

GILCOMSTON

Sunday, 18 July 2021

Today's preacher is:
Jerry Middleton

...You have made known to us the dream of the king ...
Daniel 2:23 (NIV)

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CALENDAR FOR JULY

Sundays 4th, 11th, 18th, 25th

Morning Service 11am

Evening Service 6.30pm

Tuesdays 6th, 13th, 20th, 27th

Lunchtime Service 12.45pm

Saturdays 3rd, 10th, 17th, 24th, 31st

Prayer Meeting at 7pm

Also

13th Leadership Team Meeting at 7pm on Zoom

20th Elders' Meeting at 7.30pm on Zoom

27th Deacons' Meeting at 7.30pm on Zoom

All Church Services (Sunday and Tuesday) will be available on the home page of our website, on Facebook or YouTube.

Prayer Meetings will take place via Zoom (please download Zoom Cloud Meetings to your smart phone or open a free account on your computer, then email rosie.mckie@gilcomston.org to be placed on the mailing list).

Seating on Sunday mornings will be by allocation—please contact the church office if you're not already on the mailing list.

Seating on Sunday evenings is by booking via front page of the church website

<http://www.gilcomston.org/booking-seats-for-sunday-services/>

Morning

Welcome and Notices

Praise

God's law is perfect, and converts
the soul in sin that lies:
God's testimony is most sure,
and makes the simple wise.

The statutes of the Lord are right,
and do rejoice the heart:
the Lord's command is pure, and doth
light to the eyes impart.

Unspotted is the fear of God,
and doth endure for ever:
the judgments of the Lord are true
and righteous altogether.

They more than gold, yea, much fine gold,
to be desired are:
than honey, honey from the comb
that droppeth, sweeter far.

Psalm 19:7-10

Prayer

Reading

Daniel 2:17-23

Children's Talk

Praise

*Your word is a lamp unto my feet
and a light unto my path.
Your word is a lamp unto my feet
and a light unto my path.*

When I feel afraid,
and think I've lost my way.
Still, You're there right beside me.
Nothing will I fear
as long as You are near;
please be near me to the end.
Your word ...

I will not forget
Your love for me and yet,
my heart forever is wandering.
Jesus be my guide,
and hold me to Your side,
and I will love You to the end.
Your word

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Prayer

Prayer

Message

The Promise Of Life
Shaping The Future

Prayer

Praise

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 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.

*Timothy Dudley Smith
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Benediction

The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ,
the love of God and the fellowship
of the Holy Spirit be with us all. Amen

Prayer

Reading

2 Timothy 1.1-5 and 3.10-17

Praise

For all the saints who from their labours rest,
who Thee by faith before the world confessed,
Thy Name, O Jesus, be for ever blest,
Hallelujah!

Thou wast their Rock, their Fortress, and their Might;
Thou, Lord, their Captain in the well-fought fight;
Thou, in the darkness drear, their one true Light.
Hallelujah!

O may Thy soldiers, faithful, true and bold,
fight as the saints who nobly fought of old,
and win, with them, the victor's crown of gold.
Hallelujah!

O blest communion, fellowship divine!
We feebly struggle, they in glory shine;
yet all are one in Thee, for all are Thine.
Hallelujah!

And when the strife is fierce, the warfare long,
steals on the ear the distant triumph song,
and hearts are brave again, and arms are strong.
Hallelujah!

But, lo! There breaks a yet more glorious day;
the saints triumphant rise in bright array;
the King of Glory passes on His way.
Hallelujah!

From earth's wide bounds, from ocean's farthest coast,
through gates of pearl streams in the countless host,
singing to Father, Son and Holy Ghost.
'Hallelujah!'

William Walsham How, 1823-97

Praise

Spirit Divine, attend our prayers
and make this house Thy home;
descend with all Thy gracious power;
O come, great Spirit, come!

Come as the light: to us reveal
our emptiness and woe;
and lead us in those paths of life
where all the righteous go.

Come as the fire: and purge our hearts
like sacrificial flame;
let our whole soul an offering be
to our Redeemer's Name.

Come as the dew: and sweetly bless
this consecrated hour;
may barrenness rejoice to own
Thy fertilizing power.

Come as the dove: and spread Thy wings,
the wings of peaceful love;
and let Thy church on earth become
blest as the Church above.

Come as the wind, with rushing sound
and Pentecostal grace,
that all of woman born may see
the glory of Thy face.

Spirit Divine, attend our prayers;
make a lost world Thy home;
descend with all Thy gracious powers;
O come, great Spirit, come!

Andrew Reed 1787-1862

Prayer

Message

Trained For The King's Service
God Doesn't Leave You In The Dark
Daniel 2:1-49

Praise

Jesus shall reign where'er the sun
does its successive journeys run
His kingdom stretch from shore to shore
till sun shall rise and set no more.

Blessings abound where'er He reigns,
the pris'ner leaps to lose his chains,
the weary find eternal rest
and all the sons of want are blessed.
*To our King be highest praise,
rising through eternal days
just and faithful He shall reign:
Jesus shall reign!*

People and realms of every tongue
dwell on His love with sweetest song
and infant voices shall proclaim
their early blessings on His name.
To our King be highest praise...

Let every creature rise and bring
blessing and honour to our King.
Angels descend with songs again
and earth repeat the loud amen!
To our King be highest praise...

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Benediction

The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ,
the love of God and the fellowship
of the Holy Spirit be with us all. Amen

Evening

Welcome and Notices

Praise

Come, people of the risen King,
who delight to bring Him praise;
come all and tune your hearts to sing
to the Morning Star of grace.
From the shifting shadows of the earth
we will lift our eyes to Him,
where steady arms of mercy reach
to gather children in.
*Rejoice, Rejoice! Let every tongue rejoice!
One heart, one voice; O Church of Christ, rejoice!*

Come, those whose joy is morning sun,
and those weeping through the night;
come, those who tell of battles won,
and those struggling in the fight.
For His perfect love will never change,
and His mercies never cease,
but follow us through all our days
with the certain hope of peace.
Rejoice, Rejoice...

Come, young and old from every land -
men and women of the faith;
come, those with full or empty hands -
find the riches of His grace.
Over all the world, His people sing -
shore to shore we hear them call
the Truth that cries through every age:
"Our God is all in all!"
Rejoice, Rejoice...

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