

Glynde Lutheran Church

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Church@Home
Sunday 25 September 2022
Pentecost 16, Year C

9am Matins Service Order

HYMN: LHS879 ALL THE EARTH PROCLAIM THE LORD

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Trw_xElo4SA

**All the earth proclaim the Lord, sing your praise to God.
Serve you the Lord, heart filled with gladness.
Come in to His presence singing for joy!
All the earth proclaim the Lord, sing your praise to God.**

**Know that the Lord is our Creator.
Yes, He is our maker, and we are His.
All the earth proclaim the Lord, sing your praise to God.**

**We are the sheep of His green pasture,
for we are His people; He is our God.
All the earth proclaim the Lord, sing your praise to God.**

**Enter His gates, bringing thanksgiving,
O enter His courts while singing His praise.
All the earth proclaim the Lord, sing your praise to God.**

**Our Lord is good, His love enduring,
His Word is abiding now with us all.
All the earth proclaim the Lord, sing your praise to God.**

**Honour and praise be to the Father,
the Son, and the Spirit, world without end.
All the earth proclaim the Lord, sing your praise to God.**

*Lucien Deiss 1921 – (1965) Alt
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WELCOME & WE GREET ONE ANOTHER INVOCATION

OPENING SENTENCES

**O Lord, open my lips,
and my mouth will tell of your praise.**

O God, deliver me.

O Lord, be quick to help me.

**Glory to the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit,
as it was in the beginning, is now, * and will be forevermore.
Amen. Hallelujah!**

SENTENCES OF INVITATION

O come, let us worship the Lord,
For he is our maker.

O COME, LET US SING TO THE LORD

- 1 O come, let us sing to the *Lord*,
let us shout aloud to the rock of *our* salvation.
- 2 Let us come into his presence with *thanksgiving*,
let us shout aloud to *him* with songs of praise.
- 3 For the Lord is a great *God*,
and a great King *above* all gods.
- 4 In his hands are the depths of the *earth*;
the heights of the mountains are *his* also.
- 5 The sea is his, for he *made* it,
and his hands *formed* the dry land.
- 6 O come, let us worship and bow *down*,
let us kneel before the *Lord*, our maker.
- 7 For he is our *God*,
and we are the people of his pasture, *and the *sheep* in his care.
Glory to the Father and the *Son*
and the *Holy Spirit*,
as it was in the beginning, is *now*,
and will be forevermore. Amen.

O come, let us worship the *Lord*, for *he* is our maker.

PRAYER OF THE DAY:

God, the giver of all good gifts,
teach us to be understanding and compassionate
to all people, whatever their needs,
and to share with them
the good things you have provided.
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: Jonah 3:1 – 5, 10
 “The message of the book of Jonah”
 Preaching on the Old Testament

READINGS

The *first* reading is written [Jonah 3:1 – 5, 10; 4:1 – 11](#)

This is the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

The *second* reading is written in [1 Timothy 6:6 – 19](#)

This is the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

GOSPEL

The gospel reading is written in [Luke 16:19-31](#)

RESPONSE AFTER THE GOSPEL

This is the gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you O Christ.

CHILDRENS MESSAGE “Jonah and the big fish”

* Who's heard the story of Jonah?

What happened to him?

He was swallowed by a big fish, or a whale maybe....

And what else happened to him?

Does anyone know?

Let's find out by hearing the story, “Jonah and the Big Fish” from *The Beginner's Bible*.

* Let's hear what happened to Jonah....

https://youtu.be/x_ot3zMwYV0

* What did God want Jonah to do?

Go to the big city of Nineveh, and “tell them to stop doing bad things”.

* Do you think God loved the people of Nineveh, and that why He sent Jonah to tell them to stop doing bad things?

You bet, God loved them, and that's why He sent Jonah to them.

- * What did Jonah do, though?
He ran away, because he didn't want to tell the people of Nineveh this, because he thought that they were "aweful" people, who did terrible things.
- * And what happened to Jonah?
He was chucked overboard and God got a big fish to swallow him. After three days and night in the belly of the fish, God got the fish to cough Jonah up.
- * This time did Jonah tell the people of Nineveh to "stop doing bad things"?
Yes, this time he obeyed God.
- * And did the people of Nineveh say that they were sorry for doing "bad things", and ask God to forgive them?
Yes, they did and God forgave them 😊
- * You know, God loves everyone, no matter what country they come from, or what colour their skin is, or what they've done, and want everyone to be His forgiven children.
- * Let's watch a song which reminds us of this.
It's the song: "He's got the whole world in His hands."

CHILDRENS SONG

"He's got the whole world..."

<https://youtu.be/HZpZ1EndTFc>

Lyrics:

He's got the whole world in his hands....

He's got the wind and the rain....

He's got the tiny little baby....

He's got the whole world in his hands....

He's got you and me, brother,

He's got you and me, sister....

RESPONSE

Teach me your way, O Lord, that I may walk in your truth.

Teach me your way, O Lord, that I may walk in your truth.

Make me wholehearted in fearing your name,
that I may walk in your truth.

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

Teach me your way, O Lord, that I may walk in your truth.

HYMN: LHS394/TIS 153 GOD IS LOVE

https://youtu.be/gyYWW_P9MH4

God is love, let heav'n adore him;

God is love, let earth rejoice;

**let creation sing before him,
and exalt him with one voice.**

**God, who laid the earth's foundation,
he who spread the heavens above,
and who breathes through all creation
God is love, eternal Love.**

**God is love, and gently enfolding
all the world in one embrace,
with unfailing grasp is holding
every child of every race.**

**And when human hearts are breaking
under sorrow's iron rod,
then they find that selfsame aching
deep within the heart of God.**

**God is love, and, though with blindness
sin afflicts our human hearts,
God's eternal loving kindness
holding, guiding, grace imparts.
Sin and death and hell shall never
o'er us final triumph gain;
God is love, so love for ever
o'er the universe must reign.**

Words: Timothy Rees 1874-1939

Music: Cyril Vincent Taylor 1907-91

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SERMON:

Jonah 3:1 – 5, 10

“The message of the book of Jonah”

Preaching on the Old Testament

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

The peace of God, which passes all understanding, keep your* hearts and minds safe in Christ Jesus. **Amen.**

HYMN: TIS450 SPREAD O SPREAD

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=xrVdBBNrPSE>

**Spread, O spread, almighty word,
Spread the kingdom of the Lord,
Where the breath of God has given
Life for people meant for heaven.**

**Tell them how the Father's will
Made the world, and keeps it still;
How his only Son he gave
All from sin and death to save.**

**Tall of our Redeemer's love,
Who, forever to remove
All the guild that in us lies, gave himself as sacrifice.**

**Tell them of the Spirit given
Now to guide us on to heaven,
Strong and holy, just and true,
Working both to will and do.**

**Up! The ripening fields you see,
Mighty will the harvest be;
But the reapers still are few,
great the work they have to do.**

**Lord of harvest, kind and true,
Give us strength to work for you,
Till the nations everywhere
See your light, and know your care.**

*Jonathon Friedrich Bahnmaier 1774-1841
Tr. Catherine Winkworth 1827-78 alt.*

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OFFERING

THE PRAYERS

LORD, HAVE MERCY

Lord, have mercy.

Christ, have mercy. Lord, have mercy.

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.**

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

Gathered in the presence of God and of his Son, Christ Jesus, let us pray for the needs of the church and the world.

The regular response, OR:

King of kings and Lord of lords,
hear our prayer.

Suggested intercessions

- * for pastors, especially our own pastor N, that they may fight the good fight of the faith
- * for those who in this present age are rich, that they may not be proud or set their hopes on the uncertainty of earthly wealth
- * for those whose poverty is neglected, that God would see and provide justice for them
- * for those who are dying, that they may take to heart God's word in the Scriptures
- * for all Christians, that they may do good and be rich in good works

Concluding prayer

King of kings and Lord of lords, you dwell in unapproachable light, but you have graciously given us access to your love and mercy through your Son Jesus Christ. Hear the prayers we offer in his name, for he lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Amen.

BLESSING

The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit, be with you all

Amen.

HYMN: LHS903 TELL OUT MY SOUL

<https://youtu.be/3E7QWLyDWe8>

**Tell out, my soul, the greatness of the Lord!
Unnumbered blessings, give my spirit voice;
tender to me the promise of his Word;
in God my Saviour shall my heart rejoice.**

**Tell out, my soul, the greatness of his name!
Make known his might, the deeds his arm has done;
his mercy sure, from age to age the same;
his holy name — the Lord, the mighty One.**

**Tell out, my soul, the greatness of his might!
Powers and dominions lay their glory by.
Proud hearts and stubborn wills are put to flight,
the hungry fed, the humble lifted high.**

**Tell out, my soul, the glories of his Word!
Firm is his promise, and his mercy sure.
Tell out, my soul, the greatness of the Lord
to children's children and for evermore!**

*Words: Timothy Dudley-Smith 1926-
Music: Walter Greatorex 1877-1949*