

Order of Service for Sunday morning – 9th June 2024

**Corinne Brixton is leading our service and
Alistair Tresidder is preaching this morning**

This morning we celebrate Holy Communion

Welcome & Opening Prayer

Song: 'Creator God'

(Verse 1, Verse 2, Verse 3, Ending)

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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Children's song: 'Great big God'

OUR GOD IS A GREAT BIG GOD

*Our God is a great big God
Our God is a great big God
And He holds us in His hands*

He's higher than a skyscraper
And He's deeper than a submarine
He's wider than the universe
And beyond my wildest dreams
And He's known me and He's loved me
Since before the world began
How wonderful to be a part of
God's amazing plan

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Children aged 0-Year 6 leave for their own activities downstairs.

Pathfinders (Years 7-9) will stay in the servicer.

Notices

Confession:

*Almighty and most merciful Father,
we have wandered and strayed from your ways like lost sheep.
We have followed too much the devices and desires of our own hearts.
We have offended against your holy laws.
We have left undone those things that we ought to have done;
and we have done those things that we ought not to have done;
and there is no health in us.
But you, O Lord, have mercy upon us sinners.
Spare those who confess their faults.
Restore those who are penitent,
according to your promises declared to mankind in Christ Jesus our Lord.
And grant, O most merciful Father, for his sake,
that we may live a disciplined, righteous and godly life,
to the glory of your holy name.
Amen.*

Song: 'O Lord my rock and my redeemer'

(Verse 1, Verse 2, Verse 3, Ending)

O LORD MY ROCK AND MY REDEEMER

Greatest treasure of my longing soul
My God like You there is no other
True delight is found in You alone
Your grace a well too deep to fathom
Your love exceeds the heavens' reach
Your truth a fount of perfect wisdom
My highest good and my unending need

O Lord my Rock and my Redeemer
Strong defender of my weary heart
My sword to fight the cruel deceiver
And my shield against his hateful darts
My song when enemies surround me
My hope when tides of sorrow rise
My joy when trials are abounding
Your faithfulness my refuge in the night

O Lord my Rock and my Redeemer
Gracious Savior of my ruined life
My guilt and cross laid on Your shoulders
In my place You suffered bled and died
You rose the grave and death are conquered
You broke my bonds of sin and shame
O Lord my Rock and my Redeemer
May all my days bring glory to Your Name

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Prayers: Kerry Jones

Reading: John 18:28-40 on page 1086 (Lally Quayle)

Song: 'Your word'

(Verse 1, Verse 2, Chorus 1, Verse 3, Chorus 1, Bridge, Chorus 2)

YOUR WORD IS GOOD IT'S EVER FAITHFUL

Worth more than gold the heart's delight
Your word gives life to all who hear and obey
Your word endures forever

Your word is true it never changes
It formed the earth sustains it still
Your word defends providing refuge and strength
Your word endures forever

*Your word is a lamp unto my feet
Your word is a light unto my path
For Your word is my hope it's my joy and my song
Your word endures forever*

Your word transforms it lifts the humble
Rebukes the proud protects the poor
Your word discerns the mind and spirit of all
Your word endures forever

Your word is more than just letters on pages
It's life and it's love and it's freedom for us
Your word is more than just wisdom of ages
Its treasures are endless it's always enough
Your word is more than just stories of old
It's the truth and the way and the story of love
Your word is more than just breath into dust
It's Your Son as a man come to dwell here with us

*Your word is a lamp unto my feet
Your word is a light unto my path
For Your word is my hope it's my joy and my song
Your word endures forever
Your word endures forever*

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Sermon: God in the dock

Holy Communion

Song: 'How deep the Father's love for us'

(Verse 1, Verse 2, Verse 3)

HOW DEEP THE FATHER'S LOVE FOR US

How vast beyond all measure
That He should give His only Son
To make a wretch His treasure
How great the pain of searing loss
The Father turns His face away
As wounds which mar the Chosen One
Bring many sons to glory

Behold the Man upon a cross
My sin upon His shoulders
Ashamed I hear my mocking voice
Call out among the scoffers
It was my sin that held Him there
Until it was accomplished
His dying breath has brought me life
I know that it is finished

I will not boast in anything
No gifts no pow'r no wisdom
But I will boast in Jesus Christ
His death and resurrection
Why should I gain from His reward
I cannot give an answer
But this I know with all my heart
His wounds have paid my ransom

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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.*