

Order of Service for Sunday Morning – 12th November 2022

A warm welcome to you as you join us for our Remembrance Service.
This morning we will also celebrate Holy Communion.

Corinne Brixton is leading and Tom Watts is preaching this morning.

Welcome & Opening Prayer

Opening Song: 'Oh what a saviour'

LIFT YOUR EYES TO THE LORD YOUR GOD

Father of goodness and grace
All of your burdens and gifts of praise
Come lay them down in this place

*For His arm is mighty and His love will endure
His plan is perfect His victory is sure
And His anger is righteous but His grace is free
Oh what a Saviour is He
Oh what a Saviour is He*

Lift your souls to the Lord your god
Maker of heaven and earth
Sun and moon bow before His throne
Praise Him for all He is worth

Lift your minds to the Lord your God
He will fulfil all your needs
Seek His wisdom attend His words
Follow wherever He leads

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Children's Talk: David Rue

Children's Song: 'All through history'

NOAH BUILT THE MOST ENORMOUS BOAT

That kept the birds and animals afloat
The Lord was good the Lord was strong
And Noah lived his life for Him

Moses led his people through the sea
Taking them away from slavery
The Lord was good the Lord was strong
And Moses lived his life for Him

*Oh thank You oh thank You
That all through history
You were faithful
Thank You oh thank You
That You are just the same
When it comes to me
When it comes to me*

David fought Goliath and he won
A humble shepherd boy became a king
The Lord was good the Lord was strong
And David lived his life for Him

Daniel was inside a lion's den
But God brought him to safety once again
The Lord was good the Lord was strong
And Daniel lived his life for Him

Jesus died to take away our sin
So we could get to know our God again
The Lord is good the Lord is strong
And we will live our lives for Him

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Children aged 0-11 leave for their own activities downstairs

Pathfinders will meet at the back of church to go to the Parsonage

Notices

Song: 'Creator God'

CREATOR GOD WHO SHAPED THE EARTH AND HEAVENS

Your glory shines in all that you have made
You spoke the Word who broke into the darkness
All earth replies majestic is Your name
And who am I though made below the angels
That You my King are mindful of my ways
As moon and stars sing out their joyful chorus
I lift my voice to join with them in praise

Redeeming God creation's song fell silent
As on the cross the Light was pierced with dark
The Word of life to death now hangs surrendered
The One who spoke out stars now breathes His last
And who am I the lowliest of sinners
That You would pay the price my sin deserves
My Maker scarred for those who marred His likeness
And from His wounds flows mercy unreserved

O living God You broke the tomb in glory
Death could not hold the One who authored life
His radiant light has shattered through our darkness
And in our hearts His risen life now shines
And who are we that You would call us children
And raise us up from death to life with you
Where we will sing the New Creation anthem
O praise the One who's making all things new

And so we wait in eager expectation
And join the song as all creation groans
Lord haste the Day decay is slain by glory
The Day you call Your sons and daughters home

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Confession:

We confess our sins and selfishness,
our pride, our greed,
the evil divisions we create and sustain.

O Lord of mercy, we put our hope in you:

ALL: Forgive us and help us for your name's sake.

We confess our share in the world's wrong,
and our failure to work
for that universal peace and justice
which is your will.

O Lord of mercy, we put our hope in you:

ALL: Forgive us and help us for your name's sake.

We confess that we have not loved you
with our whole heart,
nor our neighbours as ourselves.

O Lord of mercy, we put our hope in you:

***ALL: Forgive us and help us
for your name's sake.***

***ALL: Release us from our sins
by the cross of Christ
and strengthen us for His service
by the power of your Spirit.
Amen.***

Act of Remembrance

All stand

Let us reflect on the brokenness of mankind, our need for a Saviour, the areas of the world which are at war today and the gospel hope we have been entrusted with for a broken world. Let us also remember before God those who have died for their country in war, those whom we knew, and whose memory we treasure; and all who have lived and died in the service of mankind.

The Exhortation:

They shall grow not old, as we that are left grow old:
Age shall not weary them, nor the years condemn.

At the going down of the sun and in the morning
We will remember them

All: *We will remember them.*

The Last Post

The Silence is observed

The Reveille

The Epitaph:

When you go home, tell them of us and say,
For your tomorrow, we gave our today.

The National Anthem:

GOD SAVE OUR GRACIOUS KING,

Long live our noble King,
God save the King!
Send him victorious,
Happy and Glorious,
Long to reign over us,
God save the King!

Your choicest gifts in store
On him be pleased to pour
Long may he reign
May he defend our laws
And ever give us cause
To sing with heart and voice
God save the King!

Prayers: Aaron Ku

Readings: Exodus 20:14 on page 78

Matthew 19:1-12 on page 986 (Alex Weston)

Song: 'How firm a foundation'

HOW FIRM A FOUNDATION, YOU SAINTS OF THE LORD,

Is laid for your faith in His excellent Word!
What more can He say than to you He has said
You, who unto Jesus for refuge have fled?

"Fear not, I am with you, oh, be not dismayed,
For I am your God and will still give you aid;
I'll strengthen you, help you, and cause you to stand,
Upheld by My righteous, omnipotent hand.

"When through fiery trials your pathway shall lie,
My grace, all-sufficient, shall be your supply.
The flames shall not hurt you; I only design
Your dross to consume and your gold to refine.

"The soul that on Jesus has leaned for repose
I will not, I cannot, desert to his foes;
That soul, though all hell should endeavour to shake,
I'll never, no never, no never, forsake!"

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Sermon: Don't commit adultery

Holy Communion

Song: 'And can it be'

AND CAN IT BE THAT I SHOULD GAIN

An interest in the Saviour's blood
Died He for me who caused His pain
For me who Him to death pursued
Amazing love how can it be
That You my God should die for me
Amazing love how can it be
That You my God should die for me

What mystery here the Immortal dies
Who can explore His strange design
In vain the highest angel tries
To sound the depths of love divine
What mercy this let earth adore
Let angel minds enquire no more
What mercy this let earth adore
Let angel minds enquire no more

He left His Father's throne above
So free so infinite His grace
Humbled Himself in all His love
And bled for Adam's helpless race
What mercy this immense and free
For O my God it found out me
What mercy this immense and free
For O my God it found out me

Long my imprisoned Spirit lay
Fast bound in sin and nature's night
Then shone Your glorious gospel ray
I woke the dungeon flamed with light
My chains fell off my heart was new
I rose went forth and followed You
My chains fell off my heart was new
I rose went forth and followed You

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No condemnation now I dread
Jesus and all in Him is mine
Alive in Him my living Head
And clothed in righteousness divine
Bold I approach the eternal throne
And claim the crown through Christ my own
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Prayer of Dedication

*Almighty God, we thank you for feeding us by faith
with the body and blood of your Son Jesus Christ.
Through him we offer you our souls and bodies to be a living sacrifice.
Send us out in the power of the Spirit to live and work to your praise and glory.
Amen.*