SUNDAY OCTOBER 10TH 2021 HOLY COMMUNION 11am and 18:30

SERVICE DETAILS

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- Make way, make way, for Christ the King in splendour arrives.
 Fling wide the gates and welcome Him Into your lives.

Make way! (Make way!) Make way! (Make way!) For the King of kings (For the King of kings) Make way! (Make way!) Make way! (Make way!) And let His kingdom in.

He comes the broken hearts to heal, the prisoners to free. The deaf shall hear, the lame shall dance, The blind shall see.

We call you now to worship Him As Lord of all; To have no gods before Him, Their thrones must fall

2. O for a thousand tongues to sing my dear Redeemer's praise, the glories of my God and King, the triumphs of his grace!

Jesus! the name that charms our fears, that bids our sorrows cease; 'tis music in the sinner's ears, 'tis life and health and peace.

My gracious Master and my God, assist me to proclaim
And spread through all the earth abroad the honours of thy name.

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
Lord Jesus,
Who became a servant
And died on a cross for us:
We say sorry for the times we have
failed to follow your commands
and not lived as your followers
Forgive us and breathe your Spirit into us,
and give us courage to live as you lived. AMEN

3. Take us to the river, take us there in unity to sing a song of your salvation, to win this generation for our King. A song of your forgiveness for it is with grace that river flows, take us to the river in the city of our God.

Take us to your throne room, give us ears to hear the cry of heaven, for that cry is mercy, mercy to the fallen sons of man: for mercy it has triumphed, triumphed over judgement by your blood; take us to the throne room in the city of our God.

For the Spirit of the Sovereign Lord is upon us: this is the year of the Lord.
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Take us to the mountain, lift us in the shadow of your hands; is this your mighty angel who stands astride the ocean and the land? For in his hand your mercy showers on a dry and barren place; take us to the mountain in the city of our God. For the Spirit of the Sovereign Lord.....

4. Everyone needs compassion, Love that's never failing; Let mercy fall on me. Everyone needs forgiveness, The kindness of a Saviour; The Hope of nations.

Saviour, He can move the mountains, My God is Mighty to save, He is Mighty to save. Forever, Author of salvation, He rose and conquered the grave, Jesus conquered the grave.

So take me as You find me,
All my fears and failures,
Fill my life again.
I give my life to follow
Everything I believe in,
Now I surrender.
Saviour, He can move the mountains.....

(Bridge) Shine your light and let the whole world see, We're singing for the glory of the risen King (x2)

5. O spread Your wings of mercy over me And guard my heart with true humility No shadow of the darkness pressing in Only the holy overshadowing Underneath Your wings, overshadowing

No refuge will I seek but God alone No hiding place save only at Your throne Only the cross, the blood to wash my sin Only the holy overshadowing Underneath Your wings, overshadowing You are my shield, and my glory You are the lifter of my head And though the storms may rage around me I'll be safe within Beneath the holy overshadowing

No burden on my back too hard to bear Only the easy load You bid me wear Until these troubles pass, my heart will sing Praise for the holy overshadowing Underneath Your wings, overshadowing You are my shield, and my glory......

6. I am a new creation,
No more in condemnation,
Here in the grace of God I stand
My heart is overflowing,
My love just keeps on growing,
Here in the grace of God I stand.

And I will praise you Lord, Yes I will praise you Lord, And I will sing of all that you have done.

A joy that knows no limit, A lightness in my spirit, Here in the grace of God I stand.

READING: Isaiah 61: 1-9

The Spirit of the Sovereign Lord is on me, because the Lord has anointed me to proclaim good news to the poor. He has sent me to bind up the broken-hearted, to proclaim freedom for the captives and release from darkness for the prisoners,[a] ² to proclaim the year of the LORD's favour and the day of vengeance of our God, to comfort all who mourn, ³ and provide for those who grieve in Zion – to bestow on them a crown of beauty instead of ashes, the oil of joy instead of mourning, and a garment of praise instead of a spirit of despair. They will be called oaks of righteousness, a planting of the LORD for the display of his splendour.

⁴ They will rebuild the ancient ruins and restore the places long devastated; they will renew the ruined cities that have been devastated for generations. ⁵ Strangers will shepherd your flocks; foreigners will work your fields and vineyards. ⁶ And you will be called priests of the LORD, you will be named ministers of our God. You will feed on the wealth of nations, and in their riches you will boast. ⁷ Instead of your shame you will receive a double portion, and instead of disgrace you will rejoice in your inheritance. And so you will inherit a double portion in your land, and everlasting joy will be yours. ⁸ 'For I, the **Lord**, love justice; I hate robbery and wrongdoing. In my faithfulness I will reward my people

and make an everlasting covenant with them.

⁹ Their descendants will be known among the nations and their offspring among the peoples.

All who see them will acknowledge that they are a people the LORD has blessed.'

GOSPEL: Luke 4: 14-20

¹⁴ Jesus returned to Galilee in the power of the Spirit, and news about him spread through the whole countryside. ¹⁵ He was teaching in their synagogues, and everyone praised him.

¹⁶He went to Nazareth, where he had been brought up, and on the Sabbath day he went into the synagogue, as was his custom. He stood up to read, ¹⁷ and the scroll of the prophet Isaiah was handed to him. Unrolling it, he found the place where it is written:

18 'The Spirit of the Lord is on me, because he has anointed me to proclaim good news to the poor.
He has sent me to proclaim freedom for the prisoners and recovery of sight for the blind, to set the oppressed free,
19 to proclaim the year of the Lord's favour.'

²⁰Then he rolled up the scroll, gave it back to the attendant and sat down. The eyes of everyone in the synagogue were fastened on him.

SERMON: Robert MEET THE SPIRIT:

"Promises, promises..."

PRAYERS: led by Nick
PEACE: Robert

7. Amazing Grace! how sweet the sound, That saved a wretch like me; I once was lost, but now am found, Was blind, but now I see.

'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear, And grace my fears relieved; How precious did that grace appear, The hour I first believed!

My chains are gone, I've been set free, My God, my Saviour has ransomed me; And like a flood his mercy reigns, Unending love, amazing Grace

Through many dangers, toils and snares I have already come; 'Tis grace that brought me safe thus far

And grace will lead me home.

When we've been there a thousand years,

When we've been there a thousand years Bright shining as the sun, We've no less days to sing God's praise Than when we first begun.

My chains are gone.....

HOLY COMMUNION

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

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.

Breaking of the Bread

We break this bread to share in the body of Christ. Though we are many, we are one body, because we all share in one bread.

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

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.

8. Lord, for the years your love has kept and guided. urged and inspired us, cheered us on our way, sought us and saved us, pardoned and provided: Lord of the years, we bring our thanks today.

Lord, for that word, the word of life which fires us, speaks to our hearts and sets our souls ablaze, teaches and trains, rebukes us and inspires us: Lord of the word, receive your people's praise.

Lord for ourselves; in living power remake us self on the cross and Christ upon the throne, past put behind us, for the future take us: Lord of our lives, to live for Christ alone.

9. Draw me close to you,never let me go.I lay it all down again,to hear you say that I'm your friend.

You are my desire, no one else will do, 'cause nothing else could take your place, to feel the warmth of your embrace. Help me find the way, bring me back to you.

You're all I want, you're all I've ever needed. You're all I want, help me know you are near. 10. Thou, whose almighty word chaos and darkness heard, and took their flight; hear us, we humbly pray, and where the Gospel-day sheds not its glorious ray, let there be light.

Spirit of truth and love, life-giving, holy Dove, speed forth thy flight, move on the water's face, bearing the lamp of grace, and in earth's darkest place let there be light.

Holy and blessed Three, glorious Trinity, Wisdom, Love, Might; boundless as ocean's tide rolling in fullest pride, through the earth far and wide let there be light.