



28th April 2024

Holy Communion with Children's Groups

Rev. Mark Pybus will be leading, Rev Rob Powell will be presiding,
and Richard Reddie will be preaching on 'Stranger on the Shore'
(John 21: 1-19)

WELCOME & INTRODUCTION

 Alleluia, Alleluia
For the Lord God Almighty reigns
(Repeat)

Alleluia
Holy, holy are you Lord God Almighty
Worthy is the Lamb, worthy is the Lamb
You are holy, holy
Are you Lord God Almighty
Worthy is the Lamb, worthy is the Lamb
Amen

He's coming on the clouds
Kings and kingdoms will bow down
And every chain will break
As broken hearts declare His praise
For who can stop the Lord Almighty.


*Our God is the Lion,
The Lion of Judah
He's roaring in power
And fighting our battles
And every knee will bow before Him
Our God is the Lamb
The Lamb that was slain
For the sin of the world
His blood breaks the chains
And every knee will bow before
The Lion and the Lamb.
Every knee will bow before Him.*

So, open up the gates,
Make way before the King of kings
The God who comes to save
Is here to set the captives free

For who can stop the Lord Almighty.

Bridge:
Who can stop the Lord Almighty (x3)
Who can stop the Lord!

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 **HOW GREAT THE CHASM**
That lay between us
How high the mountain I could not climb
In desperation I turned to heaven
And spoke Your name into the night
Then through the darkness
Your loving-Kindness
Tore through the shadows of my soul
The work is finished, the end is written
Jesus Christ my living hope.

Who could imagine so great a mercy
What heart could fathom
Such boundless grace
The God of ages
Stepped down from Glory
To wear my sin and bear my shame
The cross has spoken, I am forgiven
The King of Kings calls me His own
Beautiful Saviour, I'm Yours forever
Jesus Christ my living hope.

*Hallelujah praise the One
Who set me free
Hallelujah death has lost its grip on me
You have broken every chain
There's salvation in Your name
Jesus Christ my living hope*

Then came the morning
That sealed the promise
Your buried body began to breathe
Out of the silence the Roaring Lion
Declared the grave has no claim on me.
(Repeat)
Jesus Yours is the victory!



PRAYER OF PREPARATION

Almighty God,
to whom all hearts are open,
all desires known,
and from whom no secrets are hidden:
cleanse the thoughts of our hearts
by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit,
that we may perfectly love you,
and worthily magnify your holy name,
through Christ our Lord.
Amen.



CONFESSION

God our Father, we come to you
in sorrow for our sins.

For turning away from you, and ignoring
your will for our lives; Father forgive us:
Save us and help us.

For behaving just as we wish, without
thinking of you; Father, forgive us:
Save us and help us.

For failing you by what we do, and think
and say; Father, forgive us:
Save us and help us.

For letting ourselves be drawn away from
you by temptations in the world about us;
Father, forgive us:
Save us and help us.

For living as if we ashamed to belong to
your Son; Father, forgive us:
Save us and help us.
Amen.



ABSOLUTION

May God who loved the world so
much that he sent his Son to be our
Saviour forgive us our sins and make us

holy to serve him in the world, through
Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.

ACTION SONG



I LOVE YOU

More than words can say
It's true that I love you
Fill me with your love
Fill me with your peace
Fill me Lord with you

I need you
More than words can say
It's true that I need you
Fill me with your love
Fill me with your peace
Fill me Lord with you

*Holy One oh I so love you
Holy One oh I so need you
Holy One I will sing your praises
For ever and ever amen
(repeat)*

Duggie Dug Dug

BIBLE READING: John 21:1-19

SERMON



LET THE KING OF MY HEART

Be the mountain where I run
The fountain I drink from
Oh He is my song
Let the King of my heart
Be the shadow where I hide
The ransom for my life
Oh He is my song

*You are good good oh
You are good good oh
You are good good oh
You are good good oh*

Let the King of my heart
Be the wind inside my sails
The anchor in the waves
Oh He is my song
Let the King of my heart
Be the fire inside my veins
The echo of my days
Oh He is my song

You're never gonna let
Never gonna let me down
You're never gonna let
Never gonna let me down
You're never gonna let
Never gonna let me down
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Never gonna let me down

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PRAYERS

THE PEACE *(we share the sign of the peace)*

THE COMMUNION PRAYER



The Lord is here.
His Spirit is with us.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give thanks and praise.

It is right to praise you, Father,
Lord of all creation;

in your love you made us for yourself.

When we turned away

you did not reject us

but came to meet us in your Son.

**You embraced us as your children
and welcomed us to sit and eat with you.**

In Christ you shared our life
that we might live in him and he in us.

**He opened his arms of love upon the
cross and made for all the perfect
sacrifice for sin.**

On the night he was betrayed,

at supper with his friends

he took bread, and gave you thanks;

he broke it and gave it to them, saying:

Take, eat; this is my body which is given
for you; do this in remembrance of me.

**Father, we do this in remembrance of
him: his body, is the bread of life.**

At the end of supper, taking the cup of
wine, he gave you thanks, and said:

Drink this, all of you; this is my blood of the
new covenant, which is shed for you for
the forgiveness of sins;

do this in remembrance of me.

**Father, we do this in remembrance of
him: his blood is shed for all.**

As we proclaim his death and celebrate
his rising in glory, send your Holy Spirit that
this bread and this wine may be to us the
body and blood of your dear Son.

**As we eat and drink these holy gifts
make us one in Christ, our risen Lord.**

With your whole Church throughout the
world we offer you this sacrifice of praise
and lift our voice to join the eternal song
of heaven:

**Holy, holy, holy Lord,
God of power and might,
Heaven and earth are full of your glory.
Hosanna in the highest.**



THE LORD'S PRAYER

As our Saviour taught us, so we pray:

**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 for ever.

Amen

WORDS OF INVITATION

God's holy gifts for God's holy people.

**Jesus Christ is holy, Jesus Christ is Lord,
to the glory of God the Father.**

Every time we eat this bread
and drink this cup,

**we proclaim the Lord's death
until he comes.**



PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Almighty God,
 we thank you for feeding us
 with the body and blood
 of your Son Jesus Christ.
 Through him we offer you our souls
 and bodies to be a living sacrifice.
 Send us out in the power of your Spirit
 to live and work to your praise and glory.
 Amen.

NOTICES



GREAT IS THY FAITHFULNESS,

O God my Father

There is no shadow of turning with Thee;
 Thou changest not
 Thy compassions, they fail not;
 As Thou hast been
 Thou forever wilt be.

*Great is Thy faithfulness!
 Great is Thy faithfulness!
 Morning by morning
 New mercies I see;
 All I have needed
 Thy hand hath provided,
 Great is Thy faithfulness,
 Lord, unto me!*

Summer and winter
 And springtime and harvest,
 Sun, moon and stars
 In their courses above,
 Join with all nature
 In manifold witness
 To Thy great faithfulness
 Mercy and love.

Pardon for sin
 And a peace that endureth,
 Thine own dear presence
 To cheer and to guide;
 Strength for today
 And bright hope for tomorrow,
 Blessings all mine,
 With ten thousand beside

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OFFERTORY PRAYER & BLESSING

THE DISMISSAL

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.
 In the name of Christ. Amen.

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