# Church of Scotland - Viewpark Parish Church Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> May 2021 Morning Worship

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#### Welcome & Intimations

# Preparatory silence before worship

# **Gathering song**

Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me break me, melt me, mould me, fill me Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me. *(repeat)* © 1982, Hope Publishing Co.

## Prayer

# Hymn: Come thou Fount of every blessing

Come, thou Fount of every blessing, tune my heart to sing thy grace; streams of mercy, never ceasing, call for songs of loudest praise.

Teach me some melodious sonnet, sung by flaming tongues above.

Praise the mount! I'm fixed upon it, mount of thy unchanging love.

Here I raise mine Ebenezer; hither by thy help I'm come; and I hope, by thy good pleasure, safely to arrive at home. Jesus sought me when a stranger, wandering from the fold of God; he, to rescue me from danger, interposed his precious blood. O to grace how great a debtor daily I'm constrained to be!
Let thy goodness, like a fetter, bind my wandering heart to thee.
Prone to wander, Lord, I feel it, prone to leave the God I love; here's my heart, O take and seal it, seal it for thy courts above.

O that day when freed from sinning, I shall see Thy lovely face; Clothèd then in blood washed linen How I'll sing Thy sovereign grace; Come, my Lord, no longer tarry, Take my ransomed soul away; Send thine angels now to carry Me to realms of endless day.

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#### Children's Talk

## Hymn: God so loved this whole world

God so loved this whole world
That he gave his only son
And if we will cleave to him, we'll not perish
But we'll have eternal life
And we'll never be condemned
For God's promises are yes and amen
Yeah yeah yeah, Yeah yeah yeah
Yeah yeah yeah, Yeah yeah yeah
Yeah yeah yeah, Yeah yeah yeah And amen!

Though we walk through dark days Where the earth and heavens shake Through the valley of despair he is with us Never giving up on us Faithful and forever friend For God's promises are yes and amen. Yeah yeah yeah . . .

Through the cross we are saved In the blood we put our faith For there is no other way into heaven Jesus conquered death and hell Promised to return again And God's promises are yes and amen Yeah yeah yeah . . .

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# **Prayer**

## Hymn: God I look to you

God I look to You, 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 *(repeat)* 

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 (repeat)

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 . . . (x2)

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#### Sermon

# Hymn 482: Yield not to temptation

Yield no to temptation, for yielding is sin; Each victory will help you some other to win; Fight manfully onward; dark passions subdue; Look ever to Jesus, he will carry you through. Ask the Saviour to help you, Comfort, strengthen, and keep you; He is willing to aid you; He will carry you through

Shun evil companions; bad language disdain; God's Name hold in reverence, nor take it in vain; Be thoughtful and earnest, kind-hearted and true; Look ever to Jesus, he will carry you through. *Ask the Saviour* . . .

To him that o'ercometh God giveth a crown; Through faith we shall conquer, though often cast down; He who is our Saviour our strength will renew; Look ever to Jesus, he will carry you through. Ask the Saviour . . .

## **Prayer**

# Hymn: Amazing Grace / my chains are gone

Amazing grace how sweet the sound That saved a wretch like me I once was lost but now am found Was blind but now I see

Twas grace that taught my heart to fear And grace my fears relieved How precious did that grace appear The hour I first believed My chains are gone I've been set free My God, my Saviour has ransomed me And like a flood his mercy reigns Unending love Amazing grace

The Lord has promised good to me His word my hope secures He will my shield and portion be As long as life endures My chains are gone . . .

The earth shall soon dissolve like snow The sun forbear to shine But God who called me here below Will be forever mine My chains are gone . . . @2006 Six Steps Music

#### **Benediction**

# **Sung Blessing**

Praise the Father Praise the Son
Praise the Spirit three in one
God of glory Majesty
Praise forever to the King of Kings. (Repeat)
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# **Daily Bible Readings**

