

SUNDAY WORSHIP

17th October 2021

1. Come, people of the Risen King,
Who delight to bring Him praise.
Come, all and tune your hearts to sing
To the Morning Star of grace.
From the shifting shadows of the
earth
We will lift our eyes to Him,
Where steady arms of mercy reach
To gather children in.

*Rejoice! Rejoice! Let every
tongue rejoice!
One heart, one voice,
O Church of Christ, rejoice!*

**2. Come, those whose joy is morning
sun,
And those weeping through the night.
Come, those who tell of battles won,
And those struggling in the fight.
For His perfect love will never change
And His mercies never cease,
But follow us through all our days
With the certain hope of peace.**

**3. Come, young and old from every
land,
Men and women of the faith.
Come those with full or empty hands,
Find the riches of His grace.
Over all the world His people sing -
Shore to shore we hear them call
The truth that cries through every
age:
'Our God is all in all!'**

***Our God is a great big God,
Our God is a great big God,
Our God is a great big God,
And He holds us in His hands.***

He's higher than a skyscraper
And He's deeper than a submarine.
He's wider than the universe
And beyond my wildest dreams.
And He's known me and He's loved
me
Since before the world began.
How wonderful to be a part of
God's amazing plan.

Jo Hemming and Nigel Hemming

BAPTISM OF SHARON TAYLOR

Faith is the gift of God to his people. In baptism the Lord is adding to our number those whom he is calling. People of God, will you welcome Sharon and uphold her in her new life in Christ? **With the help of God we will.**

PROFESSION OF FAITH

Let us affirm together our common faith in Jesus Christ

Do you believe and trust in God the Father, source of all being and life, the one for whom we exist? **I believe and trust in him.**

Do you believe and trust in God the Son, who took our human nature, died for us and rose again? **I believe and trust in him.**

Do you believe and trust in the Holy Spirit, who gives life to the people of God and makes Christ known in the world? **I believe and trust in him.**

This is the faith of the church. **This is our faith. We believe and trust in one God, Father, Son and Holy Spirit.**

SIGNING WITH CROSS

Christ claims you for his own.

Receive the sign of his cross.

Do not be ashamed to confess the faith of Christ crucified.

**Fight valiantly as a disciple of Christ
against sin, the world and the devil,
and remain faithful to Christ to the end of your life.**

WELCOME

Sharon, there is one Lord, one faith, one baptism:
By one Spirit we are all baptized into one body
**We welcome you into the fellowship of faith;
We are children of the same heavenly Father; we welcome you.**

CHURCH FAMILY NEWS

COLLECT

God, our light and our salvation:
illuminate our lives,
that we may see your goodness in the land of the living,
and looking on your beauty
may be changed into the likeness of Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.

PSALM 19

The heavens declare the glory of God;
the skies proclaim the work of his hands.
**Day after day they pour forth speech;
night after night they reveal knowledge.**

They have no speech, they use no words;
no sound is heard from them.
**Yet their voice goes out into all the earth,
their words to the ends of the world.**

The law of the Lord is perfect,
refreshing the soul.

**The statutes of the Lord are trustworthy,
making wise the simple.**

The precepts of the Lord are right,
giving joy to the heart.

**The commands of the Lord are radiant,
giving light to the eyes.**

ANTHEM: LOOK AT THE WORLD - RUTTER

READING: PSALM 1

¹ Blessed is the one

 who does not walk in step with the wicked
or stand in the way that sinners take
 or sit in the company of mockers,

² but whose delight is in the law of the LORD,
 and who meditates on his law day and night.

³ That person is like a tree planted by streams of water,
 which yields its fruit in season
and whose leaf does not wither—
 whatever they do prospers.

⁴ Not so the wicked!
 They are like chaff
 that the wind blows away.

⁵ Therefore the wicked will not stand in the judgment,
 nor sinners in the assembly of the righteous.

⁶ For the LORD watches over the way of the righteous,
 but the way of the wicked leads to destruction.

SERMON: REVD WILL HUNTER SMART

1. Holy Spirit, we welcome You.

Holy Spirit, we welcome You.
Move among us with holy fire,
As we lay aside all earthly desires,
Hands reach out, and our hearts
aspire.
Holy Spirit, Holy Spirit,
Holy Spirit, we welcome You.

2. Holy Spirit, we welcome You.

Holy Spirit, we welcome You.
Let the breeze of Your presence blow,
That Your children here might truly
know
How to move in the Spirit's flow,
Holy Spirit, Holy Spirit,
Holy Spirit, we welcome You.

3. Holy Spirit, we welcome You.

Holy Spirit, we welcome You.
Please accomplish in us today
Some new work of loving grace we
pray;
Unreservedly have Your way.
Holy Spirit, Holy Spirit,
Holy Spirit, we welcome You.

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PRAYERS

followed by the 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.

1. At the name of Jesus

Every knee shall bow,
Every tongue confess Him
King of glory now;
'Tis the Father's pleasure
We should call Him Lord,
Who from the beginning
Was the mighty Word.

2. Humbled for a season,
To receive a name
From the lips of sinners
Unto whom He came;
Faithfully He bore it
Spotless to the last,
Brought it back victorious,
When from death He passed.

3. Bore it up triumphant
With its human light,
Through all ranks of creatures
To the central height,
To the throne of Godhead,
To the Father's breast,
Filled it with the glory
Of that perfect rest.

4. In your hearts enthrone Him;
There let Him subdue
All that is not holy,
All that is not true:
Crown Him as your captain
In temptation's hour,
Let His will enfold you
In its light and power.

5. Brothers this Lord Jesus
Shall return again,
With His Father's glory,
With His angel-train;
For all wreaths of empire
Meet upon His brow,
And our hearts confess Him
King of glory now.

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