

15th October 2017

Trinity 18 - 'Vision Sunday'



WELCOME To everyone especially any newcomers or visitors.

WORSHIP We come to worship our living God.

PRAYER OF PREPARATION

Loving God, help us during this Vision Sunday Service to praise you with joyfulness, to listen to your word with understanding, and to pray to you with heartfelt thanks. All this we ask in Jesus' name. Amen.

MAKING FRIENDSHIPS

WITH GOD

'THE WAY' YOUTH Fellowship Tonight at 6.30 pm in the Minor Hall.

HEALER PRAYER GROUP Tuesday 7.15 pm in Clergy Vestry.

BIBLE FELLOWSHIP Meet on Tuesday at 8.00 pm. Everyone welcome.

MID WEEK Holy Communion on Wednesday at 10.30 am in St Patrick's with refreshments afterwards.

CONFIRMATION CLASSES Sunday, 22nd October at 6.30 pm in Frolick Ice Cream Parlour. We look forward to meeting you there.

PRAYER SUPPORT Team Leader - Alex McKay, Tel No. 2564 4698.

MINISTRY OF PRAYER After morning and evening services in St Patrick's in the Prayer Space.

WITH EACH OTHER

- STILL ACTIVE** Wednesday - Talk by Jim Perry - 'My year as High Sheriff of County Antrim'.
- YOUNG PEOPLE'S AWARD** Ballymena Credit Union are celebrating their 50th Anniversary. As part of these celebrations they wish to award young people in the Ballymena area for their positive work. Information on how to nominate a suitable young person for an award can be obtained from www.ballymenacreditunion.co.uk or requested from julie.martin@ballymenacu.co.uk. Nominations must be received before 1.00 pm on Saturday 21st October 2017.
- LAPTOP** Anyone got a spare laptop computer? Needed for regular use in Church/Church Halls. Must be reliable and equipped with software that allows use of PowerPoint, etc. Speak to Mark/Dennis if you can help.

WITH THE WORLD

- ROUND POUND COINS** Over the next few weeks there will be an opportunity to pass on to the Church any old 'round pound' coins still in your possession. This money will then be divided between Alzheimer's NI and Ballymena Parish Youth and Children's work.
- HEARING LOSS** Free drop-in service for Ballymena community on 10th November and 8th December in Wilson House Day Centre, Broughshane, from 10.00 am - 12 noon. Advice will be given on free batteries, tubing and basic hearing checks.

READINGS IN ST PATRICK'S AT 11.30 AM
Haggai 1:1-9 and 2:4-9 (Page 892)
St Matthew 28:16-20 (Page 32)

VISION SONGS

THE LIGHT OF THE WORLD

Light of the world you stepped down into darkness
Opened my eyes let me see
Beauty that made this heart adore you
hope of a life spent with you

Chorus

Here I am to worship
Here I am to bow down
Here I am to say that you're my God
You're altogether lovely, altogether worthy,
altogether wonderful to me

King of all days
Oh so highly exalted
Glorious in heaven above
Humbly you came to the earth you created
All for loves sake became poor

Chorus

Here I am to worship
Here I am to bow down
Here I am to say that you're my God
You're altogether lovely, altogether worthy,
altogether wonderful to me

And I'll never know how much it cost
to see my sin upon that cross
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to see my sin upon that cross

Chorus x 2

Here I am to worship
Here I am to bow down
Here I am to say that you're my God
You're altogether lovely, altogether worthy,
altogether wonderful to me

HOW GREAT IS OUR GOD

The splendour of the King,
clothed in majesty
Let all the earth rejoice
All the earth rejoice

He wraps himself in Light,
and darkness tries to hide
And trembles at His voice
Trembles at His voice

Chorus
How great is our God, sing with
me
How great is our God, and all
will see
How great, how great is our God

Age to age He stands
And time is in His hands
Beginning and the end
Beginning and the end

The Godhead Three in One
Father Spirit Son
The Lion and the Lamb
The Lion and the Lamb

Chorus
How great is our God, sing with
me
How great is our God, and all
will see
How great, how great is our God

Name above all names
Worthy of our praise
My heart will sing
How great is our God

Name above all names
Worthy of our praise
My heart will sing
How great is our God

Chorus x 2
How great is our God, sing with
me
How great is our God, and all
will see
How great, how great is our God

CLOSING PRAYER

Bishop: Brothers and Sisters in Christ, having heard our new
Parish Vision I ask you

Will you commit yourselves to the working out of this
vision?

Response: *We will. Having heard the Parish Vision we commit
ourselves to follow Christ with all our heart, soul,
mind and strength. We commit ourselves to seek first
His Kingdom. We commit ourselves to work out this
Parish Vision in the power of His Holy Spirit. We
commit ourselves to be the church God has called us to
be. In the Name of the Father, the Son and the Holy
Spirit. Amen.*