

His Word in Pictures

NAZARETH LUTHERAN CHURCH of SOUTH BRISBANE
SERVICE WITHOUT HOLY COMMUNION

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HYMNS: 505, 602, 373, 380, 397

Baptisms: Oliver Evans and Luca Redmond

"Be Alive in Christ and make Him known"

We do this by

Growing spiritually in God's Word, allowing God to use us to grow His Church by being Christ focused, being community focused and being inclusive.

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Welcome to all newcomers!

We invite you to join in fellowship with a cuppa after service



Welcome

P: Put away from you all bitterness and anger,

C: and be kind to one another,

P: forgiving one another,

C: as God in Christ has forgiven you.

(Eph 4:31,32 NRSV alt)

Invocation

♪P: In the name of the Father and of the Son † and of the Holy Spirit.

♪C: Amen.



Hymn No: 505 Father, who the light this day

Confession of Sins and Absolution

P: Dear friends in Christ: let us draw near to God our Father with a true heart to confess our sins, and ask him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to forgive us.

♪P: Our help is in the name of the Lord.

♪C: He made heaven and earth.

♪P: I said, I will confess my sins to the Lord.

♪C: Then he forgave the guilt of my sin.

C: Almighty God, merciful Father, I, a poor helpless sinner, confess to you all my sins, and repent of all the evil I have done. I have deeply displeased you and deserve your punishment in time and in eternity. But I am sorry for my sins, and I ask you, for the sake of the holy innocent sufferings and death of your dear Son Jesus Christ, to be gracious and merciful to me. Amen.

P: I ask each of you in the presence of God who searches the heart: Do you confess that you have sinned, and do you repent of your sins?
I do.

P: Do you believe that Jesus Christ has redeemed you from all your sins, and do you desire forgiveness in his name? **I do.**

P: Do you intend with the help of the Holy Spirit to live as in God's presence, and to strive daily to lead a holy life, even as Christ has made you holy? **I do.**

P: Christ gave to his church the authority to forgive the sins of those who repent, and to declare to those who do not repent that their sins are not forgiven. Therefore, upon your confession, I, as a called and ordained servant of the word, announce the grace of God to all of you, and on behalf of my Lord Jesus Christ I forgive you all your sins, in the name of the Father and of the Son † and of the Holy Spirit.

P: Peace be with you.

C: Amen.



Kyrie

♫ALL: Lord, have mercy, Christ, have mercy, Lord, have mercy.

Doxology

♫P: Glory to God in the highest

♫C: and on earth peace, among those with whom he is pleased. We praise you, we bless you, we worship you, we glorify you, we give thanks to you for your great glory. O Lord God, heavenly king, God, the Father Almighty. O Lord, the only begotten Son, Jesus Christ, O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father: You take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us. You take away the sin of the world; receive our prayer. You are seated at the right hand of God the Father; have mercy on us. For you alone are holy, you alone are Lord, you alone, O Christ, with the Holy Spirit, are most high in the glory of God the Father. Amen.


♫P: The Lord be with you.

♫C: And also with you.

Prayer of the Day – (Collect)

P: Let us pray that we may be defended in doubt and difficulty.

C: Merciful Father, your Son Jesus Christ gave up his life so that we might die to self and live in him. Give us such close fellowship with him that in all doubts and dangers our faith may not fail. We ask this through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

 **First Reading:** 2 Samuel 18:5-9, 15, 31-33 The death of David's son Absalom

After the reading: This is the Word of the Lord
Please respond: Thanks be to God.

Psalm No: 130



Cantor: *Be merciful, be merciful, O God.*

ANTIPHON: **Be merciful, be merciful, O God**

Cantor: *Out of the depths I cry to you, O Lord. Lord, hear my voice! Let your ears be attentive to the voice of my supplications!*

ANTIPHON: **Be merciful, be merciful, O God**

Cantor: *If you, O Lord, should mark iniquities, Lord, who could stand? But there is forgiveness with you, so that you may be revered.*

ANTIPHON: **Be merciful, be merciful, O God**

Cantor: *I wait for the Lord, my soul waits, and in his word I hope; my soul waits for the Lord more than those who watch for the morning, more than those who watch for the morning.*

ANTIPHON: **Be merciful, be merciful, O God**



Cantor: *O Israel, hope in the Lord! For with the Lord there is steadfast love, and with him is great power to redeem. It is he who will redeem Israel from all its iniquities.*

ANTIPHON: **Be merciful, be merciful, O God**

✪C: **Glory to the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit; as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for evermore. Amen.**

Second Reading: Ephesians 4:25-5:2 Be imitators of God

After the reading: This is the word of the Lord.



 **C**  **Hallelujah! Hallelujah! Hallelujah!**

Gospel Reading: John 6:35, 41-51 Jesus the bread of life

Before the reading  **C** Glory be to you, O Lord.

After the reading  **C** Praise be to you, O Christ.

C: Thank you, Lord Jesus, for coming as the bread of life. Give us eternal life through faith in you. Amen.

  Hymn No: 602 I am Jesus' little lamb

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The Lord's Prayer

All: Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be your name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth, as it is in heaven; give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation; but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory for ever and ever. Amen.

The Apostles' Creed

All: I believe in God, the Father, Almighty, maker of heaven and earth. And 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, dead, and buried. He descended into hell. The third day he rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven, and sits at the right hand of God, the Father Almighty, from thence he will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Christian Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

 Hymn No: 373 Lord, speak to me, that I may speak

Sermon

 Hymn No: 380 O God of mercy, God of might

 Offertory Prayer

C: What can I offer to the Lord: for all his goodness to me? I will lift up the cup of salvation: and call on the name of the Lord. I will offer you a sacrifice of thanksgiving: and call on the name of the Lord. I will keep my promises to the Lord: in the presence of all his people; In the courts of the house of the Lord: in your midst, O Jerusalem.

P: Thank you, loving God, for giving us your Son, who is our life-giving bread from heaven. Make us more and more like you, living a life of love and service. Lead us to be kind, compassionate, and forgiving.

C: Amen.

 Prayer of the Church

The response to each petition:

P: Lord, in your mercy

C: hear our prayer.

The Blessing

P: The Lord bless you and keep you.

The Lord make his face shine on you and be gracious to you.

The Lord look upon you with favour † and give you peace.

C: Amen. Amen. Amen.

Hymn No: 397 Lead us, heavenly Father, lead us

