

Sunday Service

10.30am & 6.30pm | Sunday, October 23rd 2022 | The 19th Sunday after Trinity

Welcome: Matthew Lawes (Curate)

Song: Greater than we can imagine

Every day we'll bless You and praise Your name.

and on Your glorious splendour we will dwell.

On Your wondrous works, Lord, we'll meditate

and of Your awesome power we will tell. We'll speak of Your salvation and Your abundant goodness.

Because You are greater than we can imagine.

You are too beautiful for us to fathom. Oh, You are great and greatly to be praised.

Every generation shall sing Your worth and magnify Your mercy and Your grace. We'll sing about the Saviour who came to earth

to bear the sins of those He came to save.

You fill our hearts with wonder, we'll worship You forever

Mark Altrogge ©2008 Sovereign Grace Praise

Song: Shine into our night

We are not what we should be, we haven't sought what we should seek, we've seen Your glory, Lord, but looked away.

Our hearts are bent, our eyes are dim, our finest works are stained with sin, and emptiness has shadowed all our ways.

Jesus Christ, shine into our night, drive our dark away 'till Your glory fills our eyes. Jesus Christ, shine into our night. Bind us to Your cross, where we find life. Still we often go astray, we chase the world, forget Your grace, but You have never failed to bring us back.

Reveal the depths of what You've done, the death You died, the vict'ry won, You made a way for us to know Your love

Joel Sczebel @ 2011 Sovereign Grace Worship

All-age slot (10.30)

Song: All through history (10.30)

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.

Becky Drake ©2007 Song Solutions Daybreak

Children leave for their groups (10.30)

Church Family News

Prayers 10.30am: Felicité Dodd

6.30pm : Bill Thomas

Reading: Nehemiah 2

10.30am: Paul Dodd 6.30pm: Zea Cole

This is the Word of the Lord

Thanks be to God

Sermon: 'God's kindness to faltering people: A listening God'

Jonny Dyer (Vicar)

Song: Psalm 62

My soul finds rest in God alone, my Rock and my salvation; a fortress strong against my foes, and I will not be shaken. Though lips may bless and hearts may curse, and lies like arrows pierce me, I'll fix my heart on righteousness, I'll look to Him who hears me.

O praise Him, hallelujah, my Delight and my reward; everlasting, never failing, my Redeemer, my God.

Find rest, my soul, in God alone amid the world's temptations; when evil seeks to take a hold I'll cling to my salvation.

Though riches come and riches go, don't set your heart upon them; the fields of hope in which I sow are harvested in heaven.

I'll set my gaze on God alone and trust in Him completely; with every day pour out my soul and He will prove His mercy. Though life is but a fleeting breath, a sigh too brief to measure, my King has crushed the curse of death and I am His forever.

O praise Him, O praise Him, hallelujah, hallelujah. O praise Him, O praise Him, hallelujah, hallelujah

Aaron Keyes and Stuart Townend @2007 Thankyou Music

Hymn: Lord of the church we pray for our renewing

Lord of the church, we pray for our renewing: Christ over all, our undivided aim; fire of the Spirit, burn for our enduing, wind of the Spirit, fan the living flame! We turn to Christ amid our fear and failing, the will that lacks the courage to be free, the weary labours, all but unavailing, to bring us nearer, nearer what a church should be.

Lord of the church, we seek a Father's blessing,

a true repentance and a faith restored, a swift obedience and a new possessing, filled with the Holy Spirit of the Lord! We turn to Christ from all our restless striving, unnumbered voices with a single prayer - the living water for our soul's reviving, in Christ to live, and love and serve and care.

Lord of the church, we long for our uniting, true to one calling, by one vision stirred; one cross proclaiming and one creed reciting,

one in the truth of Jesus and his word! So lead us on till toil and trouble ended, one church triumphant one new song shall sing

to praise his glory, risen and ascended, Christ over all, the everlasting King!

Donald Davison and Timothy Dudley-Smith 1984 © Words: Hope Publishing Company and Music: Oxford University Press

Closing Prayer