

# **Glynde Lutheran Church**

**a multi-cultural community of faith**



## **Church@Home**

**Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> October 2022**  
**Pentecost 19, Year C**  
**9am Traditional worship service**

## **HYMN: LHS323 BLEST ARE THE CHILDREN**

<https://youtu.be/Cwiva6oRwoQ>

- 1 Blest are children of our God,  
they are bought with Christ's own blood;  
they are ransomed from the grave,  
life eternal they will have:  
with them numbered may we be  
here and in eternity.**
  
- 2 They are justified by grace,  
they enjoy the Saviour's peace;  
all their sins are washed away,  
they will stand in God's great day:  
with them numbered may we be  
here and in eternity.**
  
- 3 They are lights upon the earth,  
children of a heavenly birth;  
one with God, with Jesus one,  
glory has in them begun:  
with them numbered may we be  
here and in eternity.**

Centos from Joseph Humphreys 1720-?, alt.

## **WELCOME & WE GREET ONE ANOTHER**

### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

#### **IN THE NAME**

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

**Amen.**

#### **CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION**

Dear friends in Christ:

Let us draw near to God our Father with a true heart to confess our sins,  
and ask him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to forgive us.

Our help is in the name of the Lord.

**He made heaven and earth.**

I said, I will confess my sins to the Lord.

**Then he forgave the guilt of my sin.**

**Almighty God, merciful Father,  
I, a poor helpless sinner,  
confess to you all my sins,  
and repent of all the evil I have done.**

**I have deeply displeased you  
and deserve your punishment  
in time and in eternity.**

**But I am sorry for my sins,  
and I ask you,  
for the sake of the holy innocent sufferings and death  
of your dear Son Jesus Christ,  
to be gracious and merciful to me. Amen.**

I ask each of you in the presence of God who searches the heart:  
Do you confess that you have sinned, and do you repent of your sins?

**I do.**

Do you believe that Jesus Christ has redeemed you from all your sins, and  
do you desire forgiveness in his name?

**I do.**

Do you intend with the help of the Holy Spirit to live as in God's presence,  
and to strive daily to lead a holy life, even as Christ has made you holy?

**I do.**

Christ gave to his church the authority to forgive the sins of those who  
repent and believe. Therefore, upon your confession, I, as a called and  
ordained servant of the word, announce the grace of God to all of you, and  
on behalf of my Lord Jesus Christ I forgive you all your sins, in the name of  
the Father and of the Son † and of the Holy Spirit.

Peace be with you.

**Amen.**

**GLORY TO THE FATHER**

**Glory to the Father, and the Son, and the Holy Spirit.**

**As it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forevermore. Amen**

## **LORD, HAVE MERCY**

Lord, have mercy.

**Lord, have mercy.**

Christ, have mercy

**Christ, have mercy.**

Lord, have mercy

**Lord, have mercy.**

## **GLORY TO GOD IN THE HIGHEST**

Glory to God in the highest,

**and on earth peace, among those with whom he is pleased.**

**We praise you, we bless you,**

**we worship you, we glorify you,**

**we give thanks to you for your great glory,**

**O Lord God, heavenly king,**

**God, the Father almighty.**

**O Lord, the only begotten Son, Jesus Christ,**

**O Lord God, Lamb of God,**

**Son of the Father,**

**you take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us.**

**You take away the sin of the world; receive our prayer.**

**You are seated at the right hand of God the Father;**

**have mercy on us.**

**For you alone are holy,**

**you alone are Lord,**

**you alone, O Christ, with the Holy Spirit,**

**are most high in the glory of God the Father.**

**Amen.**

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

**Almighty and merciful God,  
the Lord of heaven and earth,  
your Son has opened for us  
a new and living way into your presence.  
Give us pure hearts and a sure faith  
to draw near to you as our Father,  
and to ask you for whatever we need.  
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:** Ephesians 2:8-10  
“How can I be right with God?”

## **BIBLE READINGS**

**FIRST READING** [Genesis 32:22 – 31](#)  
**SECOND READING** [Ephesians 2:1-10](#)

*After the reading*

This is the word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

## **The HALLELUJAH**

**Hallelujah! Hallelujah! Hallelujah!**

## **GOSPEL**

The Holy Gospel is written in [Luke 18:1-8](#)

(after the reading)

This is the Gospel of the Lord

**Praise be to you, O Christ**

## CHILDRENS MESSAGE

“God's free gifts”

- \* Who likes getting gifts?  
When do you get them?  
*On your birthday, at Christmas*
  
- \* Do you remember what you got?  
*Listen to children share about the gifts that they have received*
  
- \* Do you have to do things to get gifts?  
*Sure, Mum and Dad might joke and say you won't get your gifts “unless you are good”.*  
*No, gifts are free. Otherwise we wouldn't call them “gifts”. We'd call them “wages”.*
  
- \* How do you receive your gifts?  
*By putting out your hands*
  
- \* I've got some gifts to give you today.  
Do you want them? If you do, put out your hands to get one....  
*Hand out little bars of chocolate*
  
- \* It's the same with God's gifts, His gifts of forgiveness, His Spirit to live in us, being God's child, and living with Him in “heaven”.  
They're free!! And you receive them by putting out your hands to God.
  
- \* What do you think of that?  
*It's wonderful, it's great.*

Let's sing a song that says “Thanks” to God for being, our good, good Father.  
Let's sing, “He's good in every way”.

## CHILDRENS SONG

“He's good in every way”

[https://youtu.be/\\_tLcv3jiiA](https://youtu.be/_tLcv3jiiA)

Lyrics:

**Come on now, join with me  
Everybody sing  
I'm gonna lift my voice  
To glorify my King  
He is a mighty God  
And worthy of our praise  
We give him everything,  
no “He gives us everything!!”**

He's good in every way  
Come on now, join with me  
Everybody sing

## **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: LH330 ROCK OF AGES**

[https://youtu.be/gM7gt\\_cSxjw](https://youtu.be/gM7gt_cSxjw)

**Rock of ages, cleft for me,  
Let me hide myself in Thee;  
Let the water and the blood,  
From Thy riven side which flowed,  
Be of sin the double cure:  
Cleanse me from its guilt and power.**

**Not the labours of my hands  
Can fulfil Thy law's demands;  
Could my zeal no respite know,  
Could my tears for ever flow,  
All for sin could not atone:  
Thou must save, and Thou alone.**

**Nothing in my hand I bring,  
Simply to Thy cross I cling;  
Naked, come to Thee for dress;  
Helpless, look to Thee for grace;  
Foul, I to the fountain fly;  
Wash me, Saviour, or I die.**

**While I draw this fleeting breath,  
When my eyelids close in death,  
When I soar to worlds unknown,  
See Thee on Thy judgement-throne:  
Rock of ages, cleft for me,  
Let me hide myself in Thee.**

*Words: Augustus Montague Toplady (1740-1778)*

*Music: R Redhead 1820-1901 (1853)*

## **MESSAGE**

**Ephesians 2:8-10**

**“How can I be right with God?”**

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

## **HYMN: LH332 THY WORKS NOT MINE**

[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8hV31f9S\\_Tw](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8hV31f9S_Tw)

- 1 Your works, not mine, O Christ,  
speak gladness to this heart;  
they tell me all is done;  
they bid my fear depart.  
To whom save you,  
who can alone  
for sin atone,  
Lord, can I go?**
  
- 2 Your wounds, not mine, O Christ,  
can heal my hurting soul;  
the suffering that you bore  
can soothe and make me whole.  
To whom save you,  
who can alone  
for sin atone,  
Lord, can I go?**
  
- 3 Your cross, not mine, O Christ,  
has borne the awful load  
of sins that none could bear  
but the incarnate God.  
To whom save you,  
who can alone  
for sin atone,  
Lord, can I go?**
  
- 4 Your death, not mine, O Christ,  
has paid the ransom due;  
ten thousand deaths like mine  
would have been all too few.  
To whom save you,  
who can alone  
for sin atone,  
Lord, can I go?**
  
- 5 Your righteousness, O Christ,  
alone can cover me;  
no righteousness avails,  
but yours, eternally.  
To whom save you,  
who can alone  
for sin atone,  
Lord, can I go?**

## OFFERTORY SONG

Create in me a clean heart, O God,  
and put a new and right spirit within me.  
Cast me not away from your presence,  
and take not your Holy Spirit from me.  
Restore to me the joy of your salvation,  
and uphold me with a willing spirit.

## PRAYER OF GOD'S PEOPLE

### *Call to prayer*

Jesus encourages us never to give up praying. With faith in God, and in his justice, let us pray for the church, the world and all in need.

### *The regular response, OR:*

Lord, in your justice and mercy,  
**hear our prayer.**

### *Suggested intercessions*

- \* for pastors of the church, that they may rightly use Scripture for the benefit of the church
- \* for Bible study groups, and for those who make Bible reading a part of their personal and family life, that love for the Scriptures will grow
- \* for the legal professions, for judges, magistrates, and lawyers, that justice may be done in the courts of our land
- \* for all widows and widowers
- \* for those who have asked for our prayers

### *Concluding prayer*

Heavenly Father, hear our prayers for faith and for justice, in the name of your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.  
**Amen.**

## **LORD'S PRAYER. (all)**

**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**

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. Amen. Amen.**

## **HYMN: LH397 LEAD US HEAVENLY FATHER**

<https://youtu.be/vfXUEX0CsYA>

**Lead us, heavenly Father, lead us  
Over life's tempestuous sea;  
Guard us, guide us, keep us, feed us,  
For to you alone we flee;  
Yet possessing  
Every blessing  
If our God our Father be.**

**Saviour, breathe forgiveness o'er us;  
All our weaknesses you know;  
You have walked this earth before us  
You have felt its keenest woe;  
Lone and dreary,  
Faint and weary,  
Through the desert you did go.**

**Spirit of our God, descending,  
In our hearts your joy increase,  
Love, all other love transcending,  
Pleasure that will never cease:  
Thus provided,  
Pardoned, guided,  
Nothing can destroy our peace.**

*Words: James Edmeston (1791-1867)*

*Music: F Filitz 1804-1876 (1847)*

*arr L Mason 1792-1872 (1853)*