

# Scots Kirk Lausanne

## Order of Service with Communion for Sunday 5 May 2024

Welcome

### Call to Worship:

I love you, Lord, my strength,  
**Lord, my rock, my fortress,**  
my deliverer, My God,  
**my rock of refuge, my shield,**  
my saving horn, my stronghold!  
**Praised be the Lord, I exclaim!**

**Amen**

**Hymn: 153 Great is thy faithfulness (*tune Faithfulness*) vv. 1-3**

Prayer of Approach

Setting the Scene *Making space for God*

Lord's Prayer (version on screen)

**Hymn: Wide wide as the ocean (*twice*)**

Reading 1: Ephesians 3.13-21

Reading 2: John 3.11-21

**Hymn: 549 How deep the Father's love for us (*tune How deep the Father's Love*) vv. 1-3**

Message: *Outrageous love*

Music for Reflection

Prayers for the world & thanksgiving

Offering and Sung Dedication (version on screen)

**Hymn: 316 Love came down at Christmas (*tune Gartan*) vv. 1-3**

**Communion with responses**

News and Notices

**Hymn: 519 Love Divine all loves excelling vv. 1-3**

Sung Blessing (hymn 786, appears on screen)

Blessing

Threefold Sung Amen

## **Thought for the Week**

Here is love, vast as the ocean, loving kindness, as the flood,  
when the Prince of Life, our ransom, shed for us his precious blood.  
Who his love will not remember? Who can cease to sing his praise?  
He can never be forgotten throughout heaven's eternal days.

## **Prayer Pointer**

Let's pray Paul's prayer over ourselves and everyone who professes Christ as Lord:-

May God grant that you, being rooted and grounded in love, may have strength to comprehend with all the saints what is the breadth and length and height and depth, and to know the love of Christ that surpasses knowledge, that you may be filled with all the fullness of God. (Eph 3.18-19)

## **Communion Responses**

The Lord be with you.

**And also with you.**

Lift up your hearts.

**We lift them to the Lord.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**It is right to give God thanks and praise.**

**Holy, holy, holy Lord,**

**God of power and might,**

**heaven and earth are full of your glory.**

**Hosanna in the highest.**

**Blessed is the one,**

**who comes in the name of the Lord.**

**Hosanna in the highest.**

Jesus, Lamb of God,

**Have mercy on us.**

Jesus, bearer of our sins,

**have mercy on us.**

Jesus, Redeemer of the world,

**give us your peace.**