

ORDER OF SERVICE

WELCOME

SONG: O God, Our Help in Ages Past

ACT OF REMEMBRANCE

CONFESSION

Almighty God, our heavenly Father,
We have sinned against you
And against our neighbour,
In thought and word and deed,
In the evil we have done
And in the good we have not done,
Through negligence, through weakness,
Through our own deliberate fault.
We are truly sorry and repent of all our sins.
For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ,
Who died for us,
Forgive us all that is past;
And grant that we may serve you
In newness of life
To the glory of your name. Amen.
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the Church of England, 2000-2006

NOTICES (Children go to Sunday School and Crèche)

RESPONSIVE READING: Luke 6:27-36

SONG: This is Amazing Grace

SONG: Holy Spirit

READING: Luke 10:25-37 (pg. 869)

SERMON

PRAYERS

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name,
your kingdom come, your will be done,
on earth as in heaven.
Give us today our daily bread.
Forgive us our sins
as we forgive those who sin against us.
Lead us not into temptation
but deliver us from evil.
For the kingdom, the power
and the glory are yours
now and for ever. Amen

SONG: His Mercy is More

BLESSING

NOTICES

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Christianity Explored

If you are interested in exploring more about the Christian faith, we run a relaxed and informal course for anyone who would like to go over the foundations, based on the Gospel of Mark.



If you would like to find out more, please visit:
www.greenwich.church/christianityexplored

Creative Team


We are setting up a Creative Team! If you have experience in graphic design, video-editing, photography, or similar; please contact Johannah, our Communications Manager, johannah.ball@greenwich.church.

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Next Sunday: Luke 10:38-42

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Welcome!

Sunday 10th November 2024

"God have mercy on me, a sinner."

Luke 18:13 (NIV)



Luke 10:25-37



²⁵ And behold, a lawyer stood up to put him to the test, saying, “Teacher, what shall I do to inherit eternal life?” ²⁶ He said to him, “What is written in the Law? How do you read it?” ²⁷ And he answered, “You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your strength and with all your mind, and your neighbour as yourself.” ²⁸ And he said to him, “You have answered correctly; do this, and you will live.”

²⁹ But he, desiring to justify himself, said to Jesus, “And who is my neighbour?” ³⁰ Jesus replied, “A man was going down from Jerusalem to Jericho, and he fell among robbers, who stripped him and beat him and departed, leaving him half dead. ³¹ Now by chance a priest was going down that road, and when he saw him he passed by on the other side. ³² So likewise a Levite, when he came to the place and saw him, passed by on the other side. ³³ But a Samaritan, as he journeyed, came to where he was, and when he saw him, he had compassion. ³⁴ He went to him and bound up his wounds, pouring on oil and wine. Then he set him on his own animal and brought him to an inn and took care of him. ³⁵ And the next day he took out two denarii and gave them to the innkeeper, saying, ‘Take care of him, and whatever more you spend, I will repay you when I come back.’ ³⁶ Which of these three, do you think, proved to be a neighbour to the man who fell among the robbers?” ³⁷ He said, “The one who showed him mercy.” And Jesus said to him, “You go, and do likewise.”

Is love all we need?

1) The true believer loves God and their neighbour

2) The genius of Jesus’ parable

True neighbour-love is active, sacrificial, and cares for whoever’s in need

The “bad” news: You can’t get to God by ticking off the commands

The good news: There is a merciful Hero who can give us new life!

3) Walk in love, as Christ loved us

Discussion starter:

When are you tempted to believe that it’s your performance which gets you to God? How does Jesus’ parable convict you? And comfort you?