



A very warm welcome - Sunday 29 August 2021

What to Expect:

Welcome - Tom Barnardo
Song - You Are The Perfect And Righteous God
Confession
Lord's Prayer
Prayers - Led by Alyssa Williams
Notices & Break
Song - We're Not Alone
Reading - Carra Buschman
Sermon - Luke 18:9-14; Mikey Williams
Song - All I Have Is Christ
Final Words

Afterwards: We'd love you to join us for lunch. From 12.30pm people pop out to buy food nearby to bring it back and eat together.

Children: We're committed to helping all ages know Jesus better so we run age-appropriate groups in the rooms upstairs. Speak to a staff member or email Mikey: mikey@snca.co.uk

Live stream: Our service is being live streamed on Zoom and YouTube. You may feature if you're in shot of the camera at the back.

Notices:

1. New? We'd love to invite you to one of our upcoming **welcome dinners**. A great chance to get to know others and find out more about St Nick's. Please email Suzie: office@snca.co.uk
Also, do fill in a contact card at the back or at stnickschurch.org.uk to hear more.

2. Summer Small Groups. Join us this Wednesday for our final study in Revelation 11:1-13. Come from 6.15pm to eat together (bring your own food). We will start at 7pm and end by 8pm. If you can't join us in person you can tune in on Zoom - visit our website for details.

3. Romans Read-throughs. Join us as we read through Romans before Small Groups kick off. Weds 8th & 15th September at St Nick's. 6.30pm food, 7-8pm read-through and discussion. Please RSVP to alyssa@snca.co.uk.

Talk Recordings & Info: www.stnickschurch.org.uk | 'St Nick's Church' Android App

Introduction: Why should God let you into heaven?

Aim: Certainty that faith alone makes us right with God

- God rejects all who trust in themselves

'Compared to others I'm good...'

'...so I can depend on myself'

- God accepts all who trust in mercy

'Compared to God I'm sinful...'

'...so I must depend on mercy'

Questions: When are you tempted to trust in yourself / your good deeds?

What will it look like to keep depending on mercy?

How should this passage change the way we think about our friends, colleagues?