

The General Presbytery of the Free Presbyterian Church of Ulster welcomes you to the installation service for

Rev. Roger Higginson

as Minister of the Lisburn congregation

Martyrs Memorial Free Presbyterian Church (kindly granted)

Friday 18th September 2020, 8:00pm



Presiding: Rev Ian Kenny (Interim Moderator)

Opening Hymn

- 1 And can it be that I should gain
 An interest in the Saviour's blood?
 Died He for me, who caused His pain?
 For me, who Him to death pursued?
 Amazing love! how can it be
 That Thou, my God, shouldst die for me?
- 2 'Tis mystery all! The Immortal dies! Who can explore His strange design? In vain the firstborn seraph tries To sound the depths of love Divine! 'Tis mercy all! let earth adore, Let angel minds inquire no more.
- 3 He left His Father's throne above, So free, so infinite His grace; Humbled Himself in matchless love

- And bled for Adam's helpless race: 'Tis mercy all, immense and free; For, O my God, it found out me.
- 4 Long my imprisoned spirit lay
 Fast bound in sin and nature's night;
 Thine eye diffused a quickening ray,
 I woke, the dungeon flamed with light;
 My chains fell off, my heart was free,
 I rose, went forth, and followed Thee.
- 5 No condemnation now I dread;
 Jesus, and all in Him, is mine!
 Alive in Him, my living Head,
 And clothed in righteousness Divine,
 Bold I approach the eternal throne,
 And claim the crown, through Christ
 my own.

Opening Prayer:

Rev Thomas Martin (Comber FPC)

Bible Reading:

Dr John Douglas (Senior Minister, Lisburn FPC)

Greetings from Presbytery:

Rev Garth Wilson (Sandown FPC)

Prescribed questions:

Dr John Greer (Clerk of Presbytery)

Installation:

Rev Gordon Dane (Moderator of Presbytery)

Hymn

- 1 All the way my Saviour leads me; What have I to ask beside? Can I doubt His tender mercy, Who through life has been my Guide? Heavenly peace, divinest comfort, Here by faith in Him to dwell! For I know, whate'er befall me, Jesus doeth all things well
- 2 All the way my Saviour leads me, Cheers each winding path I tread, Gives me grace for every trial, Feeds me with the living bread.

- Though my weary steps may falter, And my soul athirst may be, Gushing from the Rock before me, Lo! a spring of joy I see.
- 3 All the way my Saviour leads me; Oh the fulness of His love Perfect rest to me is promised In my Father's house above. When my spirit, clothed immortal, Wings its flight to realms of day, This my song through endless ages: Jesus led me all the way!

Charge to the newly installed Minister:
Rev Gordon Dane (Moderator of Presbytery)

Testimony: Rev Roger Higginson

Hymn

- 1 When I survey the wondrous cross On which the Prince of glory died, My richest gain I count but loss, And pour contempt on all my pride.
- 2 Forbid it, Lord, that I should boast, Save in the death of Christ my God! All the vain things that charm me most, I sacrifice them to His blood.
- 3 See from His head, His hands, His feet, Sorrow and love flow mingled down! Did e'er such love and sorrow meet, Or thorns compose so rich a crown?
- 4 Were the whole realm of nature mine, That were an offering far too small; Love so amazing, so divine, Demands my soul, my life, my all.

Closing Prayer and Benediction

Welcome & Presentations:

Mr Eric Graham (Clerk of Session, Lisburn FPC)

The Session, Committee and Members of
Lisburn Congregation sincerely thank you for joining us
tonight for this special occasion and ask you to pray that
God will bless His work and witness in this district.



Pictured: Rev. Higginson with wife Elaine, Sarah, Luke and Joshua.

"And the Lord shall guide thee continually, and satisfy thy soul in drought, and make fat thy bones: and thou shalt be like a watered garden, and like a spring of water, whose waters fail not."

Isaiah 58 v 11

