upon us, and be gracious to us; the Lord lift up his countenance upon us, and give us peace. **Amen.**

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.  
In the name of Christ. **Amen.**