

Order of Service 22nd December 2024

Call to Worship (Rev 4:11) / **Opening prayer** (John A)

Praise: *All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name*

Bible Reading: Mark 7:14-23 (Seng T)

Announcements (JA)

- **Lunch** next Sunday (29th) to finish the year. Contact Gaye to know how to help
- Christmas Day service commences 9:30am
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Children's Video - December 1 (Mook L)

Praise: *Midnight Clear (Love Song)*

Prayer for the church and the world (ML)

Bible reading: Ephesians 2:1-10 (Rachel D)

Praise: *Holy Holy Holy*

Bible reading: John 1:1-5, 14-18 (ML)

Sermon: "THE WORD: THE PERFECT SELF-EXPRESSION OF GOD" (ML)

Praise: *Hark! The Herald Angels Sing*

Benediction (ML)

Sermon Outline

"THE WORD: THE PERFECT SELF-EXPRESSION OF GOD" (John 1:1, 14)

Introduction

1. The Word in creation, revelation, and salvation
2. The problem with our self-expression
3. The Word's love and peace

Conclusion

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Worthy are you, our Lord and God, to receive glory and honour and power, for you created all things, and by your will they existed and were created.

Heavenly Father, we thank You that we have received Your grace and mercy, the greatest gift we could possibly imagine, in sending Jesus Your Only Son, to be born into this sin-riddled world, to live as we do yet without sin, and to die in our place so that we might be free of the guilt for our sin, that we might be released from the burden and escape the punishment we justly deserved.

We thank You that we are now able to come into Your Holy Presence without fear, to sing Your praises, and to honour Jesus our King.

We commit this time to You in all its aspects. May everything we do and say be worthy of Him Who saved us,

...in Jesus glorious Name we pray, Amen.

[All Hail the Power of Jesus Name]