

The Anlaby Churches Mothering Sunday

Sunday 29th March 2020,



We are a Christ-centred community existing to spread a passion for Jesus Christ across the Anlaby communities and beyond.

Due to the restrictions put in place by the Coronavirus outbreak we are meeting virtually

Today's theme is God's love for us in Jesus.

PRAISING GOD

Because of the Lord's great love we are not consumed, for his compassions never fail. They are new every morning; great is your faithfulness. Amen. (*Lamentations 3:22-23*)

Songs of Praise - Bless the Lord, O My Soul (10,000 Reasons)

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=DXDGE_IRIOE

*Bless the Lord, O my soul
O my soul
Worship His holy name
Sing like never before
O my soul
I'll worship Your holy name*
The sun comes up,
it's a new day dawning
It's time to sing Your song again
Whatever may pass,
and whatever lies before me
Let me be singing
when the evening comes
Bless the Lord, O my soul...
You're rich in love,
and You're slow to anger
Your name is great,
and Your heart is kind
For all Your goodness
I will keep on singing
Ten thousand reasons

for my heart to find
Bless the Lord, O my soul...
And on that day
when my strength is failing
The end draws near
and my time has come
Still my soul will sing
Your praise unending
Ten thousand years
and then forevermore
Bless the Lord, O my soul...
*...I'll worship Your holy name
Worship Your holy name
Yes, I'll worship Your holy name*

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The Gospel Song

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=VG6PSa86klo>

Holy God in love became
Perfect man to bear my blame
On the cross he took my sin
By his death I live again

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Children

ENGAGING WITH GOD

Renewal

A prayer saying sorry to God

Almighty God, our heavenly Father,
we have sinned against you
and against our neighbour
in thought and word and deed,
through negligence, through weakness,
through our own deliberate fault.
We are truly sorry
and repent of all our sins.
For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ,
who died for us,
forgive us all that is past
and grant that we may serve you in newness of life
to the glory of your name. Amen.

Almighty God,
who forgives all who truly repent,
have mercy upon us,
pardon and deliver us from all our sins,
confirm and strengthen us in all goodness,
and keep us in life eternal;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.

Listen - I Will Glory in My Redeemer

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Rvg97zvN-el>

I will glory in my Redeemer
Whose priceless blood has ransomed me
Mine was the sin that drove the bitter nails
And hung Him on that judgment tree

I will glory in my Redeemer
Who crushed the power of sin and death
My only Savior before the holy Judge
The Lamb who is my righteousness
The Lamb who is my righteousness
I will glory in my Redeemer
My life He bought, my love He owns
I have no longings for another
I'm satisfied in Him alone
I will glory in my Redeemer
His faithfulness my standing place
Though foes are mighty and rush upon me
My feet are firm, held by His grace
My feet are firm, held by His grace
I will glory in my Redeemer
Who carries me on eagles' wings
He crowns my life with loving kindness
His triumph song I'll ever sing
I will glory in my Redeemer
Who waits for me at gates of gold
And when He calls me, it will be paradise
His face forever to behold
His face forever to behold

Source: Musixmatch
Songwriters: Steve Cook
I Will Glory In My Redeemer lyrics © Sovereign Grace Worship

Prayers

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 for ever. Amen.**

Song - Purify my Heart

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9Y8zP34AhuU>

Purify my heart,
let me be as gold
and precious silver.

Purify my heart,
let me be as gold,
pure gold.

*Refiner's fire,
my heart's one desire
is to be holy,
set apart for You Lord.
I choose to be holy,
set apart for You my master,
ready to do Your will.*

Purify my heart,
cleanse me from within
and make me holy.
Purify my heart,
cleanse me from my sin,
deep within.

Refiner's fire...

Brian Doerkson © 1990 Vineyards Songs

We say what we believe

**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,
and speaks to us clearly
through God's word, the Bible.**

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

Amen.

HEARING FROM GOD

First Bible Reading - 1 Corinthians 13:1-7

If I speak in the tongues of men or of angels, but do not have love, I am only a resounding gong or a clanging cymbal. ²If I have the gift of prophecy and can fathom all mysteries and all knowledge, and if I have a faith that can move mountains, but do not have love, I am nothing. ³If I give all I possess to the poor and give over my body to hardship that I may boast, but do not have love, I gain nothing.

⁴Love is patient, love is kind. It does not envy, it does not boast, it is not proud. ⁵It does not dishonour others, it is not self-seeking, it is not easily angered, it keeps no record of wrongs. ⁶Love does not delight in evil but rejoices with the truth. ⁷It always protects, always trusts, always hopes, always perseveres.

Second Bible Reading - Matthew 22:34-40

³⁴ Hearing that Jesus had silenced the Sadducees, the Pharisees got together. ³⁵ One of them, an expert in the law, tested him with this question: ³⁶ “Teacher, which is the greatest commandment in the Law?”

³⁷ Jesus replied: “‘Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind.’ ³⁸ This is the first and greatest commandment. ³⁹ And the second is like it: ‘Love your neighbour as yourself.’ ⁴⁰ All the Law and the Prophets hang on these two commandments.”

Talk

COMMISSIONED BY GOD

Song - Guide me, O Thou Great Redeemer

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Ofp6rdAgRrY>

Guide me O Thou great Redeemer
Pilgrim through this barren land
I am weak but Thou art mighty
Hold me with Thy pow'rful hand
Bread of heaven, Bread of heaven
Feed me 'til I want no more
Feed me 'till I want no more
Open now the crystal fountain
Whence the healing stream doth flow
Let the fiery cloudy pillar
Lead me all my journey through
Strong Deliverer, strong Deliverer
Be Thou still my strength and shield
Be Thou still my strength and shield
When I tread the verge of Jordan
Bid my anxious fears subside
Death of death and hell's destruction
Land me safe on Canaan's side
Songs of praises, songs of praises
I will ever give to Thee
I will ever give to Thee

Notices

To him who is able to keep you from stumbling and to present you before his glorious presence without fault and with great joy – to the only God our Saviour be glory, majesty, power and authority, through Jesus Christ our Lord, before all ages, now and for evermore! **Amen.**

(Jude 24-25)

Blessing

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

To find out more about how we are continuing to live and serve as a church community at this time, see our Facebook page - @AnlabyChurches.

CCLI number: 347889

Notices

- ✚ **Church office** - In line with government guidance the Church Office is closed and Jo Hepworth will be working from home. Messages can be left on the answerphone at the office and will be picked up periodically. Email messages will be answered as usual. Please could everyone else refrain from going into the office. Jo is happy to do any church-related photocopying which may be needed, if she is given enough notice.

- ✚ **Lent meeting** - Around 20 people joined in with our first Lent meeting by Zoom last Tuesday! We found it really helpful to see each other, encourage each other and pray together. We'll be meeting again this **Tuesday 31st March at 7:30pm**, discussing Sunday's sermon and praying. If you would like to be involved, please go to <http://www.zoom.us> and sign up. It's very easy! If you could then let Steve Wilcox know, he'll make sure you're invited to the meeting. All you need is a computer with a microphone and an internet connection. If we can see you through a camera as well that's a bonus.

- ✚ **Financial Giving** - We trust that many people are being blessed through the ministry of the Anlaby Churches at this difficult time. We are thankful to the many who are continuing to give by standing order, to enable us to continue to operate. Though some of our building costs may have dropped, our staff costs and many other costs continue. For those who usually give by envelope, we would be very grateful if you could consider whether you might set up a **standing order** (if you are able to); or give by **cheque** made out to "St Peter's Anlaby PCC" or "St Mark's Anlaby Common PCC", and posted to St Peter's Vicarage, Church Street, Anlaby, HU10 7DG. Thank you for your ongoing support, financially and in other ways. For a copy of our **giving forms** (including details of how to set up a standing order), please look on our website or contact Jo Hepworth or Steve Wilcox. Thank you.

Forthcoming Events

- Sunday 5th April** Palm Sunday virtual service

- Tuesday 7th April** Church family night/Prayer evening - via Zoom

- Friday 10th April** Good Friday reflective service (from 2pm) - means of communication to be confirmed
The Walk of Witness is unfortunately cancelled

- Sunday 12th April** Easter Sunday virtual service

Parish Prayer List St. Peter's & St. Mark's

- ✚ **Sick: (Bodily, emotionally or spiritually)** Joanne Tozer, Chuck Ferguson, Mary Gee, Janet Brook, Mary Nicholson, Joanne Spence, Maureen & Norman Moulson, Jean Goode, Gill Piercey, Eileen Payton, Dorothy Hiley, Pat Button, Doug Stones, Malcolm & Patricia Wiles

- ✚ Pray for all those who are vulnerable to the Coronavirus, and those who are lonely in the church and community.

Please contact Jo Hepworth with amendments to the Sick List - 355824 or jo_hepworth@rocketmail.com

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