

# **10am Sunday Service (O3)**

## **27 April 2025 – Baptism Bodhi Erler**

**Welcome (Sue lead, Stuart music)**

### **Call to Worship**

God says: Look! See my chosen servant, the One in whom I utterly delight;  
**I have placed my Spirit on him, he will bring true justice to the nations.**

When Jesus was baptised, the heavens opened up,  
and Spirit came down like a dove;  
and there was a voice from heaven saying:  
**“This is my dearly loved Son, with whom I am delighted.”**

The joy of the Lord be with you all. **And also with you.**

### **Song: Holy is the Lord**

We stand and lift up our hands  
For the joy of the Lord is our strength  
We bow down and worship Him now  
How great how awesome is He  
And together we sing, ev'ryone sing

Holy is the Lord God Almighty,  
the earth is filled with His glory  
Holy is the Lord God Almighty,  
the earth is filled with His glory  
The earth is filled with His glory  
It's rising up all around,  
it's the anthem of the Lord's renown  
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**Song: Waymaker**

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 verse)*

**(You are) Way Maker,  
Miracle Worker, Promise Keeper  
Light in the darkness  
My God that is who You are  
*(Sing chorus twice)***

You are here touching ev'ry heart  
I worship You I worship You  
You are here healing ev'ry heart  
I worship You I worship You

You are here turning lives around  
I worship You I worship You  
You are here mending ev'ry heart  
I worship You yeah I worship You Lord

**(You are) Way Maker, Miracle Worker, Promise Keeper  
Light in the darkness, my God that is who You are  
*(Sing twice)***

That is who You are *(8x)*

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 working  
*(Sing verse 3 times)*

**(You are) Way Maker,  
Miracle Worker, Promise Keeper  
Light in the darkness  
My God that is who You are  
(Sing chorus twice)**

That is who You are (8x)

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## **Puppets**

### **Baptism of Bodhi Erler**

### **Prayer for Children (Sue)**

### **Bible Reading: Mark 10:13-16 (Christine)**

<sup>13</sup> People were bringing children to him in order that he might touch them, and the disciples spoke sternly to them. <sup>14</sup> But when Jesus saw this, he was indignant and said to them, “Let the children come to me; do not stop them, for it is to such as these that the kingdom of God belongs. <sup>15</sup> Truly I tell you, whoever does not receive the kingdom of God as a little child will never enter it.” <sup>16</sup> And he took them up in his arms, laid his hands on them, and blessed them.

## **Message (Julia)**

### **Offering Song: Amazing Grace (My chains are gone)**

Amazing grace how sweet the sound  
That saved a wretch like me  
I once was lost but now I'm found  
Was blind but now I see

'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear  
And grace my fears relieved  
How precious did that grace appear

The hour I first believed

**My chains are gone I've been set free  
My God my Savior has ransomed me  
And like a flood His mercy rains  
Unending love amazing grace**

The Lord has promised good to me  
His word my hope secures  
He will my shield and portion be  
As long as life endures

The earth shall soon dissolve like snow  
The sun forbear to shine  
But God who called me here below  
Will be forever mine  
You are forever mine

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### **Offering Prayer**

Lord, you are the bread of heaven,  
giving life to the world.  
You fill our emptiness with your goodness.  
You come to our weakness with your strength.  
Take and use these gifts to bring in a rich harvest  
of your heavenly food and life-giving refreshment.

### **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 us in Christ Jesus,  
In whom there is no condemnation. **Amen.**

### **Prayers for the Church and our World (Natalie)**

#### **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 (Sue with Jaq and Nat)**

**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.**

You are worthy, our Lord and God,  
to receive glory and honour and power  
for you created all things, making us in your own image.  
We praise you for your Son, our Saviour Jesus Christ,  
who by his death on the cross and rising to new life  
offered the one true sacrifice for sin  
and obtained an eternal deliverance for his people.  
Therefore, we lift our voices to praise you, saying,  
**Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,**  
**heaven and earth are full of your glory.**  
**Hosanna in the highest.**

And now, gracious God, we thank you  
for these gifts of bread and wine,  
and pray that we who receive them,  
in the fellowship of the Holy Spirit,  
according to our Saviour's word,  
in remembrance of his suffering and death,  
may share his body and blood.  
On the night before he died,  
Jesus took bread,  
and when he had given you thanks he broke it,  
and gave it to his disciples, saying,  
'Take and eat. This is my body which is given for you.  
Do this in remembrance of me.'  
After supper, he took the cup,  
and again giving you thanks  
he gave it to his disciples,  
saying, 'Drink from this, all of you.  
This is my blood of the new covenant  
which is shed for you  
and for many for the forgiveness of sins.  
Do this, as often as you drink it,  
in remembrance of me.'

We eat this bread and drink this cup  
**to proclaim the death of the Lord.**

We do this until he returns.

**Come, Lord Jesus!**

Father, as we recall his saving death  
and glorious resurrection,  
may we who share these gifts  
be renewed by your Holy Spirit  
and united in the body of your Son.  
Bring us with all your people  
into the joy of your eternal kingdom,  
there to feast at your table  
and join in your eternal praise:  
**Worthy is the Lamb, who was slain,  
to receive praise and honour  
and glory and power for ever and ever. Amen.**

We break this bread to share in the body of Christ.  
We who are many are one body.  
**For we all share in the one bread**

The gifts of God for the people of God.  
Come let us take this holy sacrament  
of the body and blood of Christ  
in remembrance that he died for us,  
and feed on him in our hearts by faith with thanksgiving.

### **The Sending out of God's People**

Gracious God,  
thank you for feeding us with the spiritual food  
of the body and blood of our Saviour Jesus Christ.  
Thank you for assuring us of your goodness and love,  
and that we are living members of Christ's body.

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. Amen**

## **Notices**

### **Song: Your Grace Is Enough**

Great is Your faithfulness O God  
You wrestle with the sinner's restless heart  
You lead us by still waters into mercy  
And nothing can keep us apart

**(So) remember Your people  
Remember Your children  
Remember Your promise O God  
Your grace is enough, Your grace is enough  
Your grace is enough for me**

Great is Your love and justice God  
You use the weak to lead the strong  
You lead us in the song of Your salvation  
And all Your people sing along  
Yeah Your grace is enough  
Heaven reaches out to us  
Your grace is enough for me  
God I sing Your grace is enough  
I'm covered in Your love  
Your grace is enough for me for me

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## **Blessing**