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"PEACE I LEAVE WITH YOU." JOHN 14:27

# Welcome

We welcome you today whatever your reason for coming



Morning Worship

Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> July 2020

11.00am

Preacher:  
Deacon Ali McMillan

1 Corinthians 12:12-20  
Matthew 11:16-19, 25-30

'My yoke is easy and my burden is light'

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## INSPIRING SCRIPTURE COUNTDOWN

### WELCOME TO ONLINE CHURCH

### LIVE STREAM WELCOME & INTRODUCTION

Revd Tony Miles (Chapel & Zoom)

### CALL TO WORSHIP VIDEO

Psalm 33 Worship Intro

### VIDEO HYMN - Angel Voices Ever Singing

#### H&P 484

Angel voices ever singing  
round thy throne of light,  
angel-harps for ever ringing,  
rest not day nor night;  
thousands only live to bless thee  
and confess thee  
Lord of might.

Thou who art beyond the farthest  
mortal eye can scan,  
can it be that thou regardest  
songs of sinful man?  
can we know that thou art near us,  
and wilt hear us?  
yea, we can.

Yea, we know that thou rejoicest  
o'er each work of thine;  
thou didst ears and hands and voices  
for thy praise design;  
craftsman's art and music's measure  
for thy pleasure  
all combine.

In thy house, great God, we offer  
of thine own to thee;  
and for thine acceptance proffer  
all unworthily  
hearts and minds and hands and voices  
in our choicest  
psalmody.

Honour, glory, might, and merit  
thine shall ever be,  
Father, Son, and Holy Spirit,  
blessed Trinity.  
Of the best that thou hast given  
earth and heaven  
render thee.

*Francis Pott (1832-1909)*

## **OPENING PRAYERS**

Revd Tony Miles, Superintendent, (Chapel)

## **THE LORD'S PRAYER**

Please join in using your own language or the version  
you prefer

**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.  
Save us from the time of trial  
and deliver us from evil.  
For the kingdom, the power  
and the glory are yours,  
now and for ever. Amen.**

## **VIDEO SONG - Faithful One**

### **STF 628**

Faithful One, so unchanging,  
Ageless One, You're my rock of peace.  
Lord of all, I depend on You,  
I call out to You again and again.  
I call out to You again and again.  
You are my rock in times of trouble.

You lift me up when I fall down.  
All through the storm Your love is the anchor,  
My hope is in You alone.

*Brian Doerksen (born 1965)*

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## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Revd. Tony Miles, Superintendent, (Chapel)

### **VIDEO CLIP - Puppets 'Hymn and Her!'**

**'Call the Corinthians on 12-12-20'**

*Charlie & Roz Bushell*

### **EPISTLE LESSON 1 Corinthians 12:12-20 TNIV**

Read by Shirley De Los Reyes (Zoom)

#### **Unity and diversity in the body**

<sup>12</sup> Just as a body, though one, has many parts, but all its many parts form one body, so it is with Christ. <sup>13</sup> For we were all baptised by<sup>[a]</sup> one Spirit so as to form one body – whether Jews or Gentiles, slave or free – and we were all given the one Spirit to drink. <sup>14</sup> And so the body is not made up of one part but of many.

<sup>15</sup> Now if the foot should say, 'Because I am not a hand, I do not belong to the body,' it would not for that reason stop being part of the body. <sup>16</sup> And if the ear should say, 'Because I am not an eye, I do not belong to the body,' it would not for that reason stop being part of the body. <sup>17</sup> If the whole body were an eye, where would the sense of hearing be? If the whole body were an ear, where would the sense of smell be? <sup>18</sup> But in fact God has placed the parts in the body, every one of them, just as he wanted them to be. <sup>19</sup> If they were all one part, where would the body be? <sup>20</sup> As it is, there are many parts, but one body.

## VIDEO HYMN - Thou God of Truth and Love

### STF 620

Thou God of truth and love,  
We seek thy perfect way,  
Ready thy choice to approve,  
Thy providence to obey;  
Enter into thy wise design,  
And sweetly lose our will in thine.

Why hast thou cast our lot  
In the same age and place,  
And why together brought  
To see each other's face,  
To join with loving sympathy,  
And mix our friendly souls in thee?

Didst thou not make us one,  
That we might one remain,  
Together travel on,  
And share our joy and pain,  
Till all thy utmost goodness prove,  
And rise renewed in perfect love?

Then let us ever bear  
The blessèd end in view,  
And join, with mutual care,  
To fight our passage through;  
And kindly help each other on,  
Till all receive the starry crown.

O may thy Spirit seal  
Our souls unto that day,  
With all thy fullness fill,  
And then transport away:  
Away to our eternal rest,  
Away to our Redeemer's breast.

*Charles Wesley (1707-1788)*

## **GOSPEL LESSON Matthew 11:16-19. 25-30**

Read by Anthony Boateng (Zoom)

**16** 'To what can I compare this generation? They are like children sitting in the market-places and calling out to others:

**17** "'We played the pipe for you,  
and you did not dance;  
we sang a dirge,  
and you did not mourn.'"

**18** For John came neither eating nor drinking, and they say, "He has a demon." **19** The Son of Man came eating and drinking, and they say, "Here is a glutton and a drunkard, a friend of tax collectors and sinners." But wisdom is proved right by her deeds.'

**25** At that time Jesus said, 'I praise you, Father, Lord of heaven and earth, because you have hidden these things from the wise and learned, and revealed them to little children. **26** Yes, Father, for this is what you were pleased to do.

**27** 'All things have been committed to me by my Father. No one knows the Son except the Father, and no one knows the Father except the Son and those to whom the Son chooses to reveal him. **28** 'Come to me, all you who are weary and burdened, and I will give you rest. **29** Take my yoke upon you and learn from me, for I am gentle and humble in heart, and you will find rest for your souls. **30** For my yoke is easy and my burden is light.'

**SERMON 'My yoke is easy and my burden is light'**

Deacon Ali McMillan

## VIDEO SONG - You Never Let Go

### STF 626

Even though I walk through the valley  
of the shadow of death,  
your perfect love is casting out fear.  
And even when I'm caught in the middle  
of the storm of this life,  
I won't turn back; I know you are near.  
And I will fear no evil,  
for my God is with me.  
And if my God is with me,  
whom then shall I fear?  
Whom then shall I fear?

*Oh no, you never let go,  
through the calm and through the storm.  
Oh no, you never let go,  
in ev'ry high and ev'ry low.  
Oh no, you never let go,  
Lord, you never let go of me.*

And I can see a light that is coming  
for the heart that holds on,  
a glorious light beyond all compare.  
And there will be an end to these troubles,  
but until that day comes,  
we'll live to know you here on the earth.

Yes I can see a light that is coming  
for the heart that holds on,  
and there will be an end to these troubles,  
but until that day comes,  
still I will praise you, still I will praise you.  
(Repeat)

Even though I walk through the valley  
of the shadow of death,  
your perfect love is casting out fear.  
And even when I'm caught in the middle  
of the storm of this life,  
I won't turn back; I know you are near.

## PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION (Zoom)

Revd Paul Wood – Interim Director of the Ministries Team

### GLOBAL GREETINGS

#### VIDEO SONG - To God be the Glory

##### STF 94

To God be the glory, great things he has done!  
So loved he the world that he gave us his Son,  
Who yielded his life in atonement for sin,  
And opened the life-gate that all may go in:

*Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord!  
Let the earth hear his voice!  
Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord!  
Let the people rejoice!  
O come to the Father,  
through Jesus the Son;  
And give him the glory  
- great things he has done!*

O perfect redemption, the purchase of blood,  
To every believer the promise of God!  
And every offender who truly believes,  
That moment from Jesus a pardon receives:

Great things he has taught us, great things he has  
done,  
And great our rejoicing through Jesus the Son;  
But purer, and higher, and greater will be  
Our wonder, our rapture, when Jesus we see:

*Chorus .....*

*Frances Jane van Alstyne (Fanny Crosby) (1820-1915)*

#### OFFER OF PRAYER

Tony Miles to explain Prayer Team  
**'THANK YOU' AND THE BLESSING - (Chapel)**  
Revd Tony Miles, Superintendent Minister

## **VIDEO HOLDING STATE OUTRO WITH ORGAN**

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