

Sunday 4th October

Call to Worship

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Call to Worship

Leader:

What a beautiful thing, God, to give thanks,
To sing an anthem to you, the High God!
To announce your love in the morning,
And your faithfulness in the night.

Congregation:

For you, O Lord, have made me glad by your work;
At the works of your hands let us sing for joy.

Song: Here I am to Worship

Light of the world
You stepped down into darkness
Opened my eyes let me see
Beauty that made
This heart adore You
Hope of a life spent with You

*So here I am to worship
Here I am to bow down
Here I am to say that You're my God
And You're altogether lovely
Altogether worthy
Altogether wonderful to me*

King of all days
Oh so highly exalted
Glorious in heaven above
Humbly You came
To the earth You created
All for love's sake became poor

Chorus

And I'll never know how much it
cost
To see my sin upon that cross
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Chorus

2000 Thankyou Music (Admin. by Integrity Music)

Prayer of Adoration

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 yours is the kingdom, the
power,
and the glory
for ever and ever.
Amen.

Padre Nuestro

Padre nuestro que estás en los
cielos,
santificado sea tu nombre.
Venga tu reino.
Hágase tu voluntad,
como en el cielo, así también en la
tierra.
El pan nuestro de cada día,
dánoslo hoy.
Y perdónanos nuestras deudas,
como también nosotros
perdonamos a
nuestros deudores.
Y no nos metas en tentación, mas
líbranos del mal;
porque tuyo es el reino, y el
poder, y la gloria, por todos los
siglos.
Amén.

Prayer of 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 (Confession): Merciful God, you made us in your image, with a mind to know you, a heart to love you, and a will to serve you. But our knowledge is imperfect, our love inconsistent, our obedience incomplete, day by day, we fail to grow into your likeness. In your tender love, forgive us through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

All (Assurance): To all who are sorry and turn from sin, to all who turn to God in hope, this is God's Word of grace: We are accepted, we are forgiven, we are loved. Thanks be to God.

Bible Reading: Matthew 23

23 Then Jesus said to the crowds and to his disciples: ²'The teachers of the law and the Pharisees sit in Moses' seat. ³So you must be careful to do everything they tell you. But do not do what they do, for they do not practise what they preach. ⁴They tie up heavy, cumbersome loads and put them on other people's shoulders, but they themselves are not willing to lift a finger to move them.

⁵'Everything they do is done for people to see: they make their phylacteries wide and the tassels on their garments long; ⁶they love the place of honour at banquets and the most important seats in the synagogues; ⁷they love to be greeted with respect in the market-places and to be called "Rabbi" by others.

⁸'But you are not to be called "Rabbi", for you have one Teacher, and you are all brothers. ⁹And do not call anyone on earth "father", for you have

one Father, and he is in heaven. ¹⁰ Nor are you to be called instructors, for you have one Instructor, the Messiah. ¹¹ The greatest among you will be your servant. ¹² For those who exalt themselves will be humbled, and those who humble themselves will be exalted.

Lectura Bíblica: Mateo 23

JESÚS DENUNCIA A LOS FARISEOS Y A LOS MAESTROS DE LA LEY

23 Después de esto, Jesús dijo a la gente y a sus discípulos: ² «Los maestros de la ley y los fariseos tienen la responsabilidad de interpretar a Moisés. ³ Así que ustedes deben obedecerlos y hacer todo lo que les digan. Pero no hagan lo que hacen ellos, porque no practican lo que predicán. ⁴ Atan cargas pesadas y las ponen sobre la espalda de los demás, pero ellos mismos no están dispuestos a mover ni un dedo para levantarlas.

⁵ »Todo lo hacen para que la gente los vea: Usan filacterias grandes y adornan sus ropas con borlas vistosas; ⁶ se mueren por el lugar de honor en los banquetes y los primeros asientos en las sinagogas, ⁷ y porque la gente los salude en las plazas y los llame “Rabí”.

⁸ »Pero no permitan que a ustedes se les llame “Rabí”, porque tienen un solo Maestro y todos ustedes son hermanos. ⁹ Y no llamen “padre” a nadie en la tierra, porque ustedes tienen un solo Padre, y él está en el cielo. ¹⁰ Ni permitan que los llamen “maestro”, porque tienen un solo Maestro, el Cristo. ¹¹ El más importante entre ustedes será siervo de los demás. ¹² Porque el que a sí mismo se enaltece será humillado, y el que se humilla será enaltecido.

Song: Psalm 85

1 In times past, LORD, you showed favour
to your own beloved land;
The prosperity of Jacob
you restored by your strong hand.

2 You forgave your people's trespass;
you were pleased their sins to hide.

3 You withdrew all your displeasure;
from your wrath you turned aside.

4 God our Saviour, now restore us;
from us turn away your rage.

5 Will your anger burn against us?
Will it last from age to age?

6 Will you not again revive us,
that we may rejoice in you?

7 Show us, LORD, your covenant mercy;
your salvation grant anew.

8 I will hear what God the LORD says:
to his saints he offers peace;
But his people must not wander
and return to foolishness.

9 Surely for all those who fear him
his salvation is at hand,
So that once again his glory
may be seen within our land.

10 Love and truth have met together;
righteousness and peace embrace.

11 Righteousness looks down from heaven;
from the earth springs
faithfulness.

12 What is good the LORD will give us,
and our land its fruit will bear.

13 Righteousness will go before him
and his royal way prepare.

Prayer of Thanksgiving & Supplication

Talk

Song: Build Your Kingdom Here

Come set Your rule and reign
In our hearts again
Increase in us we pray
Unveil why we're made
Come set our hearts ablaze with
hope
Like wildfire in our very souls
Holy Spirit come invade us now
We are Your Church
And we need Your power
In us

We seek Your kingdom first
We hunger and we thirst
Refuse to waste our lives
For You're our joy and prize
To see the captive hearts released
The hurt, the sick, the poor at
peace
We lay down our lives for
Heaven's cause
We are Your church
And we pray revive
This earth

*Build Your kingdom here
Let the darkness fear
Show Your mighty hand
Heal our streets and land
Set Your church on fire
Win this nation back
Change the atmosphere
Build Your kingdom here
We pray*

Unleash Your kingdom's power
Reaching the near and far
No force of hell can stop
Your beauty changing hearts
You made us for much more than
this
Awake the kingdom seed in us
Fill us with the strength and love
of Christ
We are Your church
Oh, and we are the hope
On earth

Chorus x2

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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.*

The Brooks are back! We're so excited to welcome Jessie and Elijah back to Edinburgh and are amazed at all of God's faithfulness and provision over the past year. Welcome home Brooks!

City Groups will meet online on their usual day this week. Your City Group leader will be in touch. If you are not currently part of a City Group and would like to be, or you have questions, please get in touch with AnnaLauren (annalauren@cornerstone-edinburgh.com).

Women's Bible Study will meet on Wednesday at 10.30am. Contact Louise MacMillan for more info (lmacmillan@live.co.uk)

God's Big Picture - A 9-week course that gives us an overview of God's storyline told in the Bible and helps us to understand where we fit into it. It's helpful whether you're a Christian or not, so invite some friends if you think they might be interested.

Email Geoff (geoff@cornerstone-edinburgh.com) for more info.

Hardship Fund - During this time we really want to help those who are struggling financially and we've set up a fund for those connected to Cornerstone who need assistance.

If you would like to donate to this fund or apply for help, please contact: AnnaLauren on annalauren@cornerstone-edinburgh.com or Laird (Colin) on colin@cornerstone-edinburgh.com for details.

Giving Information - If you would like to make a donation to the work of Cornerstone in Edinburgh, please follow this link:
www.cornerstone-edinburgh.com/donate

Old Schoolhouse Updates - Restoration work at OSH is progressing well! You can find updates at www.osh.org.uk/updates where we'll post photos and information periodically.

Pastoral Care for the whole Church

Our hope is that everyone connected to Cornerstone is taken care of during this time. Please also be proactive in connecting with your City Group leaders and letting them know how you are. Let's be creative about being in touch with others and finding our own ways to connect also. Feel free to contact me, Laird or AnnaLauren at any time if you need help of any kind.

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