

# St Anne's Order of Service

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Easter 6 Sunday Service



**HE IS RISEN! ALLELUIA!**



## Prelude

Minuet from Berenice

Handel



## Introit

Lord of life, we come to you

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## Welcome and Church Notices

### Call to Worship

Minister: Let us sing to the Lord, our Loving God;

**All: for He has done marvellous things!**

Minister: Let all the earth make a joyful noise, and give thanks to God.

**All: We will praise him for his steadfast Love.**

Minister: Let us give thanks that Christ is raised!

**All: We will rejoice in our salvation.**

Minister: Christ is risen!

**All: He is risen indeed! Alleluia!**



**Hymn 61**

Oh, sing a new song to the Lord

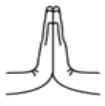


### Prayer

We say together: **We have hidden your justice and equity in our greed and selfishness. We have not loved one another. We have not remained in your love. We all need to change. We ask your forgiveness.**

### Collect

**Merciful God, you have prepared for those who love you such good things as pass all understanding. Pour into our hearts such love toward you, that we, loving you above all things, may obtain your promises, which exceed all that we can desire; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.**



## The Lord's Prayer



**First Reading**

Acts 10:44-48

## Time to Talk



**Hymn 185**

Come, children, join and sing



**Second Reading**

1 John 5:1-6



**Anthem**

A New Commandment

Richard Hubbard



**Gospel Reading**

John 15:9-17



**Hymn 489**

Come down, O Love Divine



**Sermon**



## Hymn SP 286

In Christ alone my hope is found,  
He is my light, my strength, my song;  
this Cornerstone, this solid Ground,  
firm through the fiercest drought and storm.  
What heights of love, what depths of peace,  
when fears are stilled, when strivings cease!  
My Comforter, my All in All,  
here in the love of Christ I stand.

In Christ alone! who took on flesh  
Fullness of God in helpless babe!  
This gift of love and righteousness  
Scorned by the ones he came to save:  
Till on that cross as Jesus died,  
The wrath of God was satisfied  
For every sin on Him was laid;  
Here in the death of Christ I live.

There in the ground His body lay  
Light of the world by darkness slain:  
Then bursting forth in glorious Day  
Up from the grave he rose again!  
And as He stands in victory  
Sin's curse has lost its grip on me,  
For I am His and He is mine –  
Bought with the precious blood of Christ.

No guilt in life, no fear in death,  
This is the power of Christ in me;  
From life's first cry to final breath.  
Jesus commands my destiny.  
No power of hell, no scheme of man,  
Can ever pluck me from His hand;  
Till He returns or calls me home,  
Here in the power of Christ I'll stand.



### Prayers of Intercession

Minister: Eternal God

**All: Hear us as we pray.**



**Hymn 427**

Alleluia! Alleluia!



### Benediction & Sung Amen (Threefold)



**THE BIBLE IS CARRIED OUT;  
WE FOLLOW TO SERVE,  
IN THE POWER OF THE SPIRIT**



**Postlude**

Grand Choeur

Theodore Salome

## Intimations

 Tea and coffee are served in the Kaimes Hall, following the service. All are welcome.

**Reader:** Mary Black

**Upcoming Services:** **May 9, 10.30am** Ascension Day Service  
**May 12, 11am** Sunday morning Service

Please join us on **Thursday May 9, at 10.30am**, for a service for Ascension Day, followed by coffee in the Belgrave room.  
All Welcome

## Food Bank

Thank you to all the members of the congregation who so kindly gave such a generous donation last Sunday.  
The weight of the goods was **124,6kg** an amazing amount as well as a wonderful donation of **£50**.  
The Food bank is so grateful to you all for the help you are giving to many people who are struggling to feed their families.  
Parish Mission Team

# Caring & Sharing @ St Anne's

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We'll be gathering on Friday May 10 at 10.30am in the Belgrave Room. Come join us for coffee, cake and conversation. All are welcome!

## **Stated Annual Meeting**

We invite you to join us for the **Stated Annual Meeting** of the congregation. This important gathering will take place in the **Kaimes Hall** immediately following the morning worship service on **Sunday, May 12**. Coffee will be served during the meeting.



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