

Order of Service for Sunday morning – 26th February 2023

Alex Chitra is leading our service and
Tom Watts is preaching this morning

Welcome & Opening Prayer

Song: '10,000 reasons' (Bless the Lord)

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

Worship Your holy name
Lord I'll worship Your holy name

Sing like never before O my soul
I'll worship Your holy name
Worship Your holy name
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Children's talk: Corinne Brixton

Children's song: 'Isaiah 53:6' (Baa baa doo baa baa)

WE ALL LIKE SHEEP HAVE GONE ASTRAY

Baa baa doo baa baa
Each of us has turned to his own way
Baa baa doo baa baa
But the Lord has laid on Him
The iniquity of us all, sing!
Baa baa doo baa baa
Isaiah 53:6, uh!

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Children aged 0-14 leave for their own activities downstairs

Song: 'You alone can rescue'

WHO O LORD COULD SAVE THEMSELVES

Their own soul could heal
Our shame was deeper than the sea
Your grace is deeper still
(REPEAT)

*And You alone can rescue
You alone can save
You alone can lift us from the grave
You came down to find us led us out of death
To You alone belongs the highest praise*

You O Lord have made a way
The great divide You healed
For when our hearts were far away
Your love went further still
Yes Your love goes further still

*And You alone can rescue
You alone can save
You alone can lift us from the grave
You came down to find us led us out of death
To You alone belongs the highest praise
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You alone*

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Notices

Confession:

*Lord God,
we have sinned against you;
we have done evil in your sight.
We are sorry and repent.
Have mercy on us according to your love.
Wash away our wrongdoing and cleanse us from our sin.
Renew a right spirit within us
and restore us to the joy of your salvation,
through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen*

Prayers: Gareth Burns

Reading: Titus 3:1-15 on page 1199 (Laura Ashman)

Song: 'Behold the power of His word'

BEHOLD THE POWER OF HIS WORD

He spoke – creation came to be
I will trust his promise
He hung the stars – a guarantee
His word is strong enough for me
I will trust his promise

*Generations rise generations fall
But his word is living
And his word is sure
Evermore evermore evermore*

There is salvation in his word
His voice has called us from the grave
I will trust his promise
We are surrounded by his grace
Here in the midst of those he's saved
I will trust his promise

Our eyes have seen
Our ears have heard
We are a witness to
The power of your word
So we will tell
Your promises are good
In Jesus Christ we have
Your every word fulfilled

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Sermon: True fruit

Song: 'Consider Christ'

CONSIDER CHRIST THE SOURCE OF OUR SALVATION

That He should take the penalty for me
Though He was pure a lamb without a blemish
He took my sins and nailed them to the tree

*My Lord and God You are so rich in mercy
Mere words alone are not sufficient thanks
So take my life transform renew and change me
That I might be a living sacrifice*

Consider Christ that He should trust His Father
In the garden of Gethsemane
Though full of dread and fearful of the anguish
He drank the cup that was reserved for me

Consider Christ for death He has defeated
And He arose appeared for all to see
And now He sits at God's right hand in heaven
Where He prepares a resting place for me

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Closing Prayer