## St. Augustine's Family Service

29 September 2002

A DAY AT JACOB'S WELL

Welcome

Please stand for the song This is the day that the Lord has made

This is the day, this is the day that the Lord has made, that the Lord has made We will rejoice, we will rejoice and be glad in it, and be glad in it. This is the day that the Lord has made We will rejoice and be glad in it This is the day, this is the day that the Lord has made.

## **SENTENCE**

read by •••••

Jesus shouted to the crowds, "If anyone is thirsty, let him come to Me and drink. For the scripture declares that rivers of living water shall flow from the inmost being of anyone who believes in Me".

(John Chapter 7, verses 37,38.)

**INTRODUCTION** 

read by •••••, •••••,

Please stand for the hymn

Jesus is Lord!

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Please sit for the play

EARLY MORNING AT JACOB'S WELL

*Please sit or kneel for the prayers* 

Leader: We praise You, Lord, for Your wonderful creation.

People: We praise You, O Lord

Leader: Thank You, God, for the wonderful gift of Your Son

Jesus, who died on the Cross to set Your people free.

People: We thank You, O Lord

Leader: Thank you, Lord, for the power of Your Holy Spirit,

Who enables us to serve You.

People: We thank You, O Lord

Leader: Thank you, Lord, that You are our refuge and strength in

times of trouble.

People: We thank You, O Lord

Leader: We are sorry, Lord, for the times when we have been

unkind and mean to one another.

People: Have mercy on us, O Lord

Leader: Forgive us, Lord, for the times we gossip about each

other.

People: Have mercy on us, O Lord

Leader: Save us from our enemies, and from all who desire to

harm us.

People: Have mercy on us, O Lord

Leader: Teach us, Lord, to be still, and know that You are God.

People: Teach us to be still, O Lord

Psalm 46 led by •••••

## Refrain



solo: God is our refuge and strength:

a very present help in trouble. The Lord of Hosts is with us:

the God of Jacob is our stronghold.

all: Refrain

solo: So we will not be afraid though the earth should quake:

and the mountains fall into the depths of the sea, though the waters of the sea rage and foam:

and the mountains tremble at the tumult.

all: Refrain

solo: There is a river, its streams make glad the city of God:

which the Most High has made a holy dwelling, God is within her, she can not be shaken:

God will help her at the break of day.

all: Refrain

solo: Nations are in tumult, kingdoms are shaken:

but God has spoken, and the earth melts away.

Come and see what the Lord has done: the devastation brought upon the earth.

all: Refrain

solo: The Lord makes wars to cease in all the world:

the Lord breaks the bow and snaps the spear, and burns

the shields in the fire.

'Be still then, and know that I am God': high over the nations, high above the earth.

all: Refrain

Please sit for the first reading from John: chapter 4, verses 3-6 and 8-9.

NOON AT THE WELL Part 1

Please stand for the hymn

I heard the voice of Jesus say

1. I heard the voice of Jesus say,
"Come unto Me and rest;
Lay down, thou weary one, lay down
Thy head upon My breast":
I came to Jesus as I was,
Weary and worn and sad;
I found in Him a resting place,
And He has made me glad.

2. I heard the voice of Jesus say,
"Behold, I freely give
The living water, thirsty one;
Stoop down and drink and live":
I came to Jesus, and I drank
Of that life-giving stream;
My thirst was quenched, my soul
revived,

And now I live in Him.

3. I heard the voice of Jesus say,
"I am this dark worlds Light;

Look unto Me, thy morn shall rise,

And all thy day be bright": I looked to Jesus, and I found In Him my Star, my Sun; And in that Light of life I'll

walk

Till travelling days are done.

Please sit for the second reading from John: chapter 4, verses 7 and 9-26.

NOON AT THE WELL Part 2

Please sit or kneel for the hymn

There is a river,

Chorus

Ho! ev'ryone that thirsteth, come ye to the waters, and he that hath no money, come ye buy and eat.

Verse

Come buy without money; come, buy without price. Come buy milk and honey from Jesus Christ

Repeat Chorus

Repeat Verse 1

Repeat Chorus

Please sit for the third reading from John: chapter 4, verses 29, 30, and 39-42

NOON AT THE WELL Part 3

*Please remain seated for the message.* The Message

The Invitation

Jesus offered the woman at the well the wonderful gift of God – "Living water".

This morning we offer to each of you the opportunity to drink a small glass of water, which our Vicar has blessed, as a symbol of your desire to receive God's wonderful gift of "living water".

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Please stand for the Hymn

which we shall sing twice.

Down the mountain the river flows

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Please sit or kneel for the prayers, ending with -

leader: Together we shall sing the Lord's Prayer

all: 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.

Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from

evil.

For the Kingdom, the power and the glory are Yours

now and for ever. Amen

Please stand for the hymn Guide me, O my great Redeemer

During this hymn a voluntary collection will be received.

- 1. Guide me, O my great Redeemer, pilgrim through this barren land; I am weak, but You are mighty, hold me with Your powerful hand: Bread of heaven, bread of heaven, feed me now and evermore, feed me now and evermore!
- 2. Open now the crystal fountain where the healing waters flow; let the fiery, cloudy pillar lead me all my journey through: Strong deliverer, strong deliverer, ever be my strength and shield, ever be my strength and shield.
- 3. When I tread the verge of
  Jordan
  bid my anxious fears subside;
  Death of death, and hell's
  Destruction,
  land me safe on Canaan's
  side:
  songs of praises, songs of
  praises,
  I will ever sing to You,
  I will ever sing to You.

Blessing

Those taking part :

Leader
Organist
Overheads
Jesus
Samaritan Woman
Tribesmen

Names
omitted

Village Women

Disciples

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We invite you all to stay for a cup of tea in the Hall ( behind the church ).

Our next Family Service is to be on Sunday, December 8th, at 5pm; it will be a Carol Service, followed by a BYO Barbecue. Write it in your diaries NOW!! Anyone wanting to help with this service please phone

•••••• after October 5th

Kids' Club for Primary School children restarts on Tuesday October 8th from 3:15-4:15pm in the Hall behind this Church. All 5-11 year olds are welcome.