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EVERY SUNDAY

Promotions Sunday
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**Preacher: Revd. Lansford Penn-Timothy
Deputy Superintendent Minister**

Exodus 14:19-25; Matthew 18:21-35

'On a Journey with God'

INSPIRING SCRIPTURE COUNTDOWN

WELCOME TO ONLINE CHURCH

LIVE STREAM WELCOME & INTRODUCTION

Revd Tony Miles (Chapel & Zoom)

VIDEO CALL TO WORSHIP - Let Us Worship

Remedy Media

VIDEO SONG - Jesus Lover Of My Soul

STF 355

Jesu, lover of my soul,
Let me to thy bosom fly,
While the nearer waters roll,
While the tempest still is high;
Hide me, O my Saviour, hide,
Till the storm of life is past;
Safe into the haven guide,
O receive my soul at last!

Other refuge have I none,
Hangs my helpless soul on thee;
Leave, ah, leave me not alone,
Still support and comfort me.
All my trust on thee is stayed,
All my help from thee I bring;
Cover my defenceless head
With the shadow of thy wing.

Thou, O Christ, art all I want;
More than all in thee I find;
Raise the fallen, cheer the faint,
Heal the sick, and lead the blind.
Just and holy is thy name,
I am all unrighteousness;
False and full of sin I am,
Thou art full of truth and grace.

Plenteous grace with thee is found,
Grace to cover all my sin;
Let the healing streams abound,
Make and keep me pure within.
Thou of life the fountain art;
Freely let me take of thee;
Spring thou up within my heart,
Rise to all eternity.

Charles Wesley (1707 - 1788)

OPENING PRAYER - (Chapel)

Led by Revd. Tony Miles, Superintendent Minister

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Please join in using your own language or the version
you prefer

**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.
Save us from the time of trial
and deliver us from evil.
For the kingdom, the power
and the glory are yours,
now and for ever. Amen.**

VIDEO MONTAGE - Promotions Sunday
Led by Revd Tony Miles & Deacon Ali McMillan
(Chapel/Zoom/Video)

VIDEO CLIP - Puppets 'Hymn and Her!'
Charlie & Roz Bushell

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Revd. Tony Miles, Superintendent Minister - **(Chapel)**

EPISTLE LESSON Exodus 14:19-25 TNIV
Read by Mariane Jose, YPF - **(Zoom)**

¹⁹ Then the angel of God, who had been travelling in front of Israel's army, withdrew and went behind them. The pillar of cloud also moved from in front and stood behind them, ²⁰ coming between the armies of Egypt and Israel. Throughout the night the cloud brought darkness to the one side and light to the other; so neither went near the other all night long.

²¹ Then Moses stretched out his hand over the sea, and all that night the LORD drove the sea back with a strong east wind and turned it into dry land. The waters were divided, ²² and the Israelites went through the sea on dry ground, with a wall of water on their right and on their left. ²³ The Egyptians pursued them, and all Pharaoh's horses and chariots and horsemen followed them into the sea. ²⁴ During the last watch of the night the LORD looked down from the pillar of fire and cloud at the Egyptian army and threw it into confusion. ²⁵ He jammed the wheels of their chariots so that they had difficulty driving. And the Egyptians said, 'Let's get away from the Israelites! The LORD is fighting for them against Egypt.'

VIDEO SONG

- The Splendour of The King (How Great is our God

STF 15

The splendour of the King, clothed in majesty;
let all the earth rejoice, all the earth rejoice.
He wraps himself in light, and darkness tries to hide,
and trembles at his voice, and trembles at his voice.

*How great is our God, sing with me,
how great is our God, and all will see
how great, how great is our God.*

And age to age he stands, and time is in his hands;
beginning and the end, beginning and the end.
The Godhead, Three in One, Father, Spirit, Son,
the Lion and the Lamb, the Lion and the Lamb.
How great is our God, sing with me,

how great is our God, and all will see
how great, how great is our God.
Name above all names, worthy of all praise;
my heart will sing: how great is our God.

(Repeat)

Chris Tomlin, Jesse Reeves & Ed Cash

GOSPEL LESSON Matthew 18:21-35 TNIV
Read by Helen Tudor, JC Live Teacher - **(Zoom)**

The parable of the unmerciful servant

²¹ Then Peter came to Jesus and asked, 'Lord, how many times shall I forgive my brother or sister who sins against me? Up to seven times?'

²² Jesus answered, 'I tell you, not seven times, but seventy-seven times. ²³ 'Therefore, the kingdom of heaven is like a king who wanted to settle accounts with his servants. ²⁴ As he began the settlement, a man who owed him ten thousand bags of gold was brought to him. ²⁵ Since he was not able to pay, the master ordered that he and his wife and his children and all that he had be sold to repay the debt. ²⁶ 'The servant fell on his knees before him. 'Be patient with me,' he begged, 'and I will pay back everything.' ²⁷ The servant's master took pity on him, cancelled the debt and let him go.

²⁸“But when that servant went out, he found one of his fellow servants who owed him a hundred silver coins. He grabbed him and began to choke him. ‘Pay back what you owe me!’ he demanded.

²⁹“His fellow servant fell to his knees and begged him, ‘Be patient with me, and I will pay you back.’

³⁰“But he refused. Instead, he went off and had the man thrown into prison until he could pay the debt.

³¹When the other servants saw what had happened, they were greatly distressed and went and told their master everything that had happened.

³²“Then the master called the servant in. ‘You wicked servant,’ he said, ‘I cancelled all that debt of yours because you begged me to. ³³Shouldn’t you have had mercy on your fellow servant just as I had on you?’

³⁴In anger his master handed him over to the jailers to be tortured, until he should pay back all he owed.

³⁵“This is how my heavenly Father will treat each of you unless you forgive a brother or sister from your heart.”

SERMON ‘On a Journey with God’ (Chapel)

Revd. Lansford Penn-Timothy, Deputy Superintendent

VIDEO SONG - There Is A Redeemer

STF 338

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,
and there I'll serve my King for ever
in that holy place.

Melody Green & Melody Green-Sievrigh

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION - (Zoom)

Led by Deacon Ali McMillan

VIDEO GLOBAL GREETINGS

VIDEO HYMN - Fill Thou My Life

STF 73

Fill thou my life, O Lord my God,
In every part with praise,
That my whole being may proclaim
Thy being and thy ways.

Not for the lip of praise alone
Nor e'en the praising heart
I ask, but for a life made up
Of praise in every part:

Praise in the common things of life,
Its goings out and in;
Praise in each duty and each deed,
However small and mean.

Fill every part of me with praise;
Let all my being speak
Of thee and of thy love, O Lord,
Poor though I be and weak.

So shalt thou Lord, from me, e'en me
Receive the glory due;
And so shall I begin on earth
The song for ever new.

So shall no part of day or night
From sacredness be free;
But all my life, in every step,
Be fellowship with thee.

Horatius Bona (1808-1889)

OFFER CONTACT EMAIL & HEALING PRAYER TEAM
Revd. Tony Miles, Superintendent Minister - (Chapel)

THE BLESSING

ORGAN VOLUNTARY: 'Mendelssohn – Fugue'

The **Flowers** have been given by the **Entire Family of REVD. & MRS. E.B. STAFFORD**, remembering them on the anniversary of their deaths. It would have been daddy's birthday on the 13th September.

'We miss you both dearly but cherish and give thanks to God for the time we shared with you.'

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