

Week beginning 4th March 2018

God in the wilderness:

Prepare the way

## Welcome

What is the farthest distance you have ever walked or run? How did you feel at the end?



15 mins 4/3

## Worship

Read Psalm 27 together if possible. What 'one thing' do you want to ask of the Lord today? Sing some songs.



20 mins 4/3

## Word

Psalm 27

1. What qualities of God does David record?
2. What does it mean for you to 'seek God's face'?
3. What is the relationship between 'seeking' and 'waiting' for God?
4. How has God been like a light or a stronghold to you?



Isaiah 40:1-11, 25-31

1. What images does the Lord use to assure his people of their forgiveness?
2. In Isaiah's time the coming of a king was announced by a herald. What king is in view in verse 3-5? What does it mean to prepare the way for him?
3. Israel complained that God was distant and uncaring (v7). How does this passage answer that charge?
4. What encouragement does God give us when we are tired and without strength?
5. What does it mean to soar like an eagle?

45 mins 4/3

## Witness

There is a prayer meeting next Wednesday, 14th March, 8 pm in church.



10 mins 4/3