

**LOVE FEAST SERVICE – 7.00pm, Sunday 5th July 2020
Via Circuit Zoom**

HYMNS

JESUS, LOVER OF MY SOUL

Jesu, Lover of my soul, let me to Thy bosom fly,
While the nearer waters roll, while the tempest still is high;
Hide me, O my Saviour, hide, till the storm of life be past;
Safe into the haven guide, O receive my soul at last.

Other refuge have I none, hangs my helpless soul on Thee;
Leave, ah, leave me not alone, still support and comfort me.
All my trust on Thee is stayed, all my help from Thee I bring;
Cover my defenceless head with the shadow of Thy wing.

Thou O Christ, art all I want; more than all in Thee I find;
Raise the fallen, cheer the faint, heal the sick, and lead the blind.
Just and holy is Thy name, I am all unrighteousness;
False and full of sin I am, Thou art full of truth and grace.

Plenteous grace with Thee is found, grace to cover all my sin;
Let the healing streams abound, make and keep me pure within.
Thou of life the fountain art; freely let me take of Thee;
Spring Thou up within my heart, rise to all eternity.

Charles Wesley 1707-1788

COME, AND LET US SWEETLY JOIN

Part 1

Come and let us sweetly join Christ to praise in hymns divine;
Give we all with one accord, Glory to our common Lord. Glory to our common Lord.

Hands and hearts and voices raise, sing as in the ancient days;
Antedate the joys above, celebrate the feast of love. Celebrate the feast of love.

Strive we, in affection strive; let the purer flame revive,
Such as in the martyrs glowed, dying champions for their God. Dying champions for
their God.

We, like them, may live and love; called we are their joys to prove,
Saved with them from future wrath, partners of like precious faith. Partners of like
precious faith.

Part 2

Sing we then in Jesu's name, now as yesterday the same:

One in every time and place, full for all of truth and grace. Full for all of truth and grace.

We for Christ, our Master, stand, lights in a benighted land:

We our dying Lord confess; we are Jesu's witnesses. We are Jesu's witnesses.

Witnesses that Christ hath died, we with him are crucified;

Christ hath burst the bands of death, we His quickening Spirit breathe. We His quickening Spirit breathe.

Christ is now gone up on high, thither all our wishes fly;

Sits at God's right hand above, there with Him we reign in love. There with Him we reign in love.

Charles Wesley (1707-1788)

GOD BE WITH YOU

God be with you till we meet again,

By His counsels guide, uphold you,

With His sheep securely fold you:

God be with you till we meet again.

Till we meet! Till we meet! Till we meet at Jesus' feet;

Till we meet! Till we meet! God be with you till we meet again!

God be with you till we meet again,

'Neath His wings protecting hide you,

Daily manna still provide you:

God be with you till we meet again.

God be with you till we meet again,

When life's perils thick confound you,

Put His arms unfailing round you:

God be with you till we meet again.

God be with you till we meet again,

Keep love's banner floating o'er you,

Smite death's threatening wave before you:

God be with you till we meet again.

Jeremiah Eames Rankin 1828-1904

A traditional Love Feast Cake Recipe

Adapted from the Middlesmoor Lovefeast Bread used in the Yorkshire Dales at the time of John Wesley

• 1lb (400g) plain flour • 1oz (25g) baking powder • 5oz (125g) butter • 8oz (200g) sugar • 2oz (50g) mixed peel • 4oz (100g) sultanas • 2 eggs • About half a pint (280ml) of milk

• Mix the flour and baking powder together, rub in the butter, then add the sugar, sultanas and peel.

• Beat the eggs together with a little milk and add to the dry ingredients.

• Add the rest of the milk to make a soft consistency.

• Pour the mixture into two loaf tins or a large cake tin.

Cook at 180°C (350°F) or gas mark 4 for at least 45 minutes for the loaf tins, or 1 hour for the large cake tin.