

Holy Trinity Heath Town
Sunday 8th March 2026 Lent 3

11:15am Praise & Worship
Leading: Tony Charles

Theme: Who are you?
Preaching : Bill Nicholls

VIDEO: Woman at the Well – Olivia Lane

CALL TO WORSHIP

Come, everyone who is thirsty.
Come, the lost and the seekers.
Come, the lonely and the welcomers.
Come, the sad and the comforters.
Come, the empty and the generous.
Come as you are, with your questions and beliefs.
Come and drink at the well of living water.
Come and worship the living God.

SONG 1

In the name of the father,
In the name of the Son,
In the name of the Spirit,
Lord, we come.
We're gathered together
To lift up Your name,
To call on our Saviour,
To fall on Your grace.
(Repeat)

Hear the joyful sound
Of our offering
As Your saints bow down,
As Your people sing.
We will rise with You,
Lifted on Your wings,
And the world will see that:

*Our God saves;
Our God saves;
There is hope
In Your name.*

In the name....

*(Second chorus)
Our God saves;
Our God saves;
There is hope
In Your name.
Mourning turns
To songs of praise;
Our God saves,
Our God saves.*

Hear the joyful.....

(second chorus)

*Our God saves,
Our God saves.
Our God saves,
Our God saves.*

SONG 2

Blessèd be your name
In the land that is plentiful,
Where Your streams of abundance flow,
Blessèd be Your name.
And blessèd be Your name
When I'm found in the desert place,
Though I walk through the wilderness,
Blessèd be Your name.

*Every blessing You pour out I'll
Turn back to praise.
When the darkness closes in, Lord,
Still I will say:*

*Blessèd be the name of the Lord,
Blessèd be Your name.
Blessèd be the name of the Lord,
Blessèd be Your glorious name.*

Blessèd be Your name
When the sun's shining down on me,
When the world's 'all as it should be',
Blessèd be Your name.
And blessèd be Your name
On the road marked with suffering,
Though there's pain in the offering,
Blessèd be Your name.

Every blessing...

Blessèd be the name of the Lord...

You give and take away,
You give and take away.
My heart will choose to say:
Lord, blessèd be Your name.

Blessèd be the name of the Lord...

GATHERING PRAYER

Almighty God, whose arms are open to
all, we gather to meet with you and hear
your word for us today;
for you know us, all we have done and all
that we are.
You offer us 'living water', all that we
need for our lives today. **Amen.**

INTRODUCTION TO THEME

BIBLE READING: Exodus 17: 1-7

This is the word of the Lord
Thanks be to God

SONG 3

All who are thirsty,
All who are weak,
Come to the fountain,
Dip your heart in the stream of life.
Let the pain and the sorrow
Be washed away
In the waves of His mercy,
As deep cries out to deep.
(We sing)

Come, Lord Jesus, come. (x4)

Holy Spirit come. (x3)

BIBLE READING: John 4: 5-42

This is the word of the Lord

Thanks be to God

CONFESSION

Loving God, You know everything about us, and you still love us. We are sorry for all the wrong things we have done, and for all the right things that we haven't done. Wash us clean with Your living water. Forgive us, renew us, and fill us with Your life. Amen

ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

Jesus said: "Whoever drinks the water I give them will never thirst."

God's forgiveness is like living water – fresh, generous and freely given. So in Jesus, we are forgiven and made new.

Thanks be to God

Thanks be to God.

Amen.

TALK

CREDAL SONG

Our Father everlasting,
The all creating One
God Almighty.

Through Your Holy Spirit
Conceiving Christ the Son
Jesus our Saviour.

*I believe in God our Father,
I believe in Christ the Son,
I believe in the Holy Spirit,
Our God is three in One.
I believe in the resurrection
That we will rise again,*

For I believe

In the Name of Jesus.

Our Judge and our Defender,
Suffered and crucified.

Forgiveness is in You.

Descended into darkness,

You rose in glorious life.

Forever seated high

I believe in God.....

I believe in You

I believe You rose again.

I believe that Jesus Christ is Lord. *(repeat)*

I believe in God.....

(Final Chorus)

I believe in life eternal

I believe in the virgin birth

I believe in the saint's communion

And in Your holy Church

I believe in the resurrection

When Jesus comes again

For I believe in the Name of Jesus

For I believe in the Name of Jesus

For I believe in the Name of Jesus

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

Lord in your mercy; **hear our prayer.**

Merciful Father, **accept these prayers, for the sake of your Son, our Saviour Jesus Christ. Amen**

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.

COLLECT

Eternal God, give us insight to discern your will for us, to give up what harms us, and to seek the perfection we are promised in Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

OFFERTORY SONG

You are here, moving in our midst

I worship You, I worship You

You are here, working in this place

I worship You, I worship You

You are here, moving in our midst

I worship You, I worship You

You are here, working in this place

I worship You, I worship You

Way maker, miracle worker, promise keeper

Light in the darkness, my God

That is who You are

Way maker, miracle worker, promise keeper

Light in the darkness, my God

That is who You are

You are here, touching every heart

I worship You, I worship You

You are here, healing every heart

I worship You, I worship You

You are here, turning lives around

I worship You, I worship You

You are here, mending every heart

I worship You, I worship You

Way maker, miracle worker, promise keeper

Light in the darkness

That is who You are

Way maker, miracle worker, promise keeper

Light in the darkness, my God

That is who You are

You wipe away all tears, You mend the broken heart
You're the answer to it all, Jesus
You wipe away all tears, You mend the broken heart
You're the answer to it all, to it all Jesus, yeah!

Way maker, miracle worker, promise keeper
Light in the darkness, my God
That is who You are
Way maker, miracle worker, promise keeper
Light in the darkness, my God
That is who You are

You are here touching every life
I worship You, I worship You
You are here meeting every need
I worship You, I worship You

OFFERTORY PRAYER

Gracious God, accept these gifts, and with them our lives, to be used in Your service; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

NOTICES

FINAL PRAYER & BLESSING

Lord, thank you that you choose to reveal yourself to us and that you know us, love us, and sustain us.
Help us to return to you, again and again, to be refreshed and renewed by your living water. **Amen.**

And may the blessing of God almighty, the Father the Son and the Holy Spirit be among us and remain with us always.
Amen

SONG 5

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!
Come to the Father through Jesus the Son;
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!

DISMISSAL

As we go from this place today, may we take your life-giving, water-quenching Spirit with us and share it with all we meet. Amen

Go in peace to love and to serve the Lord
In the name of Christ. Amen