

Saturday Morning Worship:

A Christ-centred, community facing church is one in which transformation is possible

The Assembly candle is lit

Call to worship

Sarah: **Kia noho a Ihowa ki a koutou. The Lord be with you:
Ma Ihowa koe e manaaki. The Lord bless you.**

Asian Leader: *(to be chosen by Paul Kim)*

We are here because we are God's people.

We come, seeking Christ's transforming love

We regret our inability to respond to God's unconditional love

We dream of being a Christ-centred, community facing Church

In which all will be transformed

Hymn of Adoration: "Christ with us"

Silence in which we remain standing and continue to offer our adoration to God
4 Pictures of creation

Gong

Bible Reading Mark 7:24-30 *read by Asian Leader in their language (on screen in English)*

Jesus set out and went away to the region of Tyre. He entered a house and did not want anyone to know he was there. Yet he could not escape notice, but a woman whose little daughter had an unclean spirit immediately heard about him, and she came and bowed down at his feet. Now the woman was a Gentile, of Syrophenician origin. She begged him to cast the demon out of her daughter. He said to her, 'Let the children be fed first, for it is not fair to take the children's food and throw it to the dogs.' But she answered him, 'Sir, even the dogs under the table eat the children's crumbs.' Then he said to her, 'For saying that, you may go—the demon has left your daughter.' So she went home, found the child lying on the bed, and the demon gone.

Contemporary Reading "Racist or redeemer" *Present on Earth* Wild Goose Worship Group, 2002, p.99-103

Read by 5 youth commissioners

Introduction to Prayer Sarah

Assembly papers, Newspaper, our lives, the lives of this meeting, the lives of the church and the lives of the community

Form threes as triangles in which we pray that we and others may be open to the transformation of Christ: that in all we do, we may become a Christ-centred, community facing church which is open to transformation

Moving in and out of prayer: "O-so-so"

Prayer: Prayer triangles: we pray for transformation.

Conclude with the ringing of the gong and O-so-so

The Peace Sarah

Yesu Christoe pyung hwa ga,
modu ei gae,
ham kae,
ha si gi reul,
ba ram ni da

The peace of Christ be with you all. **And also with you.**
We exchange a sign of peace with each other

Theme Song “God in your grace, transform the world”

Responsive Prayer Sarah

“May God bless us ..”