#### WE GATHER TO WORSHIP GOD

Voluntary: i) Largo, Allegro, Aria & 2 Variations Michael Christian Festing, <u>arr</u>. George Thalben-Ball ii) Preludio "Sine Nomine" Herbert Howells

#### **Call to Worship**

'I am able to face anything through Christ who gives me strength.'

Philippians 4:13

Hymn: 100 O Lord, Thou art my God and King

Duke Street

- O Lord, thou art my God and King ; thee will I magnify and praise : I will thee bless, and gladly sing unto thy holy name always.
- Each day I rise I will thee bless, and praise thy name time without end. Much to be praised, and great God is ; his greatness none can comprehend.
- Race shall thy works praise unto race, the mighty acts show done by thee.
  I will speak of the glorious grace, and honour of thy majesty;
- 4 Thy wondrous works I will record. By many shall the might be told of all thy awesome acts, O Lord : and I thy greatness will unfold.

#### We bring to God our prayers and The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, Which art in heaven Hallowed be Thy Name. Thy Kingdom come, Thy will be done in earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, And forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors, And lead us not into temptation, But deliver us from evil. For Thine is the Kingdom, the power and the glory, Forever. Amen

We hear the Word of God

Old Testament:

**Exodus 14:5-9, 21-22** (*Read by: Alison Riddell*)

<sup>5</sup>When the king of Egypt was told that the people had fled, the mind of Pharaoh and his servants was changed toward the people, and they said, "What is this we have done, that we have let Israel go from serving us?" <sup>6</sup>So he made ready his chariot and took his army with him, <sup>7</sup>and took six hundred picked chariots and all the other chariots of Egypt with officers over all of them. <sup>8</sup>And the Lord hardened the heart of Pharaoh king of Egypt and he pursued the people of Israel as they went forth defiantly. <sup>9</sup>The Egyptians pursued them, all Pharaoh's horses and chariots and his horsemen and his army, and overtook them encamped at the sea, by Pi-ha-hi'roth, in front of Ba'al-ze'phon.

<sup>21</sup> Then Moses stretched out his hand over the sea; and the Lord drove the sea back by a strong east wind all night, and made the sea dry land, and the waters were divided. <sup>22</sup> And the people of Israel went into the midst of the sea on dry ground, the waters being a wall to them on their right hand and on their left.

Amen

## **Children's Time**

# We respond to God's Word with our Offering

(Children invited to help with the Offering)

Offertory: Antiphon...

Marcel Dupré

#### Prayer

#### Children leave for Crèche and Sunday Club

**Hymn:** 686 How happy are all they who hear

St Stephen

- How happy are all they who hear true Wisdom's guiding voice; and who her understanding make their early, only choice.
- For she has treasures greater far than east or west unfold; and her rewards more precious are than all their stores of gold.
- 3 In her right hand she holds to view a length of happy days; and riches with great honours joined are what her left displays.
- 4 She guides the young with innocence, in pleasure's paths to tread ; a crown of glory she bestows upon the hoary head.
- 5 According as her labours rise, so her rewards increase ; her ways are ways of pleasantness, and all her paths are peace.

## We bring to God our Prayers of Confession

We hear the Word of God

#### New Testament: Mark 6:30-34, 53-56

<sup>30</sup> The apostles returned to Jesus, and told him all that they had done and taught. <sup>31</sup> And he said to them, "Come away by yourselves to a lonely place, and rest a while." For many were coming and going, and they had no leisure even to eat. <sup>32</sup> And they went away in the boat to a lonely place by themselves. <sup>33</sup> Now many saw them going, and knew them, and they ran there on foot from all the towns, and got there ahead of them. <sup>34</sup> As he went ashore he saw a great throng, and he had compassion on them, because they were like sheep without a shepherd; and he began to teach them many things.

<sup>53</sup> And when they had crossed over, they came to land at Gennes'aret, and moored to the shore. <sup>54</sup> And when they got out of the boat, immediately the people recognized him, <sup>55</sup> and ran about the whole neighbourhood and began to bring sick people on their pallets to any place where they heard he was. <sup>56</sup> And wherever he came, in villages, cities, or country, they laid the sick in the marketplaces, and besought him that they might touch even the fringe of his garment; and as many as touched it were made well. Amen

**Hymn:** 354 O Love, how deep, how broad, how high!

Eisenach

- 1 O Love, how deep, how broad, how high ! Surpassing thought and fantasy that God, the Son of God, should take our mortal form for mortals' sake.
- For us baptized, for us he bore his holy fast, and hungered sore; for us temptations sharp he knew; for us the tempter overthrew.

3	For us he prayed, for us he taught, for us the lost with love he sought, by words, and signs, and actions, he brought health and hope to set us free.
4	For us to wicked men betrayed, scourged, mocked, in crown of thorns arrayed, he bore the shameful cross and death ; for us at length gave up his breath.
5	For us he rose from death again, for us he went on high to reign, for us he sent his Spirit here to guide, to strengthen, and to cheer.
6	To him whose boundless love has won salvation for us through his Son, to God the Father, glory be both now and through eternity.

#### Intimations

**Hymn:** 456 Christ is the world's true light

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Sermon Journey 2 – Tübingen to Jena

# We bring to God our prayers of Thanksgiving and Intercession

Hymn: 159 Lord for the years

Lord For The Years

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# **Benediction and Threefold Amen**

Voluntary: Allegro maestoso e vivace & Allegro moderato (from Sonata no. 2 in c/C) Mendelssohn