# ORDER OF SERVICE: ST ANDREWS 2 July 2023

## CALL TO WORSHIP (in song)

SONG: SinS 54 Into Your presence we come

Into your presence we come, not by the works we have done But by your grace, and your grace alone, into your presence we come

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#### PRAYERS OF PRAISE

SHARING A welcolme mat

SONG: P&W 445 As the deer pants

As the deer panteth for the water, so my soul longeth after you

You alone are my heart's desire, and I long to worship you. CHORUS:

YOU ALONE ARE MY STRENGTH AND SHIELD, TO YOU ALONE MAY MY SPIRIT YIELD YOU ALONE ARE MY HEART'S DESIRE, AND I LONG TO WORSHIP YOU. I want you more than gold or silver, only you can satisfy You alone are the real joy giver and the apple of my eye. CHORUS:

You're my friend and you are my brother, even though you are a king

I love you more than any other, so much more than anything. CHORUS.

**BIBLE READINGS:** Ps 89; 1-4; 15-18; Matthew 10: 40-42

#### REFLECTION

SONG: TIS 686 Because we bear your name

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Lord Jesus, we belong to you,
you live in us, we live in you;
we live and work for you

because we bear your name.

2 Help us receive each other, Lord, for you receive the least of us and come to us in them

because we bear your name.

5 Let nothing that we do or say offend the weak so that they fall and lose their faith in you

because we bear your name.

6 Keep us from missing out on life; give hands that help, and single sight, and feet that walk your way

because we bear your name.

7 You are the salt that cleanses us, so clean us out, and make us fit for common life with you

because we bear your name.

#### 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.

### THANKSGIVING FOR OFFERING

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# SONG: TIS 745 Seek ye first the kingdom of God

1 Seek ye first the kingdom of God and his righteousness, and all these things shall be added unto you. Allelu, alleluia. Refrain: Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia. 2 Ask and it shall be given unto you, seek and you shall find, knock and it shall be opened unto you. Allelu, alleluia. Refrain 3 We shall not live by bread alone, but by every word that proceeds from the mouth of the Lord. Allelu, alleluia. Refrain

#### **BLESSING**

And now we go forth, in the certainty of faith, In the knowledge of love and in the vision of hope.

AND IN OUR GOING, MAY WE BE BLESSED TO BE A BLESSING TO OTHERS THIS DAY AND FOR EVERMORE. AMEN.

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

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PREACHER FOR NEXT WEEK: Rev Dr Phil Carr