

10am Sunday Service (O3)

Date 28 June 2026

Lead – Christine; Preach – Ron; Preside – Sue; Music - Wayne

Welcome – Christine

Call to Worship – Christine

Give thanks to the Lord, for the Lord is good;

God's steadfast love endures forever!

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The Lord is our strength and might;

today, the Lord has become our salvation!

The stone that the builders rejected has become the cornerstone.

This is God's handiwork, and it is marvelous in our eyes!

This is the day that the Lord has made;

let us rejoice and be glad in it!

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: I am Carried

Day by day and hour by hour, your love for me from heaven flows.
Like streams of water in the desert, living waters flow.
You walk beside me, gently guiding,
Leading me through every storm,
Everlasting, never changing, grace and love divine.

Mercy's healing grace relieving every spot and every stain.
Forgiven freely. No more guilty. Love has conquered shame.
The broken mended, night has ended, lost and lonely, lost no more,
For I am carried in the arms of grace and love divine.

I am carried in the arms of grace and love divine.
I am held by hands of healing, washed by water pure.
Lifting up my heavy heart, held in grace scarred hands.
I am carried in the arms of grace and love divine.

Never worthy, never earning, all my works now left behind.
Ever onwards, ever upwards, you've called me on to rise
Above my darkness, all my failure, every fear and every pain,
Always carried, always covered by grace and love divine.

I am carried in the arms of grace and love divine.
I am held by hands of healing, washed by water pure.
Lifting up my heavy heart held in grace scarred hands.
I am carried in the arms of grace and love divine.

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Puppets

The Confession – Christine

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 – Christine

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: Genesis 16 – Pat Tan

Today's bible reading is taken from Genesis 16, beginning at the first verse.

Abram's wife Sarai had never had any children by him. But she had a female slave from Egypt named Hagar.² So she said to Abram, "The Lord has kept me from having children. Go and sleep with my slave. Maybe I can have a family through her." Abram agreed to what Sarai had said.³ His wife Sarai gave him her slave Hagar to be his wife. That was after he had been living in Canaan for ten years.⁴ Then he slept with Hagar, and she became pregnant. When Hagar knew she was pregnant, she began to look down on the woman who owned her.⁵ Then Sarai said to Abram, "It's your fault that I'm suffering like this. I put my slave in your arms. Now that she knows she's pregnant, she looks down on me. May the Lord judge between you and me. May he decide which of us is right."⁶ "Your slave belongs to you," Abram said. "Do with her what you think is best." Then Sarai treated Hagar badly. So Hagar ran away from her.⁷ The angel of the Lord found Hagar near a spring of water in the desert. The spring was beside the road to Shur.⁸ The angel said, "Hagar, you are Sarai's slave. Where have you come from? Where are you going?" "I'm running away from my owner Sarai," she answered.⁹ Then the angel of the Lord told her, "Go back to the woman who owns you. Obey her."¹⁰ The angel continued, "I will give you and your family many children. There will be more of them than anyone can count."¹¹ The angel of the Lord also said to her, "You are now pregnant and will have a son. You will name him Ishmael, because the Lord has heard about your suffering."¹² He will

be like a wild donkey. He will use his power against everyone, and everyone will be against him. He will not get along with any of his family.”

¹³ She gave a name to the Lord who spoke to her. She called him “You are the God who sees me.” That’s because she said, “I have now seen the One who sees me.” ¹⁴ That’s why the well was named Beer Lahai Roi. It’s still there, between Kadesh and Bered. ¹⁵ So Hagar had a son by Abram and Abram gave him the name Ishmael. ¹⁶ Abram was 86 years old when Hagar had Ishmael by him.

Here the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God

Message – Ron

Offering Song: King of Kings

In the darkness we were waiting without hope, without light
'Til from Heaven You came running there was mercy in Your eyes
To fulfill the law and prophets, to a virgin came the word
From a throne of endless glory to a cradle in the dirt

**Praise the Father, praise the Son, praise the Spirit, three in one
God of glory, Majesty, praise forever to the King of Kings**

To reveal the kingdom coming and to reconcile the lost
To redeem the whole creation You did not despise the cross
For even in your suffering You saw to the other side
Knowing this was our salvation Jesus for our sake you died

Chorus

And the morning that You rose all of Heaven held its breath
'Til that stone was moved for good for the Lamb had conquered death
And the dead rose from their tombs and the angels stood in awe
For the souls of all who'd come to the Father are restored

And the church of Christ was born then the Spirit lit the flame
Now this gospel truth of old shall not kneel, shall not faint
By His blood and in His name in His freedom I am free
For the love of Jesus Christ who has resurrected me

Chorus

Offering Prayer – Christine

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.

Prayers for the Church and our World – Christine

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 Christine & Natalie

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: Days of Elijah

These are the days of Elijah

Declaring the Word of the Lord

And these are the days

Of Your servant Moses

Righteousness being restored

And though these are days

Of great trials

Of famine and darkness and sword

Still we are the voice

In the desert crying

Prepare ye the way of the Lord

**Behold He comes
Riding on the clouds
Shining like the sun
At the trumpet call
So lift your voice
It's the year of Jubilee
And out of Zion's hill
Salvation comes**

And these are the days of Ezekiel
The dry bones becoming as flesh
And these are the days
Of Your servant David
Rebuilding a temple of praise
And these are the days of the harvest
The fields are as white in the world
And we are the labourers
In Your vineyard
Declaring the Word of the Lord

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Blessing – Sue

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