

**The Church at Carrs Lane
Sunday 8 September 2019**

Worship is led by
Revd Dr Michael Jagessar

***We are an inclusive and affirming Church.
You are welcome just as you are.***

Today we are using 'Singing the Faith'
Community singing appears in bold

Opening Music

Gavotte (from a Concerto) by M Camidge

Cornet Voluntary by J Travers

Air by J Battishill

Welcome & Notices

Checking-In

One: Come, let us raise our voices in a new song!

All: We sing to bless goodness and ring out hope

One: We proclaim God's love for all of creation

All: We declare God's splendour across mother earth

One: Marvellous are the works of the Divine among us

All: Indeed! Great is the one who offers full life for all!

Hymn 55: Immortal, Invisible, God only wise

Praying & Lord's Prayer

Gifts & Gifting (*Offering*)

An opportunity to give financially to the church. There is no obligation to give, it is just as you decide or are able.

(Music: Interlude III by Dom G. Murray)

Reflection / Song

Words from our Sponsor

Luke 13: 31-35

(Julie Grove)

Hymn 254: Seek ye first

[children may leave for their activities during the singing]

Reflecting: taking on 'the fox' – power of love

Hymn 673: Will you come and follow me

Praying for Others and Ourselves

(Matthew Neville)

Hymn 520: Give to me, Lord, a thankful heart

Being Blessed - Becoming Blessings (with actions)

Bless our **eyes** that we may see clearly

Bless our **lips** that we may speak with honesty and integrity

Bless our **ears** that we may hear words in and around us

Bless our **hearts** that we might be open to friendship and love

Bless our **feet** to step firmly and boldly

And bless **us** – me and my sister/brother.

Go now, beloved of God!

Go now, followers of Jesus!

Go now, companions of the Spirit! **Amen**

Closing Music

Trumpet Tune in G by N Rawsthorne

You are welcome to go through to the foyer for a cuppa.

If you are visiting or it's your first time here, please introduce yourself to a steward.



Thank you to The Carrs Lane Players for the flowers today