

# Mission Sunday

6.30pm | Sunday, February 5th 2023 | Third Sunday before Lent

Welcome: Rob Mulloch (Minister for Training)

Song: How great is our God

The splendour of the King, clothed in majesty; let all the earth rejoice, all the earth rejoice. He wraps Himself in light, and darkness tries to hide, and trembles at His voice, trembles at His voice.

How great is our God, sing with me, how great is our God, and all will see how great, how great is our God.

And age to age He stands, and time is in His hands; beginning and the end, beginning and the end. The Godhead, three in one, Father, Spirit, Son, the Lion and the Lamb, the Lion and the Lamb.

Name above all names, worthy of all praise; my heart will sing: how great is our God.

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1. Могутній, Славний Цар, Величний у красі. Радіє вся земля, радіє вся земля. У Ньому світла блиск і темряви нема, А голос, наче грім, а голос, наче грім.

Приспів1:

Великий наш Бог! Заспівай: Великий наш Бог! Прославляй! Великий, Великий наш Бог.

2. Незмінний у віках, І час в Його руках, Початок і Кінець, початок і Кінець. У Трійці Пресвятій Отець, і Дух, і Син, Він і Ягня, і Лев. Він і Ягня, і Лев. Приспів1:

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Приспів 2: Вищий над усім! Гідний похвали! Я співатиму: Великий наш Бог!

## **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.

Every 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.

Every blessing you pour out...

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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#### КУПЛЕТ:

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Будь прославлений, Як пустеля самотня скрізь, Як іду по долинах сліз, Будь прославлений. Кожен дар Твій повертаю Тобі в хвалі. Коли темінь наступає, кажу Тобі: Будь благословен навіки! Будь благословен. Будь благословен навіки! Господи мій, будь благословен!

Будь прославлений, Коли радість цвіте в мені, Коли світлі, приємні дні, Будь прославлений. Будь прославлений, Як у серці страждання й сум, Коли тяжко свій хрест несу, Будь прославлений.

Ти дав, і Ти узяв, Ти дав, і Ти узяв, Слова ж мої без змін: О будь благословен!

## **Apostles' Creed**

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.
I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to the dead.

On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting.

This is the faith of the Church.

This is our faith. We believe in in God, Father, Son and Holy Spirit. Amen!

#### **Church Family News**

**Prayers** Julia Butler

## Song: Mighty to save

Everyone needs compassion, love that's never failing; let mercy fall on me. Everyone needs forgiveness, the kindness of a Saviour; the hope of nations.

Saviour, He can move the mountains, my God is mighty to save, He is mighty to save. Forever, Author of salvation, He rose and conquered the grave, Jesus conquered the grave.

So take me as You find me, all my fears and failures; fill my life again.
I give my life to follow everything I believe in; now I surrender.

Shine your light and let the whole world see we're singing for the glory of the risen King, Jesus.
Shine your light and let the whole world see we're singing for the glory of the risen King.

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### Song: Let your kingdom come

Your glorious cause, O God, engages our hearts;

may Jesus Christ be known wherever we are. We ask not for ourselves but for Your renown;

the cross has saved us so we pray, Your kingdom come.

Let Your kingdom come, let Your will be done so that everyone might know Your Name. Let Your song be heard everywhere on earth till Your sovereign work on earth is done, let Your kingdom come.

Give us Your strength, O God, and courage to speak;

perform Your wondrous deeds through those who are weak.

Lord, use us as You want, whatever the test; by grace we'll preach Your gospel till our dying breath.

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**Reading:** Acts 16:16-40 (p.1112)

HongLing Sui (Mandarin), Jonathan Norgate (English)

This is the Word of the Lord **Thanks be to God** 

**Sermon:** 'Mission Pioneers into Europe' Mark Meynell

## Hymn: Facing a task unfinished

Facing a task unfinished that drives us to our knees, a need that, undiminished, rebukes our slothful ease, we, who rejoice to know you, renew before your throne the solemn pledge we owe you to go and make you known.

Where other lords beside you hold their unhindered sway, where forces that defied you defy you still today; with none to heed their crying for life, and love, and light, unnumbered souls are dying, and pass into the night.

We bear the torch that flaming fell from the hands of those who gave their lives proclaiming that Jesus died and rose.
Ours is the same commission, the same glad message ours; fired by the same ambition, to you we yield our powers.

O Father who sustained them,
O Spirit who inspired,
Saviour, whose love constrained them
to toil with zeal untired,
from cowardice defend us,
from lethargy awake!
Forth on your mission send us
to labour for your sake.

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## Closing Prayer