

# Order of Service 9th June 2024

**Call to Worship** 1 Samuel 17:46-47 / Opening prayer (John A)

**Praise:** *Before the Throne of God Above*

**Bible Reading:** Psalm 11 (Callum H)

**Sunday School:** (Mook L)

**Praise:** *Hallelujah for the Cross*

**Announcements** (John A)

- Community Groups – Study books available @ \$15 in the foyer
- Working Bee next weekend - 15<sup>th</sup> June
- Church Camp – registration forms soon
- Equip Women 24's *Hope for the Weary* conference. See the newsletter
- Morning Tea and fellowship after the service
- PCV *Living as if Truth Matters* 2-day forum 12-13<sup>th</sup> July
- Church Newcomers' lunch – Mook to speak

**Prayer for the church and the world:** (John A)

**Praise:** *In Christ Alone* (OFFERING)

**Bible Reading:** 1 John 1:5-2:2 (Rachel D)

**Sermon:** "WRATH AND LOVE" (Jordan O'Hara)

**Praise:** *When I Survey The Wondrous Cross*

**Benediction** (Jordan O'Hara)

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Opening Prayer (1 Samuel 17:46-47 David's challenge to Goliath)

***46b "... the whole world will know that there is a God in Israel.***

***47 All those gathered here will know that it is not by sword or spear that the Lord saves; for the battle is the Lord's, and he will give all of you into our hands."***

Heavenly Father, we thank You that we have gathered today in Your Presence, at Your command. We have come bearing all of our various concerns of daily life, but we thank You that we can leave them at the door, so that by the Holy Spirit we can be free to worship You, for You are worthy of our highest praise.

We thank You that young David was able to declare Your victory over the giant and all the Philistines. We recognise that today Your church is confronted by giants of a different kind, yet they have the same purpose – to spread fear and stop people coming to You to be saved.

We pray for Your strength to confront the giants before us and for eyes to see beyond the natural so that we can know that the battle is the Lord's and not ours alone. We pray that the whole world may know that there is a God not only in Israel but everywhere – the True God of both Justice and Mercy.

We gather today to hear Your Word read and preached, to sing Your praises, to encourage one another, so that we can face the days ahead trusting in You, no longer fearing the modern giants stalking our land, but strong and courageous, because You are with us wherever we go.

In Jesus Mighty Name we pray, Amen.

[Before the Throne of God Above]

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Sermon Outline

"WRATH AND LOVE" (1 John 2:2)

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