

# Order of Service 3rd March 2024

**Call to Worship** Ps 133 / Opening prayer (John A)

**Praise:** *King of Kings*

**Announcements** (John A)

- Special welcome to Oli Blyth from Surrey Hills who will preach the Word today and lead us in the communion service
- Morning Tea and fellowship after the service
- Another special welcome to Judah Shane Lee, who was born on Thursday 28<sup>th</sup>. All went well and he arrived safely. Talia and Judah arrived home on Friday.

**Bible Reading:** Luke 24:1-12 (Tim A)

**Praise:** *Every Step*

**Prayer for the church and the world** (Mook)

**Bible Reading:** Luke 9:18-27 (Pam)

**Praise:** *Jerusalem* (OFFERING)

**Sermon:** “THE EVENT YOU DON’T WANT TO MISS” (Oliver Blythe)

**Praise:** *Behold the Lamb*

**The Lord’s Supper**

**Praise:** *How Great Thou Art*

**Benediction** (Oli Blyth)

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Opening Prayer (Psalm 133:1-3)

***1 How good and pleasant it is when God's people live together in unity!***

***2 It is like precious [anointing] oil poured on the head, running down on the beard,***

***running down on Aaron's beard, down on the collar of his robe.***

***3 It is as if the dew of Hermon were falling on Mount Zion.***

***For there the Lord bestows his blessing, even life forevermore..***

Heavenly Father, we thank You that we can come into Your Presence today. We thank You that we are here, united in purpose by the work of the Holy Spirit, to give You praise, to honour Jesus our King of Kings, Whom You have anointed as our High Priest forever, and to celebrate the Lord's Supper.

We thank You that You have provided fully for our salvation, knowing that we could not save ourselves. We thank You for preserving your Word through the generations, so that we have a sure foundation for our faith, and we thank You for faithful men who preach it, so that we may grow progressively more and more into the likeness of our Lord and Saviour.

We thank You that through the Supper we remember what Jesus went through on our behalf solemnly, but that we look forward to the full hope of His triumphant return joyously, despite our present circumstances in this troubled world.

We pray today that we may encourage one another, and spur one another on to love and good deeds, just as Your Word commands us. In Jesus Mighty Name we pray, Amen.

Let us now stand to sing of Jesus, who is our eternal King of Kings.

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Sermon Outline

“THE EVENT YOU DON’T WANT TO MISS” (Luke 9:18-27))

Introduction

1. Missed it by that much
2. Passage: The King of the kingdom
3. Summary: The King of the kingdom has come
4. So we must:
  1. Recognise the King of the kingdom
  2. Follow the King of the kingdom

Conclusion