

# All-Age Morning Worship, 10.30am Sunday, 16<sup>th</sup> August 2020

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## Welcome & Opening Prayer

This is your day,  
**and we shall praise you!**  
This is your day,  
**and we shall declare your name!**  
This is your day,  
**and we shall worship**  
**our risen Saviour and King!**

**Song** Give thanks to the Lord (Forever)

## Confession

I wonder if there's anything we've thought this week  
that we wish we hadn't thought?

*Let's put our hands on our head*  
With our hands on my head,  
we remember the things we've thought  
we remember the things we wish we'd thought a different way.

And we say:  
**I'm Sorry God.**  
**Can we start again?**

I wonder if there's anything we've said this week  
that we wish we hadn't said?

*Let's put our hands in front of our mouths*  
With our hands in front of our mouths  
we remember the things we've said  
we remember the things we wish we'd said a different way or not said at all.

And we say:  
**I'm Sorry God.**  
**Can we start again?**

I wonder if there's anything we've done this week  
that we wish we hadn't done.

*Let's put our hands across our chest,*  
With our hands across our chest,  
we remember the things we've done  
we remember the things we wish we'd not done

And we say:  
**I'm Sorry God.**  
**Can we start again?**

## **Absolution**

The Good News is:

God sent Jesus to make us clean when we have done something wrong

God always wants to give us a new start!

Let's use our new start to share God's love this week!

## **Song - Come on and celebrate**

## **Introduction to Nehemiah**

**Bible Readings:** Nehemiah 1:1-11  
Luke 18:1-8

## **At the end of both readings:**

This is the word of the Lord:

**Thanks be to God.**

## **Sermon**

## **Intercessions**

## **Collect**

**Lord of heaven and earth,  
as Jesus taught his disciples to be persistent in prayer,  
give us patience and courage never to lose hope,  
but always to bring our prayers before you;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord.  
Amen.**

## **Notices**

## **Song - We want to see Jesus lifted high**

## **Final Prayer & Blessing**

God the Father,  
who has given to his Son the name above every name,  
strengthen you to proclaim Christ as Lord;  
and the blessing of God Almighty,  
the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit  
be among you and remain with you always.  
**Amen.**