

PROPER 8

28th June 2009

Ministers: **Revd. John R. Smith**
 Revd. Frances W. Rosenau
 Revd. Fran Ruthven
Lector: **Jennifer Braithwaite**
Director of Music: **Dr Alberto Massimo**



Fanfare and Tuba Tune

CS Lang (1891-1972)

CHURCH NOTICES

PREPARATION AND APPROACH TO GOD

INTROIT How sweet the name

CALL TO WORSHIP from Psalm 30 stand if able

I will exalt you, O LORD, for you lifted me out of the depths

O Lord my God, I called to you for help and you healed me.

Sing to the LORD, you saints of his; praise his holy name.

O LORD my God, I will give thanks to you forever.

MORNING GREETINGS

HYMN 522 **The Church is wherever God's people are praising**

PRAYERS OF APPROACH, CONFESSION AND ASSURANCE OF PARDON

HYMN 75 **I love the Lord, because he heard**

After the singing of the hymn the children leave for Church School and Crèche.

THE WORD

HEBREW BIBLE (Pew Bible p. 687)

Lamentations 3 : 21-33

Music for Reflection “To a wild rose” Edward MacDowell (1860-1908)
arr. Massimo

THE GOSPEL (Pew Bible p. 33) **Mark 5 : 21-43**

GLORIA Glory to God, Glory to God, Glory in the highest.
Glory to God, Glory to God, Glory in the highest.
To God be glory for ever.
To God be glory for ever.
Alleluia, Amen. (sung 8 times)

HYMN 562 **Through the love of God our Saviour**

THE SERMON

HYMNS 153 **Great is thy faithfulness**

During the singing of the hymn, the offering will be taken
and the Elements will be brought to the table.

All are welcome to remain and partake of the elements if they so desire.

HOLY COMMUNION

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right so to give our thanks and praise.

THE PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

[...and so, with all the company of heaven and earth
we rejoice before you and praise your holy name saying:]

**Holy, Holy, Holy Lord God of steadfast love,
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.

[And here we offer and present to you our very selves
To be a living sacrifice, dedicated and fit for your acceptance.]

**Through him with him in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
All honour and glory are yours, almighty father, now and forever.**

THE LORD'S PRAYER said together

(The Minister is served first, then the servers. The servers then distribute the Elements to the Congregation. The Bread is served as a slice from which Communicants break off a piece, and pass the remainder to their neighbour. The Wine is served in individual cups. Communicants partake as they receive the Elements.)

Music during Communion:

Improvisation on “Tu es Petrus” plainsong

*Tu es Petrus,
et hanc super Petram aedificabo Ecclesiam meam.
et portae inferi non praevallebunt adversus eam,
et tibi dabo claves regni caelorum.*

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

COMMUNION OFFERING: for the Student Christian Movement

VALEDICTION

“God be with you till we meet again”

HYMN 512 **To God be the glory** (verses 1 and 2)

BENEDICTION

Go, confident in the knowledge of God’s steadfast love for you,
assured of the healing touch of Jesus upon you
and emboldened by the transforming power of the Holy Spirit within you.

While the Elements are removed from the church we sing:

HYMN 512 **Great things he has taught us** (verse 3)

Music after the Service: The Liberty Bell John Philip Sousa (1854-1932)

We warmly welcome all who are worshipping with us today, and we hope that you have enjoyed your time with us.

We meet for the farewell lunch for Frances and Zac after the service.

NOTICES

<i>Sunday</i>	<i>5th July</i>
10.30am	Morning Worship
10.30am	Crèche

MAGAZINES: The LINK, and Life & Work magazines are available today.

God Be with You Till We Meet Again

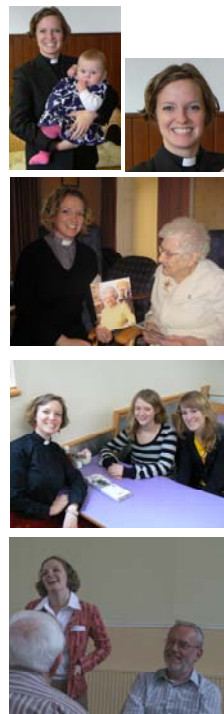
Revd Frances Rosenau -
MUC Associate Minister
2007-2009

1. God be with you till we meet a - gain; By his coun-sels guide, up - hold you;
2. God be with you till we meet a - gain; When life's per - ils thick con - found you;
3. God be with you till we meet a - gain; Keep love's ban - ner float - ing o'er you;

With his sheep se - cure - ly fold you. God be with you till we meet a - gain.
Put his arms un - fail - ing round you. God be with you till we meet a - gain.
Smite death's threat - ning wave be - fore you. God be with you till we meet a - gain.

Till we meet, till we meet, till we meet, Till we meet at Je - sus' feet, till we meet,
Till we meet, till we meet, till we meet, Till we meet, till we meet, till we meet,

Largo *A tempo* 1. 2. 3.
Till we meet, till we meet, God be with you till we meet a - gain. a - gain.
Till we meet, till we meet, till we meet, God be with you till we meet a - gain. a - gain.



God be with you till we meet again
By his counsels guide, uphold you:
With his sheep securely fold you
God be with you till we meet again.

2 God be with you till we meet again
When life's perils thick confound you
Find his arms unfailing round you
God be with you till we meet again

*Till we meet, till we meet again,
Till we meet at Jesus feet,
Till we meet, till we meet again,
God be with you till we meet again.*

3 God be with you till we meet again
Keep love's banner floating o'er you
Smite death's threatening wave before you
God be with you till we meet again.

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