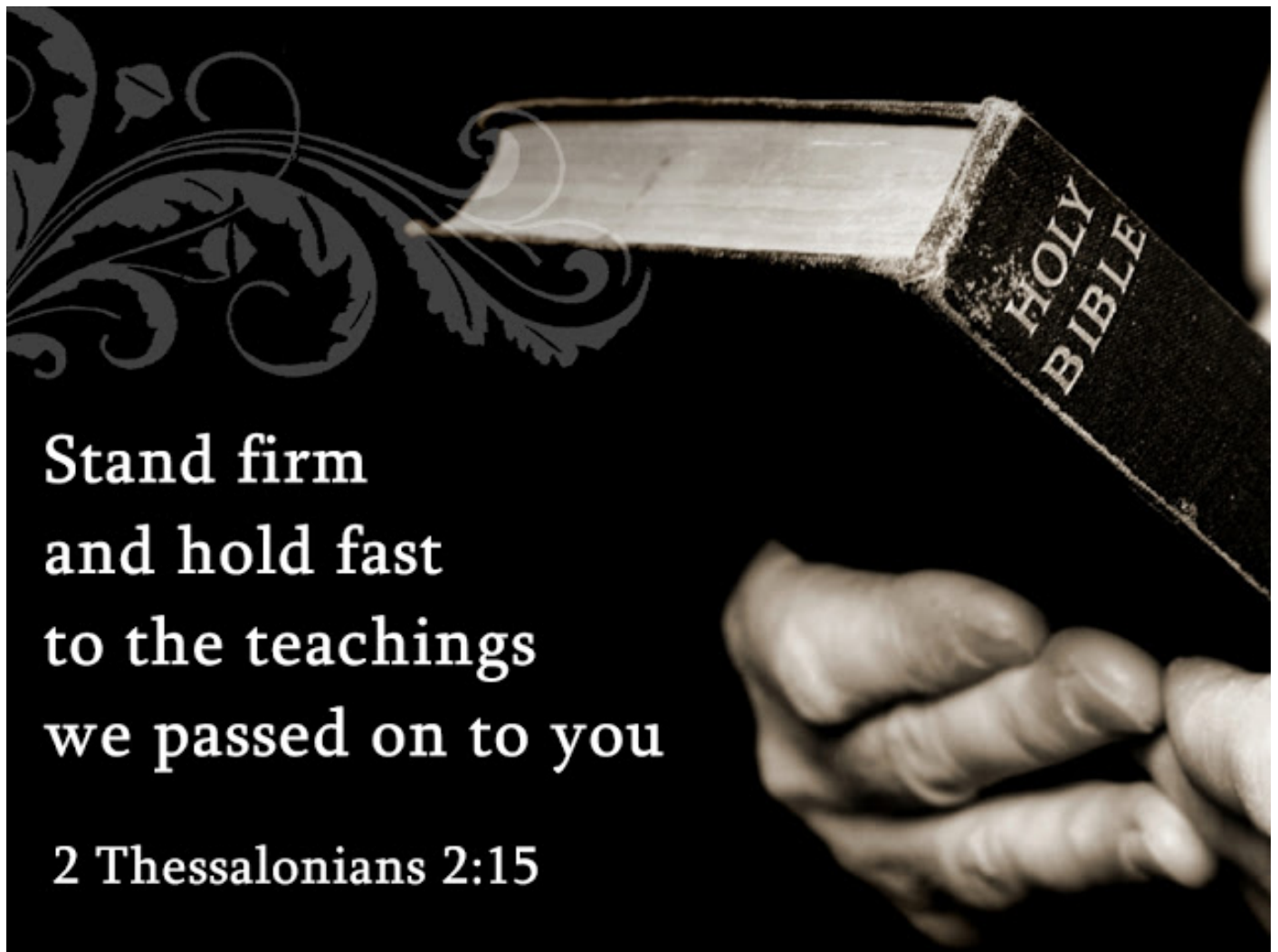




Stand firm
and hold fast
to the teachings
we passed on to you
2 Thessalonians 2:15

NAZARETH LUTHERAN CHURCH of SOUTH BRISBANE
SERVICE WITHOUT HOLY COMMUNION

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HYMNS: 19, 197, 490, 870

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Welcome Visitors! Please join us for a cuppa and fellowship after service.



Welcome

P: The Lord, the God of Abraham, the God of Isaac, and the God of Jacob,
C: is God not of the dead, but of the living; for to him all of them are
alive.
(Luke 20:37,38 NRSV)

Invocation

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

Hymn No: 19 Come, Thou Saviour of our race

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.

Psalm No: 145:1-9,14-21



Cantor: *I will extol you my God and King, my God and King.*

ANTIPHON: I will extol you my God and King, my God and King.

Cantor: *I will extol you, my God and King and bless your name for ever and ever. Every day I will bless you and praise your name for ever and ever. Great is the Lord, and greatly to be praised, his greatness is unsearchable.*

ANTIPHON: I will extol you my God and King, my God and King.

Cantor: *One generation shall laud your works to another and shall declare your mighty acts. On the glorious splendour of your majesty and on your wondrous works, I will meditate. The might of your awesome deeds shall be proclaimed and I will declare your greatness. They shall celebrate the fame of your abundant goodness and shall sing aloud of your righteousness.*

ANTIPHON: I will extol you my God and King, my God and King.

Cantor: *The Lord is gracious and merciful, slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love. The Lord is good to all and his compassion is over all that he has made.*

ANTIPHON: I will extol you my God and King, my God and King.
Cantor: *The Lord upholds all who are falling and raises up all who are bowed down. The eyes of all look to you and you give them their food in due season. You open your hand satisfying the desire of every living thing.*

ANTIPHON: I will extol you my God and King, my God and King.
Cantor: *The Lord is just in all his ways and kind in all his doings. The Lord is near to all who call on him, to all who call on him in truth. He fulfills the desire of all who fear him, he also hears their cry and saves them. The Lord watches over all who love him but all the wicked he will destroy.*

ANTIPHON: I will extol you my God and King, my God and King.
Cantor: *My mouth will speak the praise of the Lord, and all flesh will bless his holy name for ever and ever.*

ANTIPHON: I will extol you my God and King, my God and King.

♫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.



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 for vigilance.

C: Heavenly Father, keep us watchful and alert as we wait for the coming of your Son, our Lord. When he stands at the door and knocks, may he not find us asleep in carelessness and sin, but awake in hope and rejoicing, so that we may live with you forever. We ask this through Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

 First Reading: Hagai 1:15b – 2:9 The future glory of the temple

After the reading: This is the Word of the Lord

Please respond: Thanks be to God.

Second Reading: 2 Thessalonians 2:1-5, 13-17 Stand firm as you wait for the coming of our Lord

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

  Hallelujah! Hallelujah! Hallelujah!

Gospel Reading: Luke 20:27-38 The question about rising from death

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 bringing us life with God forever. Help us to live as God's children. 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: 197 Lord, keep us steadfast in Thy Word

Sermon

 Hymn No: 490 O Son of God, we wait for Thee

 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: Faithful God, strengthen us to stand firm in our faith. Encourage us to keep on serving you, giving of ourselves and what we have to help other people.

C: Amen.

 Prayer of the Church

The response to each petition:

P: Lord, in your mercy

C: hear our prayer.

 The Lord's Prayer

All: Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name; your kingdom come; your will be done on earth, as it is in heaven; give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our sins, as we forgive those who sin against us; and lead us not into temptation; but deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory, are yours, now and forever. Amen.

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: 870 Lord of all hopefulness, Lord of all joy