

# **Glynde Lutheran Church**

***a multi-cultural community of faith***



**Church@Home**

**2 January 2022**

**2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday after Christmas, Year C**

**10.30am Worship Service**

**SONG: "Glory to God"**

<https://youtu.be/NMj7Aprgvjk>

**Let the earth rejoice,  
Heaven comes to you.  
While the city sleeps  
A child is born.**

**Drive away the fear  
For your Saviour has come.  
He lies in a bed  
Made of straw.**

**La la la la la la la.  
La la la la.  
La la la la la la la.  
La la la la.**

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A child is born.  
Drive away the fear  
For your Saviour has come.  
He lies in a bed  
Made of straw.**

**La la la la la la la.  
La la la la.  
La la la la la la la.  
La la la la.**

**Glory to,  
Glory to God  
In the highest,  
Glory to,  
Glory to God  
In the highest.  
Glory *Glory*  
Glory *Glory*  
In the highest.**

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Glory to,  
Glory to God  
In the highest.  
Glory *Glory*  
Glory *Glory*  
In the highest.

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**WELCOME & WE GREET EACH OTHER**

**IN THE NAME...**

**SONG: "Who you say I am"**

<https://youtu.be/lKw6uqtGFfo>

Who am I that the highest King  
would welcome me  
I was lost but He brought me in  
Oh His love for me  
Oh His love for me

*Chorus 1*  
**Who the Son sets free  
Oh is free indeed  
I'm a child of God  
Yes I am**

Free at last  
He has ransomed me  
His grace runs deep  
While I was a slave to sin  
Jesus died for me  
Yes He died for me

*Chorus 1*  
**Who the Son sets free  
Oh is free indeed  
I'm a child of God  
Yes I am**

*Chorus 2*  
**In my Father's house  
There's a place for me  
I'm a child of God  
Yes I am**

*Bridge*  
**I am chosen not forsaken  
I am who You say I am  
You are for me not against me  
I am who You say I am**

**TAG**  
**(Oh) (Yes) I am who You say I am**

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## **WE CONFESS, GOD FORGIVES**

**Dear God, you have given birth to our world and to each of us. You see our failure to live as your people, our desire to go our own way. You know that we fail to care for others and fail to care for your world. We ask you to forgive us. By the gentle touch of your Spirit, renew our hearts so that they are filled with compassion. May we live as your free, generous people, in service to all.**

### **God Forgives**

God makes all things new. Anyone who is in Christ is a new creation. The old has passed away; everything has become new! Dear friends in Christ, believe the good news – in Jesus Christ you are loved, you are blessed, you are forgiven.

**Thanks be to God!**

Peace be with you  
**Amen.**

## **SHORT PRAISE SONG: “At the cross”**

<https://youtu.be/xspg7SNxTWA>

**At the cross I bow my knee,  
Where Your blood was shed for me,  
There’s no greater love than this.  
You have overcome the grave,  
Your glory fills the highest place,  
What can separate me now?**

**You tore the veil, You made a way  
When You said that it is done.**

**You tore the veil, You made a way  
When You said that it is done.**

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**THEME OF THE DAY**          Matthew 25:31-46  
“The story of the 4th Wise Man”

**BIBLE READING**                  [Matthew 25:31-46](#)

**CHILDREN’S MESSAGE**    “God will look after you”

- \* Well, we are now in a new year...  
What number is this new year?  
*Year 2022*
- \* How old will you be this year, when you have your birthday?  
Has anyone got a birthday coming up?
- \* Who will be looking after you in this new year of your life?  
*Mum, Dad, grandparents, GOD!*
- \* In the weeks leading up to Christmas, and after Christmas, we've been looking at the story of Christmas in our Children's time, *using the stories in “The beginner's Bible”.*

We've looked at "An angel visits Mary", "Baby Jesus is born, "Shepherds visit", "The Bright Star and Three Visitors", and today we are looking at the next story, "An angry King" It is found online at: <https://youtu.be/ldw1Vkd5Ygs>

- \* Who looked after little Jesus when the soldiers were coming to harm the little ones?  
*God! He appeared to Joseph in a dream and told him to take Mary and little Jesus to Egypt.*
- \* Did God keep them safe in Egypt, and tell them when to head home again?  
*You bet, He did! Through an angel in another dream to Joseph.*
- \* Do you think that God will keep us safe in His loving care this year, year 2022?  
*Yes, He most certainly will. No matter what happens to us, God will be caring for us, because He is our loving Father, and he is "good in every way".*

That's what our song for today says:

**He is always there for us  
He's good in every way  
Pouring out His awesome love  
He's good in every way  
He fills us up with peace and joy  
He's good in every way  
He gives us all we need and more  
He's good in every way.**

Let's watch and listen to this song ....

**CHILDREN'S SONG**

"Good in every way"

[https://youtu.be/\\_tLcv3jjjA](https://youtu.be/_tLcv3jjjA)

## **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**

## **SONG: "What child is this"**

<https://youtu.be/wO8qluGa-tM>

**What child is this who, laid to rest,  
On Mary's lap is sleeping?  
Whom angels greet with anthems sweet,  
While shepherds watch are keeping?**

***This, this is Christ the King,  
Whom shepherds guard and angels sing;  
Haste, haste to bring him laud,  
The babe, the son of Mary.***

**Why lies he in such mean estate  
Where ox and ass were feeding?  
Good Christians, fear; for sinners here  
The silent Word is pleading.**

***Nails, spear shall pierce him through,  
The cross be borne for me, for you;  
Hail, hail the Word made flesh,  
The babe, the son of Mary.***

**So bring him incense, gold, and myrrh;  
Come, peasant, king, to own him;  
The King of kings salvation brings;  
Let loving hearts enthrone him.**

***Raise, raise the song on high,  
The virgin sings her lullaby;  
Joy, joy, for Christ is born.  
The babe, the son of Mary.***

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Music: Traditional English 16<sup>th</sup> century*

**MESSAGE:** Matthew 25:31-46  
"The story of the 4th Wise Man"

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

**SONG: "I'm your servant"**  
<https://youtu.be/wc4gWafIgeY>

**Now into your presence Lord  
I will boldly come  
It's only by your grace O Lord  
It's nothing I have done  
Grant me your servant heart  
That I might live like you  
And as you set me apart  
I will humbly share the love I found in you.**

**I'm your servant here I am  
Bended knees and open hands  
Lord I hear your voice today  
Lord I hear and I obey  
When I'm weak will you be strong  
When I'm lost will you lead me home  
Though I struggle on the way  
Would you use me anyway  
Lord I give my life today.**

Now into your presence Lord  
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It's only by your grace O Lord  
It's nothing I have done  
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Bended knees and open hands  
Lord I hear your voice today  
Lord I hear and I obey  
When I'm weak will you be strong  
When I'm lost will you lead me home  
Though I struggle on the way  
Would you use me anyway  
Lord I give my life today.  
Would you use me anyway  
Lord I give my life today.

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## **PRAYERS FOR THE WORLD**

*Call to prayer*

By his birth as a human being, Jesus has made the Father known to us. Let us therefore pray to our Father in heaven.

*The regular response, OR:*

Father, hear our prayer,  
**through Jesus Christ, your only Son, our Lord.**

### *Suggested petitions*

- \* for the preaching of the word of God, that Christ may be made known
- \* thanksgiving for the harvest
- \* for the citizens of the modern state of Israel
- \* for God's blessing on the new year

### *Concluding prayer*

Heavenly Father, you revealed yourself through your only Son, Jesus Christ. In his name, hear our prayer, for he 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**

#### **SONG: "The Blessing"**

<https://youtu.be/OOt7baaVSbE>

**The Lord bless you  
And keep you  
Make his face shine upon you  
And be gracious to you  
The Lord turn his  
Face toward you  
And give you peace**

**The Lord bless you  
And keep you  
Make his face shine upon you  
And be gracious to you  
The Lord turn his  
Face toward you  
And give you peace**

**Amen (x6)**

**The Lord bless you  
And keep you  
Make his face shine upon you  
And be gracious to you  
The Lord turn his  
Face toward you  
And give you peace**

**Amen (x6)**

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**May his favour  
Be upon you  
And a thousand generations  
And your family  
And your children  
And their children  
And their children  
(repeat)**

**May his presence  
Go before you  
And behind you  
And beside you  
All around you  
And within you  
He is with you  
He is with you**

**In the morning  
In the evening  
In your coming  
And your going  
In your weeping  
And rejoicing**

**He is for you (x8)**

**Amen (x6)**

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And their children  
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