

# **Glynde Lutheran Church**

**a multi-cultural community of faith**



**Church@Home**  
**Sunday 21 August 2021**  
Pentecost 11, Year C

**9am Traditional worship**

## **HYMN: LHS 793 TO GOD BE THE GLORY**

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3vbGFupxwu0>

**To God be the glory, great things he has done!  
So loved he the world that he gave us his Son,  
who yielded his life an atonement for sin,  
and opened the life-gate that all may go in!**

***Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord!  
Let the earth hear his voice!  
Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord!  
Let the people rejoice!  
O come to the Father, through Jesus the Son,  
And give him the glory,  
great things he has done!***

**O perfect redemption,  
the purchase of blood,  
To every believer the promise of God!  
And every offender who truly believes,  
that moment from Jesus a pardon receives:**

**Great things he has taught us,  
great things he has done,  
and great our rejoicing through Jesus the Son;  
but purer, and higher, and greater will be  
our wonder, our rapture, when Jesus we see:**

*Words: Frances Jane van Alstyne  
Music: William Howard Doane*

**WELCOME**

**WE GREET ONE ANOTHER**

**IN THE NAME**

**In the name of the Father and of the Son † and of the Holy Spirit.  
Amen.**

## **CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION**

Dear friends in Christ:

Let us draw near to God our Father with a true heart to confess our sins, and ask him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to forgive us.

Our help is in the name of the Lord.

**He made heaven and earth.**

I said, I will confess my sins to the Lord.

**Then he forgave the guilt of my sin.**

**Almighty God, merciful Father,  
I, a poor helpless sinner,  
confess to you all my sins,  
and repent of all the evil I have done.**

**I have deeply displeased you  
and deserve your punishment  
in time and in eternity.**

**But I am sorry for my sins,  
and I ask you,  
for the sake of the holy innocent sufferings and death  
of your dear Son Jesus Christ,  
to be gracious and merciful to me. Amen.**

I ask each of you in the presence of God who searches the heart:

Do you confess that you have sinned, and do you repent of your sins?

**I do.**

Do you believe that Jesus Christ has redeemed you from all your sins, and do you desire forgiveness in his name?

**I do.**

Do you intend with the help of the Holy Spirit to live as in God's presence, and to strive daily to lead a holy life, even as Christ has made you holy?

**I do.**

Christ gave to his church the authority to forgive the sins of those who repent and believe. Therefore, upon your confession, I, as a called and ordained servant of the word, announce the grace of God to all of you, and on behalf of my Lord Jesus Christ I forgive you all your sins, in the name of the Father and of the Son † and of the Holy Spirit.

Peace be with you. **Amen.**

## **GLORY TO THE FATHER**

**Glory to the Father, and the Son, and the Holy Spirit.**

**As it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forevermore. Amen**

## **LORD, HAVE MERCY**

Lord, have mercy.

**Lord, have mercy.**

Christ, have mercy

**Christ, have mercy.**

Lord, have mercy

**Lord, have mercy.**

## **GLORY TO GOD IN THE HIGHEST**

Glory to God in the highest,

**and on earth peace, among those with whom he is pleased.**

**We praise you, we bless you,**

**we worship you, we glorify you,**

**we give thanks to you for your great glory,**

**O Lord God, heavenly king,**

**God, the Father almighty.**

**O Lord, the only begotten Son, Jesus Christ,**

**O Lord God, Lamb of God,**

**Son of the Father,**

**you take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us.**

**You take away the sin of the world; receive our prayer.**

**You are seated at the right hand of God the Father;**

**have mercy on us.**

**For you alone are holy,**

**you alone are Lord,**

**you alone, O Christ, with the Holy Spirit,**

**are most high in the glory of God the Father.**

**Amen.**

## **PRAYER OF THE DAY (all)**

**Thank you, great and loving God,  
for bringing us into your presence  
with the angels and all your people.**

**Fill us with joy as we come  
to receive good gifts from you.**

**We ask this through your Son,  
Jesus Christ our Lord,  
who lives and reigns  
with you and the Holy Spirit,  
one God, now and forever.**

**Amen.**

**THEME OF THE DAY:** Psalm 51:16-17  
“Breaking up is hard to do”  
*Preaching on the Old Testament*

## **BIBLE READINGS**

**FIRST READING**

Psalm 51:1 – 17

**SECOND READING**

Hebrews 12:18 – 29

*After the reading*

This is the word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

## **The HALLELUJAH**

**Hallelujah! Hallelujah! Hallelujah!**

## **GOSPEL**

The Holy Gospel is written in [Luke 13:10 – 17](#)

*(after the reading)*

This is the Gospel of the Lord

**Praise be to you, O Christ**

## **CHILDREN'S MESSAGE "BEING BROKEN UP"**

- \* Who likes watching the Vegie Tales?  
Have you watched "Dave and the giant pickle" or "Daniel and the lions' den"?
- \* I like King George and the ducky? It is a story about "selfishness", and it's based a story in the old Testament about King David.

King George has a huge collections of rubber duckies for his bath. But one day when he looks out the window of his palace, he sees Thomas playing in his bath with his one and only ducky. He decides that he wants this one, too, so he goes and steals it.

Later on, Melvin, the Wise Man, comes and challenges King George about stealing Thomas' only ducky. Let's watch what happens....

- \* Watch the Vegie Tales video of "King George and the Ducky" (3'10-7'35) <https://youtu.be/O45-KMTby10?t=192>
- \* King George asks Melvine, "What should I do?", and Melvine answers:
  - Ask God for forgiveness
  - Say "Sorry" to Thomas and ask for his forgiveness
  - Make it right: give Thomas back his ducky
- \* What should we do when we hurt someone by what we do?
  - Say "Sorry" to them and ask for them to forgive you
  - Say "Sorry" to God, & ask Him to forgive you
- \* Will God forgive you?  
You bet He will! He loves you, and Jesus died on the cross for all your sins
- \* Angeline found a great little song about God's forgiveness of us. It's called "You forgive me".

## **CHILDREN'S SONG**

"You forgive me" Lifetree Kids

<https://youtu.be/LO-2fm7IKcU>

Lyrics: "You forgive me

You take all the pieces of my heart  
put them back together make it all alright  
Oh, You forgive me  
Only You can heal my broken heart  
make all things new with a brand new start  
oh... You forgive me  
You forgive me

I try so hard to do things right  
But I make the wrong choice sometimes  
and You forgive me  
No one knows me God like You  
You see who I am not what I do  
and You forgive me  
You take all the pieces of my heart  
put them back together make it all alright  
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**NICENE CREED**

We believe in one God,  
the Father, the Almighty,  
maker of heaven and earth,  
of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,  
the only Son of God,  
eternally begotten of the Father,  
God from God, Light from Light,  
true God from true God,  
begotten, not made,  
of one Being with the Father;  
through him all things were made.

For us\* and for our salvation  
he came down from heaven,  
was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary  
and became truly human.

**For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;  
he suffered death and was buried.  
On the third day he rose again  
in accordance with the Scriptures;  
he ascended into heaven  
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.  
He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead,  
and his kingdom will have no end.  
We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,  
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,  
who with the Father and the Son is worshipped and glorified,  
who has spoken through the prophets.  
We believe in one holy catholic† and apostolic church.  
We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.  
We look for the resurrection of the dead,  
and the life of the world to come.  
Amen.**

**HYMN: AT 384 IF WE WILL TRUST IN GOD TO GUIDE US**

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=QNIU8hAdzAU>

**If we will trust in God to guide us  
and hope in him along life's way,  
we'll know his wonderful protection,  
through cross and sadness, every day.  
When we are led by God's strong hand,  
we build on rock, not sinking sand.**

**How can our anxious worries help us?  
Can crying take our cares away?  
What use is all of our complaining,  
as we prepare to face each day?  
Our cross and sufferings only press  
the heavier for our bitterness.**

**Let us be still, and find enjoyment  
in life, with heart and mind content  
to take whatever God our Father  
in his all-knowing love has sent;  
for all our deepest needs are known  
by God, who chose us for his own.**

**Sing, pray, and be prepared to follow  
with faithfulness along God's way,  
and trust the heavenly Father's blessings;  
then you will find them new each day.  
God never will forsake in need  
all those who trust in him to lead.**

*Wer nur den lieben Gott lässt walten*  
Georg Neumark 1621-81  
tr David A Schubert 1942-

## **MESSAGE**

Psalm 51:16-17  
"Breaking up is hard to do"  
*Preaching on the Old Testament*

Click [HERE](#) to view the message on YouTube

## **HYMN: LHS 851 AMAZING GRACE**

<https://youtu.be/cIYvT745alg>

**Amazing grace, how sweet the sound,  
that saved a wretch like me!  
I once was lost, but now am found,  
was blind, but now I see.**

**'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear,  
and grace my fears relieved;  
how precious did that grace appear  
the hour I first believed!**

**Through many dangers, toil, and snares  
I have already come:  
'tis grace has brought me safe thus far,  
and grace will lead me home.**

**The Lord has promised good to me,  
his Word my hope secures;  
he will my shield and portion be  
as long as life endures.**

*Words: John Newton*  
*Music: Edwin Orthello Excell 1851-1921*

## **OFFERTORY SONG**

**Create in me a clean heart, O God,  
and put a new and right spirit within me.  
Cast me not away from your presence,  
and take not your Holy Spirit from me.  
Restore to me the joy of your salvation,  
and uphold me with a willing spirit.**

## **PRAYER OF GOD'S PEOPLE**

### *Call to prayer*

We have come to Mount Zion and to the city of the living God. So let us speak the prayers that are on our hearts and minds.

### *The regular response, OR*

For the sake of Jesus Christ our Lord,  
**hear our prayer.**

### *Suggested intercessions*

- \* for the church, that it may honour all who show kindness and mercy
- \* for local government leaders, that they may work to build up their communities
- \* for those who are overworked, that they may find release by resting in God
- \* for those who are spiritually oppressed
- \* for those whose sickness prevents them from coming to worship in God's house
- \* for the Jewish people, deprived of the temple, that they may come to worship in the name of Jesus
- \* for all Christians, that they may be the presence of Christ to those around them

### *Concluding prayer*

Since we are receiving a kingdom that cannot be shaken, we give thanks to you, our God, and we offer you our worship with reverence and awe; in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**Amen.**

## **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.**

## **BLESSING**

The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord make his face shine on you and be gracious to you. The Lord look upon you with favour, † and give you peace.

**Amen. Amen. Amen.**

## **HYMN: TIS 209 AND CAN IT BE THAT I SHOULD GAIN**

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Tu2uA6U4Fvg>

**And can it be that I should gain  
an interest in the Saviour's blood?  
Died he for me, who caused his pain –  
for me, who him to death pursued?  
Amazing Love! How can it be  
that thou, my God, shouldst die for me!**

**He left his Father's throne above  
(so free, so infinite his grace!),  
emptied himself of all but love,  
and bled for Adam's helpless race.  
'Tis mercy all, immense and free:  
For, O my God, it found out me.**

**Long my imprisoned spirit lay  
fast bound in sin and nature's night:  
thine, eye diffused a quickening ray –  
I woke; the dungeon flamed with light!  
My chains fell off, my heart was free,  
I rose, went forth, and followed thee.**

**No condemnation now I dread:  
Jesus, and all in him, is mine!  
Alive in him, my living Head,  
and clothed in righteousness divine,  
bold I approach the eternal throne,  
and claim the crown, through Christ, my own.**

*Charles Wesley 1707-88 alt.  
Published by Thomas Campbell (fl. 19<sup>th</sup> century)  
In his "Bouquet", 1825*