



Christ Church St. Andrews

Glorifying God : Building Community

**Welcome to our
Morning Service
at 11am on
May 17th 2026**

DO NOT HARDEN
YOUR HEARTS

Hebrews 3:7-19

**Simon, our associate vicar,
will lead
and Anthony, our vicar,
preach.**

**Lord of all, as we gather to worship
You, we ask for hearts open to Your
presence. Holy Spirit, come and work
in and through us. Let every song,
prayer and word spoken, glorify You
and draw us closer to You and each
other. Amen.**

Introductory call to worship

(based on Psalm 47)

Sing praises to God, sing praises;
**sing praises to our King, sing
praises.**

For God is the King of all the earth;
sing to Him a psalm of praise.

**Water You turned into wine,
Opened the eyes of the blind;
There's no one like You,
None like You.**

**Into the darkness You shine;
Out of the ashes we rise.
There`s no one like You,
None like You.**

***Our God is greater, our God is
stronger;***

God, You are higher than any other.

***Our God is healer, awesome in power,
Our God, Our God.***

**Into the darkness You shine;
Out of the ashes we rise.
There's no one like You,
None like You.**

***Our God is greater, our God is
stronger;***

God, You are higher than any other.

***Our God is healer, awesome in power,
Our God, Our God.***

**And if our God is for us,
then who could ever stop us;
And if our God is with us,
then what could stand against?**

**And if our God is for us,
then who could ever stop us;
And if our God is with us,
then what could stand against?
What could stand against?**

***Our God is greater, our God is stronger;
God, You are higher than any other.
Our God is healer, awesome in power,
Our God, Our God.***



Open the eyes of my heart, Lord.

Open the eyes of my heart.

I want to see You, I want to see You.

Open the eyes of my heart, Lord.

Open the eyes of my heart.

I want to see You, I want to see You.

*To see You high and lifted up
Shinin' in the light of Your glory.
Pour out Your power and love
As we sing holy, holy, holy.*

Open the eyes of my heart, Lord.

Open the eyes of my heart.

I want to see You, I want to see You.

Open the eyes of my heart, Lord.

Open the eyes of my heart.

I want to see You, I want to see You.

*To see You high and lifted up
Shinin' in the light of Your glory.
Pour out Your power and love
As we sing holy, holy, holy.*

**Holy, holy, holy.
Holy, holy, holy.
Holy, holy, holy.
I want to see you.**

**Holy, holy, holy.
Holy, holy, holy.
Holy, holy, holy.
I want to see you.**



**What is our hope in life and death
Christ alone, Christ alone.**

What is our only confidence?

That our souls to Him belong.

Who holds our days within His hand

What comes, apart from His command

And what will keep us to the end

The love of Christ, in which we stand.

O sing hallelujah!

Our hope springs eternal;

O sing hallelujah!

Now and ever we confess

Christ our hope in life and death.

What truth can calm the troubled soul?

God is good, God is good.

Where is His grace and goodness known?

In our great Redeemer's blood.

Who holds our faith when fears arise?

Who stands above the stormy trial?

Who sends the waves that bring us nigh

Unto the shore, the rock of Christ?

O sing hallelujah!

Our hope springs eternal;

O sing hallelujah!

Now and ever we confess

Christ our hope in life and death.

**Unto the grave what will we sing?
“Christ, He lives!” “Christ, He lives!”
And what reward will heaven bring?
Everlasting life with Him.**

**There we will rise to meet the Lord,
Then sin and death will be destroyed,
And we will feast in endless joy,
When Christ is ours forevermore.**

O sing hallelujah!

Our hope springs eternal;

O sing hallelujah!

Now and ever we confess

Christ our hope in life and death.

O sing hallelujah!

Our hope springs eternal;

O sing hallelujah!

Now and ever we confess

Christ our hope in life and death.

Now and ever we confess

Christ our hope in life and death.

thank
you *Jesus,*
AMEN

Special

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Video Song

Prayer

After which the children aged 0-4 go to the creche in the North Room and the 5-11's to their group in the Christian Centre.



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GOD, THANK YOU FOR

**YOUR AMAZING POWER
AND WORK IN OUR LIVES**

THE
CHURCH

The Family
OF GOD



God's Family
THE CHURCH



**Lord, thank You for all you do in our lives.
Today we thank You for our church family.
Lord, thank You for Your presence with us
shown in so many ways. Thank you for the
blessings that you have poured on us. We
ask that You fill our hearts with
thankfulness for Your goodness to us.**

Our church is more than buildings to us, we are a group that lifts one another up, and we ask that You continue to give us a loving commitment to all our church family.

Lord, we ask You to bless us with the desire to do more for the world around us and for one another. We pray that You will continue to give us with the resources to fulfil your mission for our church.

Lord, thank You that our church family is important to You and to us; thank You that this church family brings us closer to You. We ask for Your continued blessings on it and we lift it up to You. In your name we pray, Amen.

**Father, we love You,
We worship and adore You.
Glorify Your name in all the earth.
Glorify Your name,
Glorify Your name,
Glorify Your name in all the earth.**

**Jesus, we love You,
We worship and adore You.
Glorify Your name in all the earth.
Glorify Your name,
Glorify Your name,
Glorify Your name in all the earth.**

**Spirit, we love You,
We worship and adore You.
Glorify Your name in all the earth.
Glorify Your name,
Glorify Your name,
Glorify Your name in all the earth.**

*Let everything
that has breath
Praise the LORD*
Psalm 150:6

Reading and Talk – Hebrews 3:7-19

⁷ So, as the Holy Spirit says:

‘Today, if you hear his voice,

⁸ do not harden your hearts as you did in the rebellion, during the time of testing in the wilderness, ⁹ where your ancestors tested and tried me, though for forty years they saw what I did. ¹⁰ That is why I was angry with that generation; I said, “Their hearts are always going astray, and they have not known my ways.” ¹¹ So I declared on oath in my anger, “They shall never enter my rest.””

¹² See to it, brothers and sisters, that none of you has a sinful, unbelieving heart that turns away from the living God. ¹³ But encourage one another daily, as long as it is called 'Today', so that none of you may be hardened by sin's deceitfulness. ¹⁴ We have come to share in Christ, if indeed we hold our original conviction firmly to the very end. ¹⁵ As has just been said: 'Today, if you hear his voice, do not harden your hearts as you did in the rebellion.'

¹⁶ Who were they who heard and rebelled? Were they not all those Moses led out of Egypt? ¹⁷ And with whom was he angry for forty years? Was it not with those who sinned, whose bodies perished in the wilderness? ¹⁸ And to whom did God swear that they would never enter his rest if not to those who disobeyed? ¹⁹ So we see that they were not able to enter, because of their unbelief.

**This is the Word of the Lord
Thanks be to God.**

**Men of faith, rise up and sing
of the great and glorious King.
You are strong when you feel weak
in your brokenness complete.**

***Shout to the north and the south,
sing to the east and the west;
Jesus is Saviour to all,
Lord of Heaven and earth.***

**Rise up, women of the truth,
stand and sing to broken hearts,
Who can know the healing power
of our awesome King of love.**

***Shout to the north and the south,
sing to the east and the west;
Jesus is Saviour to all,
Lord of Heaven and earth.***

**We've been through fire, we've been
through rain,
We've been refined by the power of His
name;
We've fallen deeper in love with You,
You've burned the truth on our lips.**

**Rise up church with broken wings,
fill this place with songs again
Of our God Who reigns on high,
by His grace again we'll fly.**

*Shout to the north and the south,
sing to the east and the west;
Jesus is Saviour to all,
Lord of Heaven and earth.
Lord of Heaven and earth.
Lord of Heaven and earth.*



An open book with a dark cover is lying on a weathered wooden log. The pages are filled with text, and the book is slightly angled. Overlaid on the image is a large, white, cursive word 'Believe' that spans across the book and the background. To the right of the 'Believe' text, the words 'THIS WE' are written in a bold, white, sans-serif font inside a dark green rectangular box. The background is a blurred natural setting with green foliage and brown wood.

Believe THIS WE

Do you believe and trust in God the Father,
source of all being and life, the one for whom
we exist?

We believe and trust in Him.

Do you believe and trust in God the Son, who
took our human nature, died for us and rose
again?

We believe and trust in Him.

Do you believe and trust in God the Holy Spirit,
who gives life to the people of God and makes
Christ known in the world?

We believe and trust in Him.

This is the faith of the Church.

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

Amen.

Prayers led by Denise Parrett (which may include)



Lord, in your mercy
Hear our prayer.



Merciful Father,
accept these prayers for
the sake of your Son, our
Saviour Jesus Christ. Amen

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
forever. Amen.**

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**To God be the glory, great things He
hath done,
So loved He the world that He gave us
His Son,
Who yielded His life an atonement for
sin,
And opened the life-gate that all may
go in.**

Praise the Lord, praise the Lord,

Let the earth hear His voice;

Praise the Lord, praise the Lord,

Let the people rejoice;

O, come to the Father, through Jesus the

Son,

And give Him the glory; great things He

hath done.

**O, perfect redemption, the purchase of
blood,
To every believer the promise of God;
The vilest offender who truly believes,
That moment from Jesus a pardon
receives.**

Praise the Lord, praise the Lord,

Let the earth hear His voice;

Praise the Lord, praise the Lord,

Let the people rejoice;

O, come to the Father, through Jesus the

Son,

And give Him the glory; great things He

hath done.

**Great things He hath taught us, great
things He hath done,
And great our rejoicing through Jesus
the Son;
But purer, and higher, and greater will
be
Our wonder, our worship, when Jesus
we see.**

*Praise the Lord, praise the Lord,
Let the earth hear His voice;
Praise the Lord, praise the Lord,
Let the people rejoice;
O, come to the Father, through Jesus
the Son,
And give Him the glory; great things He
hath done.*



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



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grace
AND PEACE
go with you
THANK YOU FOR JOINING US

Please stay for our annual meeting and lunch which will follow shortly. Please get a drink if you want one. Our aim at Christ Church St Andrews is to glorify God by building a Christ centred community through the power of the Holy Spirit.