Jesus said to them, "When you pray, say:

"'Father, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come.



Luke 11:2

Pray for the ALL the Fellowship using the prayer sheet and including

- Pray for Minnie in hospital but awaiting transfer to a rehab for her foot ulcer
- Remember Jomo in Derby.
- Ina in the process of moving home.
- Pray for Issy, Tim, and the best place for their granddaughter Holly

Pray for the BapChap Youth.



May the Lord stir hearts to respond and that some will see the importance of joining for Sunday worship. Pray for our country and its leaders. Pray for wise interpretation and conformity to the new requirements for the various Tiers.

Pray for the new proposals to downgrade the value of the wedding ceremony. Pray for the upholding of the God given family in our society.

Give thanks for the production of a vaccine to save lives. May the Lord bring souls to eternal salvation.

Pray for the church and it's plan and strengthening in 2021. Pray for new families and those of maturity who can take on positions of responsibility.

Pray for the children to make good use of their colouring / scripture folders.





Pray for the work of Barnabas Fund and Open Doors as they seek to help many Christians suffering for their faith around the world.

Pray for the Christians undergoing great hardships in Syria and Lebanon.

Pray for the Church in Worms and it's Pastor Jean Louis Goiran.

Pray for Judy Cook with her lifelong service helping the Aids orphans in Hope home Thailand.



Pray for the work of BCM
Praise the Lord for his provision in the Toylink project. Pray for the

many families who were helped and the revisits to see them in January. The BCM Annual review of the work is at the back of the Chapel. The latest prayer letter is at knbc.org or https://www.birminghamcitymission.or g.uk/bcm-update/





# 10 am Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> January 2021



We welcome you this morning and trust your time with us will be a good and joyful experience. Join us in worshipping our great God in Heaven in the Name of the risen Lord Jesus Christ.

These Service sheets are available every Sunday at www.knbc.org





Welcome to all Opening Scripture

Hymn MP 498 O God our help in ages past

Scripture Psalm 37 (page 563)

Prayer

Covenant reading

Notices followed by prayer and Lord's prayer together.

Communion

Reading Nehemiah 8:1-12 (page 492)

Matthew 6:25-34

Hymn MP 590 Seek ye first the kingdom of God

Sermon "<u>the joy of the LORD</u> is your strength"

Hymn Joy is a fruit that will not grow (on bulletin)

Closing Prayer:

Listen to today's sermon by clicking on the link at www.knbc.org.

## The Lord's prayer

Our Father who is in Heaven, Hallowed be your Name Your Kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as it is in Heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread.

And forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those that trespass against us.

And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.

For yours is the kingdom, the power and the Glory forever and ever.

Amen. *Matthew* 6:9-13

#### Note:

- ✓ The vestry/side room is for one family group only, more space upstairs.
- ✓ Sorry no refreshments after the service at present.
- ✓ There are currently no evening service or other church activities.

**Midweek Bible study -** 4:30 Wednesday. We start a new series this week so please read Daniel chapter 1. The new regulations mean we are again reverting to meeting online on Wednesdays, (still at the Chapel on Sunday) We are trying Zoom so please download the app for your phone or desktop.

### Christian basics - Question 22.

(Shorter catechism of the Westminster Confession)

**Question:** How did Christ, being the Son of God, become man?

**Answer:** Christ, the Son of God, became man, by taking to Himself a

true body, **a** and a reasonable soul, **b** being conceived by the power of the Holy Ghost, in the womb of the Virgin Mary,

and born of her, c yet without sin. d.

**a.** Heb 2:14,16; 10:5. **b.** Matt 26:38. **c.** Luke 1:27,31,35,42; Gal 4:4. **d.** Heb 4:15; 7:26.

Joy with God: You have made known to me the paths of life; you will fill me with joy in your presence.' Ac 2:28

# What will you do for Christ in 2021?



1. Joy is a fruit that will not grow	4. To take a glimpse within the veil,
In nature's barren foil;	To know that God is mine;
All we can boast, till CHRIST we know,	Are springs of joy that never fail,
Is vanity and toil.	Unspeakably divine!
2. But where the LORD has planted grace;	5. These are the joys which satisfy,
And made his glories known;	And sanctify the mind;
There fruits of heavenly joy and peace	Which make the spirit mount on high,
Are found, and there alone.	And leave the world behind.
3. A bleeding Saviour seen by faith,	6. No more, believers, mourn your lot,
A sense of pard'ning love;	But if you are the LORD'S;
A hope that triumphs over death,	Resign to them that know him not,
Give joys like those above.	Such joys as earth affords. John Newton

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