



AMERSHAM FREE CHURCH

Sunday 12th August 2018

MORNING WORSHIP

led by The Revd Ian Green

Organist: Graham Nash

If you are able please stand for those parts of the service marked with an asterisk ()*

GOD INVITES US TO WORSHIP

* **Hymn 72:** Now thank we all our God

During which the bible is taken to the pulpit

Opening Responses

Minister: The Lord is our God, one Lord,

**All: so love the Lord your God,
with all your heart, soul and strength.**

Minister: Keep the commands I give you this day in your heart;

**All: repeat them to your children,
speak of them indoors and out of doors,
when you lie down and when you rise.**

Leader: The Lord be with you,

All: and also with you.

Opening Prayers of Adoration and Confession

Lord's Prayer *back cover of hymn book*

Welcome and Notices

WE LISTEN FOR THE WORD OF GOD

Infant Blessing:

We rejoice Emily and Andrew as they bring Elsie Rose Winton for a service of blessing

*** Hymn:**

**1. Lord, the light of Your love is shining
In the midst of darkness shining
Jesus, light of the world shine upon us
Set us free by the truth You now bring us
Shine on me, shine on me**

Refrain

***Shine, Jesus, shine
Fill this land with the Fathers glory
Blaze, Spirit, blaze
Set our hearts on fire
Flow, river, flow
Flood the nations with grace and mercy
Send forth Your word
Lord, and let there be light***

**2. Lord, I come to Your awesome presence
From the shadows into Your radiance
By the blood I may enter Your brightness
Search me, try me, consume all my darkness
Shine on me, shine on me**

Refrain

**3. As we gaze on Your kingly brightness
So our faces display Your likeness
Ever changing from glory to glory
Mirrored here may our lives tell Your story
Shine on me, shine on me**

Refrain

G.Kendrick CCL257120

Prayer of Blessing for Junior Church *remain standing*

*Children and young people leave for their Junior Church groups.
Babies and toddlers are welcome in The Crèche.*

Readings: Psalm 130 O.T. 521

John 6.35, 41-51 N.T.84

Reader: In this is the word of the Lord

All: Thanks be to God

This morning's reader is Olga Palmer

* **Hymn:** The Bread of Life

John 6:35 & 1st Corinthians 11:23f & 10:17

tune: 'Sing Alleluia to the Lord,'

**1. Jesus, you are the Bread of Life,
Jesus, you are the Bread of Life,
Feed us and fill us, strengthen and thrill us,
Jesus, you are the Bread of Life.**

**2. Broken, that you might feed us all,
Broken, that you might feed us all,
Your self denying, our life supplying,
Broken, that you might feed us all.**

**3. Many, in You, become one bread,
Many, in You, become one bread,
Knead, raise & bake us, one people make us,
Many, in You, become one bread.**

**4. Jesus, you are the Bread of Life,
Jesus, you are the Bread of Life,
Use us in caring, Your goodness sharing,
Jesus, you are the Bread of Life.**

John Campbell CCL 257120

Sermon: 'Living Bread'

Sermon notes are available as you leave and on the church website

OUR RESPONSE

Silent Reflection

*** Hymn 635:** Put peace into each other's hands

Prayers of Thanksgiving and Intercession *led by Liz Waumsley*

The Offering and * Prayer of dedication *remaining standing for*

***Hymn 603:** Lord for the years

Dismissal and Blessing with sung Amen *All Standing*

Join us for coffee, tea or a cold drink in the Alfred Ellis Hall where the Fairtrade stall is open.