



CALL TO WORSHIP

Pastor A Psalm/other Scripture

All Almighty God, unto 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 thy Holy Spirit, that we perfectly love thee and worthily magnify thy Holy Name, through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Pastor Grace, mercy and peace from God the Father and from the Lord Jesus Christ be with you
All **And also with you**

Pastor This is the day that the Lord has made
All **Let us rejoice and be glad in it**

Hymn TELL OUT MY SOUL

Tell out, my soul, the greatness of the Lord!
Unnumbered blessings give my spirit voice;
tender to me the promise of His word;
in God my Saviour shall my heart rejoice.

Tell out, my soul, the greatness of His Name!
Make known His might, the deeds His arm has done;
His mercy sure, from age to age to same;

His holy Name--the Lord, the Mighty One.

**Tell out, my soul, the greatness of His might!
Powers and dominions lay their glory by.
Proud hearts and stubborn wills are put to flight,
the hungry fed, the humble lifted high.**

**Tell out, my soul, the glories of His word!
Firm is His promise, and His mercy sure.
Tell out, my soul, the greatness of the Lord
to children's children and for evermore!**

Pastor O God, make speed to save us
All **O Lord, make haste to help us**

Pastor To you, O Lord, I lift up my soul
All **O my God, in you I trust**

The sacrifices that please God are a broken spirit. A broken and contrite heart the Lord will not despise. Let us come to the Lord who is full of compassion and acknowledge our transgressions in penitence and faith

Preparing to confess: **JUST AS I AM**

**Just as I am, without one plea
But that Thy blood was shed for me
And that Thou bid'st me come to Thee
O Lamb of God, I come! I come**

**Just as I am, poor, wretched, blind
Sight, riches, healing of the mind
Yea, all I need, in Thee to find
O Lamb of God, I come, I come!**

CONFESSION:

Almighty God, holy and eternal; the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ.

Have mercy on us sinners, for the sake of your Son, who died to free us from our sins. We humbly ask this through Jesus Christ our Saviour. Amen.

Pastor: Blessed is he whose
transgressions are forgiven
(Psalm 32:1)

Pastor: May God the Father, who sent
His son into the world to save
sinners, bring us His pardon
and peace, now and for ever.
Amen.

Pastor: Blessed be the Lord
All: Who forgives all our sins

Pastor: As far as the East is from the
West
**All: So far has God removed our
sins from us**

Pastor: Glory to the Father
All: Glory to the Son

Pastor: Glory to the Spirit
All: Forever Three in One

Hymn: IN CHRIST ALONE

**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
Fulness 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.**

OT reading: Leviticus 23:1-8

After the reading:
This is the word of the Lord

**The congregation responds
Thanks be to God**

Psalm 41 For the director of music. A
psalm of David.

¹ Blessed is he who has regard for the weak;
the LORD delivers him in times of trouble.

² **The LORD will protect him and preserve his
life—**

**he will bless him in the land—
and not surrender him to the desire of his
foes.**

³ The LORD will sustain him on his sickbed
and restore him from his bed of illness.

⁴ **I said, "O LORD, have mercy on me;
heal me, for I have sinned against You."**

After the Psalm we all say:

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit. As it was in the beginning is now and shall be forever. World without end. Amen.

NT reading: Hebrews 13:1-8

After the reading:
This is the word of the Lord

The congregation responds: Thanks be to God

The Apostles Creed:

I believe in God, the father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; He descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again. He ascended into heaven, He is seated at the right hand of the Father, and He will come again to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Holy Catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

Gospel reading: Luke 14:1-14

After the Gospel reading:
This is the Gospel of Christ

**The congregation responds:
Alleluia! Praise be to Christ our Saviour**

Message: MEALS WITH JESUS (4)

Offertory: AS WE ARE GATHERED

As we are gathered,	Jesus is here
One with each other,	Jesus is here
Joined by the Spirit,	washed in His blood;
Part of the body,	the church of God
As we are gathered,	Jesus is here
One with each other,	Jesus is here

New hymn: WHEN I SURVEY

**When I survey the wondrous cross
on which the Prince of glory died,
my richest gain I count but loss,
and pour contempt on all my pride.**

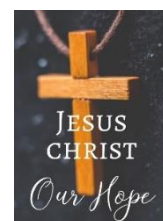
**Forbid it, Lord, that I should boast
save in the death of Christ, my God!
All the vain things that charm me most,
I sacrifice them through his blood.**

**See, from His head, His hands, His feet,
sorrow and love flow mingled down.
Did e'er such love and sorrow meet,
or thorns compose so rich a crown?**

**Were the whole realm of nature mine,
that were a present far too small.
Love so amazing, so divine,
demands my soul, my life, my all.**

THE DOXOLOGY:

**Praise God from whom all blessings flow,
Praise Him all creatures here below
Praise Him above ye heavenly host
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.**



PRAYERS (of adoration and thanksgiving, for the church and the growth of the gospel, for the president and all leaders, for our families, for current needs, for the sick and bereaved) concluding with 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.

Closing hymn: CHA KUTUMAINI SINA

Cha kutumaini sina, Ila damu yake Bwana,
Sina wema wa kutosha, Dhambi zangu
kuziosha.

*Kwake Yesu nasimama,
Ndiye mwamba ni salama (x 3)*

Njia yangu iwe ndefu, Yeye hunipa wokovu
Mawimbi yakinipiga, nguvu zake ndiyo
nanga

Kwake Yesu nasimama...

Damu yake na sadaka, nategemea daima
Yote chini yakiisha, Mwokozi atanitosha.

Kwake Yesu nasimama...

Nikiitwa hukumuni, rohoni nina amani
Nikivikwa haki yake, sina hofu mbele yake

Kwake Yesu nasimama...

Benediction by the pastor:

Dismissal

May the **grace** of our Lord Jesus Christ
and the **love** of God and the
fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with
us all. Now and forever more. Amen



- Please continue praying for a **VENUE** also for the **youth holiday club sessions** (Tues afternoon)
- **WEEKLY PRAYER MEETING:** 8-8.40pm every Wednesday.
- We are in the season known as Lent which marks **the countdown to EASTER**. We are encouraged to commit to prayer and fasting (1 meal per week) to pray for:
 - o **All of Christ for all of life**
 - o **Building/venue**
 - o **Conversions/baps.**
- Also, in this season of Lent, we are posting every Wednesday a reflection on our salvation. Listen. Reflect. Share
- The next study day is on the **31st March** from **10.30-3.30pm**. Put the date in the diary and come eager to learn.