

Sunday Service

6.30pm | Sunday, July 2nd 2023 | The Fourth Sunday after Trinity

Welcome: Steph Johnson (Student's worker)

Song: Hope of the nations

Jesus, hope of the nations,
Jesus, comfort for all who mourn,
You are the source
of heaven's hope on earth.
Jesus, light in the darkness,
Jesus, truth in each circumstance,
You are the source
of heaven's light on earth.

In history, You lived and died,
You broke the chains, You rose to life.

**You are the Hope, living in us,
You are the Rock, in whom we trust.
You are the Light,
shining for all the world to see.
You rose from the dead, conquering fear,
our Prince of Peace, drawing us near.
Jesus, our Hope,
living for all who will receive,
Lord, we believe**

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Song: Across the lands

You're the Word of God the Father,
from before the world began;
every star and every planet
has been fashioned by Your hand.
All creation holds together
by the power of Your voice:
let the skies declare Your glory,
let the land and seas rejoice!

**You're the Author of creation,
You're the Lord of every man;
and Your cry of love rings out
across the lands.**

Yet You left the gaze of angels,
came to seek and save the lost,
and exchanged the joy of heaven
for the anguish of a cross.

With a prayer You fed the hungry,
with a word You stilled the sea;
yet how silently You suffered
that the guilty may go free.

With a shout You rose victorious,
wresting victory from the grave,
and ascended into heaven
leading captives in Your wake.
Now You stand before the Father
interceding for Your own.
from each tribe and tongue and
nation
You are leading sinners home.

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Confession

Heavenly Father, you have loved us with an everlasting love, but we have gone our own way and broken your laws. We are sorry for our sins and turn away from them. For the sake of your Son who died for us, forgive us, cleanse us and change us. By your Holy Spirit, enable us to live for you, and to please you more and more; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

Prayers: Paul Dodd

Church Family News

Hymn: Father Of Mercies In Your Word

Father of mercies, in your word
what endless glory shines!
For ever be your name adored
for these celestial lines.

Here may the blind and hungry come
and light and food receive;
here shall the humble guest find room
and taste and see and live.

Here the Redeemer's welcome voice
spreads heavenly peace around,
and life and everlasting joys
attend the glorious sound.

Here springs of consolation rise
to cheer the fainting mind,
and thirsty souls receive supplies
and sweet refreshment find.

Divine instructor, gracious Lord,
be now and always near:
teach us to love your sacred word
and view our Saviour here.

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Reading: John 4 : 43 - 54 (p. 1067)
Jenny Harris

This is the Word of the Lord
Thanks be to God

Sermon: 'Seeing is believing : New Faith'
Jonny Dyer (Vicar)

Song: You led me to the cross

You led me to the cross,
and I saw Your face of mercy
in that place of love.
You opened up my eyes
to believe Your sweet salvation,
where I'd been so blind.
Now that I'm living in Your all-forgiving
love,
my every road leads to the cross.

**Jesus, keep me near the cross,
I won't forget the love You've shown.
Saviour, teach me of the cross,
I won't forget the love,
I won't forget the love You've shown.**

And there's an empty tomb,
that tells me of Your resurrection
and my life in You.
The stone lies rolled away,
nothing but those folded grave clothes
where Your body lay.
Now that I'm living as a risen child of God,
my every road leads to the cross.

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Song: He who is mighty

Oh, the mercy our God has shown
to those who sit in death's shadow.
The sun on high pierced the night;
born was the Cornerstone.

Unto us a Son is given,
unto us a Child is born.

**He Who is mighty has done a great thing;
taken on flesh, conquered death's sting,
shattered the darkness and lifted our
shame.**

Holy is His name.

Oh, the freedom our Saviour won;
the yoke of sin has been broken.
Once a slave, now by grace
no more condemnation.
Now my soul magnifies the Lord;
I rejoice in the God Who saves,
I will trust His unfailing love,
I will sing His praises all my days.

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Closing Prayer

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