



BLACKHALL  
ST. COLUMBA'S  
CHURCH OF SCOTLAND

*"To glorify God...to proclaim Christ...  
to serve others"*

ORDER FOR THE PUBLIC WORSHIP  
OF GOD

11.00 am

Rev Benjamin JA Abeledo

Sunday 24 September 2017



## Facing Your Giants: Suffering

THE GATHERING OF GOD'S PEOPLE

Voluntary

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

INTROIT

THE CALL TO WORSHIP (*inspired by Psalm 119*)

*"O God, you are righteous  
**Transform us by your Word!**  
Your judgments are upright  
**Transform us by your Word!***

*Your precepts are unforgettable  
**Transform us by your Word!**  
Give us understanding and we will live  
**Re-form us, reconcile us,  
Transform us by your Word!"***

**HYMN 112 God, whose Almighty Word**

Tune: Moscow

THE CALL TO PRAYER

PRAYERS OF APPROACH, ADORATION AND CONFESSION

## ADDRESS TO THE YOUNG PEOPLE

### **HYMN**

### **Jesus Loves the Little Children**

Tune:

Jesus loves the little children  
All the children of the world  
Red and yellow, black and white  
They are precious in His sight  
Jesus loves the little children of the world

Jesus cares for all the children  
All the children of the world  
Red and yellow, black and white  
They are precious in His sight  
Jesus cares for the children of the world

Jesus came to save the children  
All the children of the world  
Red and yellow, black and white  
They're all precious in His sight  
Jesus came to save the children of the world

### **THE PROCLAMATION OF GOD'S WORD**

READING 2 Corinthians 4 v 1-15 p225 NT

Jim Logan

ANTHEM

SERMON **Facing Your Giants: Suffering**

HYMN 551 **In Heavenly Love Abiding**

Tune: Penlan

### **THE CONSECRATION OF GOD'S PEOPLE**

OFFERING OF TITHES AND GIFTS

PRAYER OF DEDICATION, THANKSGIVING AND INTERCESIONS

THE LORD'S PRAYER

**HYMN 461 How sweet the name of Jesus sounds**

Tune: St. Peter

THE BENEDICTION

CONGREGATIONAL THREE-FOLD AMEN

Voluntary

**Angus Tully – Director of Music**

**Immediately after this service a short celebration of the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will take place in the North Aisle. All who are members of any part of Christ's Church are welcome at the table**

**Coffee, tea, juice and biscuits** will be served in the Hall immediately after this service – a very warm welcome to all, particularly any visitors who are also invited to sign the visitors' book in the front vestibule of the Church