

**Hymn Sheet for Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> March 2025  
Morning Worship led by the Elders**

**Welcome, Notices and Family news**

**Call to Worship**

**Hymn MP327**

Immortal, invisible, God only wise,  
in light inaccessible hid from our eyes,  
most blessed, most glorious, the Ancient of Days,  
almighty, victorious, Thy great name we praise.

Unresting, unhasting, and silent as light,  
nor wanting, nor wasting, Thou rulest in might;  
Thy justice like mountains high soaring above  
Thy clouds, which are fountains of goodness and love.

To all, life Thou givest, to both great and small;  
in all life Thou livest, the true life of all;  
we blossom and flourish as leaves on the tree,  
and wither and perish, but nought changeth Thee.

Great Father of glory, pure Father of Light,  
Thine angels adore Thee, all veiling their sight;  
All laud we would render; O help us to see  
'tis only the splendour of light hideth Thee.

Immortal, invisible, God only wise,  
in light inaccessible hid from our eyes,  
most blessed, most glorious, the Ancient of Days,  
almighty, victorious, Thy great name we praise.

**Prayers + The Lord's Prayer**

**Responsive reading of Psalm 99**

**Psalm 99**

<sup>1</sup>The Lord is king; let the peoples tremble! He sits enthroned upon the cherubim; let the earth quake!

<sup>2</sup>**The Lord is great in Zion; he is exalted over all the peoples.**

<sup>3</sup>Let them praise your great and awesome name. Holy is he!

<sup>4</sup>**Mighty King, lover of justice, you have established equity; you have executed justice and righteousness in Jacob.**

<sup>5</sup>Extol the Lord our God; worship at his footstool. Holy is he!

**<sup>6</sup>Moses and Aaron were among his priests, Samuel also was among those who called on his name. They cried to the Lord, and he answered them.**

<sup>7</sup>He spoke to them in the pillar of cloud; they kept his decrees, and the statutes that he gave them.

**<sup>8</sup>O Lord our God, you answered them; you were a forgiving God to them, but an avenger of their wrongdoings.**

<sup>9</sup>Extol the Lord our God, and worship at his holy mountain; for the Lord our God is holy.

### **Song MP378**

Jesus shall take the highest honour,  
Jesus shall take the highest praise,  
let all earth join heaven in exalting  
the name which is above all other names.  
Let's bow the knee in humble adoration,  
for at His name every knee must bow;  
let every tongue confess He is Christ, God's only Son.

Sovereign Lord we give You glory now,  
for all honour and blessing and power  
belongs to You, belongs to You.  
All honour and blessing and power  
belongs to You, belongs to You,  
Lord Jesus Christ, Son of the living God.

### **Song MP1227**

The splendour of the King  
Clothed in majesty  
Let all the earth rejoice,  
all the earth rejoice  
He wraps Himself in light  
And darkness tries to hide  
And trembles at His voice,  
and trembles at His voice  
*(Chorus) How great is our God! Sing with me  
How great is our God! And all will see  
How great, how great is our God!*

And age to age He stands  
And time is in His hands  
Beginning and the End,  
Beginning and the End  
The Godhead, three in one  
Father, Spirit, Son  
The Lion and the Lamb,  
the Lion and the Lamb

*(Chorus)How great is our God!.....*

Name above all names Worthy of all praise  
My heart will sing How great is our God!  
(repeat)  
*(Chorus)*

## **Offertory and Offertory Prayer**

**Readings** Exodus 34 v 29 – 35 : Luke 9 v 28 - 36

### **Hymn**

Swiftly pass the clouds of glory,  
heaven's voice, the dazzling light;  
Moses and Elijah vanish;  
Christ alone commands the height!  
Peter, James, and John fall silent,  
turning from the summit's rise  
downward toward the shadowed valley  
where their Lord has fixed his eyes.

Glimpsed and gone the revelation,  
they shall gain and keep its truth,  
not by building on the mountain  
any shrine or sacred booth,  
but by following the Saviour  
through the valley to the cross  
and by testing faith's resilience  
through betrayal, pain, and loss.

Lord, transfigure our perception  
with the purest light that shines  
and recast our life's intentions  
to the shape of your designs,  
till we seek no other glory  
than what lies past Calvary's hill  
and our living and our dying  
and our rising by your will.

### **Sermon**

### **Hymn MP606**

Soften my heart Lord, soften my heart;  
from all indifference set me apart;  
to feel Your compassion,  
to weep with Your tears  
come soften my heart,  
O Lord, soften my heart

## Prayers of Intercession

### Hymn MP784

Ye servants of God,  
your Master proclaim,  
and publish abroad  
His wonderful name;  
the name all-victorious  
of Jesus extol;  
His kingdom is glorious,  
and rules over all.

God ruleth on high,  
almighty to save;  
and still He is nigh,  
His presence we have;  
the great congregation  
His triumph shall sing,  
ascribing salvation  
to Jesus our King.

God ruleth on high,  
almighty to save;  
and still He is nigh,  
His presence we have;  
the great congregation  
His triumph shall sing,  
ascribing salvation  
to Jesus our King.

Then let us adore,  
and give Him His right  
all glory and power,  
all wisdom and might:  
all honour and blessing,  
with angels above;  
and thanks never-ceasing,  
and infinite love.

### The Grace

**Exit Music:** Postlude on 'Laudate Dominum' by Rosalie Bonighton