

ORDER OF SERVICE

WELCOME

SONG: Holy, Holy, Holy

CHILDREN'S TALK

CONFESSION

Almighty God, our heavenly Father,
We have sinned against you
And against our fellow men,
In thought and word and deed,
In the evil we have done
And in the good we have not done,
Through ignorance, 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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NOTICES (Children go to Sunday School and Crèche)

RESPONSIVE READING: Deuteronomy
5:1-22 (pg. 150)

SONG: Only a Holy God

SONG: He is Our God

READING: Deuteronomy 6:1-9 (pg. 151)

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: Be Thou My Vision

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



Easter at Grace Church

Good Friday Service, 29th March, 10.30am

St. Helen's Bishopsgate

Easter Service, 31st March, 10am

Canada Water Library

All-Age Service, 31st March, 4pm

Eltham College

Note: There will be no services in Greenwich over Easter.

Weekend Away

We'd love you to join us from
26th-28th April at Ashburnham
Place in Sussex. Scan the QR
code to sign up.



Giving

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*Next Sunday, 31st March, Easter Sunday
(no Greenwich service)*

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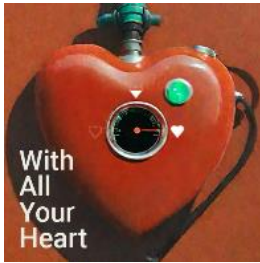
Welcome!

Sunday 24th March 2024

***“Hear, O Israel: The Lord our God,
the Lord is one.
You shall love the Lord your God
with all your heart
and with all your soul
and with all your might.”***

Deuteronomy 6:4-5 (ESV)

Deuteronomy 6:1-9



6 “Now this is the commandment—the statutes and the rules—that the Lord your God commanded me to teach you, that you may do them in the land to which you are going over, to possess it, ² that you may fear the Lord your God, you and your son and your son's son, by keeping all his statutes and his commandments, which I

command you, all the days of your life, and that your days may be long. ³ Hear therefore, O Israel, and be careful to do them, that it may go well with you, and that you may multiply greatly, as the Lord, the God of your fathers, has promised you, in a land flowing with milk and honey.

⁴ “Hear, O Israel: The Lord our God, the Lord is one. ⁵ You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your might. ⁶ And these words that I command you today shall be on your heart. ⁷ You shall teach them diligently to your children, and shall talk of them when you sit in your house, and when you walk by the way, and when you lie down, and when you rise. ⁸ You shall bind them as a sign on your hand, and they shall be as frontlets between your eyes. ⁹ You shall write them on the doorposts of your house and on your gates.

All you need is love?

- 1) Looking back: God has spoken his good and perfect law (5:1-22)
- 2) Now: God is one, so love him with all your heart; keep his law (6:1-9)
 - a. God is one
 - b. Love him with all
 - c. Keep his law
- 3) In the future: teach your children to do the same (6:20-25)

If only it was as simple as that! We are daunted. We are fickle. God himself is not optimistic:

“Oh that they had such a heart as this always, to fear me and to keep all my commandments” (5:29; cf. 4:25-28)

- 1) We need to be (and have been) liberated (5:6; cf. John 8:36)
- 2) We need (and have got) a Mediator (5:23-33; cf. 1 Timothy 2:5)
- 3) We need (and have got) new hearts by the Spirit (30:6; cf. 2 Corinthians 4:6)

COFFEE QUESTION/PRAYER:

Teach me your way, O LORD,
that I may walk in your truth;
unite my heart to fear your name
(Psalm 86:11)