

# **Glynde Lutheran Church**

*a multi-cultural community of faith*



## **Church@Home**

Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> August 2021  
9am service order  
Pentecost 14, Year B  
A variation of Alternative form

## **HYMN: LHS 822 GOD HAS SPOKEN**

<https://youtu.be/-rbR63VCTg4>

**God has spoken by his prophets,  
spoken his unchanging Word,  
each, from age to age proclaiming  
God, the one, the righteous Lord!  
Mid the world's despair and turmoil  
one firm anchor holds us fast:  
God is king, his throne eternal,  
God the first, and God the last.**

**God has spoken by Christ Jesus,  
Christ, the everlasting Son,  
brightness of the Father's glory.  
with the father ever one;  
spoken by the Word incarnate,  
God from God, ere time began,  
Light from light, to earth descending,  
Man, revealing God to man.**

**God is speaking by his Spirit,  
speaking to the hearts of men,  
in the age-long Word expounding,  
God's own message, now as then,  
through the rise and fall of nations  
one sure faith yet standing fast;  
God still speaks, his Word unchanging,  
God the first, and God the last.**

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Music: Ad from Ludwig van Beethoven 1770-1827  
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## **WELCOME**

### **IN THE NAME**

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

## **LITURGY OF THE WORD**

### **GREETING - spoken**

The Lord be with you.  
**And also with you.**

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

**Holy and faithful God,  
keep us from a piety  
that is only for show.  
Wash us completely clean,  
so that what flows out of us  
may be pure and good.  
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**

Revelation 2:18 – 29  
“Marching to a different drum”  
*Series on Revelation (4)*

## **FIRST READING**

[Song of Solomon 2:8 – 13](#)

*After the reading: spoken*

This is the word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

## **SECOND READING**

[Revelation 2:18 – 29](#)

*After the reading: spoken*

This is the word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

## **RESPONSE - sung**

**Alleluia. Lord, to whom shall we go? You have the words of eternal life. Alleluia. Alleluia.**

## **GOSPEL (SPOKEN)**

[Mark 7:1-8, 14, 15, 21-23](#)

**Glory to you, O Lord.**

This is the gospel of the Lord.

**Praise to you, O Christ.**

## **CHILDREN'S MESSAGE:** "What Would Jesus Do?"

Objects: Slides of Olympic runners etc.

*Plus slides from THE BEGINNER'S BIBLE*

- \* Did you watch the Olympics? Are you watching the Paralympics at all, *for all those who have a handicap of some sorts?*

What do you like watching the best?

*Running, long jump, swimming*

- \* How did they get to be so good at what they do?  
*By practising a heap, and by trying to be as good as their heroes: people who very good runners etc.*

- \* What sport do you like playing?  
*Basketball, football, netball, cricket.*

- \* How can you get very good at the sport that you like playing?  
*By practicing, and trying to be like your hero in that sport.*

- \* Who's your hero in your sport?  
*Michael Jordan, Kobe Bryant*  
*Rory Sloan, Travis Boak*  
*Caitlin Bassett*  
*Steve Smith, Pat Cummins*

- \* How do we get to be very good at living as God's child, and doing what God wants us to do?  
*By practicing and trying to be like our hero*

- \* Who's our hero in God's team?  
**JESUS!!**

- \* How do we find out "What Jesus Would Do"?  
*By reading about him in The Beginner's Bible, and watching the way that he lived.*

\* How did Jesus live his life?

He LOVED people, no matter who they were, or what they had done: e.g., Zacchaeus, the tax collector; the blind begger, the leper, the Roman soldier (show slides of these)

And that's how God wants us to live our life: LOVING all the boys and girls around us, and the grownups.

We "practice being Godly" and we try to live our life like Jesus, God's Son.

\* Let's a song that reminds us of this:

**CHILDREN'S SONG:**

"Practice being Godly"

<https://youtu.be/IPaDrmxMAuw?t=21>

**Lyrics:**

**Have you seen those fit and healthy guys  
Always doing their exercise?  
Well it's better to work for a heavenly prize  
And practice being Godly**

*Chorus:*

**Never give up, make it your aim  
To practice being Godly  
If you've been forgiven in Jesus' name  
You gotta practice being Godly  
He paid the price for all our sin  
His Holy Spirit dwells within  
So centre all you do on him  
Practice being Godly**

**You could lift big weights  
You could swim or run  
Train everyday to be number one  
But it's better to train  
For the life to come  
Practice being Godly**

*(Chorus)*

**You gotta walk with the Lord  
Wherever you go  
Whatever you're doing, He will know  
Say "YES" to God  
To sin say NO!  
And practice being Godly**

*(Chorus)*

**You gotta practice being Godly  
Practice being Godly**

**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: LHS 857 Low the way is low**

<https://youtu.be/a0Kg3GF2k1k>

**Low the way is low,  
With the man whom angels praise;  
He who spoke the sky  
Was a baby dressed in hay:**

*We are companions of  
the one whose name is love,  
we share his life as we grow.  
We carry Jesus' death  
with each and every breath –  
our hope is high, the way is low*

**See the glory road –  
he was tempted by it too.  
But he set his course  
with Jerusalem in view:**

**When our time is gone  
we will see the great new day.  
Till that day appears,  
all we know is Jesus' way:**

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**SERMON**

Revelation 2:18 – 29  
“Marching to a different drum”  
*Series on Revelation*

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: LHS 800 MAY WE BE ONE**

<https://youtu.be/ss7DT6YYGno>

**May we be one,  
Bound in love for ever,  
Growing close together day by day;  
Growing as God fills us with His life;  
We are joined in Him, He makes us one.  
May we be one,  
As our Father planned it.  
May the love of Jesus make us strong,  
No one can harm us when He is near;  
He has brought us peace, He makes us one.**

**May we be one  
Jesus' truth to bind us  
With his body He unites us all;  
Dying our death, He restores our life;  
Living with us now, He makes us one.**

**May we be one,  
Sharing life together  
With the Father and His only son.  
Now we have life in this world of death;  
Heaven has begun, He makes us one.  
Heaven has begun, He makes us one.**

*Words & Music: Robin Mann 1949-(1981)*

## **OFFERTORY PRAYER**

**Thank you, Lord,  
for sending your Son Jesus Christ to save us  
and to set us free from sin  
and the condemnation of the law.  
Lead us to live as people who are truly free to serve you.  
May your Spirit live in our hearts  
and guide us to do your will.  
Amen.**

## **PRAYER OF GODS PEOPLE**

### *Call to prayer*

The Lord knows how we should live. Let us pray to God, knowing that in and through Jesus Christ we can come into the house of God with all that is on our hearts, and he will hear us.

### *The regular response, OR:*

O loving God,  
**hear our prayer.**

### *Suggested intercessions*

- \* for the church and all who teach the gospel of Christ
- \* for the children and young people in the church, that they may hold on to the truth and continue in the faith
- \* for Sunday school, children's clubs, youth groups, young adult groups
- \* for the National and District Youth offices and those who are responsible for their direction
- \* for the Department of Family Services and the like, that they may be sensitive to the whole family
- \* for widows, widowers and orphans
- \* for families, that they may continue to be a blessing to people, for all people within families as they interact with each other, for the stability of families and the stability of all humanity as a world community

### *Concluding prayer*

Our Saviour God, hear our prayer this day, and help us all not to fall into the thinking of the world, but to be doers of the word, seeking your will in our daily lives. We pray through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**Amen.**

## **LORD'S PRAYER – *spoken***

**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 – spoken**

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**

**HYMN: LH 437 NOW THANK WE ALL OUR GOD**

<https://youtu.be/s99dNPKYtHk>

**Now thank we all our God  
With hearts and hands and voices,  
Who wondrous things hath done,  
In whom His world rejoices;  
Who from our mother's arms  
Hath blessed us on our way  
With countless gifts of love,  
And still is ours today.**

**O may this bounteous God  
Through all our life be near us,  
With ever joyful hearts  
And blessed peace to cheer us;  
And keep us in His grace,  
And guide us when perplexed,  
And free us from all ills  
In this world and the next.**

**All praise and thanks to God  
The Father now be given,  
The Son, and Him who reigns  
With them in highest heaven:  
The one eternal God,  
Whom earth and heaven adore,  
For thus it was, is now,  
And shall be evermore.**

*Words: Martin Rinckart (1586-1649)*

*Tr Catherine Winkworth 1858*

*Music: J Cruger 1598-1662 (1647)*