

Collective Worship Hymn Reflection



Wednesday, 18th October, 2023

Pro Deo et Ecclesia

**The Spirit lives to set us free,
Walk, walk in the light.
He binds us all in unity,
Walk, walk in the light.
Walk in the light,
Walk in the light,
Walk in the light,
Walk in the light of the Lord.**

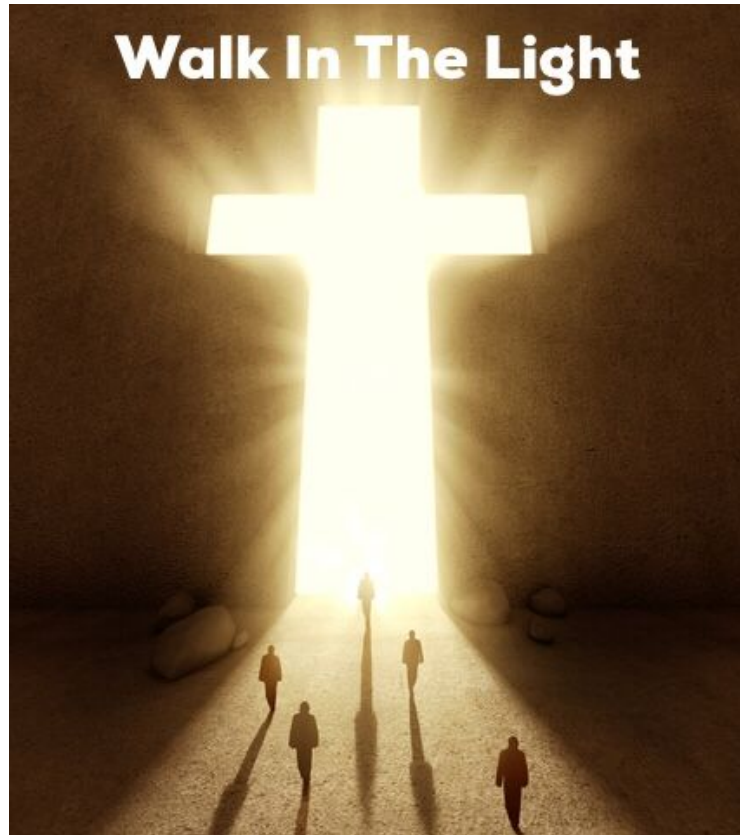


Listen to the hymn together - you can sing along if you would like to!



What did we learn last week was the meaning of the words:

"Walk in the light?"



To walk in the light is to
follow Jesus and his
teachings!

Jesus says in the bible
"I am the light of the world.
Whoever follows me will not walk
in darkness, but will have the
light of life."

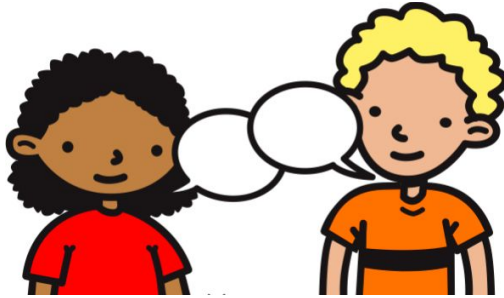
John Ch 8 vs 12

In verse three we sing:



He died in pain on Calvary

To save the lost like you and me



Discuss:

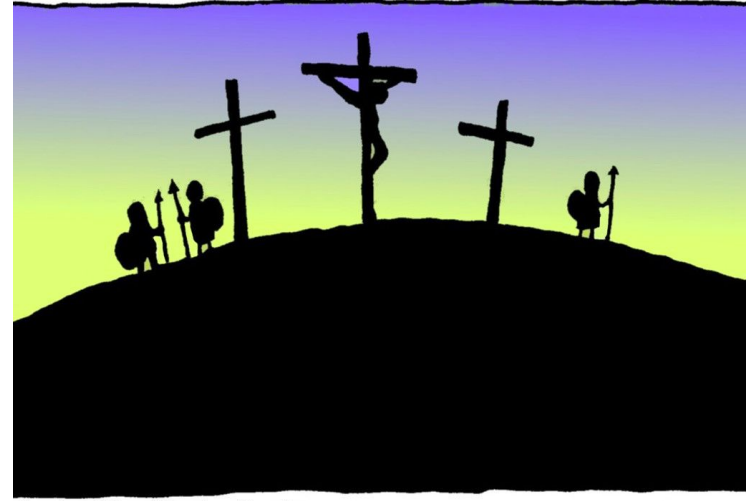
- What event in the bible does this verse refer to?
- What is Calvary?
- What does it mean that Jesus "saves the lost like you and me?"

- What event is the bible does this verse refer to?

Jesus 'dying in pain' is talking about when Jesus died on the cross. Jesus was put to death by the Roman soldiers.

- What is Calvary?

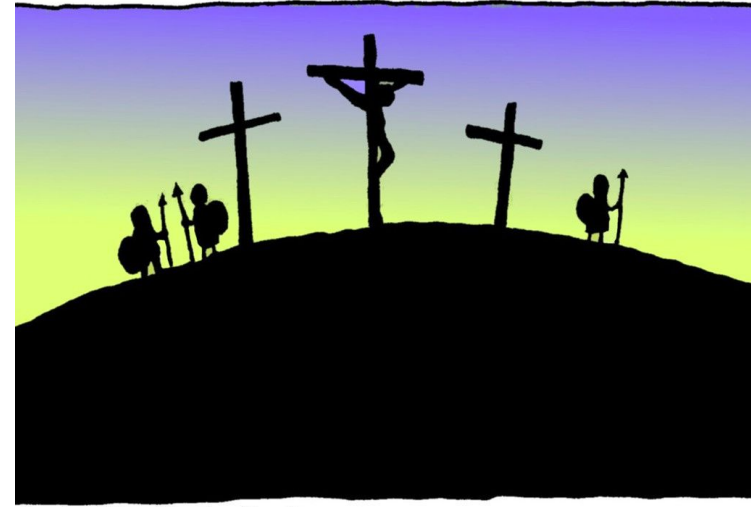
The bible tells us Calvary is the place just outside of the city walls of Jerusalem where Jesus died.



- What does it mean that Jesus 'saves the lost like you and me?'

The bible teaches that all of us are 'lost', our friendship with God is broken by the things we do wrong (**sins**).

We need to say **sorry** to God and be forgiven. When Jesus died on the cross he took the punishment for the sins of the world, this means that God can forgive us when we do wrong things. We don't need to worry that God will be angry or punish us for doing wrong, **Jesus has saved us from that by dying on the cross.** Amazing!





Reflection:

Take a moment to be quiet. You may like to close your eyes to help you reflect. Thank God that Jesus loves everyone and died on the cross for the sins of the whole world. Thank God that because of Jesus our friendship with God is mended.



Reflection:

Take a moment to be quiet. What do you think 'walking in the light' looks like?

Prayer:

Ask God to teach you how to follow Jesus' teaching and to walk closely with Jesus today.