

Sunday Service

10.30am & 6.30pm | Sunday, 20th November 2022 | Sunday next before Advent

Welcome: Jonny Dyer (Vicar)

Song: Blessed be your name (6.30)

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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Song: Everlasting God

Strength will rise as we wait upon the Lord, we will wait upon the Lord, we will wait upon the Lord.

Strength will rise as we wait upon the Lord, we will wait upon the Lord, we will wait upon the Lord.

Our God, You reign forever; our hope, our strong deliverer.

You are the everlasting God, the everlasting God, You do not faint, You won't grow weary.

You're the defender of the weak, You comfort those in need, You lift us up on wings like eagles.

Strength will rise....

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Most merciful Father, our Creator and Judge, we acknowledge and confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word and deed. We have not loved you with all our heart; and we have not loved our neighbour as ourselves. We earnestly repent, and are truly sorry for all our sins. For your Son our Lord Jesus Christ's sake forgive us, and strengthen us to serve and obey you in lives wholly renewed by your Spirit; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

All-age slot (10.30)

Song: Sovereign One (10.30)

When I'm all alone and afraid, I will trust in You, for You watch over my ways. When things in my life don't make sense I will trust in You, for You are good, You are good.

Sovereign One, You work all things to Your plan. Sovereign One, You hold all things in Your hands.

When I don't get to have my own way, I will trust in You, for You know what is best.

When tears begin to roll down my face I will trust in You, for You are good, You are good.

Sovereign One...

Perfect in power, You control all things; perfect in wisdom, You know ev'rything; perfect in goodness, Jesus, You're so good to me, so good to me. For you are...

Sovereign One...

Zach Jones@2004 Sovereign Grace Worship

Children leave for their groups

Prayers 10.30am: Geoff & Heather Wilson

6.30pm: Poppy Locke

Church Family News

Song: I will wait for you (Psalm 130)

Out of the depths I cry to You, in darkest places I will call. Incline Your ear to me anew, and hear my cry for mercy, Lord.

Were You to count my sinful ways, how could I come before Your throne? Yet, full forgiveness meets my gaze, I stand redeemed by grace alone.

I will wait for You, I will wait for You, on Your word I will rely. I will wait for You, surely wait for You, till my soul is satisfied.

So, put Your hope in God alone, take courage in His power to save, completely and forever won by Christ emerging from the grave.

Reading: Habakkuk 1: 1-11 10.30am: Rob Shenton

6.30pm: Jordan Marsh

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

Sermon: 'How Long O Lord: Learning to lament'

Pete Scamman (Associate Vicar)

Song: I will wait for you (Psalm 130)

See above

Livestream Ends

I will wait for You...

Now he has come to make a way, and God Himself has paid the price, that all who trust in Him today find healing in His sacrifice.

I will wait for You...

I will wait for You, I will wait for You, through the storm and through the night. I will wait for You, surely wait for You, for Your love is my delight.

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Communion Introduction

Prayer of Humble Access

We do not presume to come to this your table, merciful Lord, trusting in our own righteousness, but in your manifold and great mercies. We are not worthy so much as to gather up the crumbs under your table. But you are the same Lord whose nature is always to have mercy. Grant us therefore, gracious Lord, so to eat the flesh of your dear Son Jesus Christ and to drink his blood, that our sinful bodies may be made clean by his body, and our souls washed through his most precious blood, and that we may evermore dwell in him, and he in us. Amen.

Take Communion

Almighty God, we thank you for feeding us 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 your Spirit to live and work to your praise and glory. Amen

Song: My hope is built on nothing less

My hope is built on nothing less than Jesus' blood and righteousness; no merit of my own I claim, but wholly trust in Jesus' name. On Christ, the solid rock, I stand - all other ground is sinking sand.

When weary in this earthly race, I rest on his unchanging grace; in every wild and stormy gale my anchor holds and will not fail. On Christ, the solid rock, I stand all other ground is sinking sand.

His vow, his covenant and blood are my defence against the flood; when earthly hopes are swept away he will uphold me on that day. On Christ, the solid rock, I stand - all other ground is sinking sand.

When the last trumpet's voice shall sound, O may I then in him be found! Clothed in his righteousness alone, faultless to stand before his throne. On Christ, the solid rock, I stand - all other ground is sinking sand.

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Closing prayer

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