

# CAN THIS BE OUR FINEST HOUR?

*My God, my God,  
why have you forsaken me?*

## READINGS:

Psalm 22

**The cry of the chosen Servant of God;**

- humiliated, crucified, forsaken and victorious.

Mark 15 :25-39

**The cry of the Saviour of the world.**

- the crucifixion and death of Jesus Christ.

Habakkuk 1:13; Deuteronomy 21:22-23

**Why the Father refused to answer that cry.**

- what a terrible hour.

2 Corinthians 5:21; John 3: 16-17

**What a wonderful Saviour, Jesus Christ!**

- Jesus became sin so that in him,  
we become the righteousness of God.

Hebrews 4:16

**This can be our finest hour!**

- draw near to the throne of grace  
to receive mercy and find grace  
to help in time of need.

## FOR REFLECTION:

- 1) Are you with the Lord or are you separated from God, today?  
How can this be the day you receive God's mercy and His grace?
- 2) Today, many people are caught up with the threat of Covid-19 infection and paralysed by the fear of death. What can you and our church do to bring hope and help to them?

## A PRAYER YOU COULD USE:

*Dear heavenly Father,*

*In this time of shaking, when we are afraid and anxious about tomorrow, please help us to look to the cross, upon which your Son Jesus Christ was lifted, that we may believe and not die in our sins, and receive from you a kingdom that cannot be shaken.*

*Our merciful and gracious Father, guide us in our hour of need to love our neighbour as ourselves so that this may also be our finest hour, to your glory. Amen.*



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