Order of Service for Sunday morning - 14th April 2024

David Choi is leading our service and Tom Watts is preaching this morning

Welcome & Opening Prayer

Song: 'Blessed be your name'

BLESSED BE YOUR NAME

In the land that is plentiful
Where Your streams of abundance flow
Blessed be Your name

Blessed be Your name
When I'm found in the desert place
Though I walk through the wilderness
Blessed be Your name

Ev'ry blessing You pour out I'll Turn back to praise When the darkness closes in Lord Still I will say

Blessed be the name of the Lord Blessed be Your name Blessed be the name of the Lord Blessed be Your glorious name

Blessed be Your name
When the sun's shining down on me
When the world's all as it should be
Blessed be Your name

Blessed be Your name
On the road marked with suffering
Though there's pain in the offering
Blessed be Your name

You give and take away You give and take away My heart will choose to say Lord blessed be Your name

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Children's Talk: Corinne Brixton

Children's Song: 'In Christ'

THE FATHER PUT US IN HIS SON

He joined us through and through Every place that Jesus goes Is where you'll find us too Through heaven's special offer of Jesus Christ the King We get grace, love, joy, and hope Choose him, get everything!

We're in Christ, who is life United to the Son We're in Christ, who is life We share all that he's won Joined up by his Spirit Who lives in our hearts Now we're one with Jesus We'll never be apart

God the Father loves the Son A love older than time Jesus Christ now shares this love It's his, it's yours, it's mine! Because of God's great mercy We're precious as can be Taking all of God's love in Is like trying to drink the sea

When God the Father raised the Son We also rose with him We set hearts on things above And turn away from sin This life cannot be taken So we give God the thanks Safer than a tortoise who is living in a bank

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Children aged 0-11 (Year 6) leave for their own activities downstairs

This week, Pathfinders (Years 7-9) will stay in the service

Song: 'His mercy is more'

WHAT LOVE COULD REMEMBER, NO WRONGS WE HAVE DONE

Omniscient, all-knowing, He counts not their sum Thrown into a sea without bottom or shore Our sins they are many, His mercy is more

Praise the Lord
His mercy is more
Stronger than darkness
New every morn'
Our sins they are many, His mercy is more

What patience would wait as we constantly roam What Father so tender is calling us home He welcomes the weakest, the vilest, the poor Our sins they are many, His mercy is more

Praise the Lord
His mercy is more
Stronger than darkness
New every morn'
Our sins they are many, His mercy is more

What riches of kindness He lavished on us His blood was the payment His life was the cost We stood 'neath a debt we could never afford Our sins they are many, His mercy is more

Praise the Lord His mercy is more Stronger than darkness New every morn' Our sins they are many, His mercy is more

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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: Nate Burke

Readings: John 14:15-31 on page 1082

John 15:26-16:15 on page 1084 (Luke Waldock)

Song: 'May the mind of Christ my saviour' (May the mind of Christ)

MAY THE MIND OF CHRIST MY SAVIOUR

Live in me from day to day
By His love and pow'r controlling
All I do and say
All I do and say

May the word of God dwell richly In my heart from hour to hour So that all may see I triumph Only through His pow'r Only through His pow'r

May the peace of God my Father Rule my life in ev'rything That I may be calm to comfort Sick and sorrowing Sick and sorrowing

May the love of Jesus fill me As the waters fill the sea Him exalting self abasing This is victory This is victory

May I run the race before me Strong and brave to face the foe Looking only unto Jesus As I onward go As I onward go

May His beauty rest upon me
As I seek the lost to win
And may they forget the channel
Seeing only Him
Seeing only Him

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Sermon: We believe in the Holy Spirit

Song: 'There is a higher throne'

THERE IS A HIGHER THRONE

Than all this world has known
Where faithful ones from ev'ry tongue
Will one day come
Before the Son we'll stand
Made faultless through the Lamb
Believing hearts find promised grace
Salvation comes

Hear heaven's voices sing
Their thund'rous anthem rings
Through em'rald courts and sapphire skies
Their praises rise
All glory wisdom pow'r
Strength thanks and honour are
To God our King who reigns on high
Forever more

And there we'll find our home
Our life before the throne
We'll honour Him in perfect song
Where we belong
He'll wipe each tear-stained eye
As thirst and hunger die
The Lamb becomes our Shepherd King
We'll reign with Him

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Closing Prayer