



WELCOME

**Sherbrooke Mosspark
Parish Church**

Sunday 13th June 2021

ORDER OF SERVICE

Voluntary Prelude on "Rhosymedre"

**Call to
Worship** "If the Spirit is in you, the Spirit is your life" Romans 8:10

Praise 200 Christ is made the sure foundation

1 Christ is made the sure foundation,
Christ the head and cornerstone,
chosen of the Lord, and precious,
binding all the Church in one,
holy Zion's help for ever,
and her confidence alone.

2 To this temple, where we call you,
come, O Lord of Hosts, today;
with your constant loving-kindness,
hear your servants as they pray,
and your fullest benediction
shed within its walls always.

3 Here bestow on all your servants
what they ask of you to gain,
what they gain from you for ever
with the blessed to retain,
and hereafter in your glory
evermore with you to reign.

4 Praise and honour to the Father,
praise and honour to the Son,
praise and honour to the Spirit,
ever Three and ever One,
One in might and One in glory
while unending ages run.

Prayers of approach, confession and the Lord's Prayer

**Old
Testament**

Psalm 20

(p.482)

1 The LORD answer you in the day of trouble! The name of the God of Jacob protect you! **2** May he send you help from the sanctuary, and give you support from Zion! **3** May he remember all your offerings, and regard with favor your burnt sacrifices! [Selah] **4** May he grant you your heart's desire, and fulfil all your plans! **5** May we shout for joy over your victory, and in the name of our God set up our banners! May the LORD fulfil all your petitions! **6** Now I know that the LORD will help his anointed; he will answer him from his holy heaven with mighty victories by his right hand. **7** Some boast of chariots, and some of horses; but we boast of the name of the LORD our God. **8** They will collapse and fall; but we shall rise and stand upright. **9** Give victory to the king, O LORD; answer us when we call.

Anthem

Above all praise and all majesty – F. Mendelssohn

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Lord Thou reignest evermore.
Hallelujah.

Gospel

Matthew 13:31-33 44

(p.13)

31 Another parable he put before them, saying, "The kingdom of heaven is like a grain of mustard seed which a man took and sowed in his field; **32** it is the smallest of all seeds, but when it has grown it is the greatest of shrubs and becomes a tree, so that the birds of the air come and make nests in its branches." **33** He told them another parable. "The kingdom of heaven is like leaven which a woman took and hid in three measures of flour, till it was all leavened." **44** "The kingdom of heaven is like treasure hidden in a field, which a man found and covered up; then in his joy he goes and sells all that he has and buys that field.

Praise

352 O for a thousand tongues, to sing

1 O for a thousand tongues, to sing
my great Redeemer's praise,
the glories of my God and King,
the triumphs of his grace!

2 Jesus! the name that charms our fears,
and bids our sorrows cease;
'tis music in the sinner's ears,
'tis life, and health, and peace.

3 He breaks the power of cancelled sin,
he sets the prisoner free;
his blood can make the foulest clean,
his blood availed for me.

4 He speaks, and, listening to his voice,
new life the dead receive,
the mournful, broken hearts rejoice,
the humble poor believe.

5 Hear him, ye deaf; his praise, ye dumb,
your loosened tongues employ;
ye blind, behold your Saviour come;
and leap, ye lame, for joy!

6 My gracious Master and my God,
assist me to proclaim,
to spread through all the earth abroad
the honours of thy name.

SERMON
“Is it worth it”

Praise

264 Judge Eternal, throned in splendour

1 Judge Eternal, throned in splendour,
Lord of lords and King of kings,
with your living fire of judgement
purge this land of bitter things;
solace all its wide dominion
with the healing of your wings.

2 Still the weary folk are pining
for the hour that brings release;
and the city's crowded clangour
cries aloud for sin to cease;
and the homesteads and the woodlands
plead in silence for their peace.

3 Crown, O God, your own endeavour;
cleave our darkness with your sword;
feed the faithless and the hungry
with the richness of your word;
cleanse the body of this nation
through the glory of the Lord.

Offerings

Prayers of Dedication, Thanksgiving and Intercessions

Praise

512 To God be the glory

1 To God be the glory, great things he has done!
So loved he the world that he gave us his Son,
who yielded his life an atonement for sin,
and opened the life-gate that all may go in.

*Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord!
Let the earth hear his voice!
Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord!
Let the people rejoice!
Oh, come to the Father, through Jesus the Son,
and give him the glory! Great things he has done!*

2 O perfect redemption, the purchase of blood,
to every believer the promise of God;
for every offender who truly believes,
that moment from Jesus a pardon receives. [Refrain]

3 Great things he has taught us, great things he has done,
and great our rejoicing through Jesus the Son:
but purer, and higher, and greater will be
our joy and our wonder, when Jesus we see. [Refrain]

BLESSING

Voluntary Toccata on "Hanover" – K. Leighton

PLEASE NOTE you will be shown your seat by one of the duty team today. We ask you remain in it for the duration of the Service. Please follow the guidance of the team who are responsible for ensuring you are kept safe. You are required to familiarise yourself with the current government guidelines about social distancing and hand-sanitising while in the building. Please remember we have to operate a one-way system of entry and exit to the building

Attendance at Service:

Up to 60 people will be permitted to be present in the sanctuary for worship. If you wish to attend please contact the office to register in advance, otherwise we may not be able to allow you admission (Government and Church of Scotland regulations).

The Readings are printed.

What Are You Doing Now? With Covid Restrictions reducing it would be great to share the things you are doing now and couldn't do before with a photo. See the website for more details.

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