



**SERVICE ORDER**  
Sunday 27 September 2020

**One love, one heart**  
let's get together and feel alright

**Heart & Anchor Church**



**9.45am** Zoom starts admitting people

**Song:** [As we gather we will play One Love, one heart by Bob Marley and the Wailers](#)

**10.00am** If you have already arrived click here to join with opening hymn

**Song:** [Love divine, all loves excelling lyrics by Charles Wesley](#)

## **Welcome and introduction**

The Lord is Here

### **His Spirit is with us**

- *As usual, we will mute everyone unless they are speaking. If you speak, you will need to respond to the invitation to unmute yourself to do so.*
- *A reminder if you haven't got it already that you are invited to bring a glass of water as well as bread and/or wine if you wish to consume at the time of communion.*
- *If you need or want to communicate with the host or everyone please feel free to use the chat facility. E.g. if you want to respond to the singing or testimony or preaching or if you have a technical issue and want help.*

## **Opening prayer**

**Almighty God,  
to whom all hearts are open,  
all desires known,  
and from whom no secrets are hidden:  
cleanse the thoughts of our hearts  
by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit,  
that we may perfectly love you,  
and worthily magnify your holy name;  
through Christ our Lord.  
Amen.**



## **Confession**

When we cry out to the Lord in our trouble,

**All he will deliver us from our distress.**

God will bring us out of darkness

**All and out of the shadow of death.**

*Short penitential sentences may be inserted between the petitions of the Kyrie.*

Lord, have mercy.

**All Lord, have mercy.**

Christ, have mercy.

**All Christ, have mercy.**

Lord, have mercy.

**All Lord, have mercy.**

May the Father forgive us

by the death of his Son

and strengthen us

to live in the power of the Spirit

all our days.

**All Amen.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord for his goodness,

**All and the wonders he does for his children.**

Let us offer him sacrifices of thanksgiving

**All and tell of his acts with shouts of joy.**

cf Psalm 107

**All Amen.**

## **The Collect**

*Silence is kept.*



Lord of creation,  
Whose glory is around and within us  
Open our eyes to your wonders,  
that we may serve you with reverence  
and know your peace at our lives' end,  
through Jesus Christ our Lord,

**All Amen.**



## New Testament Reading

### Philippians 2:1-13

Read by

#### *Imitating Christ's Humility*

If then there is any encouragement in Christ, any consolation from love, any sharing in the Spirit, any compassion and sympathy, make my joy complete: be of the same mind, having the same love, being in full accord and of one



mind. Do nothing from selfish ambition or conceit, but in humility regard others as better than yourselves. Let each of you look not to your own interests, but to the interests of others. Let the same mind be in you that was in Christ Jesus,

who, though he was in the form of God,

did not regard equality with God

as something to be exploited,

but emptied himself,

taking the form of a slave,

being born in human likeness.

And being found in human form,

he humbled himself

and became obedient to the point of death—

even death on a cross.

Therefore God also highly exalted him

and gave him the name

that is above every name,

so that at the name of Jesus

every knee should bend,

in heaven and on earth and under the earth,

and every tongue should confess



that Jesus Christ is Lord,  
to the glory of God the Father.

### *Shining as Lights in the World*

Therefore, my beloved, just as you have always obeyed me, not only in my presence, but much more now in my absence, work out your own salvation with fear and trembling; for it is God who is at work in you, enabling you both to will and to work for his good pleasure.

This is the Word of the Lord

**Thanks be to God**

Song: [Brother, sister, let me serve you](#)

**silence**

*When the Gospel is announced the reader says*

Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to *Matthew*

*All* Glory to you, O Lord.

## **Matthew 21:23-32**

### *The Authority of Jesus Questioned*

When he entered the temple, the chief priests and the elders of the people came to him as he was teaching, and said, 'By what authority are you doing these things, and who gave you this authority?' Jesus said to them, 'I will also ask you one question; if you tell me the answer, then I will also tell you by what authority I do these things. Did the baptism of John come from heaven, or was it of human origin?' And they argued with one another, 'If we say, "From heaven", he will say to us, "Why then did you not believe him?" But if we say, "Of human origin", we are afraid of the crowd; for all regard John as a





prophet.' So they answered Jesus, 'We do not know.' And he said to them, 'Neither will I tell you by what authority I am doing these things.'

### ***The Parable of the Two Sons***

'What do you think? A man had two sons; he went to the first and said, "Son, go and work in the vineyard today." He answered, "I will not"; but later he changed his mind and went. The father went to the second and said the same; and he answered, "I go, sir"; but he did not go. Which of the two did the will of his father?' They said, 'The first.' Jesus said to them, 'Truly I tell you, the tax-collectors and the prostitutes are going into the kingdom of God ahead of you. For John came to you in the way of righteousness and you did not believe him, but the tax-collectors and the prostitutes believed him; and even after you saw it, you did not change your minds and believe him.'

### ***At the end***

This is the Gospel of the Lord.

*All* Praise to you, O Christ.

**Talk** by Rosy Fairhurst

### **Declaration of Faith**

Christ has died

**Christ has died**

Christ has risen

**Christ has risen**

Christ will come again

**Christ will come again**

I believe, Alleluia!

**I believe, Alleluia!**

### **Prayers**



## Peace

We are all one in Christ Jesus.

We belong to him through faith,

Heirs of the promise of the spirit of peace.

The Peace of the risen Lord be always with you

**And also with you.**

*Let us offer one another a sign of God's peace – in person or by text or message! Zoom peace is saved for coffee time!*

**Song:** [All I once held dear, by Graham Kendrick, sung by Robin Mark](#)

## The Liturgy of the Eucharist follows

The Lord is here.

**All His Spirit is with us.**

Lift up your hearts.

**All We lift them to the Lord.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**All It is right to give thanks and praise.**

It is indeed right,

it is our duty and our joy,

at all times and in all places

to give you thanks and praise,

holy Father, heavenly King,

almighty and eternal God,

through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord.





Therefore, with angels and archangels,  
and with all the company of heaven,  
we proclaim your great and glorious name,  
for ever praising you and *saying*:

**All Holy, holy, holy Lord,  
God of power and might,  
heaven and earth are full of your glory.  
Hosanna in the highest.  
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.  
Hosanna in the highest.**

Accept our praises, heavenly Father,  
through your Son our Saviour Jesus Christ,  
and as we follow his example and obey his command,  
grant that by the power of your Holy Spirit  
these gifts of bread and wine  
may be to us his body and his blood;  
who, in the same night that he was betrayed,  
took bread and gave you thanks;  
he broke it and gave it to his disciples, saying:  
Take, eat; this is my body which is given for you;  
do this in remembrance of me.

**All To you be glory and praise for ever**

In the same way, after supper  
he took the cup and gave you thanks;  
he gave it to them, saying:  
Drink this, all of you;  
this is my blood of the new covenant,



which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins.

Do this, as often as you drink it,  
in remembrance of me.

**All To you be glory and praise for ever.**

Therefore, heavenly Father,  
we remember his offering of himself  
made once for all upon the cross;  
we proclaim his mighty resurrection and glorious ascension;  
we look for the coming of your kingdom,  
and with this bread and this cup  
we make the memorial of Christ your Son our Lord.  
Jesus Christ is Lord:

**All Lord, by your cross and resurrection  
you have set us free.  
You are the Saviour of the world.**

Accept through him, our great high priest,  
this our sacrifice of thanks and praise,  
and as we eat and drink these holy gifts  
in the presence of your divine majesty,  
renew us by your Spirit,  
inspire us with your love  
and unite us in the body of your Son,  
Jesus Christ our Lord.

**All To you be glory and praise for ever.**

Through him, and with him, and in him,  
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
with all who stand before you in earth and heaven,  
we worship you, Father almighty,



in songs of everlasting praise:

**All** Blessing and honour and glory and power  
be yours for ever and ever. Amen.

As our Saviour taught us, so we pray

**All** 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.

## Breaking of the Bread

We break this bread  
to share in the body of Christ.

**All** Though we are many, we are one body,  
because we all share in one bread.

### The invitation

Be present, be present,  
Lord Jesus Christ,  
our risen high priest;  
make yourself known in the breaking of bread. **Amen.**





**Song:** [\*Bless the Lord, O my soul, by Matt Redman\*](#)

### **Post Communion Prayer**

Holy Father,

Who gathered us here around the table of your Son

To share this meal with the whole household of God:

In that new world where you reveal the fullness of your peace,

Gather people of every race and language to share in the eternal banquet of Jesus

Christ our Lord. **Amen**

### **The Blessing**

May the peace of God, which passes all understanding,

Keep your hearts and minds in the knowledge and love of God,

And of his Son our Saviour Jesus Christ.

And the blessing of God Almighty,

The Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit

Be among you and remain with you always. **Amen.**

### **The Dismissal**

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

In the name of Christ. **Amen.**

**Song:** [\*All Hail the Power of Jesus Name by Edward Perronet\*](#)