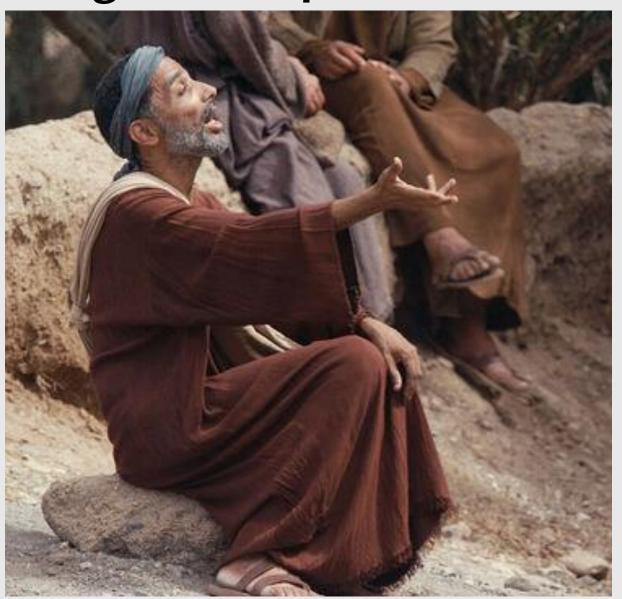
All Age Worship – October 2025



Theme: Encountering Jesus changes lives

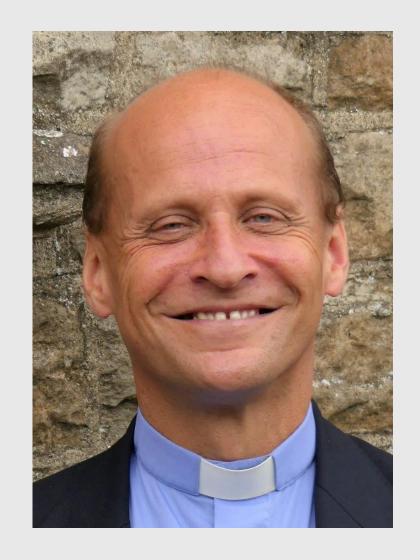
Bartimaeus- from outcast to disciple

On our Harvest Thanksgiving Sunday



Please bring your Harvest gifts for the Swindon Food Collective to the front

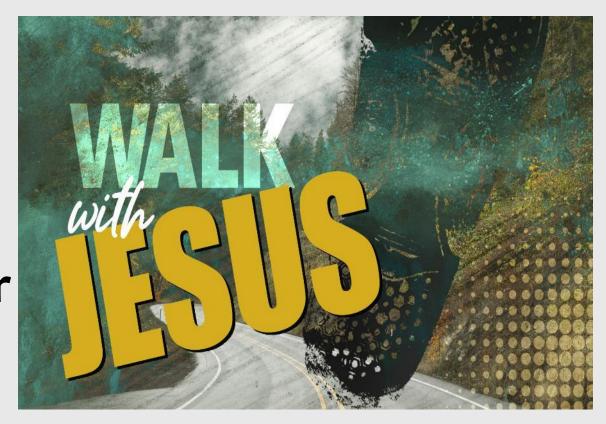




Welcome and Introduction

Opening Prayer

O Lord that I might see
O Lord that I might hear
O Lord that I might walk
with you and my neighbour
this day and everyday.



Amen



'For all who are led by the Spirit of God are children of God'

Romans 8:14

Give thanks with a grateful heart give thanks to the Holy One give thanks because he's given Jesus Christ his Son.



And now let the weak say I am strong let the poor say I am rich because of what the Lord has done for us. And now let the weak say I am strong let the poor say I am rich because of what the Lord has done for us. Give thanks with a grateful heart give thanks to the Holy One give thanks because he's given Jesus Christ his Son.



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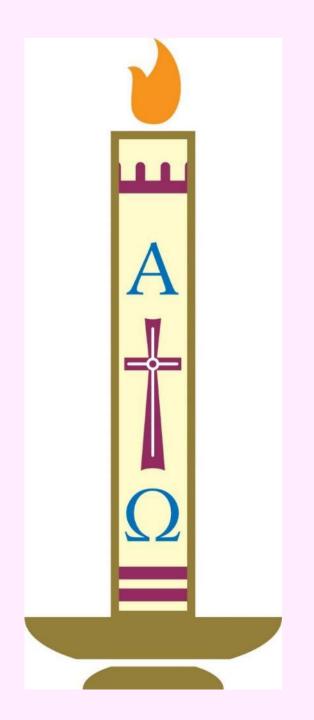
Baptism Welcome

The Minister gives to a parent or godparent for each child A LIGHTED CANDLE, saying

Minister: Receive this light.

Minister: This is to show that you have passed from darkness to light.

All: Shine as a light in the world to the glory of God the Father.



Minister:

God has received you by baptism into his Church.



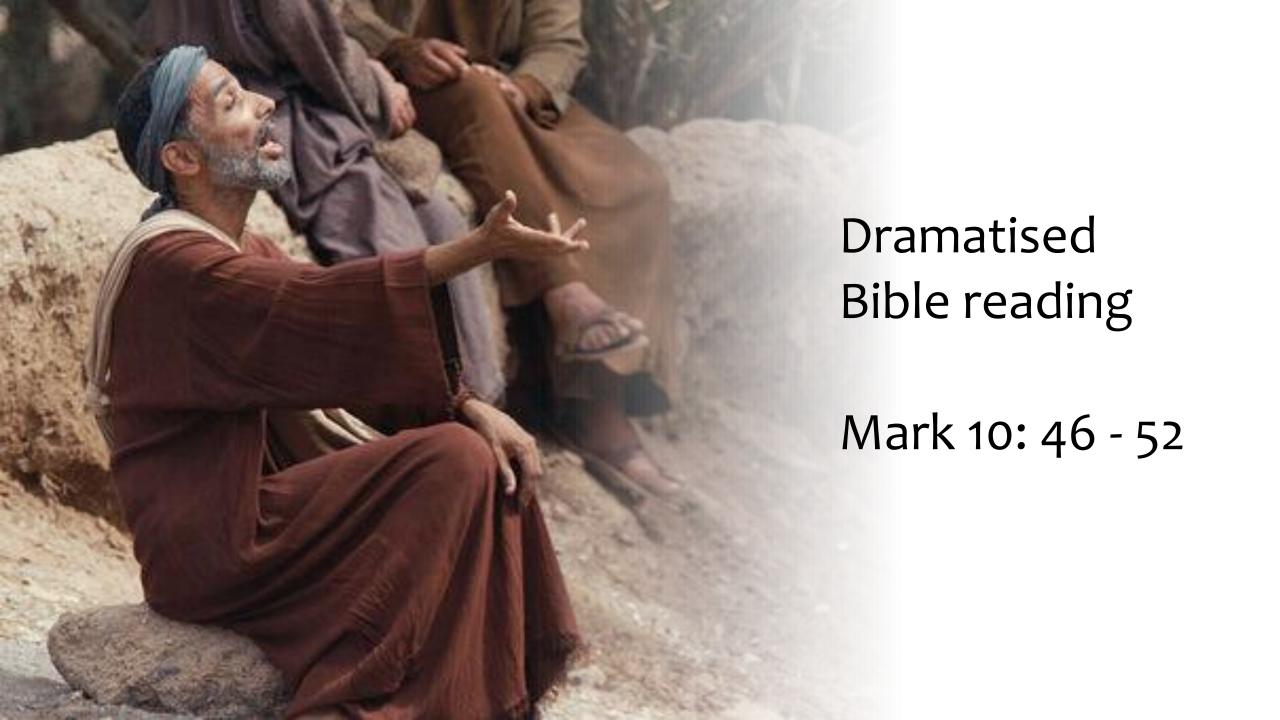
All: We welcome you into the Lord's Family. We are members together of the body of Christ we are children of the same heavenly Father we are inheritors together of the kingdom of God. We welcome you.

We join together to sing this blessing

The Lord bless you and keep you make his face shine upon you and be gracious to you.

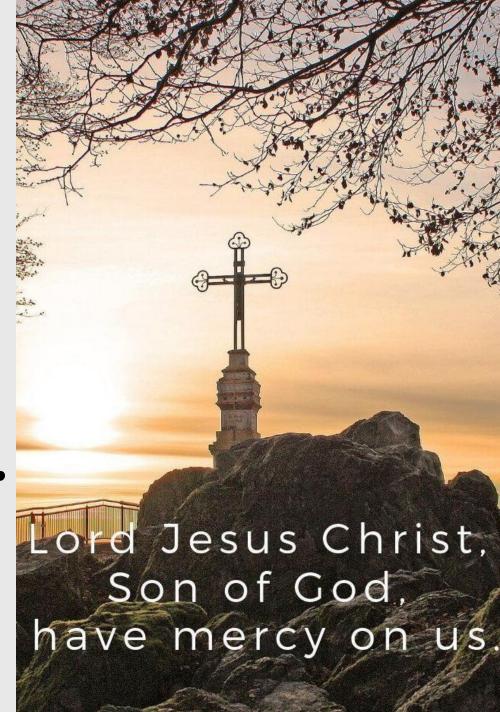
The Lord turn his face toward you and give you peace. (repeat)

A....men, amen, amen A....men, amen, amen



Saying Sorry prayer

Lord, have mercy upon us
Lord Jesus Christ,
Son of the Living God
have mercy upon me a sinner.
Christ have mercy upon us.



Receiving forgiveness prayer - we sing (remain seated)

God forgave my sin in Jesus' name. I've been born again in Jesus' name. And in Jesus' name I come to you to share his love as he told me to.

He said Freely, freely you have received freely, freely give.

Go in my name and because you believe others will know that I live.

All pow'r is giv'n in Jesus' name in earth and heav'n in Jesus' name. And in Jesus' name I come to you to share his pow'r as he told me to.

He said Freely, freely you have received freely, freely give.

Go in my name and because you believe others will know that I live.

God gives us life in Jesus' name he lives in us in Jesus' name.
And in Jesus' name I come to you to share his peace as he told me to.

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Craft Activity

What is it we want to see today? How is Jesus calling us by name?

GOD KNOWS YOU
BY NAME.
GOD LOVES YOU
BY NAME.
GOD CALLS YOU
BY NAME.

How might we answer the question 'What do you want me to do for you?'

Open our eyes, Lord we want to see Jesus to reach out and touch him and say that we love him. Open our ears, Lord and help us to listen. Open our eyes, Lord we want to see Jesus.



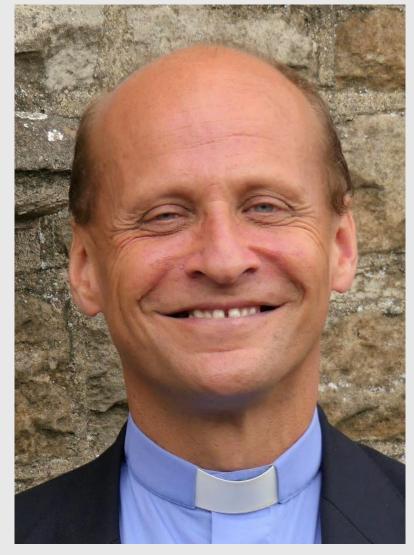
Jesus' love is very wonderful Jesus' love is very wonderful Jesus' love is very wonderful oh wonderful love!

So high you can't get over it so low you can't get under it so wide you can't get round it oh wonderful love!



Let there be love shared amongst us let there be love in our eyes. May now your love sweep this nation cause us, O Lord, to arise. Give us a fresh understanding brotherly love that is real. Let there be love shared among us let there be love.





Talk 'Bartimaeus, Jesus and each of us'

Our response

The offer of prayer ministry and Anointing with Oil



'Jesus healing love fill you in body, mind and spirit'
Amen

Be still and know that I am God Be still and know that I am God Be still and know that I am God.

2I am the Lord that healeth thee I am the Lord that healeth thee I am the Lord that healeth thee.

In thee, O Lord I put my trust In thee, O Lord I put my trust In thee, O Lord I put my trust.





A time of orayer

The 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 the kingdom, the power and the glory are yours now and for ever. Amen

Family News

What's going on?



A Prayer for Growth

God of mission who alone brings growth to your church, send your Holy Spirit to give vision to our planning wisdom to our actions and power to our witness. Help our Partnership of Churches to grow in numbers in spiritual commitment to you and in service to our Swindon community through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

What gift of grace is Jesus, my Redeemer there is no more for Heaven now to give. He is my joy, my righteousness and freedom my steadfast love, my deep and boundless peace.

To this I hold, my hope is only Jesus for my life is wholly bound to his.
Oh, how strange and divine, I can sing, 'All is mine' yet not I, but through Christ in me.

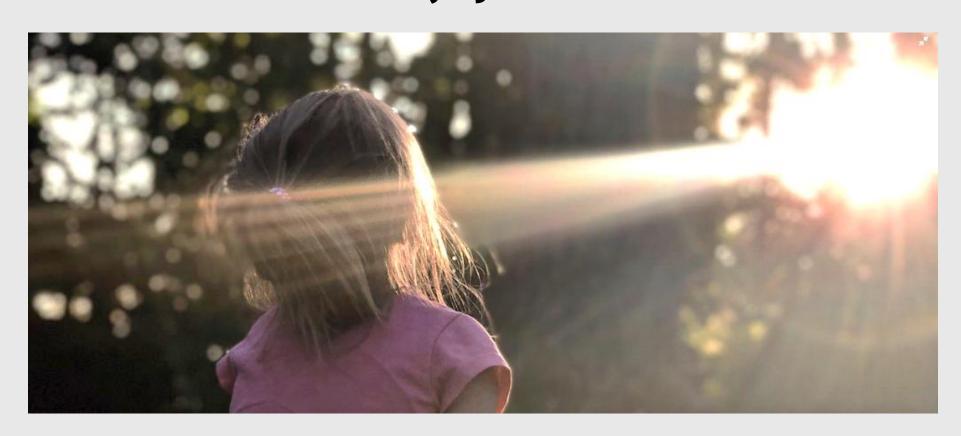
The night is dark, but I am not forsaken for by my side, the Saviour, he will stay. I labour on in weakness and rejoicing for in my need, his power is displayed.

To this I hold, my Shepherd will defend me through the deepest valley, he will lead.
Oh, the night has been won and I shall overcome yet not I, but through Christ in me

No fate I dread, I know I am forgiven the future's sure, the price, it has been paid. For Jesus bled and suffered for my pardon and he was raised to overthrow the grave.

To this I hold, my sin has been defeated
Jesus, now and ever is my plea.
Oh, the chains are released, I can sing, 'I am free'
yet not I, but through Christ in me.

⁴With every breath, I long to follow Jesus for he has said that he will bring me home. And day by day, I know he will renew me until I stand with joy before the throne.



To this I hold, my hope is only Jesus all the glory evermore to him.

When the race is complete, still my lips shall repeat 'Yet not I, but through Christ in me'.

(repeat)



Ending

When the race is complete, still my lips shall repeat 'Yet not I, but through Christ in me'

'Yet not I, but through Christ in me'

'Yet not I, but through Christ in me'

