ORDER OF SERVICE: ST ANDREWS 18 June 2023

THEME: FAITH

WELCOME/NOTICES

CALL TO WORSHIP

SONG:

TIS 693 Come as you are

1

'Come as you are: that's how I want you. Come as you are; feel quite at home, close to my heart, loved and forgiven. Come as you are: why stand alone?

2

'No need to fear, love sets no limits; no need to fear, love never ends; don't run away shamed and disheartened, rest in my love, trust me again.

3

'I came to call sinners, not just the righteous; I came to bring peace, not to condemn. Each time you fail to live by my promise, why do you think I'd love you the less?

4

'Come as you are: that's how I love you; come as you are, trust me again. Nothing can change the love that I bear you; all will be well, just come as you are.'

PRAYERS OF PRAISE

SHARING [about upsizing]

SONG: P&W 5 In my life Lord, be glorified

In my life Lord, be glorified, be glorified In my life, Lord, be glorified today.

In our song Lord, be glorified, be glorified In our song Lord, be glorified, today.

In our church Lord, be glorified, be glorified In our church Lord, be glorified today.

In our worship, be glorified, be glorified In our worship, be glorified today.

BIBLE READING: Romans 5: 1-8; Luke 17:3-6

REFLECTION ON THE WORD

SONG: ATN 79 Feed us now

Feed us now, Bread of life, in this holy meal;Let us know your love anew: we hunger for you.Feed us now, Bread of life, come and live within;Let your peace be ours today, Lord Jesus, we pray.

Piece of bread, glass of wine: Lord, this food is good: Love and mercy come to us – Your promise we trust. Piece of bread, glass of wine: who can understand How his mercy works in these? Yet, Lord, we believe.

God is here, O so near – nearer than our thoughts. Stay with us where'er we go; Lord, help us to grow. God is here, O so near, in this heaven's meal. May we always feed on you – on the bread that is true.

HOLY COMMUNION

PRAYERS FOR OTHERS

THE LORD'S PRAYER:

Our Father, who art 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. Save us in the trial, and deliver us from evil. For yours is the kingdom, the power and the glory For ever and ever. Amen.

SONG: TIS 154 Great is your faithfulness

1

Great is your faithfulness, O God my Father, in you no shadow of turning we see; you never fail and your love is unchanging: as you have been you for ever will be. *Refrain:*

> Great is your faithfulness. great is your faithfulness, morning by morning new mercies we see; all we have needed your hand has provided: great is your faithfulness, Lord God, to me.

2

Summer and winter, and springtime and harvest, sun, moon and stars in their courses above, join with all nature in unspoken witness to your great faithfulness, mercy and love.

3

Pardon for sin and a peace that's enduring, your living presence to cheer and to guide, strength for today and bright hope for tomorrow these are the blessings your love will provide.

BLESSING

[you are invited to light a candle as you leave the sanctuary]