

Praise God for who He is: *What aspect of God's glory, goodness, power and love is most capturing your heart at the moment?*

Praise God for what He has done for our churches: *What has been most encouraging for you at church this month?*

Praise God for what He has done for us: *How have you seen God at work in your life recently?*

<p>What is our hope in life and death? Christ alone, Christ alone. What is our only confidence? That our souls to him belong.</p> <p>Who holds our days within his hand? What comes, apart from his command? And what will keep us to the end? The love of Christ, in which we stand.</p> <p><i>O sing hallelujah!</i> <i>Our hope springs eternal:</i> <i>O sing hallelujah!</i> <i>Now and ever we confess:</i> <i>Christ our hope in life and death!</i></p> <p>What truth can calm the troubled soul? God is good, God is good. Where is his grace and goodness known? In our great Redeemer's blood.</p> <p>Who holds our faith when fears arise? Who stands above the stormy trial? Who sends the waves that bring us nigh? Unto the shore, the rock of Christ.</p> <p><i>O sing hallelujah...</i></p>	<p>Unto the grave, what shall we sing? "Christ, he lives! Christ, he lives!" And what reward will heaven bring? Everlasting life with him.</p> <p>There we will rise to meet the Lord; Then sin and death will be destroyed. And we will feast in endless joy When Christ is ours forevermore!</p> <p><i>O sing hallelujah...</i></p>
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OURSELVES: *What is causing you pain and distress right now?*

CHURCH: *Lament the House of Bishops' departure from orthodoxy. Cry out to God for faithful leadership. Pray for General Synod (13th-15th Nov).*

WORLD: *Lament the awful suffering of war and terrorism in Gaza, Ukraine and other war-torn areas of our world.*

<p><i>From all evil and mischief; from sin, from the crafts and assaults of the devil; from thy wrath, and from everlasting damnation, Good Lord, deliver us.</i></p> <p><i>From all blindness of heart; from pride, vain-glory, and hypocrisy; from envy, hatred, and malice, and all uncharitableness, Good Lord, deliver us.</i></p> <p><i>From fornication, and all other deadly sin; and from all the deceits of the world, the flesh, and the devil, Good Lord, deliver us.</i></p> <p><i>From lightning and tempest; from plague, pestilence, and famine; from battle and murder, and from sudden death, Good Lord, deliver us.</i></p> <p><i>From all sedition, privy conspiracy, and rebellion; from all false doctrine, heresy, and schism; from hardness of heart, and contempt of thy Word and Commandment, Good Lord, deliver us.</i></p> <p><i>We sinners do beseech thee to hear us, O Lord God: and that it may please thee to rule and govern thy holy Church universal in the right way, We beseech thee to hear us, good Lord.</i></p> <p><i>That it may please thee to illuminate all Bishops, Priests, and Deacons, with true knowledge and understanding of thy Word; and that both by their preaching and living they may set it forth and shew it accordingly, We beseech thee to hear us, good Lord.</i></p>	<p><i>That it may please thee to give to all nations unity, peace, and concord, We beseech thee to hear us, good Lord.</i></p> <p><i>That it may please thee to give us an heart to love and dread thee, and diligently to live after thy commandments, We beseech thee to hear us, good Lord.</i></p> <p><i>That it may please thee to give to all thy people increase of grace, to hear meekly thy Word, and to receive it with pure affection, and to bring forth the fruits of the Spirit, We beseech thee to hear us, good Lord.</i></p> <p><i>That it may please thee to bring into the way of truth all such as have erred, and are deceived, We beseech thee to hear us, good Lord.</i></p> <p><i>That it may please thee to succour, help, and comfort all that are in danger, necessity, and tribulation, We beseech thee to hear us, good Lord.</i></p> <p><i>That it may please thee to forgive our enemies, persecutors, and slanderers, and to turn their hearts, We beseech thee to hear us, good Lord.</i></p> <p><i>That it may please thee to give us true repentance; to forgive us all our sins, negligences, and ignorances; and to endue us with the grace of thy Holy Spirit, to amend our lives according to thy holy Word, We beseech thee to hear us, good Lord.</i></p>
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WORLD: Pray for Rachael and Bernie Muluuta

CHURCH: Pray for Sherford Community Church

Praise God for a great re-start to DC Gang this term!

Praise God for recent outreach events in October and good connections made.

Praise God for new families joining us recently.

Pray for upcoming outreach events, especially over Remembrance weekend.

Pray for our church members to grow in their faith through Sunday services, homegroups, one-to-ones and reading Christian books together.

CHURCH: Pray for St. Matthew's Church

Pray for our youth and children's ministry (including schools ministry), and especially for more leaders. Praise God for Chris, Vicky and Becky!

Pray for our evangelism, that the gospel would empower us with courage to share it. Pray especially for unbelieving spouses and family.

Pray for our discipleship, and especially for our homegroups.

Pray for our leadership, and especially for our PCC as they have to make budget decisions.

Pray for appropriate engagement with the wider Church of England.

CHURCH: Peninsula Gospel Partnership

Pray for all the Gospel Partnerships around the UK, and for good partnership between them. Pray for Tom as he meets the other leaders in November.

Pray for the PGP course, and for the next study day for pastors on Wednesday 15th November, that they would serve local churches well.

Pray for good partnership between local churches across the Peninsula.

COMMUNITY: Sherford

Thanks for the news that a community shop is arriving soon.

Pray for groups meeting real need in the community, including Sherford Toddlers, the Sherford Over-50s Group and the Sherford Food Hub.

Pray for more Christians to move to Sherford and to be salt and light in their community.

Sherford streets for prayer: Sparrow Park, Thistle Road, Buzzard Way, Pigeon Lane, Clover Walk, Wagtail Avenue

COMMUNITY: Elburton

Praise God for "Hunt the Light"!

Pray for Christians in Elburton to be salt and light in their community.

Pray for Elburton Primary School and Coombe Dean School as they seek to help children grow and flourish. Praise God for open doors for the church to be involved in those schools.

Elburton streets for prayer: Great Churchway, Mid Churchway, Higher Churchway, Springfield Rise, Springfield Avenue, Mena Park Close, Mena Park Road

OURSELVES:

Pray that God would help us to be clear and firm on gospel issues, while being generous and patient over less important differences.

Pray that the Holy Spirit would help us to show our commitment to Jesus by our changed lives, even in the face of social pressure.

Pray for a friend or family member to turn to Jesus and accept His grace for themselves.

FRIENDS AND FAMILY:

Pray for those we know who are suffering pain or illness.

Pray for those we know who are suffering with anxiety or mental illness.

Pray for those we know who are grieving the loss of loved ones.

Pray for those we know who have not yet turned to Christ.