

UPCOMING SERMONS

June 28 - "Hearing and Listening"
Matthew 13: 1-6, 13



*BUILDING BLOCKS AND STEPPING STONES
FOR THE CHRISTIAN WALK
SERMON SERIES*



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June 21, 2020 ~ 10 AM WORSHIP

The Liturgy for Gathering

Prelude *I Call to Thee Lord Jesus Christ -* JS Bach

Praise Song *My Redeemer Lives, This is My Father's World* Psalm 66 Praise Band

Call to Worship and Passing the Peace

Praise Song *Bring The Rain*

Prayer Litany for Father's Day (Responsive)

On this day we recognize our fathers and stepfathers,
those who have nurtured and guided us in our lives.

We thank You, O God, for those who have been fathers to us.

We honor our grandfathers, our uncles and brothers,
those who have demonstrated love and care to us in our lives.

We thank You, O God, for those who have been like fathers to us.

We appreciate our teachers, leaders, and pastors,
those who have shown fatherly tenderness and love in our lives.

We thank You, O God, for those who have fulfilled a fatherly role in our lives.

We ask that you guide and nurture new fathers and fathers-to-be;
that you will ease the pain of those who cannot be fathers;
that you will forgive fathers who have fallen short;
that you will comfort those who mourn the loss of fathers today.

We thank You, O God, for your wise counsel and steadfast love.

We pray with those who are mourning the loss of fathers today,
and for those whose fathers were absent or abusive.
Ease their pain on this day, loving God.
May they be comforted by Your embrace.

**We thank You, O God, for fatherhood and motherhood,
for the blessing of parents in our lives.**

By your all sufficient grace, help all fathers and father figures
to love their children as you have loved your children. Amen.

Hymn #403 *Open Now Thy Gates of Beauty*

The Liturgy of the Word

Pastoral Prayer with Our Lord's Prayer

Special Music *Shout To The Lord* Robbie Ward

The Scripture Reading

Genesis 15: 24-34, 27: 1-23, 28: 10-22, 32: 22-30, 33: 1-4

The Sermon *The Good Father* Roy Sharpe

Hymn #546 - *Lord, Dismiss Us With Your Blessing*

The Benediction

Sending Song *I Saw the Light* Psalm 66 Praise Band

Postlude *God Be With You* Tomer