

Lord's Day worship: Sunday 11 April 2021

Before we join together: a children's song and a hymn to sing – to help us prepare

"What did Adam's sin do to you?" - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=nvMR3Yq6gWc>

"Come praise and glorify" - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=fxAr1fQ-WVc>

Welcome and call to worship – Psalm 100:3-4

"Know that the LORD, he is God! It is he who made us, and we are his;
we are his people, and the sheep of his pasture.
Enter his gates with thanksgiving, and his courts with praise!
Give thanks to him; bless his name!"

Song: All people that on earth do dwell

**All people that on earth do dwell,
sing to the Lord with cheerful voice.
Serve him with joy, his praises tell,
come now before him and rejoice!**

Know that the LORD is God indeed;
he formed us all without our aid.
We are the flock he loves to feed,
the sheep who by his hand are made.

O enter then his gates with joy,
within his courts his praise proclaim!
Let thankful songs your tongues employ.
O bless and magnify his name!

For God our mighty Lord is good,
his mercy is forever sure.
His truth at all times firmly stood
and shall from age to age endure.

Praise God the Father, God the Son,
and God the Spirit evermore;
all praise to God the Three - in - One,
let heaven rejoice and earth adore!

Confessing our sins and seeking the assurance of forgiveness

**Almighty God, our heavenly Father,
we have sinned against you and against our fellow men,
in thought and word and deed,
in the evil we have done
and in the good we have not done,
through ignorance, through weakness,
through our own deliberate fault.
We are truly sorry, and repent of all our sins.**

For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, who died for us,
forgive us all that is past;
and grant that we may serve you in newness of life
to the glory of your name.
Amen.

Congregational Bible Reading: Psalm 46

Prayers of intercession concluding with 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.
Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.
For the kingdom, the power and the glory are yours now and forever.
Amen.

Song: Be thou my vision

Be Thou my vision, O Lord of my heart;
naught be all else to me, save that Thou art.
Thou my best thought, in the day and the night,
waking or sleeping, Thy presence my light.

Be Thou my wisdom, be Thou my true Word;
I ever with Thee, and Thou with me, Lord;
Thou my great Father, and I Thy true son;
Thou in me dwelling, and I with Thee one.

Riches I heed not, nor man's empty praise,
Thou mine inheritance now and always;
Thou and Thou only, the first in my heart,
high King of heaven, my treasure Thou art.

High King of heaven, when battle is done
grant heaven's joy to me, bright heaven's sun.
Christ of my own heart, whatever befall,
still be my vision, O ruler of all.

Bible reading and sermon – Matthew 6:9

Song: Praise my soul the King of heaven

Praise my soul the King of heaven
To His feet your tribute bring
Ransomed healed restored forgiven
Who like me His praise should sing
Praise Him praise Him
Praise Him praise Him
Praise the everlasting King

Praise Him for His grace and favour
To our fathers in distress
Praise Him still the same for ever
Slow to anger swift to bless
Praise Him praise Him
Praise Him praise Him
Glorious in His faithfulness

Father like He tends and spares us
Well our human frame He knows
In His hands He gently bears us
Rescues us from all our foes
Praise Him praise Him
Praise Him praise Him
Widely as His mercy flows

Frail as summer's flower we flourish
Blows the wind and it is gone
But while mortals rise and perish
God endures unchanging on
Praise Him praise Him
Praise Him praise Him
Praise the high eternal One

Angels help us to adore Him
You behold Him face to face
Sun and moon bow down before Him
All who dwell in time and space
Praise Him praise Him
Praise Him praise Him
Praise with us the God of grace

Final prayer and blessing

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