Worship notes: June 19<sup>th</sup>, 2022 Worship link: https://youtu.be/D7S8jlc9XuU

**PRELUDE:** 

**WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS:** 

**MEDITATION MUSIC:** 

**CALL TO WORSHIP:** 

**OPENING SONG:** Better is one day in your house

(Matt Redman)

Chorus: Better is one day in Your court, Better is one day in Your house Better is one day in Your courts Than thousands elsewhere

One thing I ask and I would seek, to see Your beauty To find You in the place Your glory dwells One thing I ask and I would seek, to see Your beauty To find You in the place Your glory dwells

My heart and flesh cry out for You, the living God Your Spirit's water to my soul, I've tasted and I've seen Come once again to me, I will draw near to You, I will draw near to You ...

CHILDREN'S TIME: #348 Tell me the stories of Jesus

(William Henry Parker)

Tell me the stories of Jesus I love to hear;
Things I would ask him to tell me if he were here:
Scenes by the wayside, tales of the sea, stories of Jesus, tell them to me.

2 First let me hear how the children stood round his knee, And I shall fancy his blessing resting on me; Words full of kindness, deeds full of grace, all in the love-light of Jesus' face.

3. Tell me about the disciples from far and near And I will listen among them, eager to hear Whose loaves and fishes did Jesus bless showing the people God's tenderness **SCRIPTURE**: Micah 6:8; John (selected verses about Andrew)

Reader: Iain McNicol

## This is the word of the Lord - ...thanks be to God.

PRAYERS: #748 Lord of all hopefulness

(Jan Struther)

Loving God, we are so grateful for all the men in our lives

 Lord of all hopefulness, Lord of all joy, Whose trust, ever child-like, no cares can destroy, Be there at our waking, and give us, we pray, Your bliss in our hearts, Lord, at the break of the day.

We thank you for all that the men in our lives give to us -

 Lord of all eagerness, Lord of all faith, Whose strong hands were skilled at the plane and the lathe, Be there at our labors, and give us, we pray, Your strength in our hearts, Lord, at the noon of the day.

Hear us as we bring before you our prayers today. We have concerns...

 ✓ Lord of all kindliness, Lord of all grace, Your hands swift to welcome, your arms to embrace, Be there at our homing, and give us, we pray, Your love in our hearts, Lord, at the eve of the day.

Thank you our Eternal Father, who Jesus taught us to call Abba,

 Lord of all gentleness, Lord of all calm, Whose voice is contentment, whose presence is balm, Be there at our sleeping, and give us, we pray, Your peace in our hearts, Lord, at the end of the day.

## **LORD'S PRAYER & ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS:**

**DEDICATION OF OUR OFFERINGS**: Glory to God

**MESSAGE:** "Living in kindness"

## **CLOSING HYMN:** #491 God bless your church with strength

(John A. Dalles)

- God bless your church with strength!
  Wherever we may be, up-build your servants
  as we work in common ministry.
  Urge us from fledgling faith to venture
  and to soar through open skies to sing
  the praise of Christ whom we adore.
  - 2. God bless your church with life!
    May all our branches thrive, unblemished,
    wholesome, bearing fruit, abundantly alive.
    From you, one holy vine, in freedom
    may we grow; sustain us in our mission,
    Lord, your love and peace to show.
  - 3. God bless your church with hope!
    Despite chaotic days, may we in darkness
    shine to light a pathway through life's maze.
    May justice be our aim, and kindness
    ours to share; in humbleness oh
    may we walk, assured our God is there!

## **BENEDICTION**

BLESSING SONG: Go now in peace (Don Besig)

**POSTLUDE:**