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BECG: Hymns for Sunday 23 August 2020 at 10.45 am via ZOOM

Hymn 1. 161 Father, hear the prayer we offer

TUNE: SUSSEX

1. Father, hear the prayer we offer
not for ease that prayer shall be,
but for strength that we may ever
live our lives outrageously.
2. Not for ever in green pastures
do we ask our way to be;
but the steep and rugged pathway
may we tread rejoicingly.
3. Not for ever by still waters
would we idly rest and stay;
but would smite the living fountains
from the rocks along our way.
4. Be our strength in hours of weakness,
in our wand'rings be our guide;
through endeavour, failure, danger,
Father, be thou at our side.



[You can hear it again on
<https://youtu.be/CFoactKMJHQ>]

9. First Reading Isaiah 51: 1–6

Psalm 138 Of David. ©NIV

- ¹ I will praise you, LORD, with all my heart;
before the 'gods' I will sing your praise.
- ² I will bow down toward your holy temple
and will praise your name for your
unfailing love and your faithfulness, for
you have so exalted your solemn decree
that it surpasses your fame.
- ³ When I called, you answered me;
you greatly emboldened me.
- ⁴ May all the kings of the earth praise you,
LORD, when they hear what you have
decreed.
- ⁵ May they sing of the ways of the LORD,
for the glory of the LORD is great.
- ⁶ Though the LORD is exalted, he looks
kindly on the lowly; though lofty, he sees
them from afar.
- ⁷ Though I walk in the midst of trouble,
you preserve my life. You stretch out your
hand against the anger of my foes;
with your right hand you save me.
- ⁸ The LORD will vindicate me;
your love, LORD, endures forever—
do not abandon the works of your hands.



10. Epistle Romans 12: 1–8

Hymn 2. 625 Take my life, and let it be (verses 1, 5, 6)

TUNE: NOTTINGHAM

1. Take my life, and let it be
consecrated, Lord, to thee;
take my moments and my days,
let them flow in ceaseless praise.

5. Take my will, and make it thine;
it shall be no longer mine;
take my heart: it is thine own;
it shall be thy royal throne.

6. Take my love; my Lord, I pour
at thy feet its treasure-store;
take myself, and I will be
ever, only, all for thee.



[You can hear it again on
<https://youtu.be/sss-g50Dw1Q>
from the Metropolitan Tabernacle,
London]

11. Gospel Matthew 16: 13–20



12. Sermon [host to record]



13. Intercessions [host to record]



Musical interlude in place of third hymn



Hymn 4. Fill thou my life

words and music at

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=a913VYRiZo>

