

“The urgent ... Morning Worship - Rev Stephen Smith ... Invitation.”

PRAYER OF PREPARATION WELCOME AND CALL TO WORSHIP

I am a new creation
No more in condemnation
Here in the grace of God I stand
My heart is overflowing
My love just keeps on growing
Here in the grace of God I stand
And I will praise You Lord
Yes I will praise You Lord
And I will sing of all that You have done
joy that knows no limit
A lightness in my spirit
Here in the grace of God I stand
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PRAYERS

NEWS OF THE FAMILY AND LORDS PRAYER JUNIOR CHURCH LEAVE

The Lord's my Shepherd I'll not want
He makes me lie in pastures green
He leads me by the still, still waters
His goodness restores my soul
And I will trust in You alone
And I will trust in You alone
For Your endless mercy follows me
Your goodness will lead me home
He guides my ways in righteousness
And He anoints my head with oil
And my cup it overflows with joy
I feast on His pure delights
And though I walk the darkest path
I will not fear the evil one
For You are with me and Your rod and staff
Are the comfort I need to know
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PERSONAL PRAYERS

READING: Isaiah 25: 1-9

READING: Matthew 22: 1-14

SERMON: The Urgent Invitation

Will you come and follow me
if I but call your name?
Will you go where you don't know
and never be the same?
Will you let my love be shown,
will you let my name be known,
will you let my life be grown in you
and you in me?
Will you leave yourself behind
if I but call your name?
Will you care for cruel and kind
and never be the same?
Will you risk the hostile stare
should your life attract or scare,
Will you let me answer prayer in you
and you in me?
Will you let the blinded see
if I but call your name?
Will you set the prisoners free
and never be the same?
Will you kiss the leper clean
and do such as this unseen,
and admit to what I mean in you
and you in me?

Will you love the 'you' you hide
if I but call your name?
Will you quell the fear inside
and never be the same?
Will you use the faith you've found
to reshape the world around
through my sight and touch and sound in you
and you in me?

Lord, your summons echoes true
when you but call my name.
Let me turn and follow you
and never be the same.
In your company I'll go
where your love and footsteps show.
Thus I'll move and live and grow in you
and you in me.

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PRAYERS FOR OTHERS AND OURSELVES

Over all the earth You reign on high
Every mountain stream, every sunset sky
But my one request Lord, my only aim
Is that You'd reign in me again
Lord reign in me. Reign in Your power
Over all my dreams. In my darkest hour
You are the Lord of all I am
So won't You reign in me again
Over every thought, over every word
May my life reflect the beauty of my Lord
'Cause You mean more to me than any earthly thing
So won't You reign in me again
Chorus x 2

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THE URGENT INVITATION

Lord, the light of your love is shining
In the midst of the darkness, shining
Jesus, Light of the world, shine upon us
Set us free by the truth you now bring us
Shine on me, shine on me:
*Shine, Jesus, shine:
Fill this land with the Father's glory
Blaze, Spirit, blaze: Set our hearts on fire
Flow, river, flow:
Flood the nations with grace and mercy
Send forth your word Lord, and let there be light!*

Lord, I come to your awesome presence
From the shadows into your radiance
By your blood I may enter your brightness
Search me, try me, consume all my darkness
Shine on me, shine on me:

As we gaze on your kingly brightness
So our faces display your likeness
Ever changing from glory to glory
Mirrored here may our lives tell your story
Shine on me, shine on me:

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TIME FOR REFLECTION

May the peace of the Lord Christ go with you
wherever He may send you.

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Church Meeting:
SUNDAY
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The Church at
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Invitation

Please Join Us

Date: _____

Time: _____

Address: _____

Phone no: _____

Sunday 10.45^{am} 15th October 2017