

# Church of Scotland - Viewpark Parish Church

Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> April 2021

## Morning Worship

online at: [www.viewparkparishchurch.org.uk](http://www.viewparkparishchurch.org.uk)

### *Welcome & Intimations*

### *Preparatory silence before worship*

### Gathering song

As we are gathered, Jesus is here,  
one with each other, Jesus is here;  
joined by the Spirit, washed in His blood,  
part of the body, the Church of God.

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one with each other, Jesus is here

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### Prayer

### Hymn: The Lord's my shepherd (I will trust)

The Lord's my Shepherd, I'll not want,  
he makes me lie in pastures green.  
He leads me by the still, still waters,  
his goodness restores my soul.

*And I will trust in you alone.*

*And I will trust in you alone,  
for your endless mercy follows me,  
your goodness will lead me home.*

He guides my ways in righteousness,  
and he anoints my head with oil,  
and my cup, it overflows with joy,  
I feast on his pure delights. *And I will trust . . .*

And though I walk the darkest path,  
I will not fear the evil one,  
for you are with me, and your rod and staff  
are the comfort I need to know. *And I will trust . . .*

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### Children's Talk

## JP 258: This little light of mine

*This little light of mine, I'm gonna let it shine  
This little light of mine, I'm gonna let it shine,  
This little light of mine, I'm gonna let it shine,  
Let it shine, let it shine, let it shine.*

The light that shines is the light of love  
Lights the darkness from above.  
It shines on me and it shines on you,  
And shows what the power of love can do.  
I'm gonna shine my light both far and near,  
I'm gonna shine my light both bright and clear,  
Where there's a dark corner in this land  
I'm gonna let my little light shine.

On Monday He gave me the gift of love,  
Tuesday, peace came from above.  
On Wednesday He told me to have more faith,  
On Thursday He gave me a little more grace.  
Friday, He told me just to watch and pray,  
Saturday, He told me just what to say.  
On Sunday He gave me the power divine  
To let my little light shine.

## Prayer

### Hymn: Purify my imagination

Purify my imagination with Your beauty O Lord  
Nourish my mind with Your truth  
That I may worship.  
Quicken my conscience to Your holiness  
In Your presence O Lord  
Open my heart to Your love  
that I may worship.

*Sweet adoration, Sweet adoration  
Holy, Holy, Holy is the Lord  
Sweet adoration, Sweet adoration  
Holy, Holy, Holy is the Lord our God*

Take away the sting of bitterness by Your mercy O Lord  
Awaken my soul to Your grace  
That I may worship.  
How can I hold unforgiveness  
Knowing you forgive me  
I surrender my life, my all  
That I may worship *Sweet adoration . . .*

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## Sermon

### Hymn: There is Holy ground

There is holy ground to walk upon  
There is peace that you can know  
Faith in God can fill your heart  
And fear and doubt may go  
There is holy ground to walk upon  
Leave behind your heavy shoes  
Come and stand in the shadow of his hands  
For He is calling you  
Come and stand in the shadow of his hands  
For He is calling you

There is holy ground to walk upon  
Hear him beckon to the lame  
For there His healing power may flow  
And limbs find strength again  
There is holy ground to walk upon  
There is holy work to do  
Trusting in the words of life  
That Jesus births in you  
Trusting in the words of life  
That Jesus births in you

There are holy dreams to dream upon  
Visions from the Lord on high  
Jesus may be showing you  
But will you turn your eyes  
There is holy ground to walk upon  
You can find the Jesus road  
Do not wait another day  
But tell Him you will go  
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## Prayer

## Hymn: What a faithful God have I

Lord, I come before your throne of grace;  
I find rest in your presence,  
and fullness of joy  
in worship and wonder  
I behold your face  
singing what a faithful God have I.  
*What a faithful God have I*  
*What a faithful God*  
*What a faithful God have I,*  
*Faithful in every way.*

Lord of mercy, you have heard my cry;  
Through the storm you're my beacon,  
my song in the night.  
in the shelter of your wings,  
hear my hearts reply,  
singing what a faithful God have I.  
*What a faithful God . . .*

Lord all sovereign, granting peace from heaven  
Let me comfort those who suffer  
with the comfort you have given.  
I will tell of your great love  
for as long as I live,  
singing what a faithful God have I.  
*What a faithful God . . .*

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## Benediction

### Sung Blessing

May God's blessing surround you today  
As you trust Him and walk in His way  
May His presence within, Guard and keep you from sin,  
Go in peace, go in joy, go in love.

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# Daily Bible Readings



Sun	Apr-18	Acts 3:1-15
Mon	Apr-19	Acts 3:16-26
Tue	Apr-20	1 John 3:13–4:6
Wed	Apr-21	John 10:1-21
Thu	Apr-22	Psalm 23
Fri	Apr-23	Ezekiel 34:1-16
Sat	Apr-24	Ezekiel 34:17-31
Sun	Apr-25	Mark 16:9-20