



**Free Church
of St Andrews**

Evening Service – 19th July 2026

Welcome to St Andrews Free Church! This evening Simon Attwood will speak on Matthew 21:1–11.

1 All creatures of our God and King

Lift up your voice and with us sing
O praise Him! Alleluia!
Thou, burning sun with golden beam
Thou, silver moon with softer gleam
O praise Him! O praise Him!
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

2 Let all things their Creator bless
And worship Him in humbleness
O praise Him! Alleluia
Praise, praise the Father, praise the Son
And praise the Spirit, Three in One!
O praise Him! O praise Him!
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

3 All the Redeemed washed by His blood
Come and rejoice in His great love
O praise Him! Alleluia!
Christ has defeated every sin
Cast all your burdens now on Him
O praise Him! O praise Him!
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

4 He shall return in pow'r to reign
Heaven and earth will join to say
O praise Him! Alleluia!
Then who shall fall on bended knee?
All creatures of our God and King
O praise Him! O praise Him!
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

Reading: Zechariah 9:9–13 (page 793)

**Our Father in heaven,
we confess that we have done many things we should have left undone,
and failed to do many things you have commanded.
Forgive our sins and have mercy on us, we pray.
And help us to seek first your kingdom and your righteousness.
In Jesus' name, Amen.**

Prayer

Our Father in heaven,
hallowed be your name.
Your kingdom come,
your will be done
on earth as in heaven.
Give us today our daily bread.

Forgive us our sins
as we forgive those who sin against us.
Lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For the kingdom, the power and the glory
are yours, now and forever. Amen.

Notices

Psalm 118

- 1 O thank the LORD, for he is good;
His steadfast love endures always.
- 2 Now let the house of Israel say,
"His love will last through endless days."
- 21 You answered me, I will give thanks;
Salvation comes from you alone.
- 22 The stone the builders had refused
Has now become the cornerstone.
- 23 The LORD himself has done all this;
It is a marvel in our sight.
- 24 This is the day the LORD has made;
In it let us take great delight!
- 25 Save us, O LORD, we humbly pray;
O LORD, we pray, grant us success.
- 26 He's blessed who comes in God's great name;
You from the LORD's house we will bless.

'Jesus is Lord' – the cry that echoes through creation:

resplendent pow'r, eternal Word, our Rock.

The Son of God, the King whose glory fills the heavens,
yet bids us come to taste this living bread.

Jesus is Lord – whose voice sustains the stars and planets,
yet in his wisdom laid aside his crown.

Jesus the man, who washed our feet, who bore our suffering,
became a curse to bring salvation's plan.

Jesus is Lord – the tomb is gloriously empty!

Not even death could crush this King of love!

The price is paid, the chains are loosed, and we're forgiven,
and we can run into the arms of God.

'Jesus is Lord' – a shout of joy, a cry of anguish,
as he returns, and every knee bows low.

Then every eye and every heart will see his glory,
the Judge of all will take his children home.

Stuart Townend and Keith Getty

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Reading and Sermon: Matthew 21:1–11 (page 826)

Matthew 21:1-11

Intro: Triumphal procession?

Jesus' kingship:

- A king long hoped for (verses 1-6)
- A king of Humble Glory (verses 7-9)
- A mixed reception (verses 10-11)

Conclusion: The Servant king

Come, Thou long expected Jesus

Born to set Thy people free;
From our fears and sins release us,
Let us find our rest in Thee.
Israel's Strength and Consolation,
Hope of all the earth Thou art;
Dear Desire of every nation,
Joy of every longing heart.

Born Thy people to deliver,
Born a child and yet a King,
Born to reign in us forever,
Now Thy gracious kingdom bring.
By Thine own eternal Spirit
Rule in all our hearts alone;
By Thine all sufficient merit,
Raise us to Thy glorious throne.

Charles Wesley, Christian Freidrich Witt

Next week's services:

10:30am: Psalm 47

6pm: Matthew 21:12-22

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Notices

1) Summer Focus – Continuing this Wednesday evening, we gather altogether to consider how we can best love our church. Come to the Halls from 7:15pm for a 7:30 start.

2) Ladies' Summer Fellowship – All women in the church are invited to a relaxed time of coffee, chat and prayer at 2pm on Friday 31st July, venue tbc. Future gatherings will be at 10:30am on 14th & 28th August.

3) A Tale of Two Kings – The St Andrews Churches Holiday Club is taking place on the 11th–14th August. It's great fun and a precious opportunity to welcome young people from across our town and share Jesus with them. Please be praying and inviting others. Go [here](#) to sign up a child.

4) Arbroath Juniors – We have 'adopted' this Free Church Youth Camp, taking place this week. Send stephen@standrewsfreechurch.co.uk a message if you would like to receive prayer updates.

5) Giving – You can support the work of the church financially by electronic bank transfer, by contactless payment after the service or by clicking [here](#). Our bank details are – A/c name: St Andrews Free COS; S/c: 80-09-55; A/c no: 00295283. If you would wish to make a contribution towards the Assistant Minister fund, you are making a sizeable donation or you are eligible for Gift Aid, please email treasurer@standrewsfreechurch.co.uk