

Glynde Lutheran Church

a multi-cultural community of faith



Church@Home
Sunday 28 August 2022
Pentecost 12, Year C

9am Matins Worship Service

HYMN: LHS877 TRUST AND OBEY

<https://youtu.be/KB4KcleYiWM>

- 1** When we walk with the Lord,
in the light of his Word
what a glory he sheds on our way!
While we do his good will,
he abides with us still,
and with all who will trust and obey.
*Trust and obey,
for there's no other way
to be happy in Jesus
but to trust and obey.*

- 2** Not a shadow can rise
not a cloud in the skies,
but his smile quickly drives it away;
not a doubt nor a fear,
not a sigh nor a tear,
can abide while we trust and obey.

- 3** But we never can prove
the delights of his love
until all on the altar we lay;
for the favour he shows,
and the joy he bestows,
are for them who will trust and obey:

- 4** Then in fellowship sweet
we will sit at his feet,
or we'll walk by his side in the way;
what he says, we will do;
where he sends, we will go —
never fear, only trust and obey:

Words: John H Sammis 1846-1919

Music: Daniel B Towner 1850-1919

WELCOME & WE GREET ONE ANOTHER

INVOCATION

OPENING SENTENCES

O Lord, open my lips,
and my mouth will tell of your praise.

O God, deliver me.

O Lord, be quick to help me.

Glory to the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit,
as it was in the beginning, is now, * and will be forevermore.
Amen. Hallelujah!

SENTENCES OF INVITATION

O come, let us worship the Lord,
For he is our maker.

O COME, LET US SING TO THE LORD

1 O come, let us sing to the *Lord*,
let us shout aloud to the rock of *our* salvation.

2 Let us come into his presence with thanksgiving,
let us shout aloud to *him* with songs of praise.

3 For the Lord is a great *God*,
and a great King *above* all gods.

4 In his hands are the depths of the *earth*;
the heights of the mountains are *his* also.

5 The sea is his, for he *made* it,
and his hands *formed* the dry land.

6 O come, let us worship and bow *down*,
let us kneel before the *Lord*, our maker.

7 For he is our *God*,
and we are the people of his pasture, *and the *sheep* in his care.

Glory to the Father and the *Son*
and the *Holy Spirit*,
as it was in the beginning, is *now*,
and will be forevermore. Amen.

O come, let us worship the *Lord*, for *he* is our maker.

PRAYER OF THE DAY:

**Jesus, our self-giving Saviour,
teach us to be like you.
Make us humble
and ready to put the needs of others
before our own.
For you live and reign
with the Father and the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and forever.
Amen.**

THEME OF THE DAY:

Ecclesiastes 1:1 - 2:26

**“You have made us for yourself,
and our heart is restless till it rests in you”
*Preaching on the Old Testament***

READINGS

The *first* reading is written [Ecclesiastes 1:12 – 2:11](#)

This is the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

The *second* reading is written in [Hebrews 13:1 – 8,15,16](#)

This is the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

GOSPEL

The gospel reading is written in [Luke 14:1,7 – 14](#)

RESPONSE AFTER THE GOSPEL

This is the gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you O Christ.

CHILDRENS MESSAGE “What makes you happy?”

- * What do you think would make you happy in your life?

What about: “Having plenty of money”?

Then you could buy whatever you wanted to buy: toys, games, phones, computers....

What about: “Having heaps of friends”?

Then you would nearly always have someone to play with, and you would never be lonely.

What about: “Being important, and famous even”?

Then everyone would think that you are special and look up to you.

What about: “Being able to go on plenty of holidays”?

Then you could always look forward to having fun times away, doing fun things.

- * All these things give times of happiness...

But do you know what Jesus says will make you happy and content, and give you “life in all its fullness” (*John 10:10*)?

Having “Peace with God”, as you know that God loves you, and forgives you, and has a great future in store for you.

- * That’s what Colin says in one of his songs, too.

Remember his song: “The greatest treasure in the whole wide world”.

What does Colin says is “the greatest treasure in the whole wide world”?

Peace with God!!

CHILDRENS SONG

“The greatest treasure in the whole wide world” by Colin Buchanan

<https://youtu.be/5EMyXox-m2k?t=21>

**Well, the greatest treasure in the whole wide world is
Peace with God
Yeah, the greatest treasure in the whole wide world is
Peace with God
It’s the only treasure that will never fade
Even death can’t take it away
Yeah, the greatest treasure in the whole wide world is
Peace with God**

You can live for happiness or live for stuff
But it's all gonna fade away
But you'll never ever feel like you've got enough (Yeah)
'Cause it's all gonna fade away
The trickiest toys that money can buy
Are all gonna fade away

[Chorus x 2]

**Because the greatest treasure in the whole wide world is, yeah
Peace with God
Yeah, the greatest treasure in the whole wide world is
Peace with God
It's the only treasure that will never fade
Even death can't take it away
Yeah, the greatest treasure in the whole wide world is
Peace with God**

[Instrumental]

What if the world makes you a star?
Well, it's all gonna fade away
The biggest house and the flashiest car
They're all gonna fade away
Earthly treasures like the morning mist
Are all gonna fade away

[Chorus x 1]

RESPONSE

Teach me your way, O Lord, that I may walk in your truth.
Teach me your way, O Lord, that I may walk in your truth.
Make me wholehearted in fearing your name,
that I may walk in your truth.
Glory to the Father and the Son
and the Holy Spirit.
Teach me your way, O Lord, that I may walk in your truth.

HYMN: TIS 585 I HEARD THE VOICE

<https://youtu.be/yYqgBMrmeZA>

I heard the voice of Jesus say,
'Come unto me and rest;
lay down, O weary one, lay down
your head upon my breast.'
I came to Jesus as I was,
so weary and worn and sad;
I found in him a resting-place,
and he has made me glad.

I heard the voice of Jesus say,
'Behold, I freely give
the living water; thirsty one,
stoop down and drink and live.'
I came to Jesus, and I drank
of that life-giving stream,
my thirst was quenched, my soul revived,
and now I live in him.

I heard the voice of Jesus say,
'I am this dark world's light;
look unto me, your morn shall rise,
and all your day be bright.'
I looked to Jesus, and I found
in him my star, my sun;
and in that light of life I'll walk
till travelling days are done.

Words: Horatius Bonar 1808-89

Music: From an English and Irish traditional melody

coll Lucy Broadwood 1858-1929

harm and arr Ralph Vaughan Williams 1872-1958

SERMON: Ecclesiastes 1:1 - 2:26
"You have made us for yourself,
and our heart is restless till it rests in you"
Preaching on the Old Testament

Click [HERE](#) to listen to the sermon on YouTube

The peace of God, which passes all understanding, keep your* hearts
and minds safe in Christ Jesus. **Amen.**

HYMN: AT 25 COMFORT, COMFORT

<https://youtu.be/rnwSEcl9FAg>

*Comfort, comfort all my people
With the comfort of my Word.
Speak it tender to my people:
All your sins are taken away.*

Though your tears be rivers running;
Though your tears be an ocean full;
Though you cry with the hurt of living:
Comfort, comfort.

Every valley shall be lifted;
Every mountain shall be low;
Every rough place will be smoother:
Comfort, comfort

Though your eyes see only darkness;
Though your eyes can see no light;
Though your eyes see pain and sorrow:
Comfort, comfort.

Every night will have its morning;
Every pain will have an end;
Every burden will be lightened:
Comfort, comfort

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OFFERING

THE PRAYERS

LORD, HAVE MERCY

Lord, have mercy.

Christ, have mercy. Lord, have mercy.

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.

CREED

**I believe in God, the Father almighty,
maker of heaven and earth.**

**And 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, dead, and buried.**

He descended into hell.

The third day he rose again from the dead.

**He ascended into heaven,
and sits at the right hand of God, the Father almighty,
from thence he will come to judge the living and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Christian church,
the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting.**

Amen

GREETING

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

PRAYER OF GOD'S PEOPLE

Call to prayer

Through Jesus, let us offer a sacrifice of prayer and praise to God with lips that confess his name.

The regular response, OR:

Lord, hear us.

Lord, graciously hear us.

Suggested intercessions

- * for the leaders of the church, that their lives may provide an example of holy living for all Christians
- * for our state leaders, our premier and our parliament
- * for strangers and refugees
- * for those who are in prison
- * for those who are suffering for their beliefs
- * for marriage, that it may be honoured by all
- * for those who are driven by greed and a love of money
- * for the poor, and for those who are physically disabled
- * for all Christians, that we may welcome people into our homes and churches with hospitality

Concluding prayer

Lord of the banquet, remember all those for whom we pray, and gather us together around your table, here on earth and, in the resurrection of the righteous, with you in heaven; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.
Amen.

HYMN: LHS 863 BLESSED ASSURANCE

<https://youtu.be/yuyf1YQvcwY>

**Blessed assurance, Jesus is mine;
O what a foretaste of glory divine!
Heir of salvation, purchase of God,
born of his Spirit, washed in his blood:**

***This is my story, this is my song,
praising my Saviour all the day long;
this is my story, this is my song,
praising my Saviour all the day long.***

**Perfect submission, perfect delight,
visions of rapture now burst on my sight;
angels descending, bring from above
echoes of mercy, whispers of love:**

**Perfect submission, all is at rest,
I in my Saviour am happy and blest,
watching and waiting, looking above,
filled with his goodness, lost in his love:**

Words: Frances Jane van Alstyne 1820-1915

Music: Phoebe P Knappe 1839-1908