

Sunday, September 17, 2023, 9:30am

**Please rise in body or spirit*

We Gather to Worship

Prelude

Welcome & Announcements

*Gathering song: Come All You People, Praise Our God (PsH 242)

*Call to Worship:

*God's Greeting

*We Greet Each Other with the Peace of Christ

*Song of praise: His Mercy is More

Call to confession - 1 John 4:7-11

Prayer of Confession

Song of response: Just as I Am (PsH 263; LUYH 627)

Words of Assurance from 1 John 4:13-21

Commissioning Litany: Growing in Love for God and Neighbour

Song of response: My Friends, May You Grow in Grace (2x)

Children's message

Song: Love the Lord Your God

We Hear God's Word

Prayer for the light of the Spirit - Ari Weening

Scripture: 1 Peter 3:8-9

Sermon: ***"Love: Our Way of Life"*** - Pastor Amy Bowling

We Respond in Prayer, Praise and Service

*Song of response: Multiply Your Love

Prayers of the People

Offering our gifts for 1. Congregational Ministry 2. [Resonate Global Mission](#)

*Sending Song: Lord, Dismiss Us with Your Blessing (PsH 320)

*God's Blessing

Postlude

Prayer Ministry - The Prayer Corner is open to anyone who would like to pray following the service.