ORDER OF SERVICE

WELCOME

SONG: Lovingkindness

CHILDREN'S TALK

CONFESSION

Almighty God, our heavenly Father,
We have sinned against you
And against our neighbour,
In thought and word and deed,
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.

Common Worship, @ The Archbishops' Council of the Church of England, 2000-2006

NOTICES (Children go to Sunday School and Crèche)

INTERVIEW

RESPONSIVE READING: Luke 9:23-26

SONG: My Song Is Love Unknown

SONG: Show Us Christ

READING: Luke 9:18-27 (pg.867)

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: Man of Sorrows

BLESSING

NOTICES

Connect with us

If you're new at Grace Church, we'd love to connect. Sign up to our Newsletter or WhatsApp Group by scanning the QR code or emailing info@greenwich.church



Weekend Away

From 11th to 13th October, we will escape London for a weekend together in the Sussex countryside. It's a great opportunity to make friends, deepen relationships, and learn more of Christ from the prophet Isaiah. We would love the whole church family to be

there, including newcomers! Some bursaries are available if finances are a challenge. Sign-ups now open!



Grace Groups – 1 Peter

Join us as we study the Bible, pray & share life with one another in our weekly Grace Groups starting this week. If you've never been before, why not come to the introductory evening to see what it's like? We meet on Wednesday nights, 7:45pm at the King William Building.

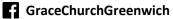
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Next Sunday: Luke 9:28-43a

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Welcome!

Sunday 15th September 2024

"I gave my back to those who strike, and my cheeks to those who pull out the beard; I hid not my face from disgrace and spitting."

Isaiah 50:6 (ESV)



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Luke 9:18-27



¹⁸ Now it happened that as he was praying alone, the disciples were with him. And he asked them, "Who do the crowds say that I am?" ¹⁹And they answered, "John the Baptist. But others say, Elijah, and others, that one of the prophets of old has risen." ²⁰Then he said to them, "But who do you say that I am?" And Peter answered, "The Christ of God."

²¹ And he strictly charged and commanded them to tell this to no one, ²² saying, "The Son of Man must suffer many things and be rejected by the elders and chief priests and scribes, and be killed, and on the third day be raised."

²³ And he said to all, "If anyone would come after me, let him deny himself and take up his cross daily and follow me. ²⁴ For whoever would save his life will lose it, but whoever loses his life for my sake will save it. ²⁵ For what does it profit a man if he gains the whole world and loses or forfeits himself? ²⁶ For whoever is ashamed of me and of my words, of him will the Son of Man be ashamed when he comes in his glory and the glory of the Father and of the holy angels. ²⁷ But I tell you truly, there are some standing here who will not taste death until they see the kingdom of God."

The Story So Far... 7:19, 39; 8:25; 9:7-9

A Big Question:

9:18-20

(it's not quite the question you think it is!)

A Big Shock:

9:21-22

(it's not quite the king you think he is!)

An Even Bigger Shock:

9:23-27

(it's not quite the life you think it is!)

... for him

... for me

Coffee Question:
Who I say that Jesus is?
Where do I want my life to be safe?