

ORDER OF SERVICE

WELCOME

SONG: His Mercy is More

CONFESSION

Almighty God, our heavenly Father,
We have sinned against you
And against our neighbour,
In thought and word and deed,
In the evil we have done
And in the good we have not done,
Through negligence, 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

RESPONSES: 1 Corinthians 13:4-7

SONG: How Deep the Father's Love For Us

SONG: Saviour of the World

READING: 1 Corinthians 12:29-13:13

(p. 959)

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: Man of Sorrows

BLESSING

NOTICES

Connect with us

If you're new at Grace Church or have been coming for a while, we'd love to connect. Sign up to our Newsletter or WhatsApp Group by scanning the QR code or emailing info@greenwich.church.



Bitesize Theology

Join us for a short session on The Doctrine of Scripture on Tuesdays and Wednesdays at 7:15pm.

Venue Change – Next Sunday!

Our Greenwich Sunday service will be at the Stockwell Street Building as a one off.

Easter Services

We will hold a reflective service for Good Friday at Greenwich Theatre at 10:30am. There will also be an all-age service at Greenwich Theatre at 11am on Sunday 5th April.

Weekend Away – 24-26th April

Sign-ups are now open. Rory Shiner will be speaking on the book of Colossians. We'd love for everyone to be there! If you think cost may be a hindrance, please do be reaching out to the Fellowship Fund. www.greenwich.church



Giving

Grace Church is fully funded 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: 1 Corinthians 14



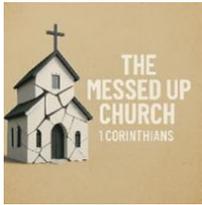
Welcome!

Sunday 22nd March 2026

*“In this is love,
not that we have loved God
but that he loved us
and sent his Son
to be the propitiation for our sins.”*

1 John 4:10 (ESV)

1 Corinthians 12:29-13:13



²⁹Are all apostles? Are all prophets? Are all teachers? Do all work miracles? ³⁰Do all possess gifts of healing? Do all speak with tongues? Do all interpret? ³¹But earnestly desire the higher gifts. And I will show you a still more excellent way.

13 ¹If I speak in the tongues of men and of angels, but have not love, I am a noisy gong or a clanging cymbal. ²And if I have prophetic powers, and understand all mysteries and all knowledge, and if I have all faith, so as to remove mountains, but have not love, I am nothing. ³If I give away all I have, and if I deliver up my body to be burned, but have not love, I gain nothing.

⁴Love is patient and kind; love does not envy or boast; it is not arrogant ⁵or rude. It does not insist on its own way; it is not irritable or resentful; ⁶it does not rejoice at wrongdoing but rejoices with the truth. ⁷Love bears all things, believes all things, hopes all things, endures all things.

⁸Love never ends. As for prophecies, they will pass away; as for tongues, they will cease; as for knowledge, it will pass away. ⁹For we know in part and we prophesy in part, ¹⁰but when the perfect comes, the partial will pass away. ¹¹When I was a child, I spoke like a child, I thought like a child, I reasoned like a child. When I became a man, I gave up childish ways. ¹²For now we see in a mirror dimly, but then face to face. Now I know in part; then I shall know fully, even as I have been fully known.

¹³So now faith, hope, and love abide, these three; but the greatest of these is love.

What does a Spiritual church look like?

Chapter 12 – Spiritual gifts

Chapter 13 – Love ←

Chapter 14 - Spiritual gifts

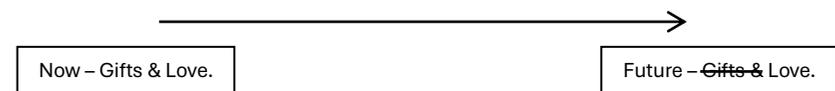
1. A gifted church without love is nothing. (vv1-3)

Because...

2. Love is other-centred. (vv4-7)

E.g. Paul's love, Jesus' love.

3. Love will never end. (vv8-13)



Pursue love. (14:1)

DISCUSSION STARTER:

What do we consider “Spiritual”?

How could we “pursue love” this week?