

**** Hymn** *Come host of heaven's high dwelling place ...*
(cont'd.)

So, to the Lord whose care enfolds
the world held in his hands,
be glory, honour, power and praise
for which this company stands.
(John Bell & Graham Maule)

THE MAIN COURSE - going a bit deeper.

**** Hymn 543** *Longing for light, we wait in darkness ...*

Prayers of Intercession

Offering and Prayer of Dedication

**** Hymn 594** (Omit Verse 4) *Come, Holy Spirit, come ...*

BENEDICTION and Threefold Amen

Recessional *May the road rise up to meet you ...*

May the road rise up to meet you,
may the wind be at your back,
may good friends be there to greet you,
and your table never lack.
May your life be filled with laughter,
and your heart be filled with song.
May God shine his light upon you,
as you live your whole life long.

Live your faith -

Think about something that you are good at, or perhaps something that
you have recently discovered that you can do - a gift from God! And
you share this with someone? Share it!

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THE NEW WELLWYND PARISH CHURCH, AIRDRIE
Sunday, 9th February 2020

Taught by the Spirit

Prayer before worship -

Let us seek the Lord God, that he may teach us to manage our days
and apply our hearts to wisdom.

Let us seek Christ Jesus, that he may teach us to follow his ways and
open our hearts to wisdom.

Let us seek the Holy Spirit, that he may teach us at every stage to
rejoice in our hearts at God's wisdom. Amen.

(The candle is lit before worship.)

****** Entry of the Bible

Words of Welcome and Intimations

INTROIT

Built on the rock ...

Words by Russ Borchardt & Stan Pethel; music by Stan Pethel (ASCAP)

Call to worship

Minister: God of grace, send your Holy Spirit upon us.
For we are ready to hear, receive and act.
Teach us your truth and reveal your wisdom.

All : **For we are ready to hear, receive and act.**

Minister: Draw us deeper into your love.

All : **For we are ready to hear, receive and act.**

Minister: And share with us your words for our world.

All : **For we are ready to hear, receive and act.**

Minister: "Those who trust God's wisdom, and who are willing
to learn God's ways, will never be ground down
by their problems."

LET US WORSHIP GOD!

**** Hymn** *Come, all who look to Christ today ...*

Come, all who look to Christ today,
stretch out your hands, enlarge your mind,
together share his living way
where all who humbly seek will find.

Come, all who will from every race;
find here a place where you belong,
accept the Spirit's strong embrace
which binds us with a love so strong. .../cont'd.

**** Hymn**

Come, all who look to Christ today ... (cont'd.)

Come, young and old of every faith,
bring all your treasures of prayer,
and seek the living Spirit's breath
to realise the truths we share.

Bring your traditions' richest store,
your hymns and rites and cherished creeds;
explore your visions, pray for more,
since God delights to meet fresh needs.

Come, trust in Christ and live in peace,
anticipate that final light
when strife and bigotry shall cease,
and faith be lost in praise and sight. Amen.
(© Richard G. Jones, 1926-)

Prayer of Adoration and Confession with Lord's Prayer

SUNDAY STARTER - Introduction to the Readings

Bible Reading - 1 Corinthians 2 : 1 - 12 (N.T. Pg. 206 approx.)

Prayer

**** Hymn**

Colours of day ...

Colours of day dawn into the mind,
the sun has come up, the night is behind.
Go down to the city, into the street,
and let's give the message to the people we meet.
*So light up the fire and let the flame burn,
open the door, let Jesus return.
Take seeds of his Spirit, let the fruit grow,
tell the people of Jesus, let his love show.*

Go through the park, on into the town;
the sun still shines on, it never goes down.
The light of the world is risen again;
the people of darkness are needing our friend.
So light up the fire/cont'd.

**** Hymn**

Colours of day ... (cont'd.)

Open your eyes, look into the sky,
the darkness has come, the sun came to die.
The evening draws on, the sun disappears,
but Jesus is living, his Spirit is near.

So light up the fire
(S. McClellan, J. Pac, K. Ryecroft)
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Bible Readings -

*Isaiah 58 : 1 - 9a (O.T. Pg. 771 approx.)
Matthew 5 : 13 - 20 (N.T. Pg. 7 approx.)*

**** Hymn**

Come host of heaven's high dwelling place

...

Come, Host of Heaven's high dwelling place,
come, earth's disputed guest;
find where we meet a welcome home,
stay here and take your rest.

Surround these walls with faith and love
that through the nights and days,
when human tongues from speaking cease,
these stones may echo praise.

Bless and inspire those gathered here
with patience, hope and peace,
and all the joys that know the depth
in which all sorrows cease.

Here may the loser find his worth,
the stranger find a friend;
here may the hopeless find their faith
and aimless find an end.

Build, from the human fabric, signs
of how your kingdom thrives,
of how the Holy Spirit changes
life by changing lives.

.../cont'd.

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Tea / Coffee will be served in the hall at the close of the service.

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The **Duty Drivers** today are Colin McPherson and Lesley Adamson.

The **Traidcraft Stall** re-opens today. The assistants will be Isobel Gaines and Catherine Riddell.

Orders for the **Lenten Study Book** are being taken today.

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