

Glynde Lutheran Church

a multi-cultural community of faith



Church@Home
Sunday 3rd July 2022
10am worship with communion
Combined Multicultural service with the
Korean, Sudanese Nuer & Chinese congregations

SONG: Unity (Chinese)

Music/musicians by Chinese congregation

<https://youtu.be/KV2nLzftolQ> (in Chinese with English subtitle)

**When we come as one to worship and pray,
the Lord will move His hands and begin to work.
As we humble ourselves before Your throne,
may Your name be lifted high in this land.**

**We'll join our hearts. We'll join our hands.
Let us all lay down our pride and self,
for the greater purpose of God**

**We'll join our hearts. We'll join our hands.
Let Your righteousness and kingdom come,
And together, lift Your name on high.**

**Let us shine Your light to the world,
as we seek after Your will.
Not for myself, but for the Cross,
and take us, Lord, to the ends of the earth**

Stream of Praise

WELCOME & WE GREET EACH OTHER

IN THE NAME...

SONG: WE WILL KEEP OUR FAITH (Korean)

Music/musicians by Korean congregation

<https://youtu.be/5839SR1OUbI> (Korean version)

<https://youtu.be/KDOgNw7YiUI> (English version)

**Gathered here with in this place, we can share in God's redeeming grace.
There's no room for doubt or fear: we can feel His presence here.
As we face each passing day we will serve and honor and obey:
and if hope should start to dim, we will know our trust is in Him.
*And we will keep our faith alive, God will always be our guide.
Through the darkest night, we will see God's light. We will keep our faith alive!***

**We will live as God has planned, though at times we may not understand.
Many things we may not see, but our faith will help us believe.
From the word we learn the truth; through His love we all are born anew.
With His help we will not fail for we know our God will prevail.
*And we will keep our faith alive, God will always be our guide.
Through the darkest night, we will see God's light. We will keep our faith alive!***

**When we share the love He gives, all the world will know that we are His.
In God's name we stand as one, and through us, His work will be done!
*And we will keep our faith alive, God will always be our guide.
Through the darkest night, we will see God's light. We will keep our faith alive!
We will stand as one 'til His work is done, we will keep our faith alive!***

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WE CONFESS, GOD FORGIVES

Gracious God and Father, we confess that we have sinned against you in our thoughts, words, and deeds. We have not recognised you as the owner and giver of all things.

We have not always been content with what you have given us, nor have we been eager to advance the cause of others. Forgive us for the sake of Jesus who gave himself so freely for us.

By your Holy Spirit, give us a generous heart and joy in serving our neighbour. Amen.

Absolution based on Psalm 51:

God has shown mercy to you. He gave His only Son to die for you. God has forgiven your sins. For Jesus' sake, He has washed you clean and made your hearts pure. May God's peace be with you always.

Amen.

SHORT PRAISE SONG: "HOW DEEP THE FATHERS LOVE"

<https://youtu.be/czB6vmlvyaU?t=205>

**I will not boast in anything,
No gifts, no power, no wisdom;
But I will boast in Jesus Christ,
His death and resurrection.**

- * You know, one last thing, before we watch our song, and maybe join in.... If you are a branch on a tree, can you bear fruit if you aren't attached to the tree?

Of course not! That's what Jesus was saying in our Bible reading: unless we are attached to him, we won't be able to bear the fruit of loving God and loving one another.

Now for our song.... God wants us to shine for Him as we love Him and as we love one another. Here's a cute song where the puppets sing about each one of us shining for God and for Jesus.... It's called, "This little light of mine, I'm going to let it shine":

CHILDRENS SONG

This little light of mine

https://youtu.be/RGWC6_SjHKQ

CREED

(We invite everyone to stand and confess the Creed in their own language)

**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: JESIS STRONG & KIND

https://youtu.be/T5Y8s-Sz_ac?t=5

**Jesus said
That if I thirst
I should come to him
No one else can satisfy
I should come to him**

**Jesus said
If I am weak
I should come to him
No one else can be my strength
I should come to him**

Chorus

***For the Lord is good and faithful
He will keep us day and night
We can always run to Jesus
Jesus strong and kind***

**Jesus said
That if I fear
I should come to him
No one else can be my shield
I should come to him**

**Jesus said
If I am lost
He will come to me
And he showed me on that cross
He will come to me**

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SERMON

John 15:1 – 5

“We are the Church...”

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SONG: WE ARE THE CHURCH

Chorus 1

***We are the Church
The body of our Lord,
We are all God's children
We have been restored***

**The church is not a building
where people go to pray;
it's not made out of stick and stones,
it's not made out of clay.**

**You can go to worship
but you cannot go to church;
you can't find a building that's alive
no matter how you search.**

**The church is not a business,
a committee or a board;
it's not a corporation for
the business of the Lord.**

**The church, it is the people
living out their lives,
called, enlightened, sanctified
for the work of Jesus Christ.**

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PRAYER OF GOD'S PEOPLE

Call to prayer

Jesus said that we should ask the Lord of the harvest to send out labourers into his harvest.
Let us obey his command and pray to God our Father, trusting that what we ask will be
pleasing to him.

The regular response, OR:

Lord of the harvest,
hear our prayer.

Suggested intercessions

- * for the whole church on earth, that it may labour in the harvest field of the world
- * for pastors and evangelists to preach the word of God
- * for deacons and church workers to serve the needs of the faithful
- * for welfare and health workers to serve the needs of the community
- * for relief agency workers to alleviate the suffering of those who are very poor or
threatened by natural disaster
- * for political leaders to work for peace and the common wellbeing of all citizens
- * for all Christians in their calling, that they may serve God's kingdom by serving others

Concluding prayer

Lord of the harvest, you have given those who work for you authority over the powers of
evil. Hear our prayers in the name of Jesus Christ, who conquered the enemy through his
death and now lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.
Amen.

LORD'S PRAYER

(Prayed together in own language)

**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: 10,000 REASONS

<https://youtu.be/XtwIT8JddM>

***Bless the Lord O my soul
O my soul
Worship His holy name
Sing like never before
O my soul
I'll worship Your holy name***

**The sun comes up it's a new day dawning
It's time to sing Your song again
Whatever may pass and whatever lies before me
Let me be singing when the evening comes**

Chorus

**You're rich in love and You're slow to anger
Your name is great and Your heart is kind
For all Your goodness I will keep on singing
Ten thousand reasons for my heart to find**

Chorus

**And on that day when my strength is failing
The end draws near and my time has come
Still my soul will sing Your praise unending
Ten thousand years and then forevermore**

Chorus

**Worship Your holy name
Worship Your holy name**

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SONG: O JESUS, I HAVE PROMISED

(Music/musicians by Sudanese congregation in Nuer)

<https://youtu.be/gbyyUGaO1vE> (English version)

**1 O Jesus, I have promised
To serve thee to the end;
Be thou forever near me,
My Master and my friend;
I shall not fear the battle
If thou art by my side,
Nor wander from the pathway
If thou wilt be my guide.**

**2 O let me feel thee near me!
The world is ever near:
I see the sights that dazzle,
The tempting sounds I hear.
My foes are ever near me,
Around me and within;
But, Jesus, draw thou nearer,
And shield my soul from sin.**

**3 O let me hear thee speaking
In accents clear and still,
Above the storms of passion,
The murmurs of self-will.
O speak to reassure me,
To hasten or control;
O speak, and make me listen,
Thou guardian of my soul.**

**4 O Jesus, thou hast promised
To all who follow thee
That where thou art in glory
There shall thy servant be.
And, Jesus, I have promised
To serve thee to the end;
O give me grace to follow,
My Master and my friend.**

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