<u>**Simple Family Service.   Sewards End..   The Family**</u>

Welcome
Prayer
We meet as members of families, either here or distanced. We meet also as members of the church family, the Body of Christ. In these difficult times dear Lord, hold us together with bonds of love and faith, that when we eventually return to a world we remember for the good things, we will be stronger as a result of all we have learned and shared. **Amen**

The Lords Prayer

Hymn.. Be thou my Vision

Reading. John's Gospel. Ch. 2 vs 1-11.   followed by a short Reflection,

Prayers
In this week of prayer for Christian Unity let us begin in quiet as we remember where we have come from to be here, the churches and congregations we have known in the past, and the good lessons we have learnt, and give thanks to God for those memories.
Quiet
Lord, for all your church.   **Hear our prayers**

We pray and give thanks for all who are part of our lives here, in our villages and town. For our church life and for all who do so much to make it what it is
Lord, for all your church. **Hear our prayers**

Father God, those who follow you, follow along so many different paths with different scenery. We pray that irrespective of this, we will all work to make sure we walk in the same direction, and that others see us doing this.
Lord, for all your church. **Hear our prayers.**

We rejoice in the family of the Church. May all who come find love and fellowship. May they find acceptance and friendship. Lord, help your Church to be an instrument of peace and healing in the world. As we have come together , let us show the unity that is ours in Christ Jesus; let us show one faith, one Church, one God. We pray especially for unity among all Christians, that they may show a unity to the world. Amen

Hymn. Brother , Sister let me serve you

Go to the world, God is there before you, Christ has fought and conquered, eternity has broken into time and the future is secure.
Lord in your mercy, hear our prayers. Amen

<u>A time now at the end of the service to greet each other 'on screen'</u>