

CHURCH OF MARY IMMACULATE, REFUGE OF SINNERS RATHMINES

Sunday 2nd January 2022

As we begin another new year, we are full of hope for a better year to come.



Entrance: NOTHING MORE

To be humble, to be kind
It is the giving of the peace in your mind
To a stranger, to a friend
To give in such a way that has no end.

Ch: We are love. We are one.
We are how we treat each other when the day
is done.
We are peace. We are war.
We are how we treat each other and nothing
more.

To be bold, to be brave.
It is the thinking that the heart can still be saved
And the darkness can come quick
The danger's in the anger and the hanging on to it.

Chorus

Tell me what it is that you see
A world that's filled with endless possibilities?
Heroes don't look like they used to, they look like you
do.

Love. One. Love. One.

Chorus

We are how we treat each other and nothing more
We are how we treat each other

Psalm: NEW WORLD IN THE MORNING

Everybody talks about a new world in the morning
A new world in the morning so they say
I myself don't talk about a new world in the morning
A new world in the morning, that's today
And I can feel a new tomorrow coming on
And I don't know why I have to make a song
Everybody talks about a new world in the morning
A new world in the morning takes so long

I met a man who had a dream he had since he was
twenty
I met that man when he was eighty-one

He said too many folks just stand and wait until the
morning
Don't they know tomorrow never comes
And he'd feel a new tomorrow coming on
And when he'd smile his eyes would twinkle up in fun
Everybody talks about a new world in the morning
A new world in the morning never comes

And I can feel a new tomorrow coming on
And I don't know why I have to make a song
Everybody talks about a new world in the morning
A new world in the morning takes so long

Offertory: NEW DAY

There's nothing like the sound of laughter,
there's nothing like a smile
And anything you see hereafter, is it worth the while
I know that you don't believe me,
I know that you doubt
The stone that's in your heart will melt

There's nothing like the way you hold her, there's
nothing like a home
And though you feel a little colder, you're not alone
I know that you don't believe me, I know that you
doubt
The stone that's in your heart will melt, and watch the
morning come

Ch: New day will come, new day will come
New day will come, for you and for me,
New day will come
I know cos I've been there before,
I know just how it feels to lose
And for every closing door,
there's another one to choose

There's nothing like the hand of kindness, there's
nothing like a friend
And even though the world will blind us, it's there in
the end
I know that you don't believe me, I know that you
doubt
The stone that's in your heart will melt, and watch the
morning come

There's nothing like the sound of laughter, there's
nothing like a smile
And anything you see hereafter, is it worth the while
I know that you don't believe me, I know that you
doubt

The stone that's in your heart will melt, oh how your heart will melt

Acclamation: God so Loved the World

God so loved the world that he gave His only son (x 2)



Communion: WHEN HOPE CAME DOWN

So this is how it was, a silent night like any other
When heaven sent the one, the one that we will call our Saviour
And redemption began in a stable in Bethlehem

Ch: All of the angels lifted up their voices
And filled the night with Halleluiahs
God is with us now
Everyone come and join the heavenly chorus
Our Saviour King is here before us
All to hear the sound, the song creation sang
When hope came down

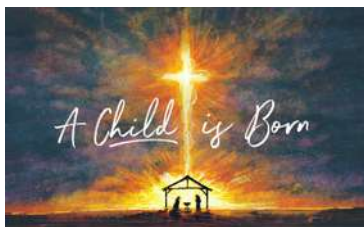
So this was truly God, wrapped up in a tattered blanket
Love was finally here, sleeping while the world awakens
And redemption began with a baby in Bethlehem

Chorus

So let us sing redemption song
Let us worship Christ the holy one
We were lost but we were found
When hope came down

Chorus

When hope came down [x3]



REFLECTION:

Brush away old heartaches. Learn from our mistakes,
Another year is finally over, A new dawn awakes.
Let the old year out, welcome the new one in,
Bury the bad things of the past, as a new year now begins.
Make your new year wishes as simple as you can,
Pray for peace and love not for wealth or fame.

Pray for health and happiness. Pray for your fellow man. Pray for all the ones you love. Pray for those who have lost their way. As the midnight hour chimes, we leave the old and embrace the new. I wish the things you wish for yourself and may God's love stay with you. (J.P. Read)

Ressional: SHINE, JESUS SHINE

Ch: Shine Jesus shine, Fill this land with the Father's glory
Blaze Spirit blaze, Set our hearts on fire
Flow river flow, (*River flow*), flood the nations with grace and mercy
Send forth your word,
Lord and let there be light

Lord the light of your love is shining
In the midst of the darkness shining
Jesus light of the world shine upon us
Set us free by the truth you now bring us
Shine on me x2

Ch: Shine Jesus shine, Fill this land with the Father's glory
Blaze Spirit blaze, Set our hearts on fire
Flow river flow, flood the nations with grace and mercy (*Flood the*)
Send forth Your word,
Lord and let there be light

Shine Jesus shine
(Key change) - Shine Jesus shine

Lord, I come to Your awesome presence
From the shadows into your radiance
By the blood I may enter Your brightness
Search me, try me, consume all my darkness
Shine on me (*Jesus Come and.....*), Shine on me

Ch: Shine Jesus shine, Fill this land with the Father's glory
Blaze Spirit blaze, Set our hearts on fire
Flow river flow (*Flow River...*), flood the nations with grace and mercy
Send forth Your word, (*Send forth....*)
Lord and let there be light (x2)

