

ABKF E-SERVICE FOR SUNDAY, 14th AUGUST 2022

Welcome

evil things out of the evil stored up in his heart. For the mouth speaks what the heart is full of.

1st Hymn – MP 23– All things bright and beautiful

*All things bright and beautiful,
all creatures great and small,
all things wise and wonderful,
the Lord God made them all.*

1. Each little flower that opens,
each little bird that sings,
He made their glowing colours,
He made their tiny wings.
All things bright and beautiful....

2. The purple-headed mountain,
the river running by,
the sunset, and the morning
that brightens up the sky;
All things bright and beautiful....

3. The cold wind in the winter,
the pleasant summer sun,
the ripe fruits in the garden,
He made them every one.
All things bright and beautiful....

4. He gave us eyes to see them,
and lips that we might tell
how great is God almighty,
who has made all things well.
All things bright and beautiful.....

Offering Prayer

2nd Hymn 20 - All people that on earth do dwell

1. All people that on earth do dwell,
sing to the Lord with cheerful voice;
Him serve with mirth, His praise forth tell;
come ye before Him and rejoice.

2. The Lord, ye know, is God indeed:
without our aid He did us make:
we are His folk, He doth us feed;
and for His sheep He doth us take.

3. O enter then His gates with praise,
approach with joy His courts unto;
praise, laud, and bless His name always,
for it is seemly so to do.

4. For why? The Lord our God is good;
His mercy is for ever sure;
His truth at all times firmly stood,
and shall from age to age endure.

Scripture Readings:

Luke 6: 43 – 45 – ⁴³“No good tree bears bad fruit, nor does a bad tree bear good fruit. ⁴⁴Each tree is recognized by its own fruit. People do not pick figs from thornbushes, or grapes from briars. ⁴⁵A good man brings good things out of the good stored up in his heart, and an evil man brings

James 3: 1 – 12 - Not many of you should become teachers, my fellow believers, because you know that we who teach will be judged more strictly. ²We all stumble in many ways. Anyone who is never at fault in what they say is perfect, able to keep their whole body in check. ³When we put bits into the mouths of horses to make them obey us, we can turn the whole animal. ⁴Or take ships as an example. Although they are so large and are driven by strong winds, they are steered by a very small rudder wherever the pilot wants to go. ⁵Likewise, the tongue is a small part of the body, but it makes great boasts. Consider what a great forest is set on fire by a small spark. ⁶The tongue also is a fire, a world of evil among the parts of the body. It corrupts the whole body, sets the whole course of one's life on fire, and is itself set on fire by hell. ⁷All kinds of animals, birds, reptiles and sea creatures are being tamed and have been tamed by mankind, ⁸but no human being can tame the tongue. It is a restless evil, full of deadly poison. ⁹With the tongue we praise our Lord and Father, and with it we curse human beings, who have been made in God's likeness. ¹⁰Out of the same mouth come praise and cursing. My brothers and sisters, this should not be. ¹¹Can both fresh water and salt water flow from the same spring? ¹²My brothers and sisters, can a fig tree bear olives, or a grapevine bear figs? Neither can a salt spring produce fresh water.

3rd Hymn – MP 329 – In Christ there is no East or West

1. In Christ there is no east or west,
in Him no south or north,
but one great fellowship of love
throughout the whole wide earth.

2. In Him shall true hearts everywhere
their high communion find:
His service is the golden cord
close-binding all mankind.

3. Join hands then, brothers of the faith,
what'er your race may be!
Who serves my Father as a son
is surely kin to me.

4. In Christ now meet both east and west,
in Him meet south and north,
all Christly souls are one in Him,
throughout the whole wide earth.

Opening Prayer

Sermon

Prayer

Communion

(Continued overleaf)

4th Hymn – MP 64 – Break thou the bread of life,

1. Break Thou the bread of life,
 dear Lord to me,
as Thou didst break the bread
 beside the sea;
 beyond the sacred page
 I seek Thee, Lord;
my spirit longs for Thee,
 Thou living Word!

2. Thou art the bread of life,
 O Lord, to me,
Thy holy word the truth
 that saveth me;
 give me to eat and live
 with Thee above,
teach me to love Thy truth,
 for Thou art love

3. O send Thy Spirit, Lord,
 now unto me,
that He may touch my eyes,
 and make me see;
show me the truth concealed
 within Thy word,
and in Thy book revealed
 I see Thee, Lord.

4. Bless Thou the bread of life
 to me, to me,
as Thou didst bless the loaves
 by Galilee;
then shall all bondage cease,
 all fetters fall,
and I shall find my peace,
 my all-in-all!

Benediction

Amen

**5th Hymn - MP 460 - May God's Blessing Surround
You**

May God's blessing surround you each day,
 as you trust Him and walk in His way.
May His presence within guard and keep you from sin,
 go in peace, go in joy, go in love.