

Welcome



# **Sherbrooke Moss Park Parish Church**

*21<sup>st</sup>. Sunday after Pentecost*  
**Sunday, 25<sup>th</sup>. October 2020**

# ORDER OF SERVICE

**Voluntary** Sonata for Organ No. 1, second movement - Florence B. Price

## WELCOME

**Praise** 115 Love is the touch of intangible joy;  
1 Love is the touch of intangible joy;  
love is the force that no fear can destroy;  
love is the goodness we gladly applaud:  
God is where love is. For love is of God.  
2 Love is the lilt in a lingering voice;  
love is the hope that can make us rejoice;  
love is the cure for the frightened and flawed:  
God is where love is, for love is of God.  
3 Love is the light in the tunnel of pain  
love is the will to be whole once again;  
love is the trust of a friend on the road:  
God is where love is, for love is of God.  
4 Love is the Maker, and Spirit, and Son;  
love is the kingdom their will has begun;  
love is the pathway the saints all have trod:  
God is where love is, for love is of God.

**Prayers** (sung Kyrie) Gormley

This is the ancient prayer of the Church asking for God's mercy upon us.

Kyrie eleison	Lord have mercy
Christe eleison	Christ have mercy
Kyrie eleison	Lord have mercy

**Collect for  
Today**

**1<sup>st</sup> Reading** Romans 13 8-14

(p. )



1 This is my will, my new command,  
that love should dwell among you all.  
This is my will, that you should love  
as I have shown that I love you.

2 There is no greater love than this;  
to lay your life down for friends.  
You are my friends if you obey  
what I've commanded you to do.

3 I call you servants now no more;  
no servant knows his Lord's full mind.  
I call you friends, for I've told you  
all I have heard my Father say.

4 You did not choose me: I chose you,  
appointed you and chose you all,  
each one go and bear much fruit,  
fruit that will last beyond all time.

5 All that you ask the Father now  
for my name's sake you shall receive.  
This is my will, my one command,  
that love should dwell in each, in all.

## **ADDRESS**

**Offerings** Our offerings are used to support the work of the church here at Sherbrooke Mossspark and further afield.

### **Prayers of Thanksgiving, Dedication and Intercession for the Church and world**

**Praise** 506 All I once held dear,

All I once held dear, built my life upon  
All this world reveres, and wars to own  
All I once thought gain I have counted loss  
Spent and worthless now, compared to this

*Knowing you, Jesus  
Knowing you, there is no greater thing  
You're my all, you're the best  
You're my joy, my righteousness  
And I love you, Lord*

Now my heart's desire is to know you more  
To be found in you and known as yours  
To possess by faith what I could not earn  
All-surpassing gift of righteousness

Oh, to know the power of your risen life  
And to know You in Your sufferings  
To become like you in your death, my Lord  
So with you to live and never die

## **BLESSING**

**Voluntary** Impromptu (Op. 78/2) – S. Coleridge-Taylor

**WELCOME back to the Sanctuary here at  
Sherbrooke Mosspark,**

**We are glad you are able to be with us today.**

**We welcome Rev Matthew Ritchie who will conduct our service this morning.**

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**Could we ask, if you, or anyone in your household, is feeling unwell you please refrain from entering the building and follow the Scottish Government guidelines issued during the pandemic.**

**Please adhere to the instructions given by the people on duty today, at the doors, as we must observe the instructions given for the opening of places of public worship.**

**Hand sanitisers must be used and you must follow the one-way system and leave by the ramp door at the St Gilbert's Chapel side of the building.**

**Please take your seat as guided and remain in it. This is a requirement of our being permitted to open for worship. We must also remind you of the need to maintain social distancing again a requirement if we are to remain open.**

**Our pattern of worship follows roughly what has been the norm in this kirk but there are some changes due to the current circumstances.**

**We cannot sing:** the words of the hymns are printed for you to follow. There is a soloist (as permitted by the government guidance)

**The Readings are printed**

**There is no Young Church Talk** (this is still online) Messy Church is also online. Check church website.

**Our Offerings can be given as you enter the sanctuary in the dish provided, or as you leave after the Service.**

**Poppy Scotland Appeal.** If you want to support Poppy Scotland Appeal this year the church has a supply of poppies which can be obtained either when the kirk is open for worship or by telephoning the office and going in to collect one.

**Scary Pumpkin Trail:** please see the website for details of a fun event for our younger children that takes place on October 31<sup>st</sup>. It is a walk around the parish visiting homes where pumpkins have been placed outside for the youngsters to see. This is a parent and child trail and there may even be some surprises on the way.

**Minister:** Matthew Ritchie

**Organist:** John Gormley

**Beadle:** Cameron Aitken

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