

**Hymn Sheet for Sunday 12th May 2024
Morning Worship led by Julie Payne**

Welcome and Notices

Call to worship – 2 Corinthians 4: 6 - 7

Hymn MP 50

Be still, for the presence of the Lord,
the Holy one is here;
come bow before Him now
with reverence and fear;
In Him no sin is found -
we stand on holy ground.
Be still, for the presence of the Lord,
the Holy one is here.

Be still, for the glory of the Lord
is shining all around;
He burns with holy fire,
with splendour He is crowned:
How awesome is the sight -
our radiant King of light!
Be still, for the glory of the Lord
is shining all around.

Be still, for the power of the Lord
is moving in this place:
He comes to cleanse and heal,
to minister His grace -
No work too hard for Him.
In faith receive from Him,
Be still, for the power of the Lord
is moving in this place.

Prayers and Lord's Prayer

Short Talk

Hymn MP242

Hosanna, hosanna, hosanna in the highest.
Hosanna, hosanna, hosanna in the highest.
Lord, we lift up Your name, with hearts full of praise.
Be exalted, O Lord my God hosanna, in the highest.

Glory, glory, glory to the King of kings;
glory, glory, glory to the King of kings:
Lord, we lift up Your name with hearts full of praise.
Be exalted, O Lord my God glory to the King of kings.

Hymn MP1101

Over all the earth, You reign on high,
every mountain stream, every sunset sky.
But my one request, Lord, my only aim
is that You'd reign in me again.

*(Chorus) Lord reign in me, reign in Your pow'r;
over all my dreams, in my darkest hour.
You are the Lord of all I am,
so won't You reign in me again.*

Over every thought, over every word,
may my life reflect the beauty of my Lord;
'Cause You mean more to me than any earthly thing.
So won't You reign in me again.

(Chorus x2)

Readings – Acts 26: 1- 18 and 2 Corinthians 4: 6 - 7

Hymn MP 51

Be Thou my vision, O Lord of my heart;
naught be all else to me, save that Thou art
Thou my best thought, by day or by night,
waking or sleeping, Thy presence my light.

Be Thou my wisdom, Thou my true Word;
I ever with Thee, Thou with me, Lord;
Thou my great Father, I Thy true son;
Thou in me dwelling, and I with Thee one.

Be Thou my battle-shield, sword for the fight,
be Thou my dignity, Thou my delight.
Thou my soul's shelter, Thou my high tower:
raise Thou me heavenward, O Power of my power.

Riches I heed not, nor man's empty praise,
Thou mine inheritance, now and always:
Thou and Thou only, first in my heart,
High King of heaven, my treasure Thou art.

High King of heaven, after victory won,
may I reach heaven's joys, O bright heaven's Sun!
Heart of my own heart, whatever befall,
still be my vision, O ruler of all.

Address – The all-surpassing power

Hymn MP 445 (during which the offertory will be taken)

Lord, the light of Your love is shining,
in the midst of the darkness, shining:
Jesus, Light of the world, shine upon us;
set us free by the truth You now bring us
shine on me, shine on me.

(Chorus)

*Shine, Jesus, shine,
fill this land with the Father's glory;
blaze, Spirit, blaze,
set our hearts on fire.
Flow, river, flow,
flood the nations with grace and mercy;
send forth Your word,
Lord, and let there be light!*

Lord, I come to Your awesome presence,
from the shadows into Your radiance;
By Your blood I may enter Your brightness:
search me, try me, consume all my darkness
shine on me, shine on me.

Chorus

As we gaze on Your kingly brightness
so our faces display Your likeness,
ever changing from glory to glory:
mirrored here, may our lives tell Your story
shine on me, shine on me.

Chorus

Prayers of Intercession

Hymn MP315

I will sing the wondrous story
Of the Christ who died for me.
How He left the realms of glory
For the cross on Calvary.
Yes, I'll sing the wondrous story
Of the Christ who died for me,
Sing it with His saints in glory,
Gathered by the crystal sea.

I was lost, but Jesus found me,
Found the sheep that went astray,
Raised me up and gently led me
Back into the narrow way.
Days of darkness still may meet me,
Sorrow's path I oft may tread,
But His presence still is with me,
By His guiding hand I'm led.

He will keep me till the river
Rolls its waters at my feet;
Then He'll bear me safely over,
made by grace for glory meet.
Yes, I'll sing the wondrous story
Of the Christ who died for me,
Sing it with His saints in glory,
Gathered by the crystal sea.

Blessing followed by The Grace

Exit Music: Fugue in C by J S Bach