


14th January 2024

Holy Communion with Children's Groups

Rev. Mark Pybus will be leading and presiding,
and Dan Holland will be preaching on
'Good News to Share' #1 (Isaiah 43:16 - 21)

WELCOME & INTRODUCTION


 **BLESS THE LORD, O MY SOUL**
*O my soul,
Worship His holy name.
Sing like never before,
O my soul,
I'll worship Your holy name.*

The sun comes up
It's a new day dawning
It's time to sing Your song again.
Whatever may pass
And whatever lies before me,
Let me be singing
When the evening comes.

You're rich in love
And You're slow to anger,
Your Name is great
And Your heart is kind.
For all Your goodness
I will keep on singing;
Ten thousand reasons
For my heart to find.

And on that day
When my strength is failing,
The end draws near
And my time has come,
Still my soul
Will sing Your praise unending;
Ten thousand years
And then forever more!

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 **MY JESUS, MY SAVIOUR,**
*Lord, there is none like You.
All of my days I want to praise
The wonders of Your mighty love.
My comfort, my shelter,
Tower of refuge and strength,
Let every breath, all that I am,
Never cease to worship You.*

*Shout to the Lord
All the earth, let us sing
Power and majesty,
Praise to the King.
Mountains bow down
And the seas will roar
At the sound of Your name.
I sing for joy
At the work of Your hands.
Forever I'll love You,
Forever I'll stand.
Nothing compares to the promise
I have in You.*

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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

Father eternal,
 giver of light and grace,
 we have sinned against you
 and against our neighbour,
 in what we have thought,
 in what we have said and done,
 through ignorance, through weakness,
 through our own deliberate fault.
 We have wounded your love
 and marred your image in us.
 We are sorry and ashamed
 and repent of all our sins.
 For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ,
 who died for us, forgive us all that is past
 and lead us out from darkness
 to walk as children of light.
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:

Isaiah 43: 16 - 21



SERMON by Dan Holland (Through Faith Missions)



THERE IS A REDEEMER

Jesus god's own son
 Precious Lamb of God, Messiah
 Holy One

*Thank You O my Father
 For giving us Your Son
 And leaving Your Spirit
 Till the work on earth is done*

Jesus my Redeemer
 Name above all names
 Precious Lamb of God, Messiah
 O for sinners slain

When I stand in glory
 I will see His face
 There I'll serve my King forever
 In that holy place

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 Ears To Hear



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



BE THOU MY VISION

O Lord of my heart
Nought be all else to me
Save that Thou art
Thou my best thought
By day or by night
Waking and sleeping
Thy presence my light

Be Thou my wisdom
Be Thou my true Word
I ever with Thee
And Thou with me Lord
Thou my great Father
And I Thy true son
Thou in me dwelling
And I with Thee one

Be Thou my breastplate
My sword for the fight
Be Thou my whole armour
And Thou my true might
Thou my soul's shelter

And Thou my high tower
Raise Thou me heavenward
Oh Power of my power

Riches I heed not
Nor man's empty praise
Thou mine inheritance
Now and always
Thou and Thou only
The first in my heart
High King of Heaven
My treasure Thou art

High King of heaven
When victory is won
May I reach heaven's joys
O bright heaven's sun
Heart of my own heart
Whatever befall
Still be my vision O Ruler of all

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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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