#### ORDER OF SERVICE

**WELCOME** 

**SONG:** Here I am to worship

**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

To the glory of your name. Amen.

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NOTICES (Children go to Sunday School and Crèche)

**INTERVIEW** 

In newness of life

**READING:** Leviticus 14:1-9 (pg. 92)

**SONG:** There is a Fountain **SONG:** Show us Christ

**READING:** Luke 5:12-16 (pg. 861)

SERMON PRAYERS

**SONG:** Nothing but the Blood of Jesus

BLESSING

#### **NOTICES**

#### Connect with us

If you're new at Grace Church, or wanting to be more involved we'd love to hear from you. Scan the QR code or email arlene.ellis@greenwich.church



#### THIS WEEK - Prayer Gathering

Join us as we meet to pray as a church family on Tuesday or Wednesday 7:45pm in the King William Building, Old Royal Naval College. If you are new to Grace Church, or to praying, please feel welcome to just come along and say a hearty Amen! Speak to Fiona if you have any questions.

#### Book discussion - The Air We Breathe

Come at 7.45pm on 21st November in The Plume of Feathers, Greenwich, to discuss Glen Scrivener's book about how Christianity has given our culture its belief in freedom, equality and much more. If you haven't yet read it, there's still time to buy a copy and start!

### **Prayer Triplets**

Jesus loved to pray for His people, and as His followers so should we! A great way of enabling this is to be in a prayer triplet. You may wish to organise one yourself with others you already know. If you would like to pray with others and would like help making a group, contact Jono if you are a man and Fiona if you're a woman.

## Giving

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Next Sunday, 6<sup>th</sup> November: Luke 5:17-26 10:30am, King William Building, SE10 9NN 4pm, Eltham College Chapel, SE9 4QF

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## Welcome!

Sunday 30th October 2022

"I will sprinkle clean water on you, and you shall be clean from all your uncleannesses, and from all your idols I will cleanse you."

Ezekiel 36:25 (ESV)

# Luke 5:12-16 (ESV)

<sup>12</sup> While he was in one of the cities, there came a man full of leprosy. And when he saw Jesus, he fell on his face and begged him, "Lord, if you will, you can make me clean."

<sup>13</sup> And Jesus stretched out his hand and touched him, saying, "I will; be clean." And immediately the leprosy left him. <sup>14</sup> And he charged him to tell no one, but "go and show yourself to the priest, and make an offering for your cleansing, as Moses commanded, for a proof to them."

<sup>15</sup> But now even more the report about him went abroad, and great crowds gathered to hear him and to be healed of their infirmities. <sup>16</sup> But he would withdraw to desolate places and pray.

What's the heart of the human problem? And how can it be solved?

1. The background: Leprosy teaches us that

Sin spoils, spreads, separates, soils and sticks

2. The message: Jesus can cleanse and restore us

3. The outbox: this is what Jesus wants the world to know!

### **COFFEE QUESTIONS:**

If you ask people in London "What's the heart of the human problem? And how can it be solved?" what kinds of answers might you hear?

The Bible's answer to what's wrong with the world is well-developed and makes sense of the world we live in. What do you find persuasive about it?

In what ways does this passage simply communicate the Bible's main message? How has it helped you grow in your appreciation of Jesus?