

16th May 2021

Morning Worship with Agape Meal Online & in Church

Rev Rob Powell will be leading & preaching on Faith in the Fire: Deborah & Jael (Judges 4:1-24)

WELCOME & INTRODUCTION

GREAT IS THE LORD AND MOST WORTHY OF PRAISE

Who can compare to His greatness? Creation displays in magnificent ways His glory, His majesty, His Splendour

Great is the Father, great is the Son Great is the Spirit Great is the Three in One Singing great is the Lord Great in His mercy, great in His love Great in His power Great in His fullness above Singing great is the Lord

Great is the Lord And most worthy of praise Who can determine His greatness? The heavens display in extravagant ways Your glory, Your majesty, Your splendour

How marvellous, how glorious You are! How powerful, how merciful You are! How marvellous, how glorious You are! How powerful, how merciful You are! Chris Sayburn ©

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YOU GIVE LIFE, YOU ARE LOVE

You bring light to the darkness You give hope

You restore every heart that is broken And great are You Lord.

It's Your breath in our lungs So we pour out our praise We pour out our praise It's Your breath in our lungs So we pour out our praise to You only

And all the earth will shout Your praise Our hearts will cry these bones will sing Great are You Lord (Repeat) Leslie Jordan and David Leonard © 2012 Open Hands Music



OPENING PRAYER

Blessed are you, Sovereign God, Gentle and merciful,

Creator of heaven and earth. Your word brought light out of darkness. In Jesus Christ you proclaim good news to the poor, liberty to captives, sight to the blind and freedom for the oppressed. Daily your spirit renews the face of the earth, bringing life and health, wholeness, and peace. In the renewal of our lives, you make known your heavenly glory.

Blessed be God,

Father, Son and Holy Spirit: Blessed be God for ever.

CONFESSION

God our Father, we come to you in sorrow for our sins.

For turning away from you, and ignoring your will for our lives; Father forgive us: **Save us and help us.**

For behaving just as we wish, without thinking of you; Father, forgive us: **Save us and help us.**

For failing you by what we do, and think and say; Father, forgive us:

Save us and help us.

For letting ourselves be drawn away from you by temptations in the world about us; Father, forgive us:

Save us and help us.

For living as if we ashamed to belong to your Son; Father, forgive us: **Save us and help us. 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



OUR GOD IS A GREAT BIG GOD

Our God is a great big God Our God is a great big God And He holds us in His hands

He's higher than a skyscraper He's deeper than a submarine He's wider than the universe And beyond my wildest dreams He's known me and He's loved me Since before the world began How wonderful to be a part of God's amazing plan

TIME IN THE WORD



The Bible Reading is Judges 4:1-24 This is the word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God**.

SERMON by Rev Rob Powell

I won't be overwhelmed
Give me vision to see things like You do
God I look to You,
You're where my help comes from
Give me wisdom,
You know just what to do

I will love You, Lord, my strength I will love You, Lord, my shield I will love You, Lord, my rock forever All my days I will love You, God

Hallelujah, our God reigns Hallelujah, our God reigns Hallelujah, our God reigns Forever, all my days, Hallelujah

AGAPE MEAL

Blessed are You, Lord our God, King of the universe, who brings forth bread from the earth.

Blessed are You, Lord our God, King of the universe, who creates the fruit of the vine.

We give you thanks for this food and drink.

Bless us as we share it now in the name of our risen Lord Jesus.

Amen.

PRAYERS & 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.

NOTICES

ALLELUIA, SING TO JESUS His the sceptre, His the throne Alleluia, his the triumph His the victory alone Hark the songs of holy Zion Thunder like a mighty flood Jesus out of every nation Hath redeemed us by His blood

Alleluia, not as orphans Are we left in sorrow now Alleluia, he is near us Faith believes nor questions how Though the cloud from sight received Him When the forty days were o'er Shall our hearts forget His promise I am with you evermore

Alleluia, bread of heaven Thou on earth our food our stay Alleluia, here the sinful Flee to thee from day to day Intercessor, friend of sinners Earth's Redeemer plead for me Where the songs of all the sinless Sweep across the crystal sea

Alleluia! Alleluia! Glory be to God on high; Alleluia to the Saviour Who has won the victory; Alleluia to the Spirit, Fount of love and sanctity; Alleluia! Alleluia! To the triune majesty. © by Rowland Hugh Prichard and William Chatterton Dix

THE BLESSING

THE DISMISSAL

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

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