

10am Sunday Service (O3)

6 July 2025 – Baptism of Stacey, Seanna & Tyler

Welcome (Julia lead, Wayne & band 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: All my ways are known to you

In days of peace and days of rest
In times of loss and loneliness
Though rich or poor Your word is true
That all my ways are known to You

No trial has come beyond Your hand
No step I walk beyond Your plan
The path is dark outside my view
Still all my ways are known to You

Chorus

**And oh what peace that I have found
Wherever I may be
For all my ways are known to You
Hallelujah, they are known to You!**

I do not fear the final night
For death will be the door to life
You take my hand and lead me through
For all my ways are known to You

Chorus 2x

Open up my eyes so I may see
That You have made these ways for me
Open up my eyes so I may see
That You my God will walk with me

Chorus 2x

Hallelujah, they are known to You!

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Song: 10 000 Reasons

Bless the Lord O my soul, O my soul

Worship His holy name

Sing like never before, O my soul

I'll worship Your holy name

The sun comes up it's a new day dawning
It's time to sing Your song again
Whatever may pass and whatever lies before me
Let me be singing when the evening comes

You're rich in love and You're slow to anger
Your name is great and Your heart is kind
For all Your goodness I will keep on singing
Ten thousand reasons for my heart to find

And on that day when my strength is failing
The end draws near and my time has come
Still my soul will sing Your praise unending

Ten thousand years and then forevermore

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Song: Our God is a great big God (Julia)

Baptism

Prayer for Children (Julia)

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.**

Bible Reading: Matthew 28:18-20 (Christine)

Today's reading is taken from Matthew chapter 28, starting at verse 18

¹⁸ And Jesus came and said to them, 'All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. ¹⁹ Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, ²⁰ and teaching them to obey everything that I have commanded you. And remember, I am with you always, to the end of the age.'

This is the word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God**

Message (Julia)

Prayers for the Church and our World (Colin L)

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.**

Offering Song: The goodness of God

I love You Lord
Oh Your mercy never fails me
All my days
I've been held in Your hands
From the moment that I wake up
Until I lay my head
I will sing of the goodness of God

**All my life You have been faithful
All my life You have been so so good
With every breath that I am able
I will sing of the goodness of God**

I love Your voice
You have led me through the fire
In the darkest night
You are close like no other

I've known You as a father
I've known You as a friend
I have lived in the goodness of God

Chorus

*Your goodness is running after, it's running after me
Your goodness is running after, it's running after me
With my life laid down I'm surrendered now
I give You everything
Your goodness is running after, it's running after me
Repeat*

Chorus

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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 Great Thanksgiving (Ron with Julia & Karin)

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: Cornerstone

My hope is built on nothing less
Than Jesus' blood and righteousness
I dare not trust the sweetest frame
But wholly trust in Jesus' Name
But wholly trust in Jesus' Name

Christ alone cornerstone

**Weak made strong in the Saviour's love Through the storm He is Lord
Lord of all**

When darkness seems to hide His face
I rest on His unchanging grace
In every high and stormy gale
My anchor holds within the veil
My anchor holds within the veil

When He shall come with trumpet sound
Oh may I then in Him be found
Dressed in His righteousness alone
Faultless stand before the throne
Faultless stand before the throne

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