Celebrating the 800th Anniversary of Magna Carta in worship

The Royal School of Church Music has prepared a service that can be downloaded [here](#). Alternatively, print copies can be purchased at Sarum College Bookshop.

**Some suggested hymns** (numbers are from ‘Hymns Old and New’)

- When I needed a neighbour (548)
- Teach me my God and King (466)
- Soldiers of Christ arise (449)
- O Lord of our Salvation (381)
- O Lord all the world (378)
- Make me a channel of your peace (328)
- Lord for the years (310)
- Judge eternal, throned in splendour (285)
- Jesus Christ is waiting (268)
- Inspired by love and anger (252)

**Prayer**

Let thy lovingkindness shine upon our loved ones, upon all prisoners, and those in the pangs of misery, illness or death. Bestow upon the judges the spirit of justice and upon the rulers of this world some measure of thy wisdom, that they may strive for peace on earth. Give a clear and courageous witness to all who are called to preach thy word here and abroad.

*Karl Barth, prayer following a sermon preached to inmates of Basel prison, 1954. ‘Deliverance to the Captives’, SCM 1961.*