**Morning Prayer 26.06.2022**

‘I wait for the Lord, my whole being waits, and in his word I put my hope.’ *Psalm 130:5*

**Opening Sentences**

O Lord open our lips **and our mouth shall proclaim your praise.**

The night has passed, and the day lies open before us; let us pray with one heart and mind.

*Pause for reflection as you offer the day to God.*

As we rejoice in the gift of this new day, so may the light of your presence, O God, set our hearts on fire with love for you; now and for ever. **Amen**

**Song – 10,000 Reasons***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

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

*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

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 **Bible Readings

Psalm 77: 11-end**

11 I will call to mind the deeds of the Lord;

 I will remember your wonders of old.

12 I will meditate on all your work,

 and muse on your mighty deeds.

13 Your way, O God, is holy.

 What god is so great as our God?

14 You are the God who works wonders;

 you have displayed your might among the peoples.

15 With your strong arm you redeemed your people,

 the descendants of Jacob and Joseph.

16 When the waters saw you, O God,

 when the waters saw you, they were afraid;

 the very deep trembled.

17 The clouds poured out water;

 the skies thundered;

 your arrows flashed on every side.

18 The crash of your thunder was in the whirlwind;

 your lightnings lit up the world;

 the earth trembled and shook.

19 Your way was through the sea,

 your path, through the mighty waters;

 yet your footprints were unseen.

20 You led your people like a flock

 by the hand of Moses and Aaron.

**Glory to the Father, and to the Son**

**and to the Holy Spirit;**

**as it was in the beginning is now**

**and shall be for ever. Amen**

 **New Testament Reading – *Luke 9: 51-end***

When the days drew near for him to be taken up, he set his face to go to Jerusalem. And he sent messengers ahead of him. On their way they entered a village of the Samaritans to make ready for him; but they did not receive him, because his face was set towards Jerusalem. When his disciples James and John saw it, they said, ‘Lord, do you want us to command fire to come down from heaven and consume them?’ But he turned and rebuked them. Then they went on to another village.

As they were going along the road, someone said to him, ‘I will follow you wherever you go.’ And Jesus said to him, ‘Foxes have holes, and birds of the air have nests; but the Son of Man has nowhere to lay his head.’ To another he said, ‘Follow me.’ But he said, ‘Lord, first let me go and bury my father.’ But Jesus said to him, ‘Let the dead bury their own dead; but as for you, go and proclaim the kingdom of God.’ Another said, ‘I will follow you, Lord; but let me first say farewell to those at my home.’ Jesus said to him, ‘No one who puts a hand to the plough and looks back is fit for the kingdom of God.’

This is the word of the Lord

**Thanks be to God**

**Talk**

**Prayers**

*In our prayers we will pray for the world, the church, our local community, and for those who are in need.*

*At the end of each section we say:*

Lord in Your mercy

**hear our prayer.**

*And at the end:*

Merciful Father,

**accept these prayers**

**for the sake of your Son,**

**our Saviour Jesus Christ.**

**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.

Notices**

**Song – Build my Life**

Worthy of every song we could ever sing

*And I will build my life upon Your love*

*It is a firm foundation*

*I will put my trust in You alone*

*And I will not be shaken*

*I will build my life upon Your love*

*It is a firm foundation*

*I will put my trust in You alone*

*And I will not be shaken*

Worthy of all the praise we could ever bring

Worthy of every breath we could ever breathe

We live for You

Jesus, the Name above every other name

Jesus, the only One who could ever save

Worthy of every breath we could ever breathe

We live for You

Oh, we live for You

*Holy, there is no one like You*

*There is none beside You*

*Open up my eyes in wonder*

*And show me who You are*

*And fill me with Your heart*

*And lead me in Your love to those around me*

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**Conclusion**

The Lord bless us, and preserve us from all evil, and keep us in eternal life.

**Amen.**

Let us bless the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

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