

ORDER OF SERVICE

WELCOME

SONG: In Christ Alone

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)

INTERVIEW

RESPONSIVE READING: Psalm 8 (pg.450)

SONG: My Song is Love Unknown

SONG: Christ the True and Better Adam

READING: Hebrews 2:5-3:6 (pg.1001)

SERMON

PRAYERS

SONG: O Praise the Name

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



Grace Groups – all are welcome as we meet for bible study, prayer and fellowship:

Tuesdays, 7.45pm: Canada Water Library and The Chantry, Mottingham

Wednesdays, 7.45pm: King William Building, Greenwich

Other times also available.

Christianity Explored – Starting from 24th January, we will be running a relaxed and informal course for anyone who would like to go over the foundations of the Christian faith, based on the Gospel of Mark. Sign up at www.greenwich.church/christianityexplored

Upcoming Dates

Student Weekend Away, 26-28th Jan*

Investing in Marriage Morning, 27th Jan*

Parenting Morning (Younger Years), 3rd Feb*

Sex, Dating, Relationship Seminar, 8th Feb

*To sign up or for additional details see our newsletter or contact info@greenwich.church.

Giving

Grace Church is funded wholly by the donations of its members. See www.greenwich.church/give or set up a bank transfer (40-52-40/00027789) or to give tax efficiently contact treasurer@greenwich.church

Next Sunday, 21st Jan: Hebrews 3:7-4:13 "Our Future Hope"



Welcome!

Sunday 14th January 2024

"Since therefore the children share in flesh and blood, he himself likewise partook of the same things, that through death he might destroy the one who has the power of death, that is, the devil"

Hebrews 2:14 (ESV)

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Hebrews 2:5-3:6 (ESV)

⁵ For it was not to angels that God subjected the world to come, of which we are speaking. ⁶ It has been testified somewhere,

“What is man, that you are mindful of him,
or the son of man, that you care for him?”

⁷ You made him for a little while lower than the angels;
you have crowned him with glory and honour,

⁸ putting everything in subjection under his feet.”

Now in putting everything in subjection to him, he left nothing outside his control.

At present, we do not yet see everything in subjection to him. ⁹ But we see him who for a little while was made lower than the angels, namely Jesus, crowned with glory and honour because of the suffering of death, so that by the grace of God he might taste death for everyone.

¹⁰ For it was fitting that he, for whom and by whom all things exist, in bringing many sons to glory, should make the founder of their salvation perfect through suffering. ¹¹ For he who sanctifies and those who are sanctified all have one source. That is why he is not ashamed to call them brothers, ¹² saying,

“I will tell of your name to my brothers;
in the midst of the congregation I will sing your praise.”

¹³ And again,

“I will put my trust in him.”

And again,

“Behold, I and the children God has given me.”

¹⁴ Since therefore the children share in flesh and blood, he himself likewise partook of the same things, that through death he might destroy the one who has the power of death, that is, the devil, ¹⁵ and deliver all those who through fear of death were subject to lifelong slavery. ¹⁶ For surely it is not angels that he helps, but he helps the offspring of Abraham. ¹⁷ Therefore he had to be made like his brothers in every respect, so that he might become a merciful and faithful high priest in the service of God, to make propitiation for the sins of the people. ¹⁸ For because he himself has suffered when tempted, he is able to help those who are being tempted.

3 Therefore, holy brothers, you who share in a heavenly calling, consider Jesus, the apostle and high priest of our confession, ² who was faithful to him who appointed him, just as Moses also was faithful in all God's house. ³ For Jesus has been counted worthy of more glory than Moses—as much more glory as the builder of a house has more honour than the house itself. ⁴ (For every house is built by someone, but the builder of all things is God.) ⁵ Now Moses was faithful in all God's house as a servant, to testify to the things that were to be spoken later, ⁶ but Christ is faithful over God's house as a son. And we are his house, if indeed we hold fast our confidence and our boasting in our hope.

1. Jesus journeyed to where humanity should be... (2:5-9)

- He became human

- He died

- He rose and ascended

2. ...to take humanity where they should be (2:10-18)

- He deals with death (2:14-16)

- He deals with sin (2:17-18)

COFFEE QUESTIONS:

- How does meditating on Jesus' humanity and death help you to listen to Him?

- How does meditating on Jesus' humanity and death *for the sake of us* help you to listen to Him?