



Sunday 2nd August 2020

Online Service at 4pm

(Sunday School at 3.30pm)

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WELCOME (Andrew L)

"Repent and be baptized every one of you in the name of Jesus Christ for the forgiveness of your sins, and you will receive the gift of the Holy Spirit."
Acts 2:38 (ESV)

SONG: We are his people (Sam and All)

CHILDREN'S TALK (Sam)

CONFESSION (All)

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 (Andrew L)

OPTIONAL CHAT IN BREAKOUT GROUPS

CONGREGATIONAL READING (All)

Leader: And I will give you a new heart,
All: And a new spirit I will put within you.
Leader: And I will remove the heart of stone from your flesh
All: And give you a heart of flesh.
Leader: And I will put my Spirit within you,
All: And cause you to walk in my statutes
And be careful to obey my rules.

READING: Acts 2:37-41 (Claudia)

SERMON (Andrew S)

PRAYERS (Andrew O)

LORD'S SUPPER

Leader: Therefore, lift up your hearts.
All: We lift them to the Lord.
Leader: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
All: It is right to give him thanks and praise.

Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,
Heaven and earth are full of your glory.
Hosanna in the highest.

We do not presume to come to this your table
Merciful Lord, trusting in our own righteousness,
But in your abundant and great mercies.
We are not even worthy to gather up the crumbs
Under your table.
But you are the same Lord,
Who delights in showing mercy.
Grant us, therefore gracious Lord,
So to eat this bread and drink this wine
That our bodies and souls may be cleansed
By Christ's body and blood
And that we may evermore dwell in him, and he in us.
Amen.

Almighty God, we thank you for feeding us
With the body and blood of your Son Jesus Christ.
Through him we offer you our souls and bodies
To be a living sacrifice.
Send us out in the power of your Spirit
To live and work to your praise and glory.
Amen.

SONG: Holy Spirit, living breath of God (Sam and All)

BLESSING (Andrew L)

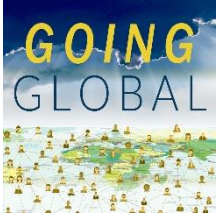
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OPTIONAL Q&A

*Next Sunday 9th August:
Acts 2:42-47 – The new community*

The Explosion

Acts 2:37-41



³⁷ Now when they heard this they were cut to the heart, and said to Peter and the rest of the apostles, “Brothers, what shall we do?” ³⁸ And Peter said to them, “Repent and be baptized every one of you in the name

of Jesus Christ for the forgiveness of your sins, and you will receive the gift of the Holy Spirit. ³⁹ For the promise is for you and for your children and for all who are far off, everyone whom the Lord our God calls to himself.” ⁴⁰ And with many other words he

bore witness and continued to exhort them, saying, “Save yourselves from this crooked generation.” ⁴¹ So those who received his word were baptized, and there were added that day about three thousand souls.

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How can the church grow by 3000 in a day?

1. Peter preached that Jesus is Lord and Christ
2. People were “cut to the heart” and brought to repentance
(*cf. Luke 3:10*)
3. Because the Lord had decided to grow his church

COFFEE QUESTIONS

How do we think Grace Church Greenwich will grow? Can you think of examples of us looking in the wrong place for the secret to growth? Where should we be looking? What will that mean for Grace Church Greenwich this autumn?