Sunday 24th May

Call to Worship

Song: Praise My Soul

Prayer

Confession of Sin & Assurance of Pardon

Reading: Revelation 20-21

Song: Psalm 45

Prayer

Talk

Song: Because of You

Benediction

Please let us know if you need any help or want us to pray for you.

Contact us at neil@freechurch.org

Call to Worship

Leader: O magnify the Lord with me and let us exalt his name together! Oh taste and see that the Lord is good.

All: Those who look to him are radiant and their faces shall never be ashamed.

Song: Praise my Soul the King of Heaven

Praise my soul the King of heaven

To His feet thy tribute bring Ransomed healed restored forgiven

Who like thee His praise should sing

Praise Him Praise Him Praise Him Praise Him

Praise the everlasting King

Praise Him for His grace and favour

To our fathers in distress Praise Him still the same forever Slow to chide and swift to bless

Praise Him Praise Him Praise Him Praise Him Glorious in His faithfulness Father-like He tends and spares us

Well our feeble frame He knows In His hands He gently bears us Rescues us from all our foes Praise Him Praise Him

Praise Him Praise Him Praise Him Praise Him Widely as His mercy flows

Angels in the height adore Him Ye behold Him face to face Sun and moon bow down before Him

Dwellers all in time and space Praise Him Praise Him Praise Him Praise Him

Praise with us the God of grace

Prayer

Confession & Assurance

As we come to God we ask for forgiveness and remind ourselves that when we do so God promises to listen and respond with grace.

Leader: Give me a clean heart so I may serve you. Lord fix my heart so that I may be used by you. For I am not worthy of all your blessings. Give me a clean heart, and I'll follow you.

Congregation: I am not asking for the riches of this land, and I am not asking for people in high places to know my name. Please give me, Lord, a clean heart that I may follow you. Give me a clean heart and I'll follow you.

Reading: Revelation 20:11 - 21:4

11 Then I saw a great white throne and him who was seated on it. The earth and the heavens fled from his presence, and there was no place for them. 12 And I saw the dead, great and small, standing before the throne, and books were opened. Another book was opened, which is the book of life. The dead were judged according to what they had done as recorded in the books. 13 The sea gave up the dead that were in it, and death and Hades gave up the dead that were in them, and each person was judged according to what they had done. 14 Then death and Hades were thrown into the lake of fire. The lake of fire is the second death. 15 Anyone whose name was not found written in the book of life was thrown into the lake of fire.

A new heaven and a new earth

21 Then I saw 'a new heaven and a new earth,' for the first heaven and the first earth had passed away, and there was no longer any sea. **2** I saw the Holy City, the new Jerusalem, coming down out of heaven from God, prepared as a bride beautifully dressed for her husband. **3** And I

heard a loud voice from the throne saying, 'Look! God's dwelling-place is now among the people, and he will dwell with them. They will be his people, and God himself will be with them and be their God. 4 "He will wipe every tear from their eyes. There will be no more death" or mourning or crying or pain, for the old order of things has passed away.'

Lectura Biblica: Apocalipsis 20:11 - 21:4

11 Luego vi un gran trono blanco y a alguien que estaba sentado en él. De su presencia huyeron la tierra y el cielo, sin dejar rastro alguno. 12 Vi también a los muertos, grandes y pequeños, de pie delante del trono. Se abrieron unos libros, y luego otro, que es el libro de la vida. Los muertos fueron juzgados según lo que habían hecho, conforme a lo que estaba escrito en los libros. 13 El mar devolvió sus muertos; la muerte y el infierno devolvieron los suyos; y cada uno fue juzgado según lo que había hecho. 14 La muerte y el infierno fueron arrojados al lago de fuego. Este lago de fuego es la muerte segunda. 15 Aquel cuyo nombre no estaba escrito en el libro de la vida era arrojado al lago de fuego.

La nueva Jerusalén

21 Después vi un cielo nuevo y una tierra nueva, porque el primer cielo y la primera tierra habían dejado de existir, lo mismo que el mar. 2 Vi además la ciudad santa, la nueva Jerusalén, que bajaba del cielo, procedente de Dios, preparada como una novia hermosamente vestida para su prometido. 3 Oí una potente voz que provenía del trono y decía: «¡Aquí, entre los seres humanos, está la morada de Dios! Él acampará en medio de ellos, y ellos serán su pueblo; Dios mismo estará con ellos y será su Dios. 4 Él les enjugará toda lágrima de los ojos. Ya no habrá muerte, ni llanto, ni lamento ni dolor, porque las primeras cosas han dejado de existir».

Song: Psalm 45(a)

10 O daughter, listen and give ear, consider what I say; You must forget your father's house, your people far away.

11 Because your beauty is so great, the king is held in thrall. He is your lord; give him respect, before him humbly fall.

12 Inhabitants of Tyre will come to offer gifts to you;
And wealthy people will approach your favour to pursue.

13 In glorious gold-embroidered robesThe princess waits within;14 In richly ornamented clothes she's brought before the king.

Prayer

Talk

Song: Because of You

There's a place where the streets shine
With the glory of the Lamb
There's a way we can go there
We can live there beyond time

Because of You because of You
Because of Your love
Because of Your blood
No more pain no more sadness
No more suff'ring no more tears
No more sin no more sickness
No injustice no more death

Because of You because of You Because of Your love Because of Your blood All our sins are washed away And we can live forever Now we have this hope Because of You Oh we'll see You face to face And we will dance together In the city of our God Because of You

There is joy everlasting
There is gladness there is peace
There is wine ever flowing
There's a wedding there's a feast

Chorus

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Benediction

Coming Up...

At the close of the service this morning your City Group will be meeting online via Zoom. Please contact your City Group leader if you need more info.

Prayer Meeting this week is on **Wednesday** at 7.30pm. No City Groups this week. UNless there are. And why no prayer meeting on Monday?

On Wednesday the **Women's Bible Study** will meet online on Wednesday at 10.30am - contact Louise MacMillan for more details (lmacmillan@live.co.uk)

Please be creative about being in touch with others and find your own ways to connect also.

Pastoral Care for the whole Church

We have created a process to make sure everyone connected to Cornerstone is taken care of during this time through the City Group system. Our hope is that a CityGroup leader will be in touch with you at least once a week to check that you are ok and see if you need any kind of support. But please also be proactive in connecting with your city group leaders and letting them know how you are. Please also feel free contact me, AnnaLauren or Jo at any time if you need help of any kind.

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