

Sunday 6th September 2020

Online Service at 4pm

(Sunday School at 3.30pm)

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WELCOME (Andrew S)

"I give them eternal life, and they will never perish, and no one will snatch them out of my hand." John 10:28 (ESV)

SONG: In Christ alone (Caroline and All)

CHILDREN'S TALK (Paulo)

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 S)

Leader:

INTERVIEW WITH FIONA MAHENDRAN (Andrew S)

OPTIONAL CHAT IN BREAKOUT GROUPS

CONGREGATIONAL READING (All)

Leader: All that the Father gives me will come to me,

All: And whoever comes to me I will never cast out.

Leader: For I have come down from heaven,

All: Not to do my own will

But the will of him who sent me.

And this is the will of him who sent me,

All: That I should lose nothing of all that he has Given me, but raise it up on the last day.

Leader: For this is the will of my Father,

All: That everyone who looks on the Son

And believes in him should have eternal life, And I will raise him up on the last day."

John 6:37-40

READING: John 18:1-11 (Naomi)

SERMON (Andrew L)

PRAYERS (Claudia)

LORD'S SUPPER (Andrew S)

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: He will hold me fast (Caroline and All)

BLESSING (Andrew S)

OPTIONAL CHAT IN BREAKOUT GROUPS

OPTIONAL Q&A

Next Sunday 13th September John 18:12-27

The lengths to which love will go (I) John 18:1-11



When Jesus had spoken these words, he went out with his disciples across the brook Kidron, where there was a garden, which he and his disciples entered. 2 Now Judas, who betrayed him, also knew the place, for Jesus often met there with his disciples. 3 So Judas, having procured a band of soldiers

and some officers from the chief priests and the Pharisees, went there with lanterns and torches and weapons. 4 Then Jesus, knowing all that would happen to him, came forward and said to them, "Whom do you seek?" 5 They answered him, "Jesus of Nazareth." Jesus said to them, "I am he." Judas, who betrayed him, was standing with them. 6 When Jesus said to them, "I am he," they drew back and fell to the ground. 7 So he asked them again, "Whom do you seek?" And

they said, "Jesus of Nazareth." 8
Jesus answered, "I told you that I
am he. So, if you seek me, let these
men go." 9 This was to fulfill the
word that he had spoken: "Of those
whom you gave me I have lost not
one." 10 Then Simon Peter, having
a sword, drew it and struck the high
priest's servant and cut off his right
ear. (The servant's name was
Malchus.) 11 So Jesus said to Peter,
"Put your sword into its sheath;
shall I not drink the cup that the
Father has given me.

1. Jesus, "the Great I am", protects every one of his own (vv1-9)
2by willingly drinking the cup of God's wrath (vv10-11)
COFFEE QUESTIONS Do hard times ever cause you to question whether God can be trusted, and whether oyalty to him is worth it? How can bringing to mind this scene from Jesus' life help us in those moments?
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What difference does Jesus make in the harsh realities of life?

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