

Holy Trinity Church Heath Town
Sunday 28th June 2026 11:15 am Praise & Worship
Theme: Recognised
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VIDEO

CALL TO WORSHIP

Lord, we come from scattered lives to meet with you.

We rejoice that you know each of us by name and love us, inside and out. Show us how to recognise you in the friends we are gathered with, and how to see you reflected in everyone we meet.

Amen

SONG 1

The splendour of the King
Clothed in majesty
Let all the earth rejoice, all the earth rejoice
He wraps Himself in light
And darkness tries to hide
And trembles at His voice,
And trembles at His voice

*How great is our God! Sing with me
How great is our God!
And all will see how great,
How great is our God!*

And age to age He stands
And time is in His hands
Beginning and the End, Beginning and the End
The Godhead, three in one
Father, Spirit, Son
The Lion and the Lamb, the Lion and

the Lamb

Name above all names
Worthy of all praise
My heart will sing
How great is our God! (repeat)

PRAYER OF APPROACH

O God, your Spirit draws us into your presence,
and so we come – drawn by love,
upheld by grace –
To meet with Jesus our Saviour
To know him as our master.
To know him as our friend.
Through Him we see the Father, whose love sent Jesus to us.
Spirit, Son and Father, we draw close in faith to offer our praise and worship.

Amen

SONG 2

Only by grace can we enter,
Only by grace can we stand;
Not by our human endeavour,
But by the blood of the Lamb.
Into Your presence You call us,
You call us to come.
Into Your presence You draw us,
And now by Your grace we come,
Now by Your grace we come.

Lord, if You mark our transgressions,
Who would stand?

Thanks to Your grace we are cleansed
By the blood of the Lamb.

(Repeat)

WELCOME AND INTRODUCTION

CONFESSION

Lord God, sometimes we aren't
welcoming to people around us.

We just don't recognise their worth in
you.

We realise how hurtful that must be.
We know we wouldn't like it.

Lord, in all those times, open our eyes
to your forgiveness.

Lord, have mercy. **Lord, have mercy**

Sometimes we get wrapped up in our
own concerns.

We don't notice much else. We
certainly aren't looking for you.

We don't recognise you when you are
there.

Lord, in all those times, open our eyes
to your forgiveness.

Christ, have mercy. **Christ, have mercy**

Sometimes we know we don't act as
you would wish.

In your mercy you show us the things
we should do.

Lord, in all those times, open our eyes
to your forgiveness

Lord, have mercy. **Lord, have mercy**

ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

Faithful God, we have cried out to you
for forgiveness.

Even when we are deep in sin, you
reach out to us.

You renew us, so that once again, we

can recognise you living in us.

God of recognition, we bless you.

Amen

BIBLE READING: Genesis 22: 1-14

This is the word of the Lord

Thanks be to God

SONG 3

Bless the Lord, O my soul;

O my soul, worship His holy name.

Sing like never before, O my soul.

I'll worship Your holy name.

The sun comes up, it's a new day
dawning;

It's time to sing Your song again.

Whatever may pass and whatever lies
before me,

Let me be singing when the evening
comes.

You're rich in love and You're slow to
anger,

Your name is great and Your heart is
kind.

For all Your goodness, I will keep on
singing;

Ten thousand reasons for my heart to
find.

And on that day when my strength is
failing,

The end draws near and my time has
come,

Still my soul will sing Your praise
unending;

Ten thousand years and then forever
more!

BIBLE READING: Matthew 10: 40-42

This is the word of the Lord

Thanks be to God

TALK

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

**I believe in God, the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.**

**I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son,
our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried;
he descended to the dead.
On the third day he rose again;
he ascended into heaven,
he is seated at the right hand of the
Father,
and he will come to judge the living
and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic Church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting.**

Amen.

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

Gracious Father,
by the obedience of Jesus
you brought salvation to our wayward
world:
draw us into harmony with your will,
that we may find all things restored in
him,
our Saviour Jesus Christ. Amen

OFFERTORY SONG

Your love is amazing,
Steady and unchanging;
Your love is a mountain,
Firm beneath my feet.
Your love is a mystery,
How You gently lift me;
When I am surrounded,
Your love carries me.

*Hallelujah, hallelujah,
Hallelujah, Your love makes me sing.
Hallelujah, hallelujah,
Hallelujah, Your love makes me sing.*

Your love is surprising,
I can feel it rising,
All the joy that's growing
Deep inside of me.

Every time I see You,
All Your goodness shines through,
And I can feel this God song
Rising up in me.

OFFERTORY PRAYER (18)

Yours, Lord, is the greatness, the
power,
the glory, the splendour, and the
majesty;
for everything in heaven and on earth
is yours.

**All things come from you,
and of your own do we give you**

NOTICES

FINAL PRAYER

**As we go out from here,
help us to recognise
where there is need.
Show us how we can serve
and spread your love everywhere.
Amen.**

SONG 5

*Send me out from here, Lord,
To serve a world in need.
May I know no one by the coat they
wear,
But the heart that Jesus sees.
And may the light of Your face
Shine upon me, Lord.
You have filled my heart with the
greatest joy,
And my cup is overflowing.*

'Go now, and carry the news
To all creation, every race and every
tongue.
Take no purse with you,

Take nothing to eat
For He will supply your every need.'

'Go now, bearing the light,
Living for others,
Fearlessly walking into the night;
Take no thought for your lives,
Like lambs among wolves,
Full of the Spirit, ready to die.'

BLESSING

May Christ draw us to humility and
worship,
and bring us to see God at work;
and may the blessing of God Almighty,
the Father the Son and the Holy Spirit
be with us and remain with us always.
Amen

DISMISSAL

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