

30th May 2021

Morning Worship Online & in Church

Rev Rob Powell will be leading & preaching on
Faith in the Fire: Hannah (1 Samuel 1:1-20)

WELCOME & INTRODUCTION

I'VE HEARD A THOUSAND STORIES

Of what they think You're like
But I've heard the tender whisper
Of love in the dead of night
And you tell me that You're pleased
And that I'm never alone.

*You're a good, good Father
It's who You are, It's who You are,
It's who You are
And I'm loved by You
It's who I am, It's who I am,
It's who I am.*

And I've seen many searching
For answers far and wide
But I know we're all searching
For answers only you provide
'Cause You know just what we need
Before we say a word.

You are perfect in all of Your ways
You are perfect in all of Your ways
You are perfect in all of Your ways to us
(Repeat)

Oh, it's love so undeniable,
I, I can hardly speak
Peace so unexplainable,
I, I can hardly think
As you call me deeper still
As you call me deeper still
As you call me deeper still
Into love, love, love

Anthony Brown and Pat Barrett

I LOVE YOU LORD

Oh, Your mercy never fails me
All my days I've been held in Your hands
From the moment that I wake up
Until I lay my head
I will sing of the goodness of God

*All my life You have been faithful
All my life You have been so, so good
With every breath that I am able
I will sing of the goodness of God*

I love Your voice
You have led me through the fire
In darkest night
You are close like no other
I've known You as a father
I've known You as a friend
I have lived in the goodness of God

Your goodness is running after
It's running after me
Your goodness is running after
It's running after me
With my life laid down
I'm surrendered now
I give You everything
Your goodness is running after
It's running after me

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OPENING PRAYER

**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

Most merciful God,
Father of our Lord Jesus Christ,
we confess that we have sinned
in thought, word, and deed.
We have not loved You
with our whole heart.
We have not loved our neighbours
as ourselves.
In Your mercy
forgive what we have been,
help us to amend what we are,
and direct what we shall be;
that we may do justly,
love mercy,
and walk humbly with You, our God.
Amen.

ABSOLUTION

May the Father forgive us
by the death of his Son
and strengthen us to live
in the power of the Spirit
all our days.

Amen.

ACTION SONG

 **EVERY DAY IS FILLED WITH VOICES**

So much noise inside my head
And when I'm scared
And when I'm feeling all alone
All I gotta do is speak Your name

*Say it by day, say it by night
Say it till the end of time
All I gotta do is speak Your name*

When I wake up in the morning
You're my friend throughout the day
And when I close my eyes
To sleep the night away
All I gotta do is speak Your name

Jesus Your name covers my heart
Covers my mind all of the time

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Covers my mind all of the time
All I gotta do is speak Your name
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TIME IN THE WORD

The Bible Reading is 1 Samuel 1:1-20 

This is the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

SERMON by Rev Rob Powell

 **THERE IS STRENGTH WITHIN THE SORROW**

There is beauty in our tears
And You meet us in our mourning
With a love that casts out fear
You are working in our waiting
Sanctifying us
When beyond our understanding
You're teaching us to trust

*Your plans are still to prosper
You've not forgotten us
You're with us in the fire
and the flood
Faithful forever, perfect in love
You are sovereign over us*

You are wisdom unimagined
Who could understand Your ways
Reigning high above the heavens
Reaching down in endless grace
You're the lifter of the lowly
Compassionate and kind
You surround and You uphold me
And Your promises are my delight
Even what the enemy means for evil
You turn it for our good
You turn it for our good
And for Your glory
Even in the valley You are faithful
You're working for our good
You're working for our good
And for Your glory

(Repeat)

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PRAYERS & 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.**

NOTICES



ALL TO JESUS, I SURRENDER,

All to Him I freely give;
I will ever love and trust Him,
In His presence daily live.

*I surrender all,
I surrender all,
All to Thee, my blessed Saviour,
I surrender all.*

All to Jesus I surrender
Humbly at His feet I bow
Worldly pleasures all forsaken
Take me Jesus take me now

All to Jesus I surrender,
Make me, Saviour wholly Thine;
Let me feel the Holy Spirit,
Truly know that Thou art mine.

All to Jesus I surrender,
Lord, I give myself to Thee;
Fill me with Thy love and power,
Let Thy blessing fall on me.

All to Jesus I surrender
Now I feel the sacred flame
O the joy of full salvation
Glory, glory to His name.

THE BLESSING

THE DISMISSAL

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

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