**East Kilbride Old Parish Church**

**Sunday, 16 January 2022**

**CH4 Hymn 519 - Love Divine, all Loves Excelling**

Love divine, all loves excelling,
Joy of heaven, to earth come down,
Fix in us thy humble dwelling,
All thy faithful mercies crown.
Jesus, thou are all compassion,
Pure, unbounded love thou art;
Visit us with thy salvation,
Enter every trembling heart.

Come, almighty to deliver;
Let us all thy life receive;
Suddenly return, and never,
Never more thy temples leave.
Thee we would be always blessing,
Serve thee as thy hosts above,
Pray, and praise thee, without ceasing,
Glory in thy perfect love.

Finish then thy new creation;
Pure and spotless let us be;
Let us see thy great salvation,
Perfectly restored in thee,
Changed from glory into glory,
Till in heaven we take our place,
Till we cast our crowns before thee,
Lost in wonder, love, and praise.

 **CH4 Hymn - 189 Be Still, for the Presence of the Lord**

Be still - for the presence of the Lord,
The Holy One, is here;
Come bow before him now
With reverence and fear:
In him no sin is found -
We stand on holy ground.
Be still - for the presence of the Lord,
the Holy One, is here.

Be still - for the glory of the Lord
Is shining all around;

He burns with holy fire,
With splendour he is crowned:

How awesome is the sight -
Our radiant king of light!

Be still - for the glory of the Lord

Is shining all around.

Be still - for the power of the Lord

Is moving in this place:

He comes to cleanse and heal,

To minister his grace:

No work too hard for him -

In faith receive from him.

Be still - for the power of the Lord

Is moving in this place.

**CH4 Hymn - 533 Will you Come and Follow me**

Will you come and follow meIf I but call your name?

Will you go where you don’t knowAnd never be the same?

Will you let my love be shown,

Will you let my name be known,

Will you let my life be grown

In you and you and me?

Will you leave yourself behindIf I but call your name?

So cruel and kind and never be the same?

Will you risk the hostile stare

Should your life attract or scare?

Will you let me answer prayer

In you and you and me?

Will you let the blinded see
If I but call your name?
Will you set the prisoners free
And never be the same?
Will you kiss the leper clean,
And do such as this unseen,
And admit to what I mean
In you and you in me?

Will you love the ‘you’ you hide
If I but call your name?
Will you quell the fear inside
And never be the same?

Will you use the faith you’ve found

To reshape the world around,

Through my sight and touch and sound

In you and you in me?

Lord, your summons echoes true
When you but call my name.
Let me turn and follow you
And never be the same.
In your company I’ll go
Where your love and footsteps show.
Thus I’ll move and live and grow
In you and you in me.

**CH4 Hymn 159 - Lord, for the Years Your Love has Kept and Guided**

Lord, for the years your love has kept and guided,

urged and inspired us, cheered us on our way,

sought us and saved us, pardoned and provided,

Lord of the years, we bring our thanks today.

Lord, for that word, the Word of life which fires us,

speaks to our hearts and sets our souls ablaze,

teaches and trains, rebukes us and inspires us,

Lord of the word, receive your people’s praise.

Lord, for our land, in this our generation,

spirits oppressed by pleasure, wealth and care;

for young and old, for commonwealth and nation,

Lord of our land, be pleased to hear our prayer.

Lord, for our world; when we disown and doubt him,

loveless in strength, and comfortless in pain;

hungry and helpless, lost indeed without him,

Lord of the world, we pray that Christ may reign.

Lord, for ourselves; in living power remake us,

self on the cross and Christ upon the throne;

past put behind us, for the future take us,

Lord of our lives, to live for Christ alone.

*May God's blessing surround you each day,*

*As you trust Him and walk in His way.*

*May His presence within guard and keep you from sin,*

*Go in peace, go in joy, go in love.*

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