

HYMNS FOR TODAY: AM

Reading: Acts 13 v 1 – 16 + 38 - 41
Title: Mission: Calling, Opposition & Preaching

Hail, O once rejected Jesus!

Hail, O Galilean King!
You have suffered to release us
And Your free salvation bring.
Hail, O agonizing Saviour,
Bearer of our sin and shame,
By Your merits we find favour,
Life is given through Your name.

Spotless Lamb, by God appointed,
All our sins on You were laid;
By almighty love anointed
Full atonement You have made.
All Your people are forgiven
Through the virtue of Your blood;
Opened is the gate of heaven,
Man is reconciled with God.

Jesus! Hail, enthroned in glory,
There for ever to abide;
All the heavenly hosts adore You
Seated at Your Father's side.
There for sinners You are pleading
And our place You now prepare;
Always for us interceding,
'Till in glory we appear.

Worship, honour, power and blessing
You are worthy to receive;
Loudest praises, without ceasing,
Right it is for us to give.
Help us, bright angelic spirits
Joined with ours, your voices raise;
Help to show our Saviour's merits,
Help to sing Immanuel's praise!

Have you heard the voice of Jesus

Softly pleading with your heart?
Have you felt His presence glorious,
As He calls your soul apart,
With a love so true and loyal,
Love divine that ever flows
From a Saviour, righteous, royal,
And a cross that mercy shows?

Have you heard the voice of mercy
Granting peace and pardon pure?
Have you felt the balm of Calvary
Binding all your wounds secure?
Was there ever such salvation?
Was there ever care like this?
See the Saviour's grief and passion,
Grace and mercy's gentle kiss.

Have you heard the Saviour calling
All to leave and follow Him?
Have you felt His Person drawing
With compulsion lives to win?
Hearken to His invitation,
To the music of God's grace;
Let the peace of God's salvation
Fill your soul, and love embrace.

The map below will be of help in following the Bible Reading and message this morning.



**Hymns, Bible Reading & Message Title
for the evening service continue overleaf**

PM

Reading: Hebrews 12 v 28 – 13 v 8

Title: Serving God by practical love

God is our refuge and strength,

Our ever-present aid,
And therefore though the earth should move,
We will not be afraid;
Though hills are thrown into the sea,
Though foaming waters roar,
And though the mighty earthquake moves
The mountains on the shore.

A river flows whose streams make glad
The city of our God,
The holy place in which the Lord
Most High has His abode;
Since God is in the midst of her,
Unmoved her walls shall stand,
For God will help at break of day,
When trouble is at hand.

The nations rage, and kingdoms fall,
But when His voice is heard
All earthly power shall melt away
Before His mighty word.
The Lord of hosts is on our side,
Our safety to secure;
The God of Jacob is for us
A refuge strong and sure.

O come and see what mighty works
The hand of God has done;
Come, see what desolation great
He brings beneath the sun.
To utmost ends of all the earth
He causes wars to cease;
The weapons of the strong destroyed,
He makes a lasting peace.

'Be still and know that I am God,
Set over all on high;
The humbled nations of the earth
My name shall magnify.'
The Lord of hosts is on our side,
Our safety to secure;
The God of Jacob is for us
A refuge strong and sure.

Church of God, elect and glorious,

Holy nation, chosen race;
Called as God's own special people,
Royal priests and heirs of grace:
Know the purpose of your calling,
Show to all His mighty deeds;
Tell of love which knows no limits,
Grace which meets all human needs.

God has called you out of darkness
Into His most marvellous light;
Brought His truth to life within you,
Turned your blindness into sight.
Let your light so shine around you
That God's name is glorified
And all find fresh hope and purpose
In Christ Jesus crucified.

Once you were an alien people,
Strangers to God's heart of love,
But He brought you home in mercy,
Citizens of heaven above.
Let His love flow out to others,
Let them feel the Father's care,
That they too may know His welcome
And His countless blessings share.

Church of God, elect and holy,
Be the people He intends,
Strong in faith and swift to answer
Each command your Master sends:
Royal priests, fulfil your calling
Through your sacrifice and prayer;
Give your lives in joyful service,
Sing His praise, His love declare.

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