

Leader God of forgiveness and mercy,
 we confess that we have forgotten
 to be loving;
 to be joyful;
 to be trusting;
 to be thankful
 and we come together in your church to ask
 for a new beginning
 on our journey of faith.

Cong. *We make our prayers
 in the name of the founder of our faith
 our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ. AMEN*

HYMN 66 Great is thy faithfulness

Psalm 84 (H.PS 860)

SOLO Father, although I cannot see
 (Mr Christopher Teed)

Reading Ephesians 2; vv 1-10 & 13-22

HYMN 653 God is here! As we his people

Sermon Rev Dr T Mervyn Willshaw

HYMN 753 All praise to our redeeming Lord

Prayers .

HYMN 277 This, this is the God we adore

Blessing.

BRIDGE METHODIST CHURCH
Patixbourne Road

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CENTENARY

SERVICE

Tuesday, 24th May, 1994

Guest Preacher

Rev Dr Mervyn Willshaw, MA, BD,
 Chairman of the London South East District

Welcome

Notices

Call to Worship

Leader Praise God! the signs of his glory
reveal a goal

Cong. *That lights up our starting point*

Leader Reveal a promise

Cong. *That shapes our path*

Leader Reveal the living Christ who walks alongside
us

Cong. *And wonderfully changes our lives*

ALL ***LORD, WE LIFT OUR EYES AND HEARTS
TO GREET YOUR COMING TRIUMPH.***

HYMN 566 Now thank we all our God

Prayers

Leader Lord, we thank you that you have called us to
be your people:
to offer you our worship;
to be a living fellowship;
to be a serving people.

Cong *Lord, on this our day of celebration
Help us to be true to our calling.*

Leader

Help us Lord,
to offer worship that is true and honest
the worship of heart and mind and spirit;
offering to you
the best of the gifts you have given.

Cong

*Lord, on this our day of celebration:
Help us to be true to our calling*

Leader

Help us lord,
to offer a loving community;
a community where each one feels at home;
each person finds a place,
able to give and to receive,
offering to each other
the best of the gifts you have given.

Cong

*Lord, on this our day of celebration:
Help us to be true to our calling.*

Leader

Help us, Lord,
to offer service that is courageous and
humble;
the service of your love to us;
that by the way we give
all may know your loving care;
offering to people everywhere
the best of the gifts you have given.

Cong

*Lord, on this our day of celebration:
Help us to be true to our calling.*