

# **Glynde Lutheran Church**

**a multi-cultural community of faith**



Church@Home  
Sunday 8 May 2022  
Easter 4, Year C  
9am Modern Matins

## **SONG: TIS231 ALL THE NAME OF JESUS**

[https://youtu.be/\\_7w-tDjlpkg](https://youtu.be/_7w-tDjlpkg)

**All the name of Jesus  
every knee shall bow,  
every tongue confess him  
King of Glory now:  
this the Father's pleasure  
that we call him Lord  
who from the beginning  
was the mighty Word.**

**Humbled for a season  
to receive a name  
from the lips of sinners  
unto whom he came,  
faithfully he bore it  
spotless to the last,  
brought it back victorious  
when from death he passed.**

**In your hearts enthrone him,  
there let him make new  
all that is not holy  
all that is not true.  
He is God the Saviour,  
he is Christ the Lord,  
ever to be worshipped,  
trusted and adored.**

**When this same Lord Jesus  
shall appear again  
in his Father's glory,  
there with him to reign,  
then may we adore him,  
all before him bow,  
as our hearts confess him  
King of Glory now.**

*Caroline Maria Noel 1817 – 77 alt.  
John Michael Brierly*

## **WELCOME**

## **WE GREET ONE ANOTHER**

## **IN THE NAME**

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

## **INSPIRE MY LIPS**

O Lord, open my lips.

**1 Inspire my lips, O Lord,  
and I'll sing praise to you.  
O come and save me, God;  
come quickly to my help.**

**2 All praise to God the Father,  
to Jesus Christ the Son,  
to God the Holy Spirit,  
forevermore. Amen.**

## **O COME LETS SING**

Come, let us worship the Lord.

**For he has made us all.**

**1 O come, let's sing aloud to God,  
and shout for joy to the Rock who saves.  
Let's come before him, giving thanks.  
With joyful songs let us hail the Lord.**

**2 The Lord is great, the King of all.  
The depths of earth, the heights of hills,  
the sea he made, and all the land:  
they all are his, all made by him.**

**3 O come, bow down and worship God,  
and kneel before the Lord most high.  
For he's our God, and we are his;  
Yes, we're the flock that's led by him.**

**4 All praise to God the Father now,  
all praise to Jesus Christ the Son,  
and to the Holy Spirit praise,  
both now and evermore. Amen.**

**THEME OF THE DAY:** John 1:35 – 51  
The Chosen (5): “Philip and Nathanael”

## **BIBLE READINGS**

- 1) Acts 9:36 – 43
- 2) Revelation 7:9 – 17

*After each reading:*

This is the word of the Lord

**Thanks be to God**

## **GOSPEL READING** John 1:35 – 51

*After the gospel reading:*

This is the gospel of the Lord

**Praise to you, O Christ.**

## **CHILDREN’S MESSAGE** Come and see Jesus

- \* Do you like going to other children’s homes to play? Whose homes have you been to?

*My school friend, other friends, my cousins*

- \* You know, it’s only by spending time with your school friends or with your cousins or whoever that you really get to know them.

And it’s the same with Jesus. It’s only by spending time with Jesus that we get to know him well.

- \* How do you think that we can spend time with Jesus and get to know him better?

*By reading our copy of The Beginner’s Bible, or one like this, and as you get older by reading a big Bible.*

Let’s read a story from The Beginner’s Bible, and then I want to ask you, “What do you learn about Jesus from this story?”

Let’s read the story “Jesus and the Children”, which we can listen to by going to: <https://youtu.be/IYgoGdf-nC0>

- \* Well, what did you learn about Jesus from this story?
  - o *That Jesus loves little children*
  - o *That Jesus was full of love for people, even the little ones, ones that some grown-ups don't want to spend time with*

Yes, it's only by meeting Jesus, by seeing him, that we get to know him and love him.

Let's get to know Jesus some more as we sing "Let's meet Jesus".

## **CHILDREN'S SONG**

"Let's meet Jesus" (Jesus Song)

<https://youtu.be/Rn84AYtFUSM>

## **PRAYER (all)**

**Loving God,  
we thank you that your Son Jesus  
is the good shepherd  
who cares for your people.  
Open our hearts to hear his voice,  
to know him as he calls us by name,  
and to follow wherever he leads.  
For he lives and reigns  
with you and the Holy Spirit,  
one God, now and forever.  
Amen.**

## **SONG: LH306 I HEARD THE VOICE**

<https://youtu.be/yYqgBMrmeZA>

**I heard the voice of Jesus say,  
'Come unto Me and rest;  
Lay down, thou weary one, lay down  
Thy head upon My breast:  
I came to Jesus as I was  
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, thy morn shall rise,  
And all thy 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 (1808-1889)*

*Music: English traditional melody  
ad R Vaughan Williams 1872-1958 (1906)*

**VIDEO SPOT:**

**The Chosen: Nathanael under the fig tree**

*Watch from: 34' 39" — 37' 32"*

<https://youtu.be/cyisq4ILK4U?t=2079>

**MESSAGE**

John 1:35 – 51

The Chosen (5): "Philip and Nathanael"

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

**SONG: LHS863 BLESSED ASSURANCE**

<https://youtu.be/1WQdwkCdXpU>

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*

## **OFFERING**

Let us pray

**Eternal loving Shepherd,  
your Son laid down his life for us, his sheep.  
Help us to follow him  
by loving and serving the people around us.  
Amen.**

## **PRAYERS**

Lord, have mercy

**Lord, have mercy.**

**Christ, have mercy.**

**Lord, have mercy.**

## **SONG: LHS894 FATHER GOD IN HEAVEN**

<https://youtu.be/Y0D8rsb1Q8A>

**Father God in heaven,  
Lord most high:  
hear your children's prayer,  
Lord most high:  
hallowed be your name,  
Lord most high –  
O Lord, hear our prayer.**

**May your kingdom come  
here on earth;  
may your will be done  
here on earth,  
as it is in heaven  
so on earth –  
O Lord, hear our prayer.**

**Give us daily bread  
day by day,  
and forgive our sins  
day by day,  
as we too forgive  
day by day –  
O Lord, hear our prayer.**

**Lead us in your way,  
make us strong;  
when temptations come  
make us strong;  
save us from all sin,  
keep us strong –  
O Lord, hear our prayer.**

**All things come from you,  
all are yours –  
kingdom, glory, power,  
all are yours;  
take our lives and gifts,  
all are yours –  
O Lord, hear our prayer.**

*Words: based on the Lord's Prayer  
James E Seddon 1915  
Music: Traditional melody arr David Peacock 1949  
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## **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**

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

*Call to prayer*

Sheep listen to the voice of their shepherd. God our Father, open our ears to hear the voice of Jesus Christ your Son, so that he may lead us to pray with him for all we need.

*The regular response, OR:*

Lord, hear the voice of your sheep,  
**as we cry to you for help.**

*Suggested intercessions*

- \* for all pastors, as they shepherd the flock of Christ, especially for our LCA president, \_\_\_\_, and our district president \_\_\_\_
- \* for those who are suffering for their faith
- \* for all who rule and govern, that they may be shepherds to their people
- \* for the dying and those who mourn, that God would be present with them as they walk through the valley of the shadow of death
- \* for those who have become lost on the path of life

- \* for those who do not have enough to eat
- \* for those who mourn the death of a loved one, that they may be comforted by the hope of the resurrection

### *Concluding prayer*

Shepherd God, you gather your sheep from all corners of the world, and do not allow even one of your flock to be lost. May we and all people hear your voice, and be gathered into the one flock of our Lord Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.  
**Amen.**

### **PRAYER FOR GRACE**

**Lord, our heavenly Father, almighty and eternal God,  
you have brought us safely to the beginning of this day.  
Protect us today with your mighty power;  
let us fall into no sin, nor run into any kind of danger.  
But guide us in all things,  
so that we may always do what is right.  
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.**

### **DISMISSAL**

Go in peace...  
**Thanks be to God. Amen.**

### **THE GRACE**

The grace of Jesus Christ,  
the love of God the Father,  
the Holy Spirit's fellowship,  
be with us all. Amen.

**SONG: LH595 LORD, DISMISS US WITH THY BLESSING**

[https://youtu.be/F-Bf\\_f2NM\\_8](https://youtu.be/F-Bf_f2NM_8) (vv 1, 4 only)

**Lord, dismiss us with thy blessing; thanks for mercies  
Lord, dismiss us with thy blessing,  
thanks for mercies past receive;  
pardon all, their faults confessing;  
time that's lost may all retrieve;  
may thy children,  
ne'er again thy Spirit grieve.**

**Bless thou all our days of leisure;  
help us selfish lures to flee;  
sanctify our every pleasure;  
pure and blameless may it be;  
may our gladness  
draw us evermore to thee.**

**By thy kindly influence cherish  
all the good we have gained;  
may all taint of evil perish  
by thy mightier power restrained;  
seek we ever  
knowledge pure and love unfeigned.**

**Let thy father-hand be shielding  
all who here shall meet no more;  
may their seed-time past be yielding  
year by year a richer store;  
those returning,  
make more faithful than before.**

*Words: Henry James Buckoll, 1843*