



*"With Jesus, Like Jesus, For Jesus"*

## Long Furlong Worship – Sunday 7 March 2021

### Welcome & Gathering

Anne Taylor

### Acclamation

Leader: The Lord is here

All: **His Spirit is with us.**

### Church Family News & Birthdays

### Confession

All: **God of mercy,  
we acknowledge that we are all sinners.  
We turn from the wrong that we have thought and said  
and done,  
and are mindful of all that we have failed to do.  
For the sake of Jesus, who died for us,  
forgive us for all that is past,  
and help us to live each day  
in the light of Christ our Lord.  
Amen.**

**Everlasting God,**  
The years go by but You're unchanging.  
In this fragile world,  
You are the only firm foundation.

Always loving, always true,  
Always merciful and good, so good.

Yesterday, today and forever,  
You are the same, You never change.  
Yesterday, today and forever,  
You are faithful  
And we will trust in You.

Uncreated One,  
You have no end and no beginning.  
Earthly powers fade,  
But there is no end to Your kingdom.

Yahweh, God unchanging.  
Yahweh, firm foundation (repeat)

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**Bible Reading** – John 2:13-22

Ben Jeapes

**Talk** – Jesus Clears the Temple

Colin Wood

**Prayers**

**Communion**

Phil Cooke

Leader: The Lord is here.

**All: His Spirit is with us.**

Leader: Lift up your hearts.

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

Leader: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

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

Leader: It is right to praise you, Father, Lord of all creation;  
in your love you made us for yourself.

When we turned away

you did not reject us,

but came to meet us in your Son.

**All: You embraced us as your children  
and welcomed us to sit and eat with you.**

Leader: In Christ you shared our life  
that we might live in him and he in us.

**All: He opened his arms of love upon the cross  
and made for all the perfect sacrifice for sin.**

Leader: On the night he was betrayed,  
at supper with his friends  
he took bread, and gave you thanks;  
he broke it and gave it to them, saying:  
Take, eat; this is my body which is given for you;  
do this in remembrance of me.

**All: Father, we do this in remembrance of him:  
his body is the bread of life.**

Leader: At the end of supper, taking the cup of wine,  
he gave you thanks, and said:  
Drink this, all of you; this is my blood of the new covenant,  
which is shed for you for the forgiveness of sins;  
do this in remembrance of me.

**All: Father, we do this in remembrance of him:  
his blood is shed for all.**

Leader: As we proclaim his death and celebrate his rising in glory,  
send your Holy Spirit that this bread and this wine  
may be to us the body and blood of your dear Son.

**All: As we eat and drink these holy gifts  
make us one in Christ, our risen Lord.**

Leader: With your whole Church throughout the world  
we offer you this sacrifice of praise  
and lift our voice to join the eternal song of heaven:

**All: Holy, holy, holy Lord,  
God of power and might,  
Heaven and earth are full of your glory.  
Hosanna in the highest.**

**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 forever. Amen.**

Leader: 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.**

Leader: Draw near with faith...

### **Post Communion Prayer**

**All: Almighty God,  
we thank you for feeding us  
with the body and blood of your Son Jesus Christ.  
Through him we offer you our souls and bodies  
to be a living sacrifice.  
Send us out in the power of your Spirit  
to live and work to your praise and glory. Amen.**

**To God be the glory,**  
great things He has done!  
So loved He the world  
that He gave us His Son,  
Who yielded His life an atonement for sin,  
And opened the life-gate that all may go in.

Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord!  
Let the earth hear His voice!  
Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord!  
Let the people rejoice!  
O come to the Father through Jesus the Son;  
And give Him the glory,  
great things He has done!

O perfect redemption, the purchase of blood!  
To every believer the promise of God;  
The vilest offender who truly believes,  
That moment from Jesus a pardon receives.

Great things He has taught us,  
great things He has done,  
And great our rejoicing  
through Jesus the Son:  
But purer and higher and greater will be  
Our wonder, our worship, when Jesus we see!

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### **Final Prayer & Blessing**

**All:            May God the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ,  
                  who is the source of all goodness and growth,  
                  pour his blessing upon all things created,  
                  and upon us his children,  
                  that we may use his gifts to his glory and the welfare of all peoples;  
                  Amen**

**Breakout Groups – Chat & Cuppa (bring your own!)**