



A very warm welcome
Sunday 3rd August 2025

What to Expect:

Welcome - Tom Wright
Song - Amazing Grace (My Chains Are Gone)
Song - O Lord, My Rock And My Redeemer
Confession
Lord's Prayer
Prayers led by Andrew Crabtree
Notices & Break
Song - Your Word
Reading - Rachel Chua
Sermon - Luke 15:1-10, Alex Sachak
Song - Love Divine
Final Words

Children: We're committed to helping all ages know Jesus better so we run age-appropriate groups. Speak to a staff member or email Tom: tom.wright@snca.co.uk

Livestream: Our service is being livestreamed. You may feature if you're in shot of the camera at the back.

Notices

1. Welcome. Especially if you are new! Scan the QR code to stay up to date with church family news and events. Or fill in a 'tell me more' contact card at the back.



2. Summer Small Groups. Continues this Wednesday with a talk followed by discussion around tables. Food together from 6.30pm, talk and discussion from 7pm-8pm. We're also livestreaming all our Summer Small Groups! Scan the QR code to watch over on our YouTube channel.



3. Baptisms. We're planning baptisms for September! If you haven't been baptised and would like to be, please speak to one of the team or email office@snca.co.uk.

4. St Nick's Church Calendar. All the important dates for 2025-26 are in our digital calendar! For subscription instructions email office@snca.co.uk.

Introduction: Stories that cut straight to the heart

1. The Setting

- Jesus welcomes sinners
- Jesus offends religious moralisers

2. The Stories

- God cares for every lost sinner
- God rejoices when sinners repent

Implication: Share in God's joy

Questions for discussion:

How does this passage help us to have certainty about the growth of Jesus' kingdom?

How does this passage encourage us as we seek to share the good news of Jesus?