

SERVICE OUTLINE

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WELCOME & INTRODUCTION

Ben Moon

SONGS Crown him with many crowns
Come behold the wondrous mystery

CONFESSION

Almighty God, our heavenly Father, we have sinned against you and against our neighbour, in thought and word and deed, through negligence, through weakness, through our own deliberate fault. We are truly sorry and repent of all our sins. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, who died for us, forgive us all that is past; and grant that we may serve you in newness of life to the glory of your name. Amen.

May almighty God, who sent his Son into the world to save sinners, bring us his pardon and peace, now and for ever. **Amen.**

BAPTISM OF PENNY YIANNI

SONG Day after day

5-11s leave for children's church in the scout hut (they will be brought back to the hall after the service). There are also separate crèches / groups for 0-4s in the hall.

PRAYERS

Mark Daniell

SONG Prepare our hearts

BIBLE READING

Matthew 26:1-16 p.996 (*Chinese Bibles p.804*)

SERMON

Ed Pennington

Extended sermon notes in simple English are available on the welcome desk for anyone who would find them helpful.

SONGS Consider Christ
Jesus is Lord, behold the King of kings

CLOSING PRAYER

Please join us for refreshments in the church hall, including a meal for the kids.

GROWTH GROUPS & FAMILY TABLETALK

Growth groups meet during the week. Part of what we do is to help each other think through more deeply what we learn on Sundays—and then be ready to change as a result. Here are some questions.

1. What struck, challenged or encouraged you in the teaching from God's word this Sunday?
2. In v1-2, how does Jesus show:
 - his willingness to die?
 - his control of events?
 - his understanding of what he is about to do?
3. How would you describe the reaction to Jesus from the chief priests and from Judas. What hints does the passage give about their motivations? What is our equivalent today?

MATTHEW 26:1-16

SERMON NOTES

What do we value?

Value the extravagant love of Jesus

Value extravagant love for Jesus

4. The woman shows an extravagant devotion to Jesus, which he honours. What might such devotion look like for us?
5. On the last day, no devotion to Christ will be forgotten, and no service of Christ will be seen as a waste. How can this motivate us today?

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Q&A

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