

# The Anlaby Churches Sunday Worship

Sunday 7th June 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 at The Anlaby Churches YouTube channel.*

***Today's theme is our generous God.***

## PRAISING GOD

**I will exalt you, my God the King;  
I will praise your name for ever and ever.**

**Every day I will praise you  
and extol your name for ever and ever.**

Great is the LORD and most worthy of praise;  
his greatness no one can fathom.

One generation commends your works to another;  
they tell of your mighty acts.

**They speak of the glorious splendour of your majesty –  
and I will meditate on your wonderful works.**

**They tell of the power of your awesome works –  
and I will proclaim your great deeds.**

**They celebrate your abundant goodness  
and joyfully sing of your righteousness. Amen.**

*(Psalm 145:1-7)*

## Song of Praise - All Creatures of Our God and King

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

All creatures of our God and king,  
lift up your voice and with us sing  
Hallelujah, Hallelujah!

Thou burning sun with golden beam,  
thou silver moon with softer gleam,  
O praise him, O praise him,  
Hallelujah! Hallelujah! Hallelujah!

Thou rushing wind that art so strong,  
ye clouds that sail in heaven along,  
O praise him! Hallelujah!

Thou rising morn, in praise rejoice,  
ye lights of evening, find a voice;  
O praise him, O praise him,  
Hallelujah! Hallelujah! Hallelujah!

And all ye men of tender heart,  
forgiving others, take your part;  
O sing ye, Hallelujah!  
Ye who long pain and sorrow bear,  
praise God and on him cast your care;  
O praise him, O praise him,  
Hallelujah! Hallelujah! Hallelujah!

Let all things their Creator bless,  
and worship him in humbleness,  
O praise him, Hallelujah!  
Praise, praise the Father,  
praise the Son,  
and praise the Spirit, Three-in-One,  
O praise him, O praise him,  
Hallelujah! Hallelujah! Hallelujah!

## Prayer of thanksgiving

**Almighty God, Father of all mercies,  
we your unworthy servants give humble and hearty thanks  
for all your goodness and loving kindness to us and to all people;  
we bless you for our creation, preservation  
and all the blessings of this life;  
but above all for your amazing love  
in the redemption of the world through our Lord Jesus Christ;  
for the means of grace;  
and for the hope of glory.  
And, we pray, give us that due sense of all your mercies,  
that our hearts may be truly thankful  
and that we may declare your praise  
not only with our lips, but in our lives,  
by giving up ourselves to your service,  
and by walking before you in holiness and righteousness  
all our days;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord,  
to whom, with you and the Holy Spirit, be all honour and glory,  
now and for ever. Amen.**

*(modern version; original version from The Book of Common Prayer)*

## Children

### Song - Good and Gracious

[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1wnAi\\_rrGAE](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1wnAi_rrGAE)

*Good and gracious*

*You're our Creator*

*Good and gracious*

*To all You've made You're*

*Good and gracious*

*You never change, there's goodness*

*In everything You do*

Father, You are powerful and mighty  
You rule over everything our eyes see  
You provide the air that we breathe

Sun and rain and food that we eat  
You're so good to always take care of me

*Good and gracious*

*You're our Creator*

*Good and gracious*

*To all You've made You're*

*Good and gracious*

*You never change, there's goodness*

*In everything You do*

Father, You sent Jesus down to save us  
He's the greatest gift You ever gave us  
When the Spirit opens our eyes  
We can see the goodness of Christ  
Then we find we want to do good like You

*Good and gracious...*

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## **ENGAGING WITH GOD**

### **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.**

This is how God showed his love among us: he sent his one and only Son into the world that we might live through him. This is love: not that we loved God, but that he loved us and sent his Son as an atoning sacrifice for our sins. **Amen.** (1 John 4:9-10)

**Our God fulfils his promises  
and is true to his word.  
We have confessed our sins.  
God has forgiven us,  
because Christ died for us. Amen.**

## **Prayers**

*The following responses may be used:*

Lord, in your mercy, **Hear our prayer.**

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

### **Song - Now Thank We All Our God**

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=4jNCGg5ObVw>

Now thank we all our God  
With heart and hands and voices  
For wonders he has done  
In whom we now rejoice  
Who from our mothers' arms  
Poured blessing on life's journey  
With countless gifts of love  
And still is ours today  
*Now thank we all, our God  
Now thank we all, our God*  
O may this bounteous God  
Through all our life be near us  
With ever joyful hearts  
And blessed peace to cheer  
Held safe within his grace  
And guided by his goodness

He frees us from our ills  
In this world and the next  
*Now thank we all, our God  
Now thank we all, our God*  
All praise and thanks to God  
The Father now be given  
The Son and him who reigns  
With them in highest heav'n  
The One eternal God  
Who saints and angels all adore  
So faithful to the end  
And shall be evermore  
*Now thank we all, our God  
Now thank we all, our God*  
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### **Declaring what Christians have always believed**

**I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.  
I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by  
the Holy Spirit and born of the virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius  
Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to the dead.  
The third day he rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven  
and is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty. From there  
he will come to judge the living and the dead.**

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

*(The Apostles' Creed)*

### HEARING FROM GOD

#### First Bible Reading - Numbers 18:21-29

<sup>21</sup> 'I give to the Levites all the tithes in Israel as their inheritance in return for the work they do while serving at the tent of meeting. <sup>22</sup> From now on the Israelites must not go near the tent of meeting, or they will bear the consequences of their sin and will die. <sup>23</sup> It is the Levites who are to do the work at the tent of meeting and bear the responsibility for any offences they commit against it. This is a lasting ordinance for the generations to come. They will receive no inheritance among the Israelites. <sup>24</sup> Instead, I give to the Levites as their inheritance the tithes that the Israelites present as an offering to the LORD. That is why I said concerning them: "They will have no inheritance among the Israelites."

<sup>25</sup> The LORD said to Moses, <sup>26</sup> "Speak to the Levites and say to them: "When you receive from the Israelites the tithe I give you as your inheritance, you must present a tenth of that tithe as the LORD'S offering. <sup>27</sup> Your offering will be reckoned to you as grain from the threshing-floor or juice from the winepress. <sup>28</sup> In this way you also will present an offering to the LORD from all the tithes you receive from the Israelites. From these tithes you must give the LORD'S portion to Aaron the priest. <sup>29</sup> You must present as the LORD'S portion the best and holiest part of everything given to you."

#### Second Bible Reading - Malachi 3:8-12

<sup>8</sup> 'Will a mere mortal rob God? Yet you rob me.

'But you ask, "How are we robbing you?"

'In tithes and offerings. <sup>9</sup> You are under a curse - your whole nation - because you are robbing me. <sup>10</sup> Bring the whole tithe into the storehouse, that there may be food in my house. Test me in this,' says the LORD Almighty, 'and see if I will not throw open the floodgates of heaven and pour out so much blessing that there will not be room enough to store it. <sup>11</sup> I will prevent pests from devouring your crops, and the vines in your fields will not drop their fruit before it is ripe,' says the LORD Almighty. <sup>12</sup> 'Then all the nations will call you blessed, for yours will be a delightful land,' says the LORD Almighty.

#### Third Bible Reading - Matthew 6:31-34

<sup>31</sup> So do not worry, saying, "What shall we eat?" or "What shall we drink?" or "What shall we wear?" <sup>32</sup> For the pagans run after all these things, and your heavenly Father knows that you need them. <sup>33</sup> But seek first his kingdom and his righteousness, and all these things will be given to you as well. <sup>34</sup> Therefore do not worry about tomorrow, for tomorrow will worry about itself. Each day has enough trouble of its own.

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

### Talk

#### COMMISSIONED BY GOD

#### Song - Generous King

[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=nAs\\_rSnIH\\_k](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=nAs_rSnIH_k)

You spoke and our hearts began to beat,  
You gave us breath and air to breathe,  
it's all from You Lord, it's all from You.  
You give the morning sun its light,  
all that we need your hand provides,  
it's all from You Lord, It's all from You.  
With humble hearts we thank you,  
with grateful hearts we sing out:

*Generous King, You give,  
out of Your fullness,  
showering kindness,  
You give,*

*Generous King, mercies unending,  
love never failing,  
You give.*

The wrath we deserved was furious,  
The cup that we drink is full of love,  
it's all from You Lord, it's all from You.  
Your Spirit You've freely given us,  
Now we see Jesus glorious,  
it's all from You, Lord, it's all from You.

With humble hearts we thank You,  
with grateful hearts we sing out:

*Generous King, You give,...*

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### Notices

**The LORD is gracious and compassionate,  
slow to anger and rich in love.**

**The LORD is good to all;**

**he has compassion on all he has made.**

**All your works praise you, LORD;**

**your faithful people extol you.**

**We will tell of the glory of your kingdom  
and speak of your might,**

**so that all people may know of your mighty acts  
and the glorious splendour of your kingdom.**

**Your kingdom is an everlasting kingdom,**

**and your dominion endures through all generations.**

**The LORD is trustworthy in all he promises**

**and faithful in all he does. Amen.**

*(Psalm 145:8-13)*

### 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.**

**We hope you have enjoyed worshipping with us today. If you're new with us we'd love you to get in touch! Do email the vicar Steve at [scfwilcox@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:scfwilcox@yahoo.co.uk) - he'd love to know how you heard about us, how you found the service, and if there's any way we can be of service at this time. For more information about what's going on at the Anlaby Churches please visit our website or look at our Facebook page - @AnlabyChurches.**