

IN THE SAME WAY,
COUNT YOURSELVES

DEAD

TO SIN BUT

ALIVE

TO GOD IN

CHRIST JESUS

ROMANS
6:11

Connect

*St Leonard's & St Mary's
Connecting with God, connecting with each other!
Sunday 25th June 2023*

Words of Welcome

Grace and peace to you from God, the Father who loves us,
and from his Son Jesus Christ, our Lord,
in whose name we gather to worship and celebrate.

Amen

let us pray:

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**

Hymn **LIGHT OF THE WORLD,** You step down into darkness.
Opened my eyes let me see.
Beauty that made this heart adore you
hope of a life spent with you.

Here I am to worship,
here I am to bow down,
Here I am to say that you're my God,
You're altogether lovely,
altogether worthy,
altogether wonderful to me.

King of all days, Oh so highly exalted
Glorious in heaven above.
Humbly you came to the earth you created.
All for love's sake became poor.

*I'll never know how much it cost
to see my sin upon that cross.
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to see my sin upon that cross.*

LORD, I LIFT YOUR NAME ON HIGH;

Lord, I love to sing Your praises.

I'm so glad You're in my life;

I'm so glad You came to save us.

You came from heaven to earth to show the way,

From the earth to the cross,

My debt to pay.

From the cross to the grave,

From the grave to the sky,

Lord, I lift Your name on high.

Prayer of Confession

God is love and we are his children,
and through our faith and trust in the Good News,
we are united with Jesus in his death and resurrection .

Therefore let us confess our sins in penitence and faith

**God our Father,
we confess to you
and to our fellow members in the body of Christ
that we have sinned in thought, word and deed,
and in what we have failed to do.**

We are truly sorry.

**Forgive us our sins,
and deliver us from the power of evil.**

**For the sake of your Son who died for us,
Jesus Christ our Lord.**

God who is both power and love,
forgive us and free us from our sins,
heal and strengthen us by his Spirit,
and raise us to new life in Christ our Lord.

Amen

The Collect

**O God our defender, storms rage about us and cause us to be afraid.
Rescue your people from despair, deliver your sons and daughters
from fear, and preserve us all from unbelief;
through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord,
who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever. Amen**

Reading from Romans 6.1b-11

What shall we say, then? Shall we go on sinning, so that grace may increase? By no means! We are those who have died to sin; how can we live in it any longer? Or don't you know that all of us who were baptised into Christ Jesus were baptised into his death? We were therefore buried with him through baptism into death in order that, just as Christ was raised from the dead through the glory of the Father, we too may live a new life.

For if we have been united with him in a death like his, we will certainly also be united with him in a resurrection like his. For we know that our old self was crucified with him so that the body ruled by sin might be done away with, that we should no longer be slaves to sin – because anyone who has died has been set free from sin.

Now if we died with Christ, we believe that we will also live with him. For we know that since Christ was raised from the dead, he cannot die again; death no longer has mastery over him. The death he died, he died to sin once for all; but the life he lives, he lives to God. In the same way, count yourselves dead to sin but alive to God in Christ Jesus.

**Hymn ALL HEAVEN DECLARES the glory of the risen Lord.
Who can compare with the beauty of the Lord?
Forever He will be the Lamb upon the throne.
I gladly bow the knee and worship Him alone.
I will proclaim the glory of the risen Lord,
Who once was slain to reconcile man to God.
Forever You will be the Lamb upon the throne.
I gladly bow the knee and worship You alone.**

The Gospel We read from Matthew 10 v28-33

Hear the Good News of our risen Lord according to Matthew
Glory to Christ our Saviour.

Do not be afraid of those who kill the body but cannot kill the soul. Rather, be afraid of the One who can destroy both soul and body in hell. Are not two sparrows sold for a penny? Yet not one of them will fall to the ground outside your Father's care. And even the very hairs of your head are all numbered. So don't be afraid; you are worth more than many sparrows.

'Whoever acknowledges me before others, I will also acknowledge before my Father in heaven. But whoever disowns me before others, I will disown before my Father in heaven.

At end: give thanks to the Lord for his glorious Gospel
Praise to Christ our Lord.

Sermon

A declaration of faith

As the body of Christ we declare our faith together

**We believe in God the Father,
from whom every family in heaven
and on earth is named**

**We believe in God the Son,
who lives in our hearts through faith
and fills us with his love**

**We believe in God the Holy Spirit,
who strengthens us
with power from on high**

**We believe in one God; Father, Son and Holy Spirit.
Amen.**

Intercessions for today

The Peace

We meet in the name of the prince of peace.

Let us share God's peace.

Hymn **WHO AM I THAT THE HIGHEST KING** Would welcome me?

I was lost but He brought me in

Oh His love for me

Oh His love for me

Who the Son sets free

Oh is free indeed

I'm a child of God, Yes I am

Free at last, He has ransomed me

His grace runs deep

While I was a slave to sin Jesus died for me

Yes He died for me

Who the Son sets free

Oh is free indeed

I'm a child of God, Yes I am

In my Father's house

There's a place for me

I'm a child of God, Yes I am

I am chosen, not forsaken

I am who You say I am

You are for me, not against me

I am who You say I am

Offering

Let us present our offerings to the Lord.

**Yours, Lord, is the greatness, the power,
the glory, the splendour, and the majesty;
for everything in heaven and on earth is yours.**

**All things come from you,
and of your own we give you. Amen**

Eucharistic Prayer

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 him thanks and praise.

Worship and praise belong to you Father
in every place and at all times.

You made us,
and all the people of the world
and everything that is.

You give us the daylight.
Your Word lights up our minds.
Your Spirit lives in us
so that we can look at the world with your eyes.

As citizens of heaven,
we offer you our praise
with angels and archangels
and the whole company of heaven,
singing the hymn of your unending glory;

Holy, holy, holy Lord,
God of power and might,
Heaven and earth are full of your glory,
Hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna in the highest.

Father you never forget us,
or turn away from us even when we fail you.
You sent your Son Jesus,
who gave his life for us.

He healed those who were sick,
cared for those who were poor
and cried with those who were sad.
He forgave sinners and taught us to forgive.

For all your love we give you thanks
in the way that Jesus showed us.

For on the night before he died,
while he was having supper with his friends,
he took bread
and offered you thanks.

He broke the bread, and gave it to them, saying:
Take, eat. This is my Body: it is broken for you.'

After supper he took the cup,
he offered you thanks,
and gave it to them saying:

'Drink this, all of you.

This is my Blood of the new covenant;
it is poured out for you, and for all,
that sins may be forgiven.

Do this in remembrance of me.'

**So, as we do what he told us,
we open our hearts to him;
we remember how he died
and rose again for us.**

Hear us, most merciful Father,
and send your Holy Spirit on us
and on this bread and this wine;
that they may be the Body and Blood of Christ,
and that, sharing your life,
we may travel in your company to our journey's end.

**With all your people
we give you thanks and praise
through the Son
and in the Spirit,
now and for ever. Amen.**

Breaking of the Bread

The living bread is broken for the life of the world
Lord, unite us in this sign.

Lord's Prayer

As our Saviour Christ has commanded and taught us,
we are bold to say:

**Our Father, who art in heaven,
hallowed be thy name;
thy kingdom come; thy will be done;
on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread;
and forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those who trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom, the power and the glory,
for ever and ever. Amen.**

Distribution of Communion

Everyone is invited to receive communion or a blessing at this time.

Prayer after Communion

Give thanks to the Lord, for he is gracious
and his mercy endures for ever
Lord Jesus, guide and protect us your people
to know you in your risen life,
to declare that sin and death have been vanquished
and that we now live to your praise and glory. Amen

Blessing

The peace of God, which passes all understanding,
keep your hearts and minds in the knowledge and love of God,
and of his Son, Jesus Christ our Lord:
and the blessing of God almighty, the Father, the Son and the Holy
Spirit, be among you and remain with you always.
Amen.

Hymn

THE SPLENDOUR OF A KING, CLOTHED IN MAJESTY

Let all the earth rejoice, let all the earth rejoice
He wraps himself in Light, and darkness tries to hide
and trembles at His voice, 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

Age to age He stands and time is in His hands
The 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

Name above all names. Worthy of our praise
My heart will sing, how great is our God

Dismissal

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



We continue to distribute food parcels every week to a variety of families in their time of need across our community.

Here are some of the things that we are hoping to include in the Summer parcels going out in the coming weeks...

*Cans of macaroni cheese, chicken soup
Cans of ravioli, Multi pack crisps
Chocolate biscuits e.g club, Kitkat, twix bars etc
Pot noodles and other instant pot meals.*

The Full Gospel church is open from 10am to 10:30am on a Wednesday to receive your donations.— Thank You

*Please note Peter & Fiona are happy to collect donations from you
or for you to drop off your donation at the Rectory
11 Peacock Parkway, Bonnyrigg EH19 3RQ*



As we move into our Churches Summer Programme we flag up the following dates and events for your diary and look forward to seeing you there:

Saturday 1st July **Coffee at St Mary's** 10.30am to 12 Noon
Come and catch up with friends or make new ones over a cuppa and possibly even some cake.

Saturday 5th August **NO Coffee at St Mary's !!!**
However, Join us for an Afternoon Tea in celebration of our Patron Saint St Mary'

Friday 18th August **Quiz Night**
Bring some friends Teams of 4-6 people
Dalkeith Rugby Club 7.30pm. £10 per ticket including Buffet and other activities. The more who come the bigger the prizes so do encourage family and friends

St Leonard's Beacon of Hope

Our Monday Beacon of Hope activity at St Leonard's will be paused from July to August. We plan to resume in September, We are considering a new look and focus around fellowship and befriending, creating a meeting place for old friends and new

A Gospel Word Search

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