



GREYFRIARS

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Online Worship Order of Service – Sunday 2 August 2020

You are very warmly invited to join us and watch this service online, at the usual time of 11am. The service will remain available for those who wish to enjoy this at another time too. You can access our services here: www.greyfriarskirk.com/online-services.

- 1. Introduction:** The Greyfriars Bell
- 2. Anthem:** Franck, Panis Angelicus
- 3. Welcome and Opening Prayer:** Dr Urzula Glienecke
- 4. Hymn:** "Guide me, O thou great Jehovah" (167 in CH4) played by Henry Wallace, sung by Amelia Wallace.

1. Guide me, O thou great Jehovah,
pilgrim through this barren land;
I am weak, but thou art mighty;
hold me with thy powerful hand:
Bread of heaven, Bread of heaven,
feed me till my want is o'er.
2. Open now the crystal fountain
whence the healing stream doth flow;
let the fire and cloudy pillar
lead me all my journey through:
strong Deliverer, strong Deliverer,
be thou still my strength and shield.
3. When I tread the verge of Jordon,
bid my anxious fears subside!
Death of death, and hell's destruction,
and me safe on Canaan's side!
Songs of praises, songs of praises,
I will ever give to thee.

William Williams (1717-1791)

5. Readings: from the New Revised Standard Version, read by Amelia Wallace

Genesis 32:22-32

²² The same night he got up and took his two wives, his two maids, and his eleven children, and crossed the ford of the Jabbok. ²³ He took them and sent them across the stream, and likewise everything that he had. ²⁴ Jacob was left alone; and a man wrestled with him until daybreak. ²⁵ When the man saw that he did not prevail against Jacob, he struck him on the hip socket; and Jacob's hip was put out of joint as he wrestled with him. ²⁶ Then he said, "Let me go, for the day is breaking." But Jacob said, "I will not let you go, unless you bless me." ²⁷ So he said to him, "What is your name?" And he said, "Jacob." ²⁸ Then the man^[a] said, "You shall no longer be called Jacob, but Israel,^[b] for you have striven with God and with humans,^[c] and have prevailed." ²⁹ Then Jacob asked him, "Please tell me your name." But he said, "Why is it that you ask my name?" And there he blessed him. ³⁰ So Jacob called the place Peniel,^[d] saying, "For I have seen God face to face, and yet my life is preserved." ³¹ The sun rose upon him as he passed Penuel, limping because of his hip.

Matthew 14:13-21

¹³ Now when Jesus heard this, he withdrew from there in a boat to a deserted place by himself. But when the crowds heard it, they followed him on foot from the towns. ¹⁴ When he went ashore, he saw a great crowd; and he had compassion for them and cured their sick. ¹⁵ When it was evening, the disciples came to him and said, "This is a deserted place, and the hour is now late; send the crowds away so that they may go into the villages and buy food for themselves." ¹⁶ Jesus said to them, "They need not go away; you give them something to eat." ¹⁷ They replied, "We have nothing here but five loaves and two fish." ¹⁸ And he said, "Bring them here to me." ¹⁹ Then he ordered the crowds to sit down on the grass. Taking the five loaves and the two fish, he looked up to heaven, and blessed and broke the loaves, and gave them to the disciples, and the disciples gave them to the crowds. ²⁰ And all ate and were filled; and they took up what was left over of the broken pieces, twelve baskets full. ²¹ And those who ate were about five thousand men, besides women and children.

6. Address: Rev Ken Luscombe

7. Music for reflection: "Hallelujah", Leonard Cohen

8. Pastoral prayer, Lord's Prayer and blessing: Dr Urzula Glienecke

9. Dismissal: The Greyfriars bell