

13th September 2026

Holy Communion with Children's Groups

Rev Mark Pybus will be leading, Presiding and preaching on
'What is Discipleship?' (Matthew 6:33 & Romans 12: 1-2)

WELCOME & INTRODUCTION

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
(Repeat)*

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!

I COULD SEARCH ALL THIS WORLD

I'd still find there is no one like You
I could gain everything
In the end all is lost without You
Oh Jesus all that I desire

*I want to know You
I want to know You
I want to know You
And be known by You
I'm gonna love You
Give all my heart to You
I want to know You
And be known by You*

I am whole I'm complete
I'm content just to stay in this place
All my guilt all my shame
Washed away in Your river of grace
My devotion my affection all my worship
I pour it out I pour it out on You



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

Almighty God, our heavenly
Father,

we have sinned against you
and against our neighbour in thought and
word and deed, through negligence,
through weakness, through our own
deliberate fault.

We are truly sorry 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 grant that we may serve you in
newness of life to the glory of your name.
Amen.



ABSOLUTION

May the God of love and power
forgive you and free you from your
sins, heal and strengthen you by his
Spirit, and raise you to new life in Christ
our Lord.

Amen.

ACTION SONG



FROM MY HEAD TO MY SHOULDERS

My knees to my toes
I'll praise the Lord everyday
With my eyes and my ears
My hands and my feet
I'll praise the Lord everyday

When my mouth talks
I will praise the Lord
When my feet walk
I will praise the Lord
With a smile on my face
I will praise the Lord
God made all of me
To praise the Lord

Hallelu, hallelu, hallelu, hallelujah
Praise the Lord
(Repeat)

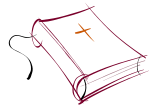
Praise the Lord, hallelujah
Praise the Lord, Hallelujah,
Praise the Lord, hallelujah, Praise the Lord

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TIME IN THE WORD

The Bible Reading is Matthew 6: 33 &
Romans 12: 1- 2

This is the word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.



SERMON



INTO YOUR HANDS I COMMIT AGAIN

All I am, for You Lord
You hold my world
In the palm of Your hand
And I am Yours, forever.

*Jesus, I believe in You
Jesus, I belong to You
You're the reason that I live
The reason that I sing
With all I am.*

I'll walk with You
Wherever You go
Through tears and joy
I'll trust in You
And I will live, in all of Your ways
And Your promises, forever.

I will worship, I will worship you (x4)

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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.
and the whole earth
Amen.**

NOTICES & BANNS



IN CHRIST ALONE MY HOPE IS FOUND,

He is my light, my strength, my song;
This Cornerstone, this solid Ground,
Firm through the fiercest drought and storm.
What heights of love, what depths of peace,
When fears are stilled, when strivings cease!
My Comforter, my All in All,
Here in the love of Christ I stand.

In Christ alone! - who took on flesh,
Fullness of God in helpless babe!
This gift of love and righteousness,
Scorned by the ones He came to save:
Till on that cross as Jesus died,
The wrath of God was satisfied -
For every sin on Him was laid;
Here in the death of Christ I live.

There in the ground His body lay,
Light of the world by darkness slain;
Then bursting forth in glorious Day
Up from the grave He rose again!
And as he stands in victory
Sin's curse has lost its grip on me,
For I am His and He is mine -
Bought with the precious blood of Christ.

No guilt in life, no fear in death,
This is the power of Christ in me;
From life's first cry to final breath,
Jesus commands my destiny.
No power of hell, no scheme of man,
Can ever pluck me from His hand;
Till He returns or calls me home,
Here in the power of Christ I'll stand!
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THE BLESSING THE DISMISSAL

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

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