KINLOSS E-SERVICE – SUNDAY, 21st JULY 2024

Welcome

Hymn – MP 560 - Praise, my soul, the King of heaven;

 Praise, my soul, the King of heaven; to His feet thy tribute bring;
ransomed, healed, restored, forgiven, who like thee His praise should sing?
Praise Him! Praise Him!
Praise Him! Praise Him!
Praise the everlasting King.

 Praise Him for His grace and favour to our fathers, in distress; praise Him still the same for ever, slow to chide, and swift to bless. Praise Him! Praise Him! Praise Him! Praise Him! Glorious in His faithfulness.

 Father-like He tends and spares us; well our feeble frame He knows; in His hands He gently bears us, rescues us from all our foes. Praise Him! Praise Him! Praise Him! Praise Him! Widely as His mercy flows.

4. Angels, help us to adore Him; ye behold Him face to face; sun and moon, bow down before Him; dwellers all in time and space. Praise Him! Praise Him! Praise Him! Praise Him! Praise with us the God of grace.

Prayer

Scripture Reading – Ephesians 2:11 – 22 - ¹¹Therefore, remember that formerly you who are Gentiles by birth and called "uncircumcised" by those who call themselves "the circumcision" (which is done in the body by human hands)-¹² remember that at that time you were separate from Christ, excluded from citizenship in Israel and foreigners to the covenants of the promise, without hope and without God in the world. ¹³ But now in Christ Jesus you who once were far away have been brought near by the blood of Christ. ¹⁴ For he himself is our peace, who has made the two groups one and has destroyed the barrier, the dividing wall of hostility, ¹⁵ by setting aside in his flesh the law with its commands and regulations. His purpose was to create in himself one new humanity out of the two, thus making peace, ¹⁶ and in one body to reconcile both of them to God through the cross, by which he put to death their hostility. ¹⁷ He came and preached peace to you who were far away and peace to those who were near. ¹⁸ For through him we both have access to the Father by one Spirit. ¹⁹ Consequently, you are no longer foreigners and strangers, but fellow citizens with God's people and also members of his household, ²⁰ built on the foundation of the apostles and prophets, with Christ Jesus himself as the chief cornerstone.²¹ In him the whole building is joined together and rises to become a holy temple in the Lord. ²² And in him you too are being built together to become a dwelling in which God lives by his Spirit.

Hymn – MP 18 - All over the world, the spirit is moving.

1. All over the world the Spirit is moving, all over the world as the prophet said it would be; all over the world there's a mighty revelation of the glory of the Lord, as the waters cover the sea.

2. All over His Church God's spirit is moving, all over His Church as the prophet said it would be all over His Church there's a mighty revelation of the glory of the Lord, as the waters cover the sea.

 Right here in this place the Spirit is moving right here in this place
as the prophet said it would be; right here in this place
there's a mighty revelation of the glory of the Lord,
as the waters cover the sea.

Sermon

Prayer

Hymn – MP 525 - O Thou who camest from above

1. O thou who camest from above the pure, celestial fire to impart, kindle a flame of sacred love on the mean altar of my heart!

 There let it for thy glory burn, with inextinguishable blaze; and, trembling to its source return in humble love and fervent praise.

3. Jesus, confirm my heart's desire to work, and speak, and think for Thee; still let me guard the holy fire, and still stir up Thy gift in me.

 Ready for all Thy perfect will, my acts of faith and love repeat, till death Thine endless mercies seal, and make the sacrifice complete.

Prayer for the Offering

(Continued overleaf)

Hymn – MP 496 - O for a thousand tongues to sing

 O for a thousand tongues to sing my great Redeemer's praise, the glories of my God and King, the triumphs of His grace!

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- 2. Jesus! the name that charms our fears, that bids our sorrows cease;'tis music in the sinner's ears,'tis life, and health, and peace.
- 3. He breaks the power of cancelled sin, He sets the prisoners free;His blood can make the foulest clean; His blood availed for me.
- 4. He speaks, and, listening to His voice, new life the dead receive, the mournful, broken hearts rejoice, the humble poor believe.
- Hear Him, ye deaf; His praise, ye dumb, your loosened tongues employ: ye blind, behold your Saviour come; and leap, ye lame, for joy.

6. My gracious Master, and my God, assist me to proclaim, to spread through all the earth abroad, the honours of Thy name. Benediction

Amen

Hymn – MP 460 - May God's blessing

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.