

OAKSHAW ORACLE

A warm welcome to all visitors who are reading this online version of our worship. Today's worship video can be found on the church Web site and Facebook page.

The Anthem and Music for meditation have been chosen by our Choir Master David Murray. The anthem today is taken from a recording made of David Murray and Oakshaw Trinity Choir in 2004 and the Music for Meditation is 'Lullaby' by Mozart.

The video is available on the website <http://www.oakshawtrinity.org.uk/music> (Music menu) and on the Facebook page www.facebook.com/oakshawtrinity.

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WELCOME

CALL TO WORSHIP

Hymn: No. 631

A little child the Saviour came,

PRAYER

SACRAMENT of BAPTISM (*in Church*)

Hymn: No. 551

In heavenly love abiding

READING: Job 38:1-11

Reader: Isabel Gray

ANTHEM

All my hope on God is founded

READING: Mark 4:35-41

Reader: Michael Campbell

Hymn: No. 482

Come, let us to the Lord our God

SERMON

MUSIC FOR MEDITATION

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

Hymn: 498

Angel voices ever singing

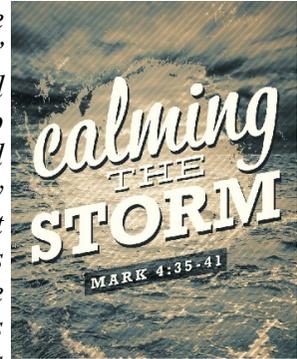
THE BENEDICTION & DRESDEN AMEN

SERMON NOTES

Be Still

Four fishermen who were familiar with storms on the lake were with Jesus on a boat. But even the seasoned fishermen were scared in this storm! It looked beyond their skill to keep their boat afloat. For all that the disciples knew Jesus and had spent much of their time in his company; their fear was overcoming their faith.

In contrast to the genuine fear of the disciples is Jesus' calm. Far from being afraid of the storm, Jesus is asleep in the stern with his head resting on a cushion so they asked him if he cared about their predicament. Jesus then simply said, "Quiet, be still" The fact that his words bring peace to the sea is only an extension of his own calm nature.



Christian religion and faith are not conditions of life lived away from the storm. Jesus is in the boat, in history, embodied, within us. Strong faith is not the absence of doubt or fear; it is rooted in the same experience.

The promise we are given is not for stability; the promise is for an ever deepening relationship with God in Christ. It is this relationship and promise that will take us through suffering rather than get us around it...

PRAYER: Strengthen our faith loving God and help us to accept the challenges of life that will come before us; through him who loved us, and whose love is without end.



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TODAY:

11a.m. Morning Worship conducted by Rev. Gordon Armstrong. Included in our church service will be the Sacrament of Baptism.



NEXT SUNDAY:

11a.m. Morning Worship conducted by Rev. Gordon Armstrong. Booking in advance is not required, although we are still required to complete the Track & Trace. On arrival you will require to keep to the 2 metre distancing rule and sit at a marked location.



We are still looking for your favourite hymn to share in our service. Why not contact the Church Office and say in a few words why you like it.

WEEKLY CHURCH OPENING:

Rev. Gordon Armstrong and Rev. George Lind will be available in the Church on Tuesdays from 11am – 3pm. Prayers will be said on the hour.



SATURDAY CLUB:

The Saturday Club now hold a time of 'Saturday Club From The Sofa.' This takes place on Facetime at 3pm on Saturdays. Please feel free to join in and keep us up to date with how you have been coping.



MISSION FUND—Return of Boxes:

Boxes can be handed into the Church on Tuesdays between 11 and 3p.m. or any Sunday Service.



STAMP APPEAL:

Barbara Copleton is still collecting used stamps for the Church of Scotland Appeal. Please help by saving your used stamps and passing them on to Barbara.



The Wynd has had its first contribution from Amazon of £5.00. Go to **smileamazon** smile.amazon.co.uk select your purchase and choose Wynd Centre and The Wynd will benefit from your purchase.

FREEWILL OFFERING ENVELOPES:

If you have any freewill offering envelopes and you wish these to be collected please contact John McKenzie to arrange collections.



FATHER'S DAY PRAYER

God bless all the fathers of the world.
Guide them to be good role models to their children. Help them to be a father like You are.
Give them grace and patience to handle all situations in a loving and caring way.
Amen.

Details and lots of extra information about Church events can be found on the web Oakshaw Trinity Church: www.oakshawtrinity.org
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Today Is Fathers Day

Sometimes a father could be your real Dad.
 Sometimes a father could be a stepdad.
 Sometimes a father could be a man who treats us as though they were our Dad.
 Sometimes a father could be a teacher who teaches us important things.
 Maybe you are a child that has a wonderful Dad, maybe he teaches you how to do things like ride a bike, how to fish, how to play a musical instrument, or how to fix something. Maybe he reads the Bible, or Bible stories to you and teaches you about God.
 But you know, sometimes children don't have a Dad that they ever see, or who they don't see very often.
 But, they might have a stepdad, a grandpa, another relative or a good friend that almost seems like a dad to them.
 Like the dictionary said, a father can be an older man. --
 In the Bible there's a story about a an older man who became like a father to a young man. The older man's name is Paul, and the young man's name is Timothy. The Bible doesn't tell us anything about Timothy's real dad--it just tells us about his mom Eunice, and his grandmother Lois. II Tim.1:4-6. Those Bible verses tell us that his grandmother was the first one in his family who loved God, and then his mother loved God, and then Timothy loved God. We don't know where Timothy's dad was, but we know that Paul, an older man, wrote letters to Timothy and taught him about God. He was like a father to him. He even told him what to do when he had a stomach ache! He also told him not to pay attention to the people that were saying that he was too young to do anything for God.
 There's another story in the Bible about a leader in the city being like a father. In that story, Samuel was a young boy when his mother took him to the temple (like a church) to be taught by the priest/preacher Eli.
 Eli taught Samuel how to listen to God. Samuel grew from a young boy into a very great man of God because he learned how to listen to God.
 We should be very thankful for having a Dad that loves us, or for having someone who treats us like they are a Dad to us. That's what this day is all about.
 If you have a Dad that does things with you or not, there is one Father that has promised to always be with you. God is our heavenly Father. He will never mess up, never leave us, and never make a mistake. He even said He would be a Father to those who don't have a father. Isn't that wonderful?

Father, thank you for letting us be here to celebrate Father's Day today. Thank you for putting people in our lives that can be like a father to us. Most of all, thank you for being my heavenly Father. Thank you for loving me. In Jesus' name, Amen.



Father's Day

Listen, my sons, to a father's instruction; pay attention and gain understanding. Proverbs 4:1

"Honor your father and your mother, so that you may live long in the land the LORD your God is giving you. Exodus 20:12



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GIFT	GOLF	JOKE	SLIPPERS	GOD