



# **Morning Worship**

1st, 3rd & 5th Sundays

Welcome to the nine45.

Refreshments are available both before, during and after the service.

Various toys and activities are available, and all are encouraged to access these at any point in the service. If you are new to St Mary's do speak to any of the team if you have any questions. You may like to complete our welcome form at www.stmarysely.org/new-here.

If you would like to talk to someone after the service or would like prayer today, please speak to one of the ministry team at the end of the service.

For more information about anything at St Mary's please contact the church office on <a href="mailto:office@stmarysely.org">office@stmarysely.org</a>.

# **GATHER**

Jesus Christ is the Light of the world We welcome you here today.

Almighty God, we gather in your presence.

Father - we long for more of you.

Jesus - we place you at the centre.

Holy Spirit - come and fill our time together.

Help us to be fully present here, to your word, to one another, and to the world you love.

Amen.

**WORSHIP** 

**INSPIRE** 

**EXPLORE** 

**BIBLE READING** 

**TALK** 

# **RESPOND | WORSHIP**

# **AFFIRMATION OF FAITH**

We believe in God the Father, from whom every family in heaven and on earth is named.

We believe in God the Son, who lives in our hearts through faith, and fills us with his love.

We believe in God the Holy Spirit, who strengthens us with power from on high.

We believe in one God; Father, Son and Holy Spirit. Amen.

# **SAY SORRY**

Sometimes we forget that Jesus is a gift to all of us And we ignore Him

Sometimes we forget that Jesus came for everyone And we snub some people

Sometimes we forget that Jesus gave us talents And we don't play our part in His plan.

May the God of all healing and forgiveness

Draw us to himself, and cleanse us, and set us free to flourish in our faith. Amen.

# **PRAYER**

Lord, in your mercy. Hear our prayer

And at the end

Merciful Father, accept these prayers for the sake of your Son, our Saviour Jesus Christ. Amen.

We may offer the following giving prayer:

We give thanks for the gifts offered by the congregations for God's work in St Mary's, ChristChurch and for our Mission Partners

Generous God, creator, redeemer, sustainer, we offer our gifts to you with joy, symbol of the work you have given us to do; use them, use us, in the service of your world, to the glory of your name. Amen.

As our Saviour taught us, so we pray

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us.

Lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours now and for ever. Amen.

#### **TAKE HOME**

# **NOTICES**

Please see www.stmarysely.org/whats-on for this week's Bulletin.

# **CLOSING WORSHIP**

# **SENDING OUT | BLESSING**

May the God of surprises bring smiles and joys to us all in the everyday and ordinary.

May the God of love be seen in all we do and say.

We leave rejoicing, for the good work has just begun! Amen.

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord. In the name of Christ. Amen.

If you are new to St Mary's, please take a minute to fill in a welcome card. There are copies available from the welcome team, or scan the QR code below to complete online – we'd love to be in touch.



Please join us for coffee after the service.

If you would like to pray with someone or talk something through, our team are available after the service, or just grab a minister.

Keep in touch with St. Mary's! Sign up for the weekly bulletin via email:

