

# TRINITY CHURCH (Methodist & United Reformed)

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## 'Serving God, serving each other, serving community'

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# **10.30am Morning Worship** led by Revd Pauline Main

Church Stewards on duty: Tricia Cook & Lindsay Busby

A **special welcome** to any visitors joining us today

There is an **Open Prayer Book** in the Welcome Area for you to enter the name of any situation or person you wish to remember during the service. There is also a **Prayer Box** for requests which, for any reason, need to remain confidential, and each individual will be prayed for by name later in the week, and in confidence, by the Prayer Group.

Our **Jesus & Me (Children's) Group** will not be meeting today. Children are welcome to stay in the Service, or take advantage of the toys and activities in the Welcome Area.

### Welcome

### Time of Quiet

### Call to Worship

The Lord God, Father, Son and Holy Spirit, is our creator.

We worship the Lord, the giver of life.

The Lord is our promise.

We worship the Lord, the giver of life.

The Lord is our judge.

We worship the Lord, the giver of life.

The Lord is our hope.

We worship the Lord, the giver of life.

The Lord is our salvation.

We worship the Lord, the giver of life.

Let us worship the Lord, our God.

Let us worship the Lord, the giver of life, our God.

Amen

God is love, let heaven adore him

StF 103

### Opening Prayers

### Prayer of confession

based on Psalm 51

O God, in your goodness have mercy on us, wash us clean from our guilt:

purify us from our sin.

We know our faults well:

our sins hang heavy upon us.

Against you only have we sinned;

we have done evil in your sight.

So you are right to judge us:

you are justified in condemning us.

Remove our sin and we will be clean:

wash us, and we will be whiter than snow.

Hide your face from our sins:

wipe out all our guilt through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.

### **The Lords Prayer**

Please remain seated for:

In the darkness of the still night

StF 109

**Reading**Reader: This is our faith's story

Thanks be to God

Jeremiah 31: 31 - 34

Reader: Ken Clark

Reading

John 12: 20 - 33

Reader: This is the Word of the Lord

Thanks be to God

Reader: Barbara Deakin

Now the green blade rises

StF 306

SERMON

Seeing Jesus

How sweet the name of Jesus sounds

StF 322

Prayers of Intercession,

including dedication of gifts and prayer requests

One human family God has made

StF 687

### Closing Blessing and Sending Out

Jesus said,

'Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you.

Do not let your hearts be troubled, and do not let them be afraid.'

Let us go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

In the name of Christ. Amen.

And may the blessing of God,

Spirit, Son and Father, be with us all.

Amen

You are very welcome to enjoy a cup of coffee or tea after today's service. Thanks to today's Coffee Rota volunteers:

Rosemary Richards & Val Dalby

During this time the screen there will be a slide show of some of the work by young visitors to Experience Easter last week.

### **Next Week at Trinity**

10:30am Morning Worship led by Revd Ian Griffiths Followed by the Church Meeting



Thanks be to God for the life of Agnes Kelleher whose funeral will be held at Trinity on Friday 22 March at 12 noon