



Cemetery Road Baptist Church

11 Napier Street, Sheffield, S11 8HA

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*“For my house will be called a house of prayer for all nations”
Isaiah 56v7*

Sunday 15th May 2022

Easter 4

We welcome you all to our 10.30 am service today, and hope and pray that you enjoy the worship, fellowship, preaching and prayer and that you will realise the presence of the Lord.

Leading Worship: Peter Kennett

Preaching: Rev. David Morris

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Church Family News and Prayer Requests

Amongst our fellowship we are sad to report the passing of Ervin Foster, a stalwart member of our Church until ill health took away his ability to be with us for services etc.. Ervin is sadly missed and we pray that his family will find comfort in the time to come. We will bring you news of his funeral as soon as it is available.

Please pray for all those who have died in Ukraine, whether in armed conflict or as innocent casualties of indiscriminate shelling and bombing. Let us not forget those who have died of starvation; whose children have died of dehydration. Please remember the children whose parents have been caught up in the conflict and who will remain orphans, and those who will be widowed and childless. Please pray that this wicked conflict will cease soon.

If you would like to give to one of the charities being run in aid of the people of Ukraine by the BMS and have not already done so, you can do this online at:-

<https://www.bmsworldmission.org/appeal/ukraine-2022/>

Above all, please pray that this senseless and cruel war will end as soon as possible, with as little as possible further loss of life. Vladimir Putin is a relatively old man. He will not live to enjoy many years of victory even if he is successful in ruining Ukraine and killing all its people. Pray that God will change his heart and show him his wickedness and that he will turn from hate and regret his cruelty.

In Jesu's name we pray.

Closer to home, please pray for healing for Barbara Beeley who recently suffered a nasty fall. At the time of writing we are not sure of the extent of her injuries but our prayers are never wasted.

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Welcome and Notices

Call to Worship

Hymn: BPW 258 *This joyful Eastertide*

Prayer

Children's talk

(Junior church leave)

Offering

Hymn: BPW 634 *Make me a channel of your peace.*

Reading: Acts 16 vv 6-15

Sermon

Song: SB 76 *Lord, I come before your throne of grace*

Prayer for others

Hymn BPW 447 *Passover God*

Holy Communion (with Communion offering for the needs of the fellowship)

Song: *I the Lord of sea and sky*

Benediction

THIS JOYFUL EASTERTIDE

what need is there for grieving?

**Cast all your cares aside
and be not unbelieving.**

***Come, share our Easter joy
that death could not imprison,
nor any power destroy,
our Christ who is arisen, arisen, arisen,
arisen!***

**No work for Him is vain,
no faith in Him mistaken,
for Easter makes it plain
His kingdom is not shaken.
*Come, share ...***

**Then put your trust in Christ,
in waking or in sleeping;
His grace on earth sufficed;
He'll never quit His keeping.
*Come, share ...***

F. Pratt Green (b.1903—2000)

**MAKE ME A CHANNEL OF YOUR
PEACE,**

**Where there is hatred let me bring
your love,**

**Where there is injury, your
pardon, Lord,**

**and where there's doubt true faith
in you.**

***Oh Master, grant that I may never
seek so much to be consoled as
to console,***

***to be understood as to
understand;***

***to be loved, as to love with all my
soul.***

**Make me a channel of your peace,
where there's despair in life let me
bring hope;**

**where there is darkness, only
light,**

**and where there's sadness ever
joy.**

Oh, Master ...

**Make me a channel of your peace,
It is in pardoning that we are
pardoned.**

**In giving to all men that we
receive,**

**and in dying that we're born to
eternal life.**

Oh, Master ...

Sebastian Temple (1928-1997)

Arr. Betty Pulkingham (1928)

**LORD, I COME BEFORE YOUR
THRONE OF GRACE;**

**I find rest In your presence,
and fullness of joy.**

**In worship and wonder I behold your
face,**

Singing what a faithful God have I.

What a faithful God have I,

What a faithful God,

What a faithful God have I,

Faithful in every way.

Lord of mercy, you have heard my cry;
through the storm you're the beacon,
my song in the night,
in the shelter of your wings.
hear my heart's reply,
singing what a faithful God have I.

What a faithful God ...

Lord all sov'reign, Granting peace from
heaven,
Let me comfort those who suffer
with the comfort you have given.
I will tell of your great love
for as long as I live,
singing what a faithful God have I.

*Robert and Dawn Critchley
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**PASSOVER GOD, WE REMEMBER
YOUR FAITHFULNESS,
God of the exodus, friend of the poor.
People bowed down with the burden of
powerlessness,
sin in its ruthlessness making them
slaves.**

Still people shrivel, imprisoned in
bitterness,
hemmed in by fear and diminished by
hate;
tormented prisoners and perishing
hungry ones,
broken humanity calls for your aid.

You summoned Moses to work for the
freedom march,
you called the slaves to be people of
hope;
set free from Egypt, you led them
through desert lands,
loving commands gave them justice
and truth.

You gave the travellers bread in the
wilderness,
strengthen us now with the bread that
we share.

bread for the struggle and wine for
rejoicing;
In Christ you free us and teach us to
care.

We are your people, still called to a
promised land,

called for a purpose with Christ as
the way;
grant us commitment to
wholeness and liberty,
strength for the journey and grace
for each day.

Christopher Ellis (1949)

I, the Lord of sea and sky,
I have heard my people cry.
All who dwell in deepest sin
My hand will save.

I who made the stars of night,
I will make their darkness bright.
Who will bear my light to them?
Whom shall I send?

*Here I am Lord. Is it I Lord?
I have heard you calling in the night.
I will go Lord, if you lead me.
I will hold your people in my heart.*

I, the Lord of snow and rain,
I have borne my people's pain.
I have wept for love of them.
They turn away.

I will break their hearts of stone,
Give them hearts for love alone.
I will speak my word to them,
Whom shall I send?

*Here I am Lord. Is it I Lord?
I have heard you calling in the night.
I will go Lord, if you lead me.
I will hold your people in my heart.*

I, the Lord of wind and flame,
I will tend the poor and lame.
I will set a feast for them.
My hand will save.

Finest bread I will provide
Till their hearts be satisfied.
I will give my life to them.
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*Here I am Lord. Is it I Lord?
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I will go Lord, if you lead me.
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*Author/Composer seems to be
unknown.*

CRB Weekly Diary

Monday 16th May

7.30 p.m.	Olusola's Prayer Meeting (Please see Zoom details below if needed)	Conference Room
7.30 p.m.	Sheffield Bach Society	Hall

Tuesday 17th May

11.45 a.m.	Tea and Coffee	Lounge
12.00 noon	Morning Service with Peter Shepherd	Lounge
12.30 p.m.	Munch Club Lunch	Community Room

Thursday 19th May

10.00 - 10;30 a.m.	Prayer Meeting	Lounge
6.30 - 8.30 p.m.	Art Club	Ron's Room
7.00 - 9.00 p.m.	Iranian Fellowship	Hall

Sunday 22nd May

10.30 a.m.	Morning Service	Church
1.00 - 3.00 p.m.	Berean Baptist Temple Service	Conference Room
2.00 - 5.00 p.m.	Congolese Service	Hall

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To join the Prayer Meeting on Monday by Zoom, here are the details:

<https://us05web.zoom.us/j/89334449743?>

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Meeting ID: 893 3444 9743 Passcode: 3Uze5n

HERITAGE OPEN DAY - Saturday 17th September

An initial Heritage Open Day Planning Meeting is scheduled for Monday 23rd May at 2.00-3.00 pm in Church, probably in the Lounge. An outline agenda will be circulated in advance of the meeting. If you would like to be a part of this event and its forward planning, please come to this meeting. If you would like any further information regarding what might be involved, please contact Peter Shepherd at shepherd.peter@talk21.com

You are very welcome to link in with CRB's Zoom Fellowship Group meeting this Wednesday, 18th May . 7.30 - 9.00 pm. We will be reading and thinking about the Apostle Peter. If you are interested and would like the Zoom details, please speak to me today. Rita Shepherd.