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Worship Bulletin

ALL ARE WELCOME. ALL ARE LOVED. ALL SAINTS



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Welcome to All Saints! We warmly greet you in the name of Christ and give God thanks for your presence today. Whether you are visiting or are looking for a new church home, we're glad you're here! Please use the guest card in the pew rack to share your contact information, questions, prayer concerns, etc.

All are welcome at the Lord's Table. All baptized Christians are welcome to receive the bread and wine of Holy Communion. Gluten-free wafers are available upon request. Children who are not yet communing are invited to come forward for a blessing.

Children are always welcome in worship. We encourage children to participate in the worship service as they are able. "Quiet Bags" are available in the entryway or from an usher. Childcare is provided in the church nursery for infants and children through age five. A private Mother's Room for breastfeeding is provided in the Education wing.

For the hearing impaired, printed copies of the sermons are available on the bulletin table in the Narthex. A hearing assistance system is also available. Please ask an usher.

In order to be fully present to God in worship, please silence your cell phone. We encourage the discipline of silence for personal devotion and prayer upon entering worship, as well as during the prelude and other musical offerings.

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+GATHERING+

The Holy Spirit calls us together as the people of God.

PRELUDE

We stand and face the processional cross.

WELCOME

CALL TO WORSHIP

Come to me, all who labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest.

Take my yoke upon you, and learn from me;

For I am meek and lowly in heart; and you shall find rest for your souls.

For my yoke is easy, and my burden is light.

Come unto me all who labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest.

I will give you rest.

I will give you rest.

I will give you rest.

GATHERING HYMN

Crown Him with Many Crowns

ELW 855

GREETING

Beloved of God, called to be saints: 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.



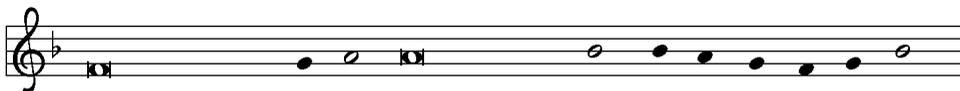
KYRIE



In peace, let us pray to the Lord.



Lord, have mer - cy.



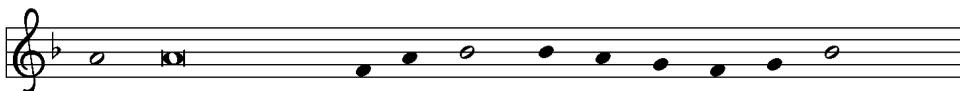
For the peace from a - bove, and for our sal - vation, let us pray to the Lord.



Lord, have mer - cy.



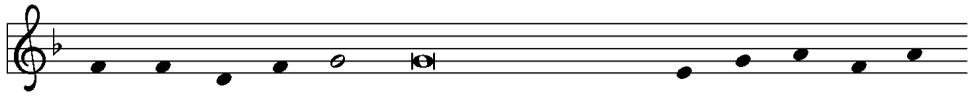
For the peace of the whole world, for the well-being of the church of



God, and for the uni - ty of all, let us pray to the Lord.



Lord, have mer - cy.



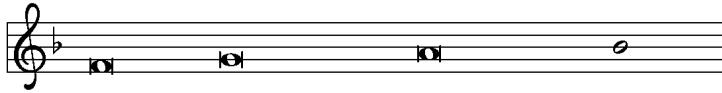
For this ho - ly house, and for all who offer here their wor-ship and



praise, let us pray to the Lord.



Lord, have mer - cy.



Help, save, comfort, and de - fend us, gracious Lord.



A - men.

HYMN OF PRAISE



This is the feast of vic-to-ry for our God.



Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

(continued on next page)

1 Wor - thy is Christ, the Lamb who was slain, whose

blood set us free to be peo - ple of God.

Pow - er, rich - es, wis - dom, and strength, and

hon - or, bless - ing, and glo - ry are his. *Refrain*

2 Sing with all the peo - ple of God, and

join in the hymn of all cre - a - tion:

Bless - ing, hon - or, glo - ry, and might be to

God and the Lamb for - ev - er. A - men. *Refrain*

3 For the Lamb who was slain has be -

gun his reign. Al - le - lu - ia.

Final refrain

This is the feast of vic-to-ry for our God.

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

This is the feast of vic-to-ry for our God.

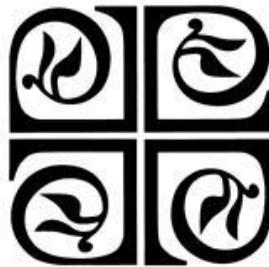
Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Let us pray.

O God, our true life, to serve you is freedom, and to know you is unending joy. We worship you, we glorify you, we give thanks to you for your great glory. Abide with us, reign in us, and make this world into a fit habitation for your divine majesty, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Amen.



+WORD+

God speaks to us in scripture reading, preaching, and song.

We sit.

FIRST READING – Jeremiah 23:1-6

¹Woe to the shepherds who destroy and scatter the sheep of my pasture! says the LORD.
²Therefore thus says the LORD, the God of Israel, concerning the shepherds who shepherd my people: It is you who have scattered my flock, and have driven them away, and you have not attended to them. So I will attend to you for your evil doings, says the LORD.
³Then I myself will gather the remnant of my flock out of all the lands where I have driven them, and I will bring them back to their fold, and they shall be fruitful and multiply.
⁴I will raise up shepherds over them who will shepherd them, and they shall not fear any longer, or be dismayed, nor shall any be missing, says the LORD.

⁵The days are surely coming, says the LORD, when I will raise up for David a righteous Branch, and he shall reign as king and deal wisely, and shall execute justice and righteousness in the land.
⁶In his days Judah will be saved and Israel will live in safety. And this is the name by which he will be called: “The LORD is our righteousness.”

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

PSALM 46 (*Congregation sings refrain/ Cantor/ Choir sings stanzas*)

Refrain

God, the Lord of Hosts, is with us,

Ja - cob's God, the Lord of all.

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God, our strength and mighty fortress,
God, our refuge day and night;
God, whose promise is deliverance,
God, whose law is truth and light;
Though the earth with fear may tremble,
None can shake God's boundless might. **R**

In the city of the Holy,
Rivers flow and streams run pure;
Where you, Lord, abide in splendor,
There your people dwell secure.
In their hearts your love will flourish,
Through the faith your word endures. **R**

Come, behold God's matchless wonders,
See the deeds of God's own hand;
Gifts beyond our expectations,
Works too great to understand.
Sound God's might in songs of glory
Sung to earth's most distant land. **R**

SECOND READING – Colossians 1:11-20

¹¹May you be made strong with all the strength that comes from his glorious power, and may you be prepared to endure everything with patience, while joyfully ¹²giving thanks to the Father, who has enabled you to share in the inheritance of the saints in the light. ¹³He has rescued us from the power of darkness and transferred us into the kingdom of his beloved Son, ¹⁴in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins.

¹⁵He is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn of all creation; ¹⁶for in him all things in heaven and on earth were created, things visible and invisible, whether thrones or dominions or rulers or powers—all things have been created through him and for him. ¹⁷He himself is before all things, and in him all things hold together. ¹⁸He is the head of the body, the church; he is the beginning, the firstborn from the dead, so that he might come to have first place in everything. ¹⁹For in him all the fullness of God was pleased to dwell, ²⁰and through him God was pleased to reconcile to himself all things, whether on earth or in heaven, by making peace through the blood of his cross.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

CHILDREN'S SERMON

We stand.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Al - le - lu - ia. Lord, to whom shall we go?

You have the words of e - ter - nal life. Al - le - lu - ia.

GOSPEL – Luke 23:33-43

The holy gospel according to Luke.

Glory to you, O Lord.

³³When they came to the place that is called The Skull, they crucified Jesus there with the criminals, one on his right and one on his left. ³⁴Then Jesus said, “Father, forgive them; for they do not know what they are doing.” And they cast lots to divide his clothing. ³⁵And the people stood by, watching; but the leaders scoffed at him, saying, “He saved others; let him save himself if he is the Messiah of God, his chosen one!” ³⁶The soldiers also mocked him, coming up and offering him sour wine, ³⁷and saying, “If you are the King of the Jews, save yourself!” ³⁸There was also an inscription over him, “This is the King of the Jews.”

³⁹One of the criminals who were hanged there kept deriding him and saying, “Are you not the Messiah? Save yourself and us!” ⁴⁰But the other rebuked him, saying, “Do you not fear God, since you are under the same sentence of condemnation? ⁴¹And we indeed have been condemned justly, for we are getting what we deserve for our deeds, but this man has done nothing wrong.” ⁴²Then he said, “Jesus, remember me when you come into your kingdom.” ⁴³He replied, “Truly I tell you, today you will be with me in Paradise.”

The gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, O Christ.

We sit.

SERMON

We stand.

HYMN OF THE DAY

You, Lord, Are Both Lamb and Shepherd

ACS 954

APOSTLES' CREED

With the whole church, let us confess our faith.

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

**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.**

**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.**

We kneel or sit.

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

United with your saints across time and place, we pray for our shared world.

Each prayer petition concludes with... God of grace, **hear our prayer.**

We stand.
PEACE

The peace of Christ be with you always.
And also with you.

The people may greet one another with a sign of Christ's peace.

+MEAL+

God feeds us with the presence of Jesus Christ.

We sit.
OFFERING

An offering is gathered for the mission of the church, including the care of those in need.

ANTHEM

We stand.
OFFERTORY

We Are an Offering

ELW 692

Words and Music by
Dwight Liles

We lift our voice - es, ___ we lift our hands, we lift our lives up to You, we are an
4 of-fer-ing. ___ Lord, use our voice - es, ___ Lord, use our hands, Lord, use our
7 lives, they are Yours, we are an of-fer-ing. ___ All that we have,
10 all that we are, all that we hope to be, we give to You, we give to You. _____

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OFFERTORY PRAYER

Let us pray.

Blessed are you, Maker of all things. As you have entrusted us with all that you have created, now gather our gifts, nourish us with this sacrament, and send us to those who hunger and thirst, for the sake of Jesus Christ our Savior.

Amen.

DIALOGUE

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.



PREFACE

It is indeed right, our duty and our joy,
that we should at all times and in all places
give thanks and praise to you, almighty and merciful God,
through our Savior Jesus Christ;
who on this day overcame death and the grave,
and by his glorious resurrection
opened to us the way of everlasting life.

And so, with all the choirs of angels,
with the church on earth and the hosts of heaven,
we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

HOLY, HOLY, HOLY



Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, Lord God of pow - er and might,
heav - en and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho -
san - na in the high - est. Bless - ed is he who
comes in the name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

THANKSGIVING AT THE TABLE

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.

In the night in which he was betrayed,
our Lord Jesus took bread, and gave thanks;
broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying:
Take and eat; this is my body, given for you.
Do this for the remembrance of me.

Again, after supper, he took the cup, gave thanks,
and gave it for all to drink, saying:
This cup is the new covenant in my blood,
shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin.
Do this for the remembrance of me.

For as often as we eat of this bread and drink from this cup,
we proclaim the Lord's death until he comes.

Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.

Remembering, therefore, his salutary command,
his life-giving passion and death, his glorious resurrection and ascension,
and the promise of his coming again,
we give thanks to you, O Lord God Almighty,
not as we ought but as we are able;

we ask you mercifully to accept our praise and thanksgiving
and with your Word and Holy Spirit to bless us, your servants,
and these your own gifts of bread and wine,
so that we and all who share in the body and blood of Christ
may be filled with heavenly blessing and grace,
and, receiving the forgiveness of sin,
may be formed to live as your holy people
and be given our inheritance with all your saints.

To you, O God, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit,
be all honor and glory in your holy church, now and forever.
Amen.

LORD'S PRAYER

Gathered into one by the Holy Spirit, let us pray as Jesus taught us.

**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.**



INVITATION TO COMMUNION

In Christ's presence there is fullness of joy.
Come to the banquet.
Thanks be to God.

We sit.

DISTRIBUTION OF COMMUNION

Jesus Christ welcomes you to this meal of the baptized! We receive communion kneeling or standing around the altar. Upon receiving the bread, dip it into the cup. Let the pastor know if you desire a gluten-free wafer. After communing, return to your seat for prayer and singing. If you would like to receive a blessing in place of holy communion, cross your arms over your chest. If you are unable to come forward, please state this to an usher, who will inform the pastor; communion will be brought to you toward the end of distribution.

LAMB OF GOD

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



COMMUNION HYMNS

Though the Earth Shall Change

ACS 1035

Jesus, Remember Me

ELW 616

We stand.

POST COMMUNION BLESSING

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

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Let us pray.

We give you thanks, most gracious God, that you have fed us with the bread of heaven and given us a foretaste of Paradise. Enliven us to be your body in the world and to serve those who are in need; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.

+SENDING+

God blesses us and sends us in mission to the world.

We sit.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

We stand.

SENDING HYMN

Soon and Very Soon

ELW 439

SENDING BLESSING

Christ has run the good race of faith and finished the course.
May you run with perseverance the race set before you.

Amen.

Almighty God, Father, + Son, and Holy Spirit, bless you now and forever.

Amen.

DISMISSAL

Go in peace. Be a blessing in the world.

Thanks be to God.

POSTLUDE



