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**Church Services are held on Sundays at 9:00 a.m.
and Wednesday evenings at 6 pm.**

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WELCOME GUESTS

We invite you to sign our guest book and/or complete a visitor card to help us remember you. Please let us know if we can serve you in any way. Everyone is welcome to Holy Communion at Shepherd of the Lakes. Come forward as ushers direct, receive the wafer in your hand and move to the wine which is served in the chalice or individual portions as you prefer. We offer grape juice as an alternative to wine. Gluten-free wafers are also available at your request from communion servers when you partake.

OUR MISSION STATEMENT

Empowered by the power of the Holy Spirit and rooted in the Good News of Jesus Christ, we are a loving community that follows Jesus & seeks to hear the Word of God and practice it in our daily lives.

Recorded Services:

All Sunday services at Shepherd of the Lakes are recorded and put on You Tube.

Go to the Church website at
www.shepherdofthelakeschurch.org

and look for the  symbol.

Click on this symbol to take you to the Church's YouTube site.

Readings for May 14, 2023:

First Reading	Acts 17:22-31
Psalm	66:8-20
Second Reading	1 Peter
	3:13-22
Holy Gospel	John
	14:15-21



The words of today's gospel are most often heard during a funeral service. It is a popular choice of scripture for that occasion because the words provide wonderful assurance that the one who has died in Christ has now taken up residence in their heavenly home. The gospel begins by Jesus saying that he will prepare a place for each one of us. But as the text continues, we can see that our place is not an isolated room of our own in a giant heavenly mansion. Jesus' words are less about a place than a relationship: our relationship with Jesus and God the Father. They tell us that in Jesus we know all we need to know about God, and just as we can have a relationship with another human person, we can also have a relationship with God that will one day be as real and obvious as are our relationships with one another. The hope of one day being with Christ fully and forever is as real as the works we are called to do in his name today.

This text allows us the opportunity to contemplate what is ultimately unknowable, yet is also a central part of our faith: what heaven will be like.

BIBLE STUDY:

There are two Bible study groups. Monday nights: "The Forgotten God", beginning at 6:00 pm and another on Tuesday evening, a series titled, "That the World May Know" beginning at 5:00 pm. All are welcome to join!

FOOD PANTRY:

There are a lot of people in our area who depend on the food pantry. Please pick up an extra can or two as you shop and place in the brown basket in the coat room.

Thank you!

FELLOWSHIP BRUNCH:

Please join us for coffee and fellowship each Sunday after worship. The second Sunday of each month will be our regular fellowship brunch. Bring a dish to pass as you wish.

CONGRATULATIONS:

On Sunday, May 14th, please join in a congregational celebration of Bill's completion of his Pastoral Ministry Certification from Christ College Institute of Lutheran Theology. Cake will be served with brunch!

CHURCH SERVICES:

Regular Sunday morning services at 9:00 am.

Masks while not required, but if you wish to wear a mask, we have them available on the table in the entryway. All are welcome. The Sunday service will be live-streamed and recorded and available for viewing on YouTube later on Sundays.

NEW: Wednesday evening Church services at 6:00 p.m. (with Holy Communion) year-round.

NEXT COUNCIL MEETING:

To be determined (last meeting cancelled due to weather)



PRAAYER REQUESTS

(Please note: "Current issue" listings remain in the bulletin for three weeks and then are removed unless instructions are received to move that listing to the "ongoing health issues" list.)

Pray for those dealing with current issues:

Pray for those with ongoing health issues:

Gus, Larry, Mary Lou, Brian, Lyn, Melody, Laura, LuAnn, Amy, Graham and Family, and Tammy.

Pray for those serving in the Armed Forces:

Brian, Adam & Brittany, Brooks, Will, Sgt. Keara, Alex, Jared, Noah, and Zachary.

Pray for those in nursing homes or homebound:

Elisabeth.

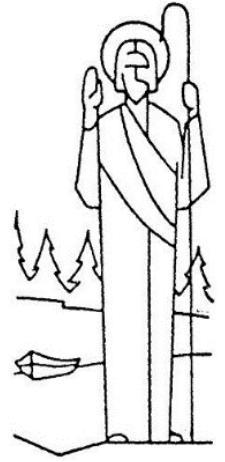
Pray for the families of those who have passed:

Pray for those dealing with current issues:

Please email Bill Wendorf at pastor@SOTLsayner.com or text to 715-617-6477 or email Jean Maines at secretary@SOTLsayner.com or text to 715-542-4213 if you would like to be included on the prayer chain list. Prayer requests are sent out via email.

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SEASON OF EASTER



Greeting

Alleluia! Christ is risen!
Christ is risen indeed! Alleluia!

The Lord be with you!
And also with you!

Welcome and Announcements

Confession and Forgiveness

We begin our confession in the name of the Father, and of the Son,
+ and of the Holy Spirit.

Amen.

If we say we have no sin we deceive ourselves and the truth is not in us. Let us confess our sin to God who is faithful and just and who has promised to forgive our sin and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

Silence for reflection and self-examination.

Most merciful God,

We confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not trusted you with our whole heart; we have not loved one another as you have loved us. In your compassion, forgive our sin and so uphold us by your Spirit that we may live and serve you in newness of life through Jesus Christ, our light and our truth.

Amen

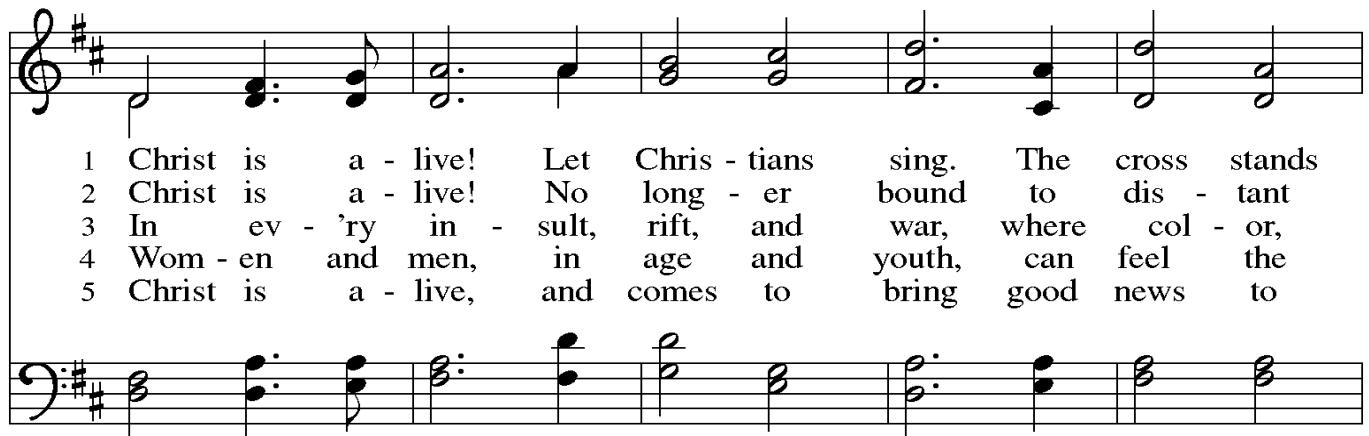
With joy, I proclaim to you that Almighty God, rich in mercy, abundant in love, forgives you all your sin and grants you newness of life + in Jesus Christ.

Thanks be to God!

Gathering Hymn "Christ Is Alive! Let Christians Sing" ELW 389 vs. 1,2,5.

(Please Stand as you are comfortable)

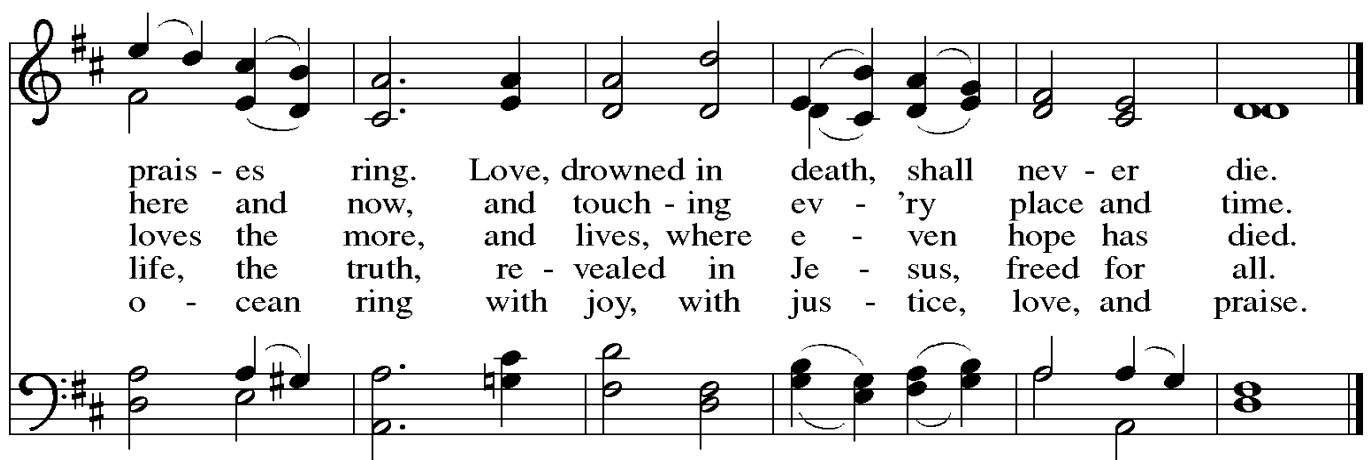
Christ Is Alive! Let Christians Sing



1 Christ is a - live! Let Chris - tians sing. The cross stands
2 Christ is a - live! No long - er bound to dis - tant
3 In ev - 'ry in - sult, rift, and war, where col - or,
4 Wom - en and men, in age and youth, can feel the
5 Christ is a - live, and comes to bring good news to



emp - ty to the sky. Let streets and homes with
years in Pal - es - tine, but sav - ing, heal - ing,
scorn, or wealth di - vide, Christ suf - fers still, yet
Spir - it, hear the call, and find the way, the
this and ev - 'ry age, till earth and sky and



prais - es ring. Love, drowned in death, shall nev - er die.
here and now, and touch - ing ev - 'ry place and time.
loves the more, and lives, where e - ven hope has died.
life, the truth, re - vealed in Je - sus, freed for all.
o - cean ring with joy, with jus - tice, love, and praise.

Text: Brian A. Wren, b. 1936

Music: TRURO, T. Williams, *Psalmody Evangelica*, 1789

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Greeting

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

And also with you.

Kyrie

- 1) *Leader*: In peace, in peace . . .
- 2) *Leader*: For the reign of God, and for peace throughout the world, for the unity of all . . .
- 3) *Leader*: For your people here, who have come to give you praise, for the strength to live your word, . . .
- 4) *Leader*: Help, save, and defend us, O God. . . .

Lord, have mer - cy,

Christ, have mer - cy, Lord, have mer - cy.

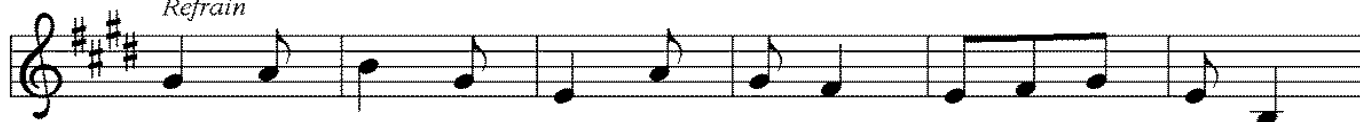
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Optional segue to "Now the Feast" or "Glory to God" men.

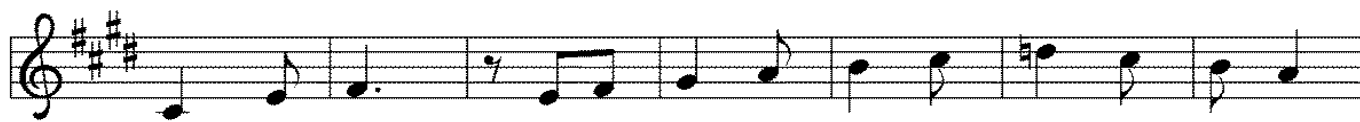
Hymn of Praise (*see next page*)

Now the Feast and Celebration

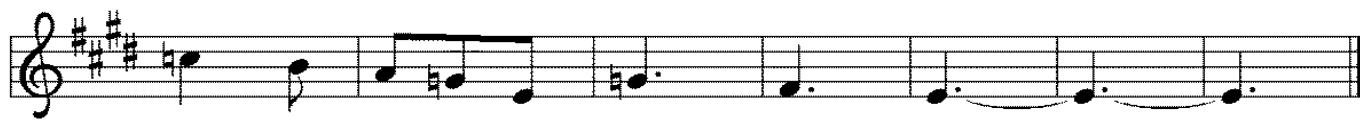
Refrain



Now the feast and cel - e - bra - tion, all of cre - a - tion



sings for joy to the God of life and love and free-dom;



praise and glo - ry for - ev - er - more!

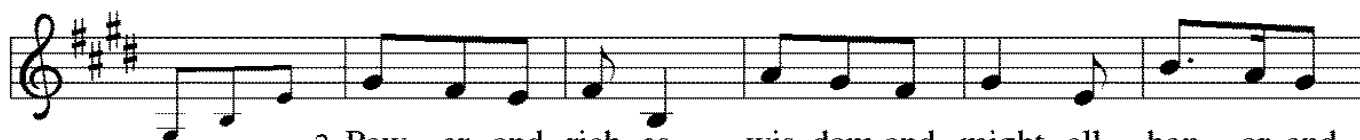


1 Now is the feast of the Lamb once slain, whose blood has



freed and u - nit-ed us to be one great peo-ple of God.

Refrain



2 Pow - er and rich-es, wis-dom and might, all hon - or and

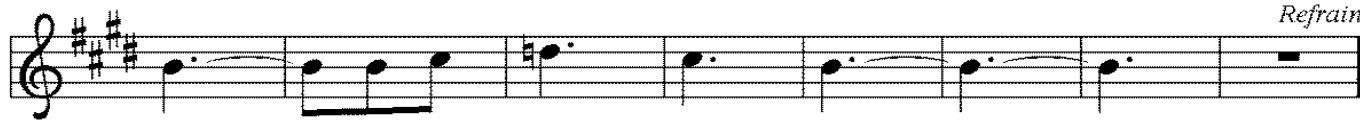


glo - ry to Christ for - ev - er.

Refrain



3 For God has come to dwell with us, to make us peo-ple of



God; to make all things new.

Refrain

Second Reading 1 Peter 2:2-10

²Like newborn infants, long for the pure spiritual milk, that by it you may grow up into salvation— ³if indeed you have tasted that the Lord is good.

⁴As you come to him, a living stone rejected by men but in the sight of God chosen and precious, ⁵you yourselves like living stones are being built up as a spiritual house, to be a holy priesthood, to offer spiritual sacrifices acceptable to God through Jesus Christ. ⁶For it stands in Scripture:

“Behold, I am laying in Zion a stone, a cornerstone chosen and precious, and whoever believes in him will not be put to shame.”

⁷So the honor is for you who believe, but for those who do not believe,

“The stone that the builders rejected has become the cornerstone,” ⁸and “A stone of stumbling, and a rock of offense.” They stumble because they disobey the word, as they were destined to do.

⁹But you are a chosen race, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, a people for his own possession, that you may proclaim the excellencies of him who called you out of darkness into his marvelous light. ¹⁰Once you were not a people, but now you are God's people; once you had not received mercy, but now you have received mercy.

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

(Please stand as you are comfortable for the Gospel Acclamation)

Acclamation

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, Lord to whom shall we
go? You have the words of e - ter - nal
life: Al - le - lu - ia!

The Holy Gospel

The Holy Gospel According to....

Glory to you, O Lord.

John 14:1-14

14 “Let not your hearts be troubled. Believe in God; believe also in me. ²In my Father's house are many rooms. If it were not so, would I have told you that I go to prepare a place for you? ³And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again and will take you to myself, that where I am you may be also. ⁴And you know the way to where I am going.” ⁵Thomas said to him, “Lord, we do not know where you are going. How can we know the way?” ⁶Jesus said to him, “I am the way, and the truth, and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me. ⁷If you had known me, you would have known my Father also. From now on you do know him and have seen him.”

⁸Philip said to him, “Lord, show us the Father, and it is enough for us.” ⁹Jesus said to him, “Have I been with you so long, and you still do not know me, Philip? Whoever has seen me has seen the Father. How can you say, ‘Show us the Father’? ¹⁰Do you not believe that I am in the Father and the Father is in me? The words that I say to you I do not speak on my own authority, but the Father who dwells in me does his works. ¹¹Believe me that I am in the Father and the Father is in me, or else believe on account of the works themselves.

¹²“Truly, truly, I say to you, whoever believes in me will also do the works that I do; and greater works than these will he do, because I am going to the Father. ¹³Whatever you ask in my name, this I will do, that the Father may be glorified in the Son. ¹⁴If you ask me anything in my name, I will do it.

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, O Christ.

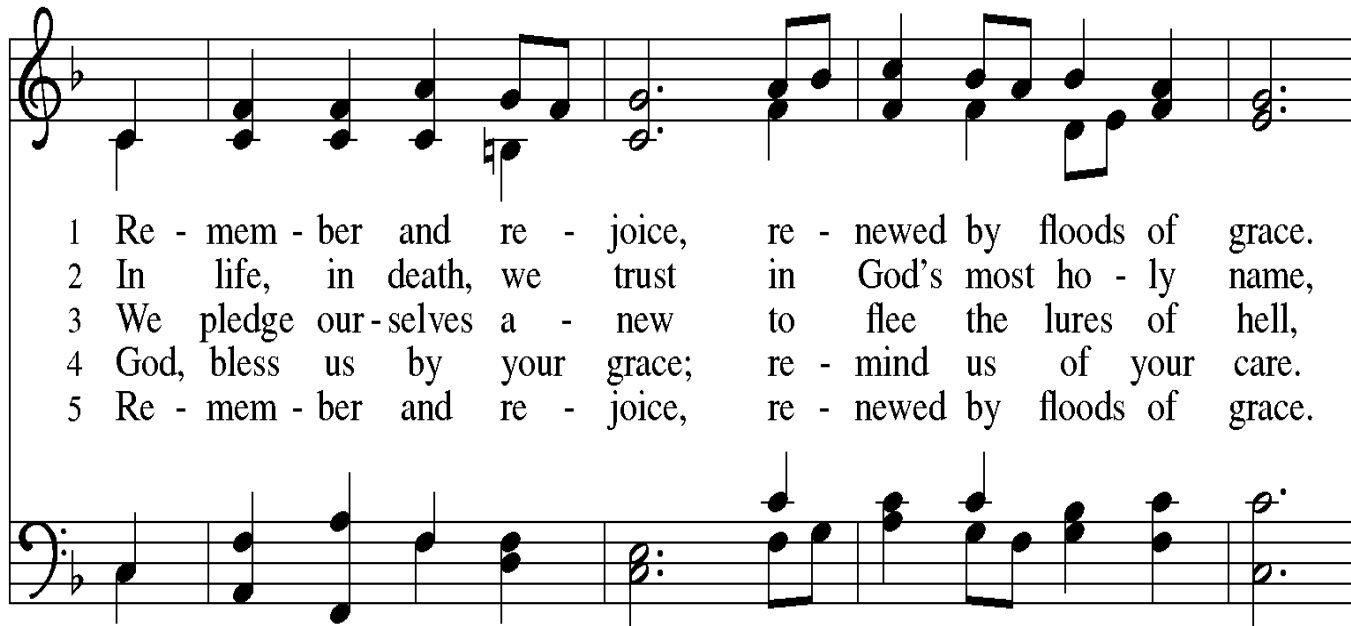
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Sermon

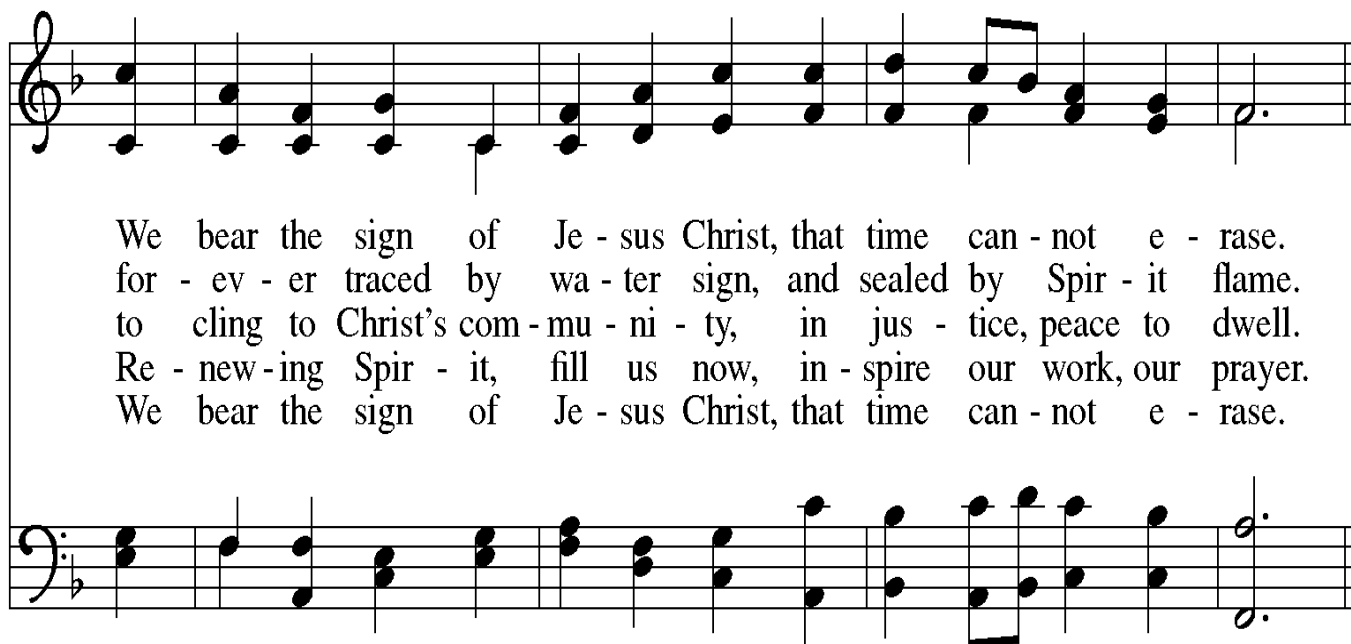
Hymn of the Day "Remember And Rejoice" ELW 454 vs. 1,2,5.

(Please stand as you are comfortable)

Remember and Rejoice



1 Re - mem - ber and re - joice, re - newed by floods of grace.
2 In life, in death, we trust in God's most ho - ly name,
3 We pledge our - selves a - new to flee the lures of hell,
4 God, bless us by your grace; re - mind us of your care.
5 Re - mem - ber and re - joice, re - newed by floods of grace.



We bear the sign of Je - sus Christ, that time can - not e - rase.
for - ev - er traced by wa - ter sign, and sealed by Spir - it flame.
to cling to Christ's com - mu - ni - ty, in jus - tice, peace to dwell.
Re - new - ing Spir - it, fill us now, in - spire our work, our prayer.
We bear the sign of Je - sus Christ, that time can - not e - rase.

Text: Ruth Duck, b. 1947

Music: ST. THOMAS, Aaron Williams, 1731-1776

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PRESENTATION

(During the Hymn Parents, Sponsors, and those to be baptized approach the Font)

In baptism our gracious heavenly Father frees us from sin and death by joining us to the death and resurrection of our Lord Jesus Christ. We are born children of a fallen humanity; by water and the Holy Spirit we are reborn children of God and made members of the church which is the body of Christ. Living with Christ and in the communion of saints, we grow in faith, love, and obedience to the will of God.

Who presents this child to receive the sacrament of Holy Baptism?

Parents & Sponsors:

I present Maeve Lilley Pockat to receive the Sacrament of Holy Baptism.

The minister addresses the parents and Sponsors:

In Christian love you have presented Maeve for Holy Baptism. You should, therefore, faithfully bring her to the services of God's house, and teach her the Lord's prayer, the creed, and the 10 commandments. As she grows in years, you should place in her hands the holy scriptures and provide for her instruction in the Christian faith, that, living in the covenant of her baptism and in communion with the church, she may lead a godly life until the day of Jesus Christ.

Do you promise to fulfill these obligations?

Response: I do.

The minister addresses the assembly:

People of God, do you promise to support Maeve and pray for *her* in *her* new life in Christ?

Response: We do.

(Please stand as you are comfortable)

Prayers of the Church

Thanksgiving for Baptism

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give him thanks and praise.

Holy God, mighty Lord, gracious Father: we give you thanks, for in the beginning your spirit moved over the waters and you created heaven and earth. By the gift of water you nourish and sustain us and all living things.

By the waters of the flood you condemned the wicked and saved those whom you had chosen, Noah and his family. You led Israel by the pillar of cloud and fire through the sea, out of slavery into the freedom of the promised land. In the waters of the Jordan your Son was baptized by John and anointed with the Spirit. By the baptism of his own death and resurrection your beloved Son has set us free from the bondage to sin and death, and has opened the way to the joy and freedom of everlasting life. He made water a sign of the Kingdom and of cleansing and rebirth. In obedience to his command, we make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

Pour out your Holy Spirit, so that Maeve, who is here baptized may be given new life. Wash away the sin of all those who are cleansed by this water and bring them forth as inheritors of your glorious Kingdom.

To you be given praise and honor and worship through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, now and forever.

Amen.

PROFESSION OF FAITH

I ask you all to profess your faith in Christ Jesus, reject sin, and confess the faith of the church.

Do you renounce the devil and all the forces that defy God?

Response:

I renounce them.

Do you renounce the powers of this world that rebel against God?

Response:

I renounce them.

Do you renounce the ways of sin that draw you from God?

Response:

I renounce them.

Do you believe in God the Father?

**I believe in God, the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.**

Do you believe in Jesus Christ, the Son of God?

**I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried;
he descended to the dead.*
On the third day he rose again;
he ascended into heaven,
he is seated at the right hand of the Father,
and he will come to judge the living and the dead.**

Do you believe in God the Holy Spirit?

**I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen**

(Please be seated)

BAPTISM

Maeve Lilley Pockat, I baptize you in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

Amen.

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Let us pray.

God, the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, we give you thanks for freeing your sons and daughters from the power of sin and for raising them up to a new life through this holy sacrament. Pour your Holy Spirit upon Maeve: the spirit of wisdom and understanding, the spirit of counsel and might, the spirit of knowledge and the fear of the Lord, the spirit of joy in your presence.

Amen.

Maeve, child of God, you have been sealed by the Holy Spirit and marked with the cross of Christ forever.

Amen.

Let your light so shine before others that they may see your good works and glorify your Father in heaven.

WELCOME

(Please stand as you are comfortable)

Let us welcome the newly baptized.

We welcome you into the Lord's family. We receive you as a fellow member of the body of Christ, a child of the same heavenly Father, and a worker with us in the kingdom of God.

Sharing of the Peace

The peace of the Lord be with you always.
And also with you.

(Please share the peace as you are comfortable)

Offering

(We will receive our offering today in the traditional manner)

For those of you worshipping with us at home -You can mail your donations to:

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Or on the church website www.shepherdofthelakeschurch.org

You can donate through our PayPal account.

“Thank you for your continued support of our ministry together.”

Great Thanksgiving

As our offering is received, please join in singing:

“Christ Be Our Light” ELW 715 vs. 1,4,5.

Christ, Be Our Light



1 Long - ing for light, we wait in dark - ness. Long - ing for
 2 Long - ing for peace, our world is trou - bled. Long - ing for
 3 Long - ing for food, man - y are hun - gry. Long - ing for
 4 Long - ing for shel - ter, man - y are home - less. Long - ing for
 5 Man - y the gifts, man - y the peo - ple, man - y the



truth, we turn to you. Make us your own,
 hope, man - y de - spair. Your word a - lone
 wa - ter, man - y still thirst. Make us your bread,
 warmth, man - y are cold. Make us your build - ing,
 hearts that yearn to be - long. Let us be ser - vants



your ho - ly peo - ple, light for the world to see.
 has pow'r to save us. Make us your liv - ing voice.
 bro - ken for oth - ers, shared un - til all are fed.
 shel - ter - ing oth - ers, walls made of liv - ing stone.
 to one an - oth - er, signs of your king - dom come.

Refrain



Christ, be our light! Shine in our hearts. Shine through the



dark - ness. Christ, be our light! Shine in your



church gath - ered to - day.

Text: Bernadette Farrell, b. 1957

Music: CHRIST, BE OUR LIGHT, Bernadette Farrell

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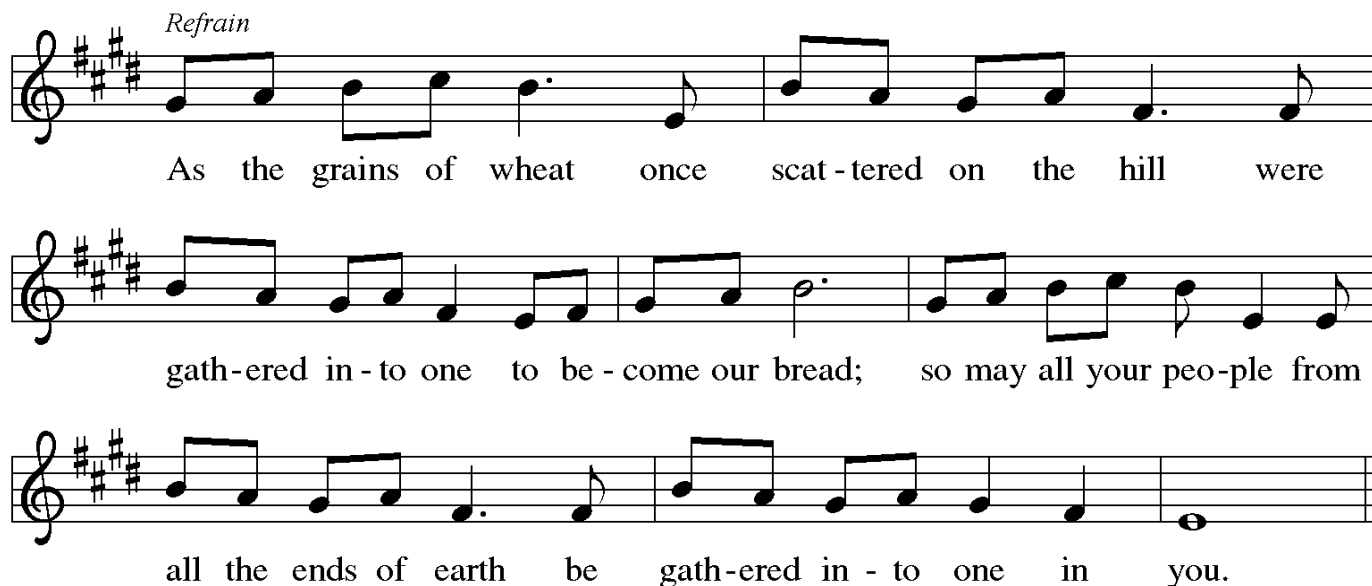
Presentation of Gifts (As the offering is presented, please join in the offertory hymn.)

(Please stand as you are comfortable.)

Offertory Hymn

As the Grains of Wheat

Refrain



As the grains of wheat once scat-tered on the hill were
gath-ered in - to one to be - come our bread; so may all your peo-ple from
all the ends of earth be gath-ered in - to one in you.

Offertory Prayer

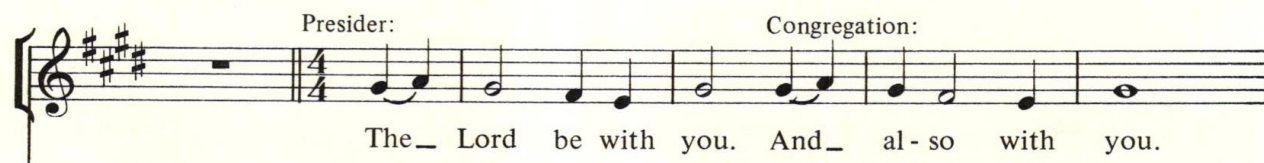
Holy God,

gracious and merciful, you bring forth food from the earth and nourish your whole creation. Turn our hearts toward those who hunger in any way, that all may know your care; and prepare us now to feast on the bread of life, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Amen.

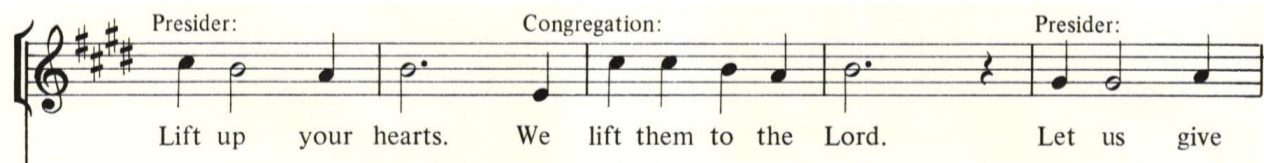
The Great Thanksgiving

Presider: Congregation:



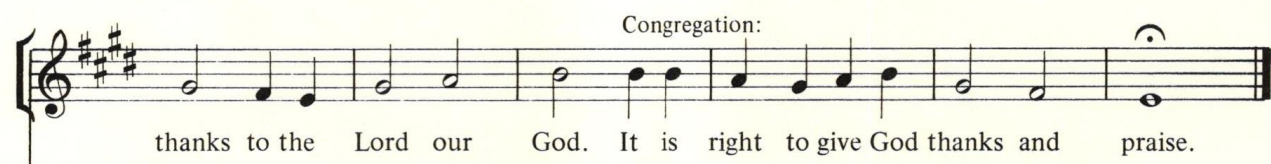
The_ Lord be with you. And_ al- so with you.

Presider: Congregation: Presider:



Lift up your hearts. We lift them to the Lord. Let us give

Congregation:

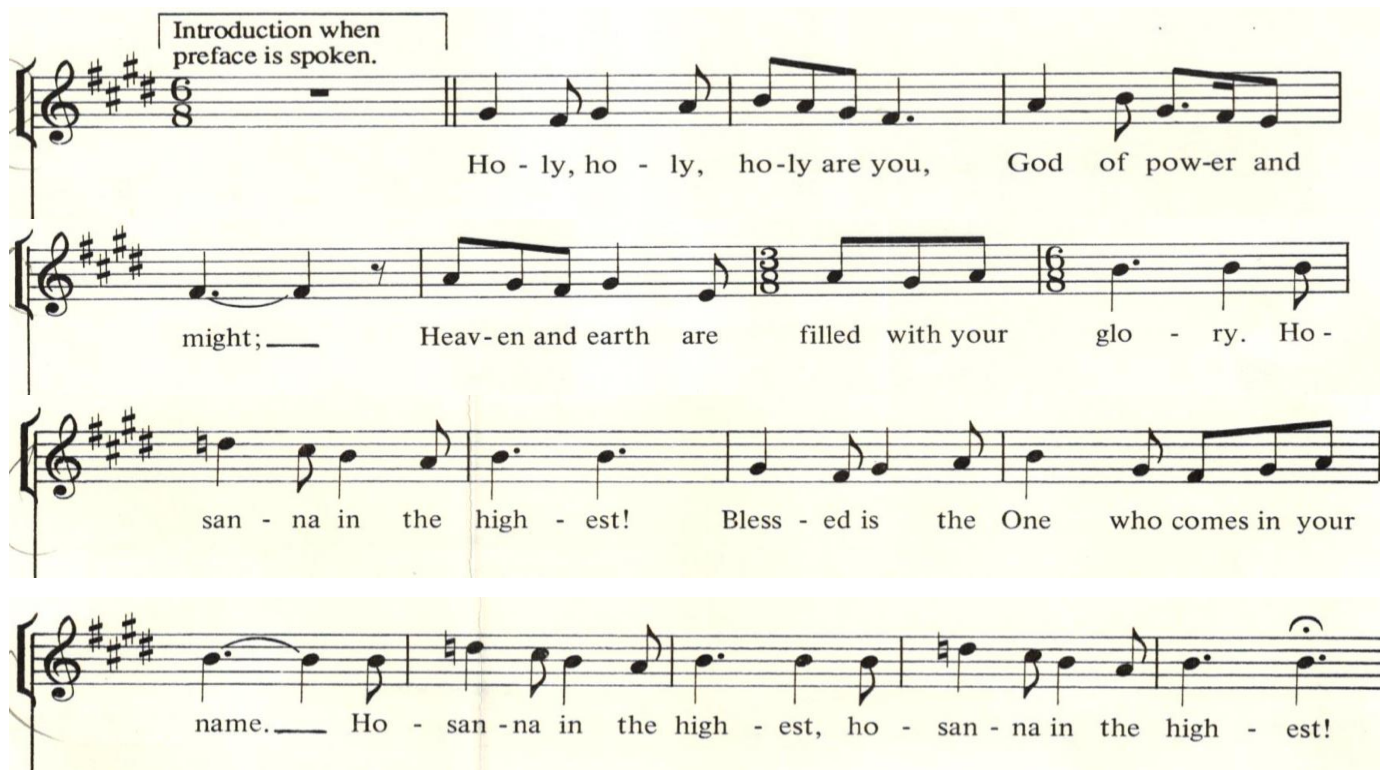


thanks to the Lord our God. It is right to give God thanks and praise.

It is indeed right, our duty, and our joy,....

....praise your name and join their unending hymn.

Introduction when preface is spoken.



Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho-ly are you, God of pow-er and
might; — Heav-en and earth are filled with your glo - ry. Ho -
san - na in the high - est! Bless - ed is the One who comes in your
name. — Ho - san - na in the high - est, ho - san - na in the high - est!

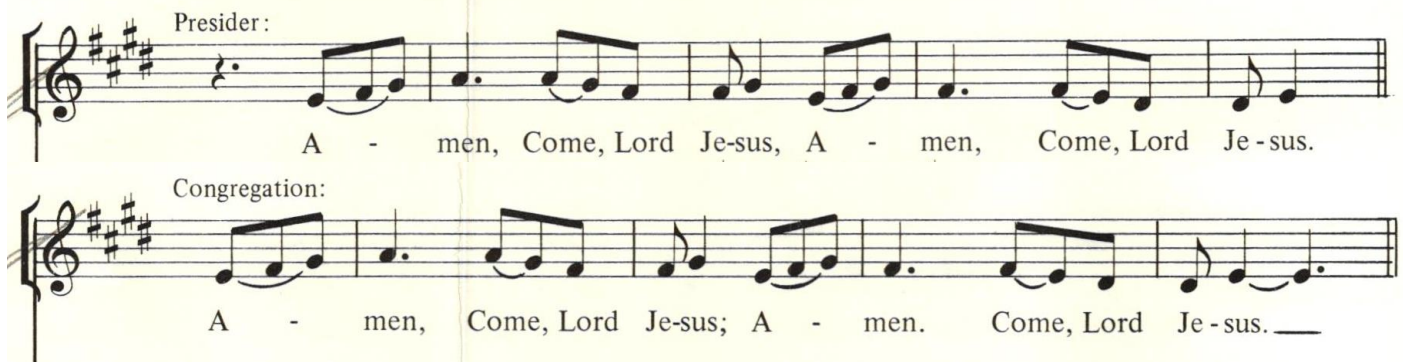
Eucharistic Prayer

You are indeed holy, almighty and merciful God. You are most holy, and great is the majesty of your glory. You so loved the world that you gave your only Son, so that everyone who believes in him may not perish but have eternal life. We give you thanks for his coming into the world to fulfill for us your holy will and to accomplish all things for our salvation.

On the night in which he was betrayed . . .

Remembering his command to love one another, his life and his glorious resurrection, we pray:

Presider sings first time, Congregation sings second time:



Presider:
A - men, Come, Lord Je-sus, A - men, Come, Lord Je-sus.

Congregation:
A - men, Come, Lord Je-sus; A - men. Come, Lord Je-sus. —

Send now, we pray, your Holy Spirit that all of your promises may come to us and your whole creation. Empower us by that same Spirit, to love and forgive that our lives may anticipate that day when you will make all things new. We pray:

Presider sings first time, Congregation sings second time:



Presider:
A - men. Come, Ho-ly Spir-it; A - men. Come, Ho-ly Spir-it.

Congregation:
A - men. Come, Ho-ly Spir-it; A - men. Come, Ho-ly Spir-it. —

This we pray through Jesus Christ, our Savior and friend.

Amen

Through Christ, with Christ, in Christ, in the
u - ni - ty of the Spir - it, all glo - ry and hon - or is
yours, O God, (Lord,) now and for - ev - er,
A - men. A - men.

Lord Jesus, remember us in your Kingdom, and teach us to pray...

The Lord's Prayer

**Our Father, who art in heaven,
hallowed be thy name,
thy kingdom come, thy will be done,
on earth as it is in heaven.**

**Give us this day our daily bread;
and forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those who trespass against us;
and lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.**

**For thine is the kingdom, and the power,
and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.**

Distribution

As the ushers direct people to communion, please be seated.

HYMNS DURING DISTRIBUTION:

“Lamb of God”

Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the
 world: have mer-cy on us, mer-cy on us,
Final time:
 mer-cy on us. Lamb of God, you
 take a-way the sin of the world: grant us peace,
 grant us peace, grant us peace.

Lord, Be Glorified

1 In my life, Lord, be glo-ri - fied, be glo-ri - fied;
 2 In our song, Lord, be glo-ri - fied, be glo-ri - fied;
 3 In your church, Lord, be glo-ri - fied, be glo-ri - fied;
 4 In your world, Lord, be glo-ri - fied, be glo-ri - fied;

in my life, Lord, be glo-ri - fied to - day.
 in our song, Lord, be glo-ri - fied to - day.
 in your church, Lord, be glo-ri - fied to - day.
 in your world, Lord, be glo-ri - fied to - day.

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 Music: BE GLORIFIED, Bob Kilpatrick
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Eat This Bread

Jesus Christ, Bread of Life

Refrain

“Eat this bread, drink this cup, come to me and nev - er be hun - gry.
OR Je - sus Christ, bread of life, those who come to you will not hun - ger.

Eat this bread, drink this cup, trust in me and you will not thirst.”
Je - sus Christ, ris - en Lord, those who trust in you will not thirst.

Text: Taizé Community
 Music: BERTHIER, Jacques Berthier, 1923–1994
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Come and Fill Our Hearts

Confitemini Domino

Con - fi - te - mi - ni Do - mi - no quo - ni - am bo - nus.
Come and fill our hearts with your peace. You a-lone, O Lord, are ho - ly.

Con - fi - te - mi - ni Do - mi - no. Al - le - lu - ia!
Come and fill our hearts with your peace. Al - le - lu - ia!

Text: Psalm 136:1 (Latin); Taizé Community
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Father, I Adore You

The musical score is written in 4/4 time with a key signature of one flat (Bb). It features three vocal parts (1, 2, and 3) and piano accompaniment. The lyrics are: "1 Fa - ther, 2 Je - sus, I a - dore you, lay my life be - fore you; how I love you." The score includes chords (F, Gm, C) and a 3-measure rest for the third voice part.

(Please stand as you are able for the remainder of the service.)

TABLE BLESSING

May the body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen and keep you in his grace.
Amen

POST-COMMUNION PRAYER

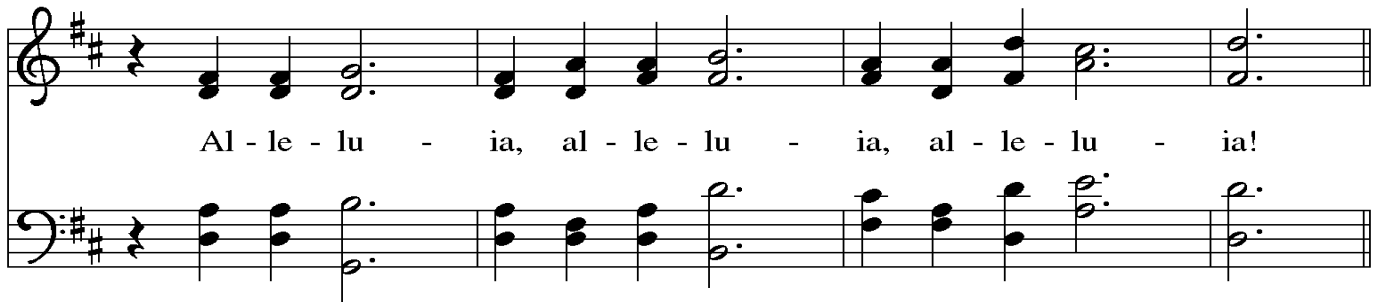
We give you thanks,
generous God, for in this bread and cup we have tasted the new heaven and earth where hunger and thirst are no more. Send us from this table as witnesses to the resurrection, that through our lives, all may know life in Jesus' name.
Amen.

BENEDICTION

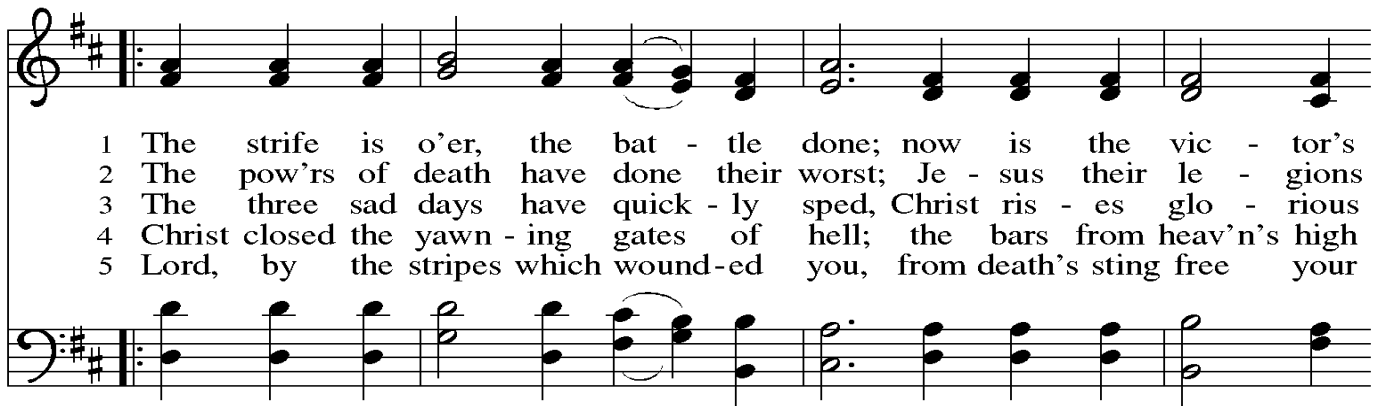
The God of all, who raised † Jesus from the dead,
 bless you by the power of the Holy Spirit
 to live in the new creation.
Amen.

CLOSING HYMN "The Strife Is O'er, The Battle Done" ELW 366 vs. 1,4,5.

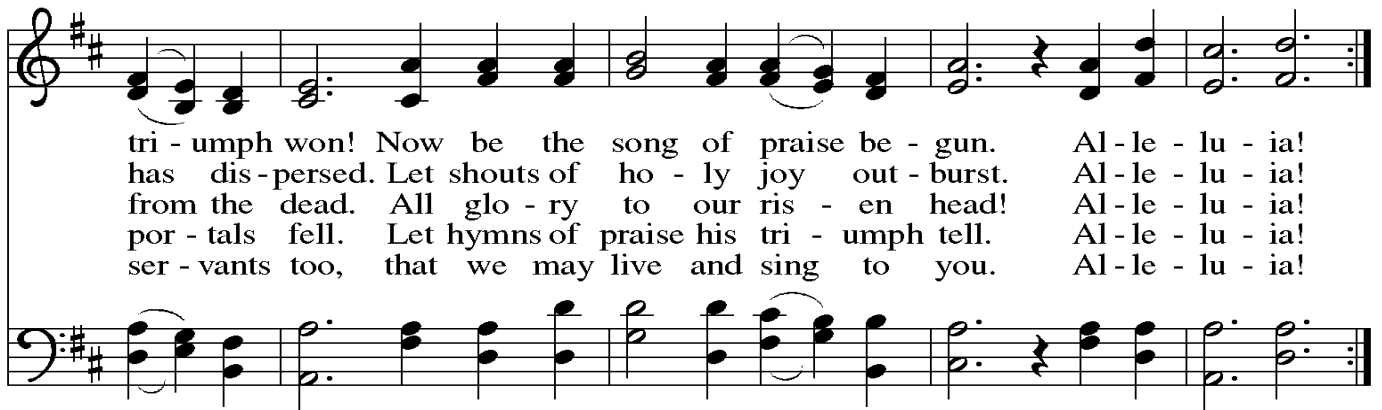
The Strife Is O'er, the Battle Done



Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!

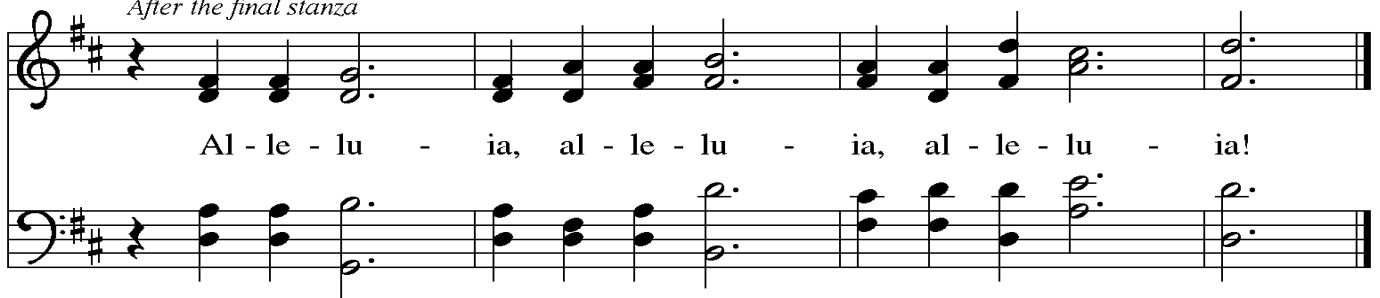


1 The strife is o'er, the bat - tle done; now is the vic - tor's
2 The pow'rs of death have done their worst; Je - sus their le - gions
3 The three sad days have quick - ly sped, Christ ris - es glo - rious
4 Christ closed the yawn - ing gates of hell; the bars from heav'n's high
5 Lord, by the stripes which wound - ed you, from death's sting free your



tri - umph won! Now be the song of praise be - gun. Al - le - lu - ia!
has dis - persed. Let shouts of ho - ly joy out - burst. Al - le - lu - ia!
from the dead. All glo - ry to our ris - en head! Al - le - lu - ia!
por - tals fell. Let hymns of praise his tri - umph tell. Al - le - lu - ia!
ser - vants too, that we may live and sing to you. Al - le - lu - ia!

After the final stanza



Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!

Sending

Alleluia! Christ is risen!

Christ is risen indeed! Alleluia!

Go in the peace of the Risen Christ, Serve the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

**Please join us for coffee and fellowship after the service.
Second Sunday of each month join us for brunch after the service.**

Calendar for Week of May 8 – May 14, 2023

Monday	May 8, 2023	“The Truth Project”	6:00 p.m.
Tuesday	May 9, 2023	Bible Study	5:00 p.m.
Wednesday	May 10, 2023	Church School	3:45 p.m.
Wednesday	May 10, 2023	Worship Service	6:00 p.m.
Thursday	May 11, 2023	Text Study	9:00 a.m.
Thursday	May 11, 2023	WELCA	1:00 p.m.
Sunday	May 14, 2023	Worship Service	9:00 a.m.
Sunday	May 14, 2023	Mother’s Day/Brunch	10:30 a.m.

Next Council Meeting:

To be determined

Upcoming Events:

Sunday May 14th Celebration of Certification for Bill Wendorf

Friday, May 26th - Blood Drive at Shepherd of the Lakes Noon to 4 pm

*Check our calendar of events on the church website for times and dates
of additional events and worship services.*

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