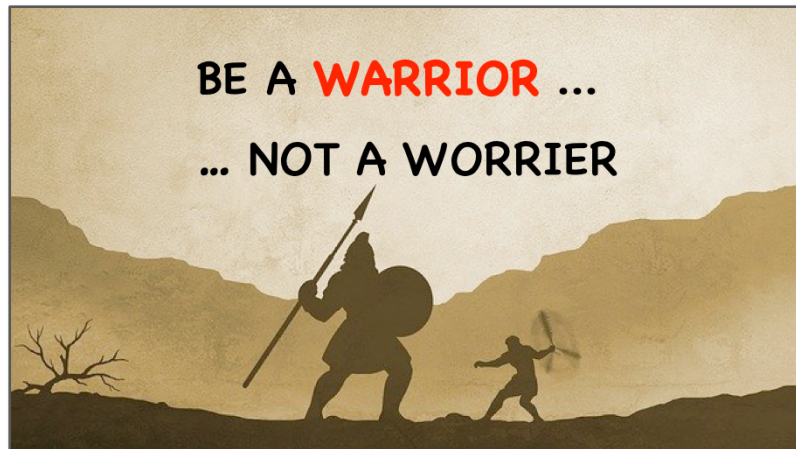


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Sunday 11th September 2022

Series: Jesus at the heart of everything we do

Today: Through Him – the Motivation

Text: Hebrews 13:12-15

Simon Downing

TODAY'S SERVICE – This weekend, we will be returning to our series “Jesus at the heart of everything we do”. In title of today’s talk is “Through Him – the Motivation” based on Hebrews 13:12-15. So no matter how you are feeling after what has been a momentous few days, Simon will be reminding us to turn our eyes back to Jesus and He will provide the motivation and the guidance for us to live a life that is pleasing to Jesus himself. This should always be at the centre of our thinking.

Of course, we do hope you can join us for the service in the church but if you can’t actually join us, you will be able to access this service from 10.30am by going to: <http://www.aldwickbaptist.co.uk/category/current-sermons>

A TRIBUTE TO THE QUEEN FROM MATT REDMAN – “I cannot lead you into battle, I do not give you laws or administer justice but I can do something else, I can give you my heart and my devotion.”

This quote from the Queen’s 1957 Christmas broadcast sums it all up for me. A life lived so well, before God, with a beautiful mix of duty and devotion. Royal, yet servant-hearted. Regal, yet hard-working. Crowned, yet kind.

In an age where character no longer seems to be king, I’m so grateful that this steadfast, faithful and dedicated follower of Christ was our Queen. I join my voice today to the millions of others mourning the loss of Queen Elizabeth II and celebrating her inspiring legacy. May she rest in peace and rise in glory.”

THE WELL – Wednesday September 14th from 10.30am – A time to Pray, Wait, Listen and Reflect together in the prayer room. All are welcome.

PRAYER POINTS FROM THE CHILVERS – This season has brought some high humidity, with rain, floods (causing damage and loss of homes), child malnourishment, malaria and whooping cough, the latter related to the unavailability of a ‘call up’ system for immunisations. Prayer is needed for the political situation with important talks, for safety for the staff in difficult travel conditions as well as for physical, emotional and spiritual wellbeing. [For the full version see the notice board in the foyer.]

THIS WEEK'S BIRTHDAYS – This week we appear to have two birthdays to celebrate. Tony Wood will be celebrating his birthday on Tuesday, 13th and Lynne Allard on Saturday 17th September. So do remember to wish them both a **BIG HAPPY BIRTHDAY**. If you want to be included in our birthday list, and receive a celebratory slot in the news sheet, please contact Lynne Allard (265360). If you want details of the BMS birthday scheme, then please contact Brenda.

CHURCH MEMBERSHIP – If you want to know more about Church membership, then do talk to me or ask for a copy of our helpful guide. Derek

THIS WEEK'S POEM

This week Arthur reminds us that our worries can be put aside if we simply trust in the Lord. He promises to replace our worries with His "everlasting joy".

Everlasting Joy

When you are worried,
overcome by doubt and fear,
Trust in the Lord
who is always near.

Yes, trust in him
through the sadness and sorrow.
Remember His love is forever,
not just for tomorrow.

He is our anchor in the raging sea
He is our rock

Our hope, our security.
But most of all His "Love" is for eternity.

When the trials on earth are over,
and we see that "New Day" dawning
Praise the Lord

For His everlasting joy in the morning.
Amen

Arthur Magee

- **PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR NEW KING AND NEW PRIME MINISTER** – Do ask the Lord to bless his reign and the life of our nation. Pray that Charles allows the Lord to guide him as the Lord guided his mother. Pray so for our new Prime Minister, Liz Truss. Pray that together they unite the country so that truth and justice, harmony and fairness flourish among us.
- **PLEASE PRAY FOR** – Lara, Sheila Sargent's granddaughter, who is currently undergoing chemotherapy, and who desperately wants to have a baby as soon as she is able. Pray that God performs the healing that is needed to enable this to happen.
- **PLEASE PRAY FOR** – Pam Ryan who is struggling at the moment. She has been in hospital for a few days as the doctors try to decide on a suitable care plan for her. She is now be at Holmbeech Care Home and would welcome people taking her out for a breath of air in a wheel chair. Please pray that Pam's care package is sorted out soon and that her health improves.

COMING SOON – A LOVE ALDWICK SPECIAL EVENT – PLEASE BOOK NOW!

Spaces are limited, so do contact Clive as soon as possible.

Saturday 1st October 6.30pm for 7pm meal
Harvest Hot Pot Night with desserts and Quiz.
Vegetarian option available.
Come and bring your food or monetary donations for our harvest display. All donations to 'Foodbank' from 6.30pm.
Book: secretary@aldwickbaptist.co.uk or 930756

Sunday 2nd October 10.30am to 11.45am
Harvest Celebration Family Service - all invited

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foodbank
Food list: <https://is.gd/VlxCck>

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