



1 Corinthians 15: 58 – *“Therefore, be steadfast, immovable, always abounding in the work of the Lord knowing that your work is never in vain if it is in the Lord.”*

This is our prayer for Carron, as she seeks to develop different initiatives to encourage our children and young people to engage with God’s plan for their lives.

Also for David, as he’s been settling in over the last couple of months. His task whilst exciting, is also daunting at times. I have enjoyed his teaching and working alongside him within leadership team.

## Song

Come people of the Risen King  
Who delight to bring Him praise  
Come all and tune your hearts to sing  
To the Morning Star of grace  
From the shifting shadows of the earth  
We will lift our eyes to Him  
Where steady arms of mercy reach  
To gather children in

Rejoice rejoice let ev’ry tongue rejoice  
One heart one voice  
O Church of Christ rejoice

Come those whose joy is morning sun  
And those weeping through the night  
Come those who tell of battles won  
And those struggling in the fight  
For His perfect love will never change  
And His mercies never cease  
But follow us through all our days  
With the certain hope of peace

Come young and old from ev’ry land  
Men and women of the faith  
Come those with full or empty hands  
Find the riches of His grace  
Over all the world His people sing  
Shore to shore we hear them call  
The truth that cries through ev’ry age  
Our God is all in all

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## Song

My hope is built on nothing less  
Than Jesus’ blood and righteousness  
I dare not trust the sweetest frame  
But wholly trust in Jesus’ Name

Christ alone cornerstone  
Weak made strong in the Saviour’s love  
Through the storm He is Lord  
Lord of all

When darkness seems to hide His face  
I rest on His unchanging grace  
In every high and stormy gale  
My anchor holds within the veil  
My anchor holds within the veil

He is Lord Lord of all

When He shall come with trumpet sound  
Oh may I then in Him be found  
Dressed in His righteousness alone  
Faultless stand before the throne

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## Read 1 Peter 2: 4-10

## Ria testimony (on CD)

Ria and her parents moved to Duke Street shortly before COVID

## Song

You were the Word at the beginning  
One with God the Lord Most High  
Your hidden glory in creation  
Now revealed in You our Christ

What a beautiful Name it is  
What a beautiful Name it is  
The Name of Jesus Christ my King  
What a beautiful Name it is  
Nothing compares to this  
What a beautiful Name it is  
The Name of Jesus

You didn't want heaven without us  
So Jesus You brought heaven down  
My sin was great Your love was greater  
What could separate us now

Death could not hold You  
The veil tore before You  
You silence the boast of sin and grave  
The heavens are roaring  
The praise of Your glory  
For You are raised to life again

You have no rival  
You have no equal  
Now and forever God You reign  
Yours is the kingdom  
Yours is the glory  
Yours is the Name above all names

What a powerful Name it is  
What a powerful Name it is  
The Name of Jesus Christ my King  
What a powerful Name it is  
Nothing can stand against  
What a powerful Name it is  
The Name of Jesus

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## Teaching

## Prayers

*Thine be the glory  
Risen conquering Son  
Endless is the victory  
Thou o'er death hast won*

Thank you, Lord Jesus, that we can live in the knowledge that you died and rose again for us. Thank you that you greet us, risen from the tomb. Thank you that you scatter fear and gloom.

Help us to sing (or hum with masks on) hymns of triumph, even when that might be difficult. Help those of us who know and believe that while death has lost its sting in the eternal sense, there is still a lot of pain when we've lost loved ones. Help us all to remember that your love does not adhere to the 2m social distancing rules.

Be with us during moments of doubt or confusion. Remind us that even your closest followers had moments of weakness and betrayal. In the end, help us to remember that you use us specifically because we are broken and weak. Help us with that discord.

Bring us safe through Presidents and Prime Ministers, pandemics and panic buying, polemic political debates and preventive policies.

Bring us safe to Thy home above.

Lord God, keep us all safe and eager for the day when we'll hear that there are no new cases. We pray for the day when we'll hug our loved ones again. We long for the day when plans will be made, and kept. But most of all, keep us eager and alert for The Day when you will return and make everything right.

And so, to him who is able to keep you from stumbling and to present you before his glorious presence without fault and with great joy— to the only God our Saviour be glory, majesty, power and authority, through Jesus Christ our Lord, before all ages, now and forevermore! Amen.

## Song

We we are God's people  
Once dead in our sin and now  
Raised up with Christ in heaven  
God rich in His mercy  
Made us all alive in Christ  
Seated with Him forever

By grace we are saved through faith  
Not from us but God  
Not our works or boasting  
By grace we are saved through faith  
Not from us but God  
Not our works or boasting  
By grace

We we are God's people  
Once once who were far away  
Saved by the blood of Jesus  
Now we are His temple  
Filled filled with His Spirit made  
For doing good in Jesus

Philip Percival

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We pray that our God will make you fit  
for what he's called you to be,  
We pray that he'll fill your good ideas  
and acts of faith with his own energy so  
that it all amounts to something.

2 Thessalonians 1:11-12