



Worship at Home

Call to Worship and Prayer

Psalm 136: 1-3

- ¹ Give thanks to the LORD, for he is good.
His love endures for ever.
- ² Give thanks to the God of gods.
His love endures for ever.
- ³ Give thanks to the Lord of lords:
His love endures for ever.

Worship songs suggestions

Your Kindness Leads Me to Repentance

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=sZwiW1Fgrp8>

Lord You are Good

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Qh-v5eL3eD0>

Good Good Father

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=dIEVSRO9Ytg>

God You're So Good

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=yMji7TypHOI>

Bible Teaching

Theme – Fruit of the Spirit: Kindness and Goodness

Reading – Matthew 25:31-46

Video recording –

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=P5Q_tGytYBw&t=10s

Worship song suggestions

Give me a Heart of Compassion

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=MbcMdTkZLVg>

Everyone Needs Compassion

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=taluSSa9vYo>

God of Grace and God of Glory

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=u9rWrw3XBO8>

The Lord Bless You and Keep You

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=PaLBndhrall>

Prayer

A poem to aid our prayers for ourselves and others that encourages us to be kind to all those around us (as well as ourselves) in Christlikeness:

'Go Gently' (by Jane Smith)

Go gently with yourself.
Go carefully with your health.
Go peacefully each step you take.
Go wisely each choice you make.
Go kindly with compassion.
Go bravely taking action.
Go thoughtfully being true.
Go graciously in all you do.
Go calmly through your day.
Go faithfully as you pray.
Go securely in your God.
Go humbly in His love.

Questions to ponder this week ...

1. List the number of ways you have experienced the kindness of the Lord in your life. What effect does this have on how ready you are to show kindness to others?
2. Read Matthew 25:34-40. Who are the hungry, thirsty, strangers, naked, or imprisoned people around you? How might God be calling you to reach out to them?
3. What does kindness and goodness look like in practice? Is there any difference between these as a fruit of the spirit and just ordinary 'being nice'?

All-Age

Our All-Age Thought video can be found in the usual place on our YouTube channel / Facebook:

https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCmSxZC8JcP8sMJbgFO7_WoA/videos

Benediction

Micah 6:8

The Lord has told us what is right and good.
What does he requires of us?
To act justly, to love kindness and mercy, and to walk humbly with your God.

Other resources...

Get inspired with an abundance of ideas as to how you can show kindness to others here:

Random Acts of Kindness Foundation:

<https://www.randomactsofkindness.org/kindness-ideas>

Kindness UK:

http://kindnessuk.com/acts_of_kindness.php

Good Deeds Day:

<https://www.good-deeds-day.org/getideas/>

High Street 'Gatherings'

Summer Segments –

Small group gatherings designed to promote an inclusive way of connecting with others for fellowship and a sense of belonging to our church family through social time together.



Church Prayer Meetings on Zoom

Start of the Week Prayers on Monday at 9:15am
(The scriptures for this week are Psalm 34:11-14,
Jeremiah 29:11-14, Philippians 2:1-4, 12-13)

The meeting code for this is: 100 710 735.



Personal prayer at Church, Wednesday 2-4pm



Thursday evening prayer meeting at 7:45pm.

The meeting code for this is: 792 066 179.

