

Song before streamed service starts

9am OBS video, 11am musicians

O sov'reign God O matchless King

Start Livestream OBS - Countdown (1.15)

Backing track - With a prayer you fed the hungry

Words of Welcome

****Introduction***

We saw last week how Jesus fed 5,000 people with five loaves and two fish. / This week we hear the teaching that Jesus gave following the miracle where he said, 'I am the bread of life'. / Jesus is as basic to our spiritual lives as bread is to our everyday lives. So let us listen to Jesus' teaching today and taste his 'bread.' //

Opening Prayer

Loving God, as we gather for worship, we pray that we may know your Spirit / in us and among us; that we may offer you our praise; / that we may seek to know your will for us and grow in faith and understanding, / and to live out our faith in actions day by day. Amen. //

****Worship in Song***

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The Lord's my shepherd, I'll not want;
He makes me lie in pastures green
He leads me by the still, still waters
His goodness restores my soul.

And I will trust in you alone
And I will trust in you alone
For your endless mercy follows me
Your goodness will lead me home

He guides my ways in righteousness
And he anoints my head with oil
And my cup, it overflows with joy
I feast on his pure delights

And though I walk the darkest path,
I will not fear the evil one;
For you are with me, and your rod and staff
Are the comfort I need to know.

****Confession***

Let us spend a moment to reflect on our faults and failings before the Lord ... / Let us be honest with ourselves as we confess and ask our heavenly Father for forgiveness. /

Almighty God, we confess that too often we have taken the easy way of the world, / rather than your way, and so have grieved your heart of love. / We have been slow to admit that we are not our own, but belong to you. In your mercy forgive us and help us. / We have been unwilling to see that we are bought with the price of Christ's blood: / In your mercy forgive us and help us. / We have been unprepared to live out our lives as your servants: In your mercy forgive us and help us. / Raise us by the power of your love, and fill us anew with the joy of your Spirit; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen. /

Assurance of God's Forgiveness

May almighty God, who sent his Son into the world to save sinners, / bring us his pardon and peace, now and for ever. **Amen. //**

****Special Prayer for Today***

Almighty God, who sent your Holy Spirit to be the life and light of your Church: / open our hearts to the riches of your grace, that we may bring forth the fruit of the Spirit in love and joy and peace; / through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, / in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen. //**

****Bible Reading***

John 6.24-35 (*Church Bible p891*)

9am Angie Walsh, 11am Sally Johnson

This is the gospel of the Lord
Praise to you, O Christ //

**Worship in Song*

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O sov'reign God O matchless King
The saints adore the angels sing
And fall before the throne of grace
To You belongs the highest praise

These sufferings this passing tide
Under Your wings I will abide
And ev'ry enemy shall flee
You are my hope and victory

Praise the Father praise the Son
Praise the Spirit Three in One
Clothed in power and in grace
The name above all other names

To the valley for my soul
Thy great descent has made me whole
Your word my heart has welcomed home
Now peace like water ever flows

Sermon - Paul

**Affirmation of Faith*

Using the words from Colossians 1, let us
confess our faith in the Son of God: /

Christ is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn over all creation. / By him all things were created: things in heaven and on earth, visible and invisible, thrones, powers, / rulers, and authorities; all things were created by him and for him. / He is before all things and in him all things hold together. / He is the head of the body, the Church; he is the beginning and the firstborn from the dead. Amen. //

**Prayers (Lesley Wooding)*

At the end: Merciful Father,
accept these prayers for the sake of your Son,
our Saviour Jesus Christ. Amen. //

**The Peace*

We are the body of Christ. In the one Spirit we
were all baptized into one body. / Let us then
pursue all that makes for peace and builds up
our common life. /

The peace of the Lord be always with you
and also with you. //

**Worship in Song*

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And can it be that I should gain
An interest in the Saviour's blood?
Died he for me, who caused his pain?
For me, who him to death pursued?
Amazing love! How can it be
That thou, my God, shouldst die for me!

'Tis mystery all! The Immortal dies:
Who can explore his strange design?
In vain the first-born seraph tries
To sound the depths of love divine.
'Tis mercy all! Let earth adore,
Let angel minds inquire no more.

He left his Father's throne above -
So free, so infinite his grace -
Emptied himself of all but love,
And bled for Adam's helpless race.
'Tis mercy all, immense and free;
For, O my God, it found out me!

Long my imprisoned spirit lay
Fast bound in sin and nature's night;
Thine eye diffused a quickening ray -
I woke, the dungeon flamed with light;
My chains fell off, my heart was free,
I rose, went forth, and followed thee.

No condemnation now I dread;
Jesus, and all in him is mine!
Alive in him, my living Head,
And clothed in righteousness divine,
Bold I approach the eternal throne,
And claim the crown, through Christ, my own.

**Offertory Prayer*

Lord, you are the bread of heaven, giving life
to the world. / You fill our emptiness with
your goodness. You come to our weakness
with your strength. / Take and use these gifts
to bring in a rich harvest of your heavenly
food and life-giving refreshment. **Amen. //**

****The Eucharistic Prayer G***

The Lord be with you.

And also with you./

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./

Blessed are you, Lord God, our light and our salvation; to you be glory and praise for ever./
From the beginning you have created all things /
and all your works echo the silent music of your praise./ In the fullness of time you made us in your image, the crown of all creation./ You give us breath and speech, that with angels and archangels / and all the powers of heaven we may find a voice to sing your praise: /

Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of your glory./ Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest./

How wonderful the work of your hands, O Lord./
As a mother tenderly gathers her children, you embraced a people as your own./ When they turned away and rebelled your love remained steadfast./ From them you raised up Jesus our Saviour, born of Mary,/ to be the living bread, in whom all our hungers are satisfied./ He offered his life for sinners, and with a love stronger than death he opened wide his arms on the cross./

On the night before he died, he came to supper with his friends / and, taking bread, he 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./

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 and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me./

Jesus Christ is Lord:

Lord, by your cross and resurrection you have set us free./ You are the Saviour of the world./

Father, we plead with confidence his sacrifice made once for all upon the cross;/ we remember his dying and rising in glory, and we rejoice that he intercedes for us at your right hand. /

Pour out your Holy Spirit as we bring before you these gifts of your creation;/ may they be for us the body and blood of your dear Son./

As we eat and drink these holy things in your presence, form us / in the likeness of Christ, and build us into a living temple to your glory. /

Remember, Lord, your Church in every land. Reveal her unity, guard her faith, and preserve her in peace./ Bring us at the last with all the saints to the vision of that eternal splendour for which you have created us;/ through Jesus Christ, our Lord, by whom, with whom, and in whom,/ with all who stand before you in earth and heaven, we worship you, Father almighty, in words of everlasting praise: /

Blessing and honour and glory and power be yours for ever and ever. Amen.//

****The Lord's Prayer***

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name; thy kingdom come;/ thy will be done; on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread./ And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us./ And lead us not into temptation; but deliver us from evil./ For thine is the kingdom, the power and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen. //

****Breaking of the Bread***

Every time we eat this bread and drink this cup,/ **we proclaim the Lord's death until he comes./**

Giving of Communion

Draw near with faith. Receive the body of our Lord Jesus Christ / which he gave for you, and his blood which he shed for you./ Eat and drink in remembrance that he died for you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith with thanksgiving.//

We receive communion

***Worship in Song**

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How deep the Father's love for us
How vast beyond all measure
That he should give his only Son
To make a wretch his treasure
How great the pain of searing loss
The Father turns his face away
As wounds which mar the chosen one
Bring many sons to glory.

Behold the man upon a cross
My sin upon his shoulders
Ashamed, I hear my mocking voice
Call out among the scoffers
It was my sin that held him there
Until it was accomplished
His dying breath has brought me life
I know that is finished.

I will not boast in anything
No gifts, no powers, no wisdom
But I will boast in Jesus Christ
His death and resurrection
Why should I gain from his reward
I cannot give an answer
But this I know with all my heart
His wounds have paid my ransom.

***Prayer after Communion**

Holy Father, who gathered us here around the table of your Son / to share this meal with the whole household of God: in that new world where you reveal the fullness of your peace, / gather people of every race and language to share in the eternal banquet of Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.//**

OBS News & Notices (PowerPoint video 1.15)

Backing track - How good it is to sing

***Blessing**

If you have found some of the bread of Christ here today, / then share it with others. For this is bread that increases the more it is given away. / And may the blessing of God almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, / be among you and remain with you always. **Amen. /**

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

In the name of Christ. Amen.//

Music after the service

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The Lord's my shepherd (I will trust)