

Glynde Lutheran Church



Church@Home

8th November 2020

23rd Sunday after Pentecost, Year A

10.30am Service Order

SONG: “Here I am to worship”

<https://youtu.be/6CKCThJB5w0>

**Light of the world,
You stepped down
into darkness.
Opened my eyes
let me see.
Beauty that made this heart
adore You;
Hope of a life spent with You.**

**Here I am to worship,
Here I am to bow down,
Here I am to say that You’re my God.
You’re altogether lovely,
Altogether worthy,
Altogether wonderful to me.**

**King of all days,
O so highly exalted.
Glorious in heaven above.
Humbly You came
to the earth
You created;
All of love’s sake, became poor.**

**Here I am to worship,
Here I am to bow down,
Here I am to say that You’re my God.
You’re altogether lovely,
Altogether worthy,
Altogether wonderful to me.**

**I’ll never know how much it cost
To see my sin upon that cross.
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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

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Oh is free indeed
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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

Heavenly Father, we confess that we have sinned against you in our outward actions and also in our secret thoughts and desires.

We have not loved you with our whole heart.

We have served ourselves and sought to further our own interests instead of serving others.

We are truly sorry for our sins.

Heavenly Father, forgive us for the sake of your son, Jesus Christ.

Help us in our weakness, strengthen us to love and obey you in newness of life, and fill us with your generosity toward others.

Amen.

We are guilty of having done many things wrong in God's sight. But the good news is that Jesus invites us with His words – "Come to me, all of you who are tired from carrying heavy loads, and I will give you rest". We are able to freely lay all of our sins before Jesus on the cross. He has stepped in to take our punishment.

Therefore by His authority and command, I assure you that your sins are forgiven, in the name of the Father, and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

Amen.

THEME OF THE DAY

Ephesians 5:21-31

“Love is not a feeling, it’s an act of the will”
Series on Ephesians (4/6)

BIBLE READING

[Ephesians 5:21 – 33](#)

CHILDRENS MESSAGE

“Jesus heals a blind beggar”
Beginner’s Bible

- * Do mum or dad read to you stories from THE BEGINNER’S BIBLE, or can you read them yourself now? Who can read them all by themselves?

I want to read to you one of the stories in THE BEGINNER’S BIBLE called “Jesus heals a blind beggar”. It’s a story about how Jesus cared for a man who had been born blind.

Read the story to your children or watch it on YouTube at:

<https://youtu.be/skE3OvbfeGI>

- * **What do you like about this story?**

I love Jesus’ love and compassion for the man. I imagine him sitting there begging for money, and many, many people going straight past him. But Jesus stopped to help him out of love for him. And Jesus helped him by healing him, and giving him back his eyesight!

Wow! Jesus could do that because is the Son of God, and God’s power was with him.

- * **Jesus wants us as God’s children to have the same love for the people in our life....**

► **For our parents:** *how can we show our love for our parents? By helping them with the dishes, or by cleaning up our room, or by giving them a hug.*

► **For our brothers and sisters:** *how can we show love to our brothers and sisters? By playing with them, by sharing our toys with them, by helping them when they are crying.*

► **For our friends:** *how can we show love to our friends? By spending time with them, by inviting them to our house to play with them, by listening to them, by sharing with them.*

- * You know God wants us to show the same sort of love that Jesus showed the blind man with all the people we know: our parents, our grandparents, our brothers and sisters, our cousins, our friends. As the grownups will hear in the message time, God wants us, His children, to “baptise, *wash*, all our relationships with the Spirit of Jesus”.

CHILDRENS SONG

“More like Jesus” by Colin Buchanan

YouTube link: <https://youtu.be/C28rLyxBdTE?t=1>

SONG WORDS:

Verse 2

He loved the outcast and the despised
Spoke the truth without compromise
He ached for a world that groaned in sin,
Lord, I want to be just like him.

More like Jesus,

More like him,

Ask the Lord to make you more like Jesus.

CREEDAL STATEMENT

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: "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.**

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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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MUSIC VIDEO SPOT "Love is not (just) a feeling"
Watch "Love is not (just) a feeling" by Don Francisco on YouTube
<https://youtu.be/mKbHFMADh8Y>

MESSAGE Ephesians 5:21-31
"Love is not a feeling, it's an act of the will"
Series on Ephesians (4/6)

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

SONG: "Brother, sister let me serve you"
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ttW9oQ-yiuU>

Brother let me be your servant
Let me be as Christ to you
Pray that I might have the grace to
Let you be my servant too

We are pilgrims on a journey
We are brothers on the road
We are here to help each other
Walk the mile and bear the load

**I will hold the Christ-light for you
In the night time of your fear
I will hold my hand out to you
Speak the peace you long to hear**

**I will weep when you are weeping
When you laugh I'll laugh with you
I will share your joy and sorrow
Till we've seen this journey through**

**When we sing to God in heaven
We shall find such harmony
Born of all we've known together
Of Christ's love and agony**

**Brother sister let me serve you
Let me be as Christ to you
Pray that I may have the grace to
Let you be my servant too**

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PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

Call to prayer

God gives us the wisdom to prepare for the revelation of our Lord in glory. Let us remain alert in prayer, remembering the whole people of God in Christ Jesus, and all people according to their needs.

The regular response, OR:

Lord of glory,
hear our prayer.

Suggested intercessions

- * for the fulfilment of our hope in the promises of God
- * for the church, that it may be alert and watchful
- * for justice to come from God in answer to the cry of the oppressed

- * for protection from flood, fire, disease, famine, war, and other disasters
- * for the comfort of the bereaved, grieving, widows, widowers, and orphans, that they may have hope in God.

Concluding prayer

Father, when we are tired, give us strength; when we are careless, make us alert; and when we feel like giving up, fill us with the hope of the day your Son will be revealed in glory. Only you can keep us in true faith, so hear the prayers we pray in the name of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ, who 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.**

SONG: "One thing remains"

<https://youtu.be/isz0uiAWTfE>

**Higher than the mountains that I face
Stronger than the power of the grave
Constant in the trial and the change
One thing, remains
One thing, remains**

***Your love never fails, never gives up
Never runs out on me
Your love never fails, never gives up
Never runs out on me
Your love never fails, never gives up
Never runs out on me***

**On and on and on and on it goes
It overwhelms and satisfies my soul
And I never, ever, have to be afraid
One thing remains
One thing remains**

***Your love never fails, never gives up
Never runs out on me
Your love never fails, never gives up
Never runs out on me
Your love never fails, never gives up
Never runs out on me***

**In death, In life, I'm confident and
covered by, the power of Your great love
My debt is paid, there's nothing that
Can separate my heart from Your great love**

***Your love never fails, never gives up
Never runs out on me
Your love never fails, never gives up
Never runs out on me
Your love never fails, never gives up
Never runs out on me
Your love***

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