

COMMISSIONING LITANY

SERVE 2026 - Surprised by God

Leader: In the week ahead, we will together reflect on some of the surprises found in the Bible. But God's surprises didn't stop at the end of the Bible; he continues to surprise us today. Therefore, we send you out to be surprised by God. We pray that the words of your mouths may be a blessing to those you serve.

Congregation: He performs wonders that cannot be fathomed, miracles that cannot be counted.

SERVE Participants: Surprise us, God, through the words of our mouths.

Leader: We send you out to be surprised by God. We pray that the work of your hands may be a blessing to those you serve.

Congregation: He performs wonders that cannot be fathomed, miracles that cannot be counted.

SERVE Participants: Surprise us, God, through the work of our hands.

Leader: We send you out to be surprised by God. We pray that you build strong bonds with one another and form lasting relationships.

Congregation: He performs wonders that cannot be fathomed, miracles that cannot be counted.

SERVE Participants: Surprise us, God, through the relationships we build.

Leader: We send you out to be surprised by God. We pray you grow in the grace and knowledge of our Saviour, the Lord Jesus Christ.

Congregation: He performs wonders that cannot be fathomed, miracles that cannot be counted.

SERVE Participants: Surprise us, God, through the transformation of our hearts and minds.

All Together: In all our days, surprise us, God, in ways beyond what we could ask or imagine.