

Sunday 6th September 2020

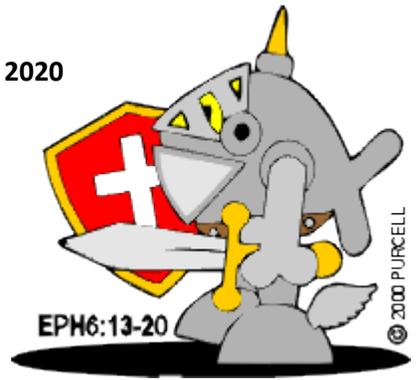
Call to Worship

We, who are members of the one body,
join together to praise God.

We, who are blessed with the gift of grace,
join together to sing of God's glory.

We, who are part of the family of God,
join together to affirm Jesus as Lord.

Let us worship God together.



Hymn

JESUS IS LORD!

Creation's voice proclaims it,
For by His power
each tree and flower
Was planned and made.
Jesus is Lord!
The universe declares it,
Sun, moon and stars in heaven
Cry, 'Jesus is Lord!'

*Jesus is Lord! Jesus is Lord!
Praise Him with hallelujahs
For Jesus is Lord!*

Jesus is Lord! Yet from His throne
eternal
In flesh He came to die in pain
On Calvary's tree.
Jesus is Lord! From Him all life
proceeding,
Yet gave His life a ransom
Thus setting us free.

Jesus is Lord! O'er sin the mighty
conqueror,
From death He rose, and all His foes
Shall own His name.
Jesus is Lord! God sent His Holy Spirit
To show by works of power
That Jesus is Lord.

Confession

God of love, we join together in the church
or in our homes, with our friends,
or our families because we love you and you love us.

**We do not always know what to do
because our world is a complicated place,
but you have shown us how to be good people,
so, we try to be kind, to be generous,
and to treat other people as we want to be treated.**

Help us to see that when we do this
when we are online, or in the playground,
or in our homes that when we talk to each other
with kindness and love

**We live like you told us, and make the world a better place.
We want to thank you for being in our lives,
for being there when we are sad
for laughing with us when we are happy,
for loving us always, help us to be better friends to each other
just like you are to us. Amen.**

Hymn Give me joy in my heart

Give me joy in my heart,
keep me praising,
Give me joy in my heart, I pray;
Give me joy in my heart,
keep me praising,
Keep me praising
till the break of day:

*Sing hosanna! Sing hosanna!
Sing hosanna to the King of kings!
Sing hosanna! Sing hosanna!
Sing hosanna to the King!*

Give me peace in my heart,
keep me loving,
Give me peace in my heart,
I pray;
Give me peace in my heart,
keep me loving,
Keep me loving till the break of
day:

Give me love in my heart,
keep me serving,
Give me love in my heart, I pray;
Give me love in my heart,
keep me serving,
Keep me serving till the break of
day:

Reading: Eph 6 v10 - 18 The Whole Armor of God

Finally, be strong in the Lord and in the strength of his power. Put on the whole armor of God, so that you may be able to stand against the wiles of the devil. For our struggle is not against enemies of blood and flesh, but against the rulers, against the authorities, against the cosmic powers of this present darkness, against the spiritual forces of evil in the heavenly places. Therefore, take up the whole armor of God, so that you may be able to withstand on that evil day, and having done everything, to stand firm. Stand therefore, and fasten the belt of truth around your waist, and put on the breastplate of righteousness. As shoes for your feet put on whatever will make you ready to proclaim the gospel of peace. With all of these, take the shield of faith, with which you will be able to quench all the flaming arrows of the evil one. Take the helmet of salvation, and the sword of the Spirit, which is the word of God. Pray in the Spirit at all times in every prayer and supplication. To that end keep alert and always persevere in supplication for all the saints.

Talk

God Suit On (Pete James, Harvey Jessop)

Every morning when I wake
I get ready, I get ready
Got my armour for the day (hey!)
I get ready, I get ready

This way, this way, I know you're with me
Every step I take, whoa, whoa
This way, this way, I know you're with me
Every step I take

I got the sword of the Spirit, the shield of faith
The belt of truth around my waist
When I feel weak you make me strong
Never back down, I got my God suit on
Your saving grace will guard my head
Your righteousness like a bullet-proof vest
These good news shoes were made to run
Never back down, I got my God suit on
Never back down, I got my God suit on
Every battle that I face
I'll be ready, I'll be ready
When the arrows fly my way (hey!)
Hold me steady, hold me steady

10, 9, 8, 7, 6 Got my hands in the air Your praise on my lips
5, 4, 3, 2, 1 Every battle I face My God has won!

10, 9, 8, 7, 6 Got my hands in the air Your praise on my lips
5, 4, 3, 2, 1 Never back down I got my God suit on

Affirmation of Faith:

Let us declare our faith in God
Do you believe and trust in God the Father who made all things?

All We believe and trust in him

Do you believe and trust in his Son Jesus Christ who redeemed the world?

All We believe and trust in him

Do you believe and trust in his Holy Spirit who gives life to the people of God?

All We believe and trust in him.

This is the faith of the Church.

**All This is our faith. We believe and trust in one God,
Father, Son and Holy Spirit. Amen**

Prayers

**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.**

Hymn

**ONE MORE STEP ALONG THE
WORLD I GO,**
One more step along
the world I go,
From the old things to the new,
Keep me travelling along with You.

*And it's from the old
I travel to the new,
Keep me travelling along with You.*

Round the corners
of the world I turn,
More and more about
the world I learn.
All the new things that I see,
You'll be looking at along with me.

As I travel through the bad and
good,
Keep me travelling the way I should.
Where I see no way to go,
You'll be telling me the way, I know.

Give me courage
when the world is rough,
Keep me loving
when the world is tough.
Leap and sing in all I do,
Keep me travelling along with You.

You are older than the world can
be,
You are younger than the life in me.
Ever old and ever new,
Keep me travelling along with You.

**We go now to live out our faith in word, in action and in love.
And we go knowing the love of God the Father, strengthened through the
risen Son and inspired by the Holy Spirit, in this place and at this time,
always.**