

WHAT'S ON?

EQUIP monthly training session: Mon (TOMORROW) March 8th (20:00-21:00). 'How to improve your prayer life'. All Bargees welcome. Meeting ID: 838 2583 5456. Passcode: 049967

PHYSICAL SERVICES: restarting on the Barge from next Sunday (March 14th) at 11:00am. To attend please sign up using the form online on the Barge website or sent out in the weekly email. The service will continue to be livestreamed at 11.00am.

LORD'S SUPPER: next Sunday, straight after the 11.00 service, we will be sharing the Lord's Supper together. For those on Zoom, do have some bread and wine / juice to hand for that.

'AMERICAN GOSPEL: Christ Alone': Sun Mar 14th (18:00-19:00). Do join us for an online discussion of this film about the prosperity gospel. Please watch the film beforehand! Meeting ID: 875 9847 3064. Passcode: 275382

ZOOM BREAKOUT: today, straight after the service, there is a chance to ask questions via Slido.com (#6697) and to meet one another in breakout rooms. Meeting ID: 858 6551 9614 / Passcode: 576459

St Peter's Barge

London's Floating Church

Sunday 7th March 2021

Welcome!

*Callum Elwood is leading
and Marcus Nodder is preaching*

SONG: God so loved that he gave his Son

Most merciful Father, our Creator and Judge,
we acknowledge and confess
that we have sinned against you
in thought, word, and deed.
We have not loved you with all our heart;
and we have not loved our neighbours as ourselves.
We earnestly repent,
and are truly sorry for all our sins.
For your Son our Lord Jesus Christ's sake forgive us,
and strengthen us to serve and obey you
in lives wholly renewed by your Spirit;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

SONG: How firm a foundation

READING: Jeremiah 17:1-10

SONG: He will hold me fast

READING: Mark 7:1-23

TALK

PRAYER

SONG: Be thou my vision

ZOOM Q&A:

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Questions: slido.com #6697

NEXT SUNDAY

Date: March 14th 11.00am (with Communion after)

Series: Good News

Title: Humble dependence (Mark 7:24-8:10)

Speaker: Marcus Nodder

Mark 7:1-23
HEART PROBLEM

- hands-face-space

**OUTSIDE: worthless worship
focuses on the outside (7:1-13)**

- ritual washing ¹

- human tradition ²

- divine condemnation

→ 'can we fix it? No, we can't!

**INSIDE: true worship
deals with the inside (7:14-23)**

- the problem is not what goes in ³

- the problem is what comes out

→ futility of man-made religion ⁴

→ tragedy of focusing on externals ⁵

→ necessity of taking a deep dive ⁶

→ beauty of the gospel

¹ 'defiled / unclean: v2,5,15,18,20,23

² 'tradition': v3,5,8,9,13

³ 1 Corinthians 5:9-13; 15:33; 2 John 10-11

⁴ Matthew 23:25,28

⁵ Proverbs 4:23

⁶ Jeremiah 17:9