

Hope in the Future Anthem

A song of worship and prayer which echoes the philosophy of “*Hope in the Future*,” an initiative in the Diocese of Salford designed to help grow the Church for future generations, aiding renewal and sustainability in the faith journey of our parishes .

Show us, lead us, ignite in us a flame

Take us on a journey, help us surrender to your name

And stay with us Lord as we commit to your call

With faith renewed and gratitude.

May your light burn in our souls

And lead us to deep trust in you.

Your blessing on us we do seek

Let not our hearts and minds grow weak

Instead, evangelise and speak news of our glory and salvation

Let it spread to all the nations

Shining out from deep within.

REPEAT FIRST SECTION

Chant: *Holy Spirit come. May our hearts be one.*

(Repeat chant several times as necessary. In harmony if possible. Perhaps hum and have a reader lead a prayer over the top).