

# THE FIRST SUNDAY IN ADVENT

27 NOVEMBER 2022 | 11:15AM



## ST. PETER'S ANGLICAN CATHEDRAL

*Reaching One Another, Tallahassee, and the World with the Transforming Love of Jesus Christ*

# Holy Communion

*Please observe silence before the service for prayer and meditation.*

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## Prelude

*Improvisation on "Savior of the Nations, Come!"*

## The Lighting of the Advent Candle

The first Advent candle is the Patriarchs' Candle, a symbol of Abraham, King David and all the patriarchs who prepared for the coming of Christ.

## Advent Prayer

God of Abraham and Sarah, and all the patriarchs of old, you are our Father, too. Your love is revealed to us in Jesus Christ, Son of God and Son of David. Help us in preparing to celebrate his birth and make our hearts ready for your Holy Spirit to make his home among us. We ask this through Jesus Christ, the Light who is coming into the world. **Amen.**

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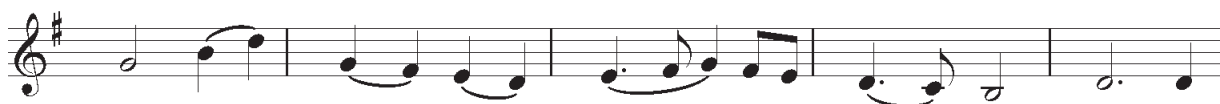
## The Entrance Rite

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**Pealing of the Bells** *Please Stand.*

## Entrance Hymn 57

*Lo! He Comes with Clouds Descending*



Lo! he comes, with clouds de - scend - ing, once for  
Ev - ery eye shall now be - hold him, robed in  
Those dear tok - ens of his pas - sion still his  
Yea, a - men! let all a - dore thee, high on



our sal - va - tion slain; thou - sand thou - sand  
dread - ful ma - jes - ty; those who set at  
daz - zling bo - dy bears, cause of end - less  
2 thine e - ter - nal throne; Sa - vior, take the

saints at - tend - ing swell the tri - umph of his  
 nought and sold him, pierced, and nailed him to the  
 ex - ul - ta - tion to his ran - somed wor - ship -  
 power and glo - ry; claim the king - dom for thine

train: Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!  
 tree, deep - ly wail - ing, deep - ly wail - ing,  
 ers; with what rap - ture, with what rap - ture,  
 own: Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!

Al - le - lu - ia! Christ the Lord re - turns to reign.  
 deep - ly wail - ing, shall the true Mes - si - ah see.  
 with what rap - ture gaze we on those glo - rious scars!  
 Al - le - lu - ia! Thou shalt reign, and thou a - lone.

## The Seasonal Greeting

*Celebrant:* Surely the Lord is coming soon.

*People:* **Amen. Come Lord Jesus!**

REVELATION 22: 20

## The Collect for Purity

*Celebrant and People:*

**Almighty God, unto whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of thy Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love thee, and worthily magnify thy holy Name; through Christ our Lord. Amen.**

## The Summary of the Law

*Celebrant:*

Hear what our Lord Jesus Christ saith:

Thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart and with all thy soul and with all thy mind.

This is the first and great commandment. And the second is like unto it: Thou shalt love thy neighbor as thyself. On these two commandments hang all the Law and the Prophets.

MATTHEW 22: 37-40

## The Kyrie

*Celebrant:* Lord, have mercy upon us.

*People:* **Christ, have mercy upon us.**

*Celebrant:* Lord, have mercy upon us.

## Song of Praise Hymn 56

*O Come, O Come, Emmanuel*

The musical score is written on four staves in G major (one sharp). The melody is simple and hymn-like, with a mix of quarter and eighth notes. The lyrics are arranged in two columns, with the first column on the left and the second on the right. The first two staves correspond to the first two lines of the first column of lyrics. The third and fourth staves correspond to the first two lines of the second column of lyrics. The final line of the second column of lyrics is written below the fourth staff.

1 O come, O come, Em - man - u - el, and ran - som  
2 O come, thou Wis - dom from on high, who or - derest

1 cap - tive Is - ra - el, that mourns in lone - ly ex - ile  
2 all things might - i - ly; to us the path of know - ledge

1 here un - til the Son of God ap - pear. Re - jice! Re - jice!  
2 show, and teach us in her ways to go. Re - jice! Re - jice!

Em - man - u - el shall come to thee, O Is - ra - el!

## The Collect of the Day

*Celebrant:* The Lord be with you.

*People:* **And with thy spirit.**

*Celebrant:* Let us pray.

*Celebrant:* Almighty God, give us grace that we may cast away the works of darkness, and put upon us the armor of light, now in the time of this mortal life, in which thy Son Jesus Christ came to visit us in great humility; that in the last day, when he shall come again in his glorious majesty to judge both the quick and the dead, we may rise to the life immortal; through him who liveth and reigneth with thee and the Holy Ghost, ever one God, world without end. **Amen.**

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## The Liturgy of the Word

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**The First Lesson** *All are Seated.*

**Isaiah 2: 1–5**

<sup>1</sup> The word that Isaiah the son of Amoz saw concerning Judah and Jerusalem. <sup>2</sup> It shall come to pass in the latter days that the mountain of the house of the Lord shall be established as the highest of the mountains, and shall be lifted up above the hills; and all the nations shall flow to it, <sup>3</sup> and many peoples shall come, and say: "Come, let us go up to the mountain of the Lord, to the house of the God of Jacob, that he may teach us his ways and that we may walk in his paths." For out of Zion shall go forth the law, and the word of the Lord from Jerusalem. <sup>4</sup> He shall judge between the nations, and shall decide disputes for many peoples; and they shall beat their swords into plowshares, and their spears into pruning hooks; nation shall not lift up sword against nation, neither shall they learn war anymore. <sup>5</sup> O house of Jacob, come, let us walk in the light of the Lord.

*Lector:* The Word of the Lord.

*People:* **Thanks be to God.**

**Psalm 122** *Sung by all.*

Anglican Plainchant

- 1 *I was glad* when they said unto mé,\*  
"We will go into the hōuse of thé Lord."
- 2 Now our feet are stánding\*  
within your gates, Ô Jerúsalem.
- 3 Jerusalem is built as a cíty\*  
that is at unítý in ítself.
- 4 For there the tribes go up, even the tribes of the Lórd,\*  
as was decreed for Israel, to give thanks unto the Nâme of thé Lord.
- 5 For there is the throne of júdgment,\*  
even the throne of the hōuse of Dávid.
- 6 O pray for the peace of Jerúsalem;\*  
they shall prōsper thát love you.
- 7 Peace be within your wálls\*  
and plenteousness withín your pálaces.
- 8 For my brethren and compánions' sakes,\*  
I will wish yôu prospérité.
- 9 Indeed, because of the house of the Lord our Gód,\*  
I will sêek to dó you good.

<sup>8</sup> Owe no one anything, except to love each other, for the one who loves another has fulfilled the law. <sup>9</sup> For the commandments, “You shall not commit adultery, You shall not murder, You shall not steal, You shall not covet,” and any other commandment, are summed up in this word: “You shall love your neighbor as yourself.” <sup>10</sup> Love does no wrong to a neighbor; therefore love is the fulfilling of the law. <sup>11</sup> Besides this you know the time, that the hour has come for you to wake from sleep. For salvation is nearer to us now than when we first believed. <sup>12</sup> The night is far gone; the day is at hand. So then let us cast off the works of darkness and put on the armor of light. <sup>13</sup> Let us walk properly as in the daytime, not in orgies and drunkenness, not in sexual immorality and sensuality, not in quarreling and jealousy. <sup>14</sup> But put on the Lord Jesus Christ, and make no provision for the flesh, to gratify its desires.

*Lector:* The Word of the Lord.

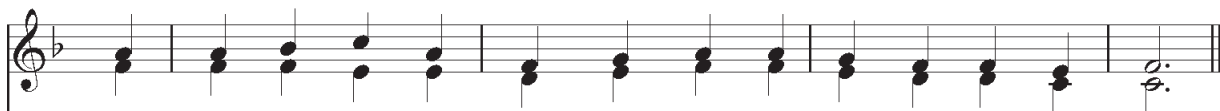
*People:* **Thanks be to God.**

Sequence Hymn 615 *All Stand.*

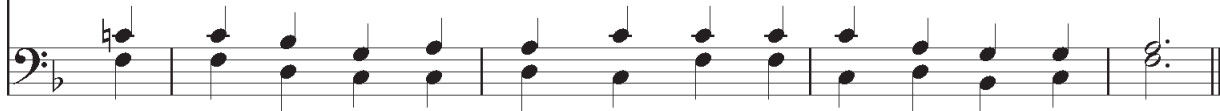
*Thy Kingdom Come!*



1 “Thy king - dom come!” on bend - ed knee the pass - ing a - ges pray;  
 2 But the slow watch - es of the night not less to God be - long;  
 3 And lo, al - rea - dy on the hills the flags of dawn ap - pear;  
 4 the day to whose clear shin - ing light all wrong shall stand re - vealed,  
 5 when know - ledge, hand in hand with peace, shall walk the earth a - broad;



1 and faith - ful souls have yearned to see on earth that king - dom's day.  
 2 and for the ev - er - last - ing right the si - lent stars are strong.  
 3 gird up your loins, ye pro - phet souls, pro - claim the day is near:  
 4 when jus - tice shall be throned in might, and ev - ery hurt be healed;  
 5 the day of per - fect right - eous - ness, the prom - ised day of God.



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*Gospeler:* The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to St. Matthew.

*People:* **Glory be to thee, Lord Christ.**

<sup>29</sup> “Immediately after the tribulation of those days the sun will be darkened, and the moon will not give its light, and the stars will fall from heaven, and the powers of the heavens will be shaken. <sup>30</sup> Then will appear in heaven the sign of the Son of Man, and then all the tribes of the earth will mourn, and they will see the Son of Man coming on the clouds of heaven with power and great glory. <sup>31</sup> And he will send out his angels with a loud trumpet call, and they will gather his elect from the four winds, from one end of heaven to the other. <sup>32</sup> “From the fig tree learn its lesson: as soon as its branch becomes tender and puts out its leaves, you know that summer is near. <sup>33</sup> So also, when you see all these things, you know that he is near, at the very gates. <sup>34</sup> Truly, I say to you, this generation will not pass away until all these things take place. <sup>35</sup> Heaven and earth will pass away, but my words will not pass away. <sup>36</sup> “But concerning that day and hour no one knows, not even the angels of heaven, nor the Son, but the Father only. <sup>37</sup> For as were the days of Noah, so will be the coming of the Son of Man. <sup>38</sup> For as in those days before the flood they were eating and drinking, marrying and giving in marriage, until the day when Noah entered the ark, <sup>39</sup> and they were unaware until the flood came and swept them all away, so will be the coming of the Son of Man. <sup>40</sup> Then two men will be in the field; one will be taken and one left. <sup>41</sup> Two women will be grinding at the mill; one will be taken and one left. <sup>42</sup> Therefore, stay awake, for you do not know on what day your Lord is coming. <sup>43</sup> But know this, that if the master of the house had known in what part of the night the thief was coming, he would have stayed awake and would not have let his house be broken into. <sup>44</sup> Therefore you also must be ready, for the Son of Man is coming at an hour you do not expect.

*Gospeler:* The Gospel of the Lord.

*People:* **Praise be to thee, Lord Christ.**

**The Sermon**

The Very Rev'd Marcus A. Kaiser, Sr.

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**The Nicene Creed** *All Stand.*

**We believe in one God,**

**the Father, the Almighty,  
maker of heaven and earth,  
of all that is, visible and invisible.**

**We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,**

**the only-begotten Son of God,  
eternally begotten of the Father, God from God,  
Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made,  
of one Being with the Father;  
through him all things were made.**

**For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven,  
was incarnate from the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary,  
and was made man.**

**For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;  
he suffered death and was buried.**

**On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures;  
he ascended into heaven  
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.**

**He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead,  
and his kingdom will have no end.**

**We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,**

**who proceeds from the Father and the Son,  
who with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified,  
who has spoken through the prophets.**

**We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.**

**We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.**

**We look for the resurrection of the dead,  
and the life of the world to come. Amen.**

**The Prayers of the People** *All Kneel.*

*After each bidding of "Lord, in thy mercy" the People prayerfully respond with "Hear our prayer."*



## **The Confession of Sin** *All Kneel.*

*Celebrant and People:*

**Almighty God, Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, maker of all things, judge of all men: We acknowledge and bewail our manifold sins and wickedness, which we from time to time most grievously have committed, by thought, word, and deed, against thy divine majesty, provoking most justly thy wrath and indignation against us. We do earnestly repent, and are heartily sorry for these our misdoings; the remembrance of them is grievous unto us, the burden of them is intolerable. Have mercy upon us, have mercy upon us, most merciful Father; for thy Son our Lord Jesus Christ's sake, forgive us all that is past; and grant that we may ever hereafter serve and please thee in newness of life, to the honor and glory of thy Name; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

## **The Absolution**

Almighty God, our heavenly Father, who of his great mercy hath promised forgiveness of sins to all those who with hearty repentance and true faith turn unto him, have mercy upon you, pardon and deliver you from all your sins, confirm and strengthen you in all goodness, and bring you to everlasting life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

## **The Comfortable Words** *Remain Kneeling.*

*The Celebrant may then say one or more of the following sentences, first saying:*

Hear what comfortable words our Savior Christ saith unto all that truly turn to him.

Come unto me, all ye that travail and are heavy laden, and I will refresh you.      MATTHEW 11:28

For God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life.      JOHN 3:16

Hear also what Saint Paul saith.

This is a true saying, and worthy of all men to be received, that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners.      1 TIMOTHY 1:15

Hear also what Saint John saith.

If any man sin, we have an Advocate with the Father, Jesus Christ the righteous: and he is the propitiation for our sins: and not for ours only, but also for the sins of the whole world.

1 JOHN 2:1-2

## **The Peace** *All stand and greet one another in the name of the Lord.*

*Celebrant:* The Peace of the Lord be always with you.

*People:* **And with thy spirit.**

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## The Holy Communion

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*You can now give your tithes or pledges by texting SPAC to 73256 followed by your desired gift amount,  
e.g. SPAC \$50.*

**At the Offertory**

***E'en so Lord Jesus Quickly Come***

P. Manz

*Peace be to you and grace from Him  
Who freed us from our sin  
Who loved us all, and shed his blood  
That we might saved be.  
Sing holy, holy to our Lord  
The Lord almighty God Who was and is, and is to come  
Sing holy, holy Lord.  
Rejoice in heaven,  
all ye that dwell therein  
Rejoice on earth, ye saints below  
For Christ is coming,  
Is coming soon  
For Christ is coming soon.  
E'en so Lord Jesus quickly come  
And night shall be no more  
They need no light, no lamp, nor sun  
For Christ will be their All!*



Come thou long\_\_ ex - spect - ed Je - sus, born to set thy peo - ple free;  
Come to earth to taste our sad - ness, he whose glo - ries knew no end.



from our fears\_\_ and sins re - lease us, let us find our rest\_\_ in thee.  
By his life\_\_ he brings us glad - ness, our Re - deem - er, She - pherd, Friend.



Is - rael's strength and con - so - la - tion hope of all\_\_ the earth thou art.  
Leav - ing rich - es with - out num - ber born with - in\_\_ a cat - tle stall.



Dear de - sire\_\_ of ev - ery na - tion joy of ev - ery long - ing heart.  
This the e - ver - last - ing won - der: Christ was born the Lord of all.

**The sursum corda**

*Celebrant:* The Lord be with you.

*People:* **And with thy spirit.**

*Celebrant:* Lift up your hearts.

*People:* **We lift them up unto the Lord.**

*Celebrant:* Let us give thanks unto our Lord God.

*People:* **It is meet and right so to do.**

*Celebrant:*

It is very meet, right, and our bounden duty, that we should at all times and in all places give thanks unto thee, O Lord, holy Father, almighty, everlasting God. Because thou didst send thy beloved Son to redeem us from sin and death, and to make us heirs in him of everlasting life; that when he shall come again in power and great triumph to judge the world, we may without shame or fear rejoice to behold his appearing.

Therefore with Angels and Archangels, and with all the compa- ny of heaven, we laud and magnify thy glorious Name, evermore praising thee, and saying:

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly, Lord God of  
 Hosts: Hea - ven and earth are full of thy glo - ry. Glo -  
 - ry be to thee, O Lord Most High. Bless - ed is he that com - eth  
 in the name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est.



*All Kneel.*

Holy and gracious Father: In thine infinite love thou didst make us for thyself; and when we had sinned against thee and become subject to evil and death, thou of thy tender mercy didst send thine only Son Jesus Christ into the world for our salvation.

By the Holy Ghost and the Virgin Mary, he became flesh and dwelt among us. In obedience to thy will, he stretched out his arms upon the Cross and offered himself once for all, that by his suffering and death we might be saved. By his resurrection he broke the bonds of death, trampling Hell and Satan under his feet. As our great high priest, he ascended to thy right hand in glory, that we might come boldly unto the throne of grace.

In the night in which he was betrayed, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks unto thee, he brake it,\* and gave it to his disciples, saying, "Take, eat; this is my Body, which is given for you: Do this in remembrance of me."

Likewise, after supper, he took the cup; and when he had given thanks unto thee, he gave it to them, saying, "Drink, ye all, of this; for this is my Blood of the New Testament, which is shed for you and for many, for the remission of sins: Do this, as oft as ye shall drink it, in remembrance of me."

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

*Celebrant and People:*

**Christ has died.**

**Christ is risen.**

**Christ will come again.**

*The Celebrant continues:*

We celebrate the memorial of our redemption, O Father, in this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving, with these thy holy gifts, which we now offer unto thee.

Sanctify them, we beseech thee, by thy Word and Holy Spirit, that they may be for thy people the Body and Blood of thy Son Jesus Christ. Sanctify us also, that we may worthily receive this holy Sacrament and be made one body with him, that he may dwell in us and we in him. In the fullness of time, put all things in subjection under thy Christ, and bring us with all thy saints into the joy of thy heavenly kingdom, where we shall see our Lord face to face.

All this we ask through thy Son Jesus Christ: By whom, and with whom, and in whom, in the unity of the Holy Ghost, all honor and glory be unto thee, O Father Almighty, world without end. **AMEN.**

## The Lord's Prayer

*Celebrant:* And now as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to pray:

*People:* **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, for ever and ever. Amen.**

## The Fraction

*Celebrant:* Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us.

*People:* **Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.**

## The Prayer of Humble Access

*Celebrant and People:*

**We do not presume to come to this thy table, O merciful Lord, trusting in our own righteousness, but in thy manifold and great mercies. We are not worthy so much as to gather up the crumbs under thy table; but thou art the same Lord whose property is always to have mercy. Grant us, therefore, gracious Lord, so to eat the flesh of thy dear Son Jesus Christ, and to drink his blood, that our sinful bodies may be made clean by his body, and our souls washed through his most precious blood, and that we may evermore dwell in him, and he in us. Amen.**

## Invitation to Communion

### Communion Instructions

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*All baptized Christians, regardless of denomination, are welcome to receive the real and living presence of Christ in this Holy Communion. Anyone may come forward for a blessing in lieu of Communion.*

*Please indicate your desire for a blessing by crossing your arms on your chest.*

*An usher will release the aisles to come forward for Communion. A verger will direct you to the altar rail where a priest will place a wafer in your hands. If you would like to dip the wafer into the wine, hold it so it is visible and the first chalice bearer will offer you the intinction chalice for you to do so. If you would like to drink from the common cup, consume the bread and drink from the chalice offered by the second chalice bearer.*

*Gluten-free wafers are available from the acolytes in front of the pulpit or the lectern. Once you have obtained your wafer, come to the priest for the words of administration.*

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O Lamb of God, that ta - kest a -  
 way the sins of the world, have mer - cy up -  
 on us. O Lamb of God, that  
 ta - kest a - way the sins of the world, have  
 mer - cy up - on us. O Lamb of  
 God, that ta - kest a - way the sins of the  
 world, grant us thy peace.

**Prayer Ministry:** *If you would like to be prayed for by a team of prayer ministers, after receiving communion, please proceed to the prayer ministry teams near the Liberty Cross in the transept near the large wooden door to classroom 201. You may form a line along the wall of the transept if necessary.*

1 Come with us, O bless - ed Je - sus, with us ev - er -  
 \*2 Come with us, O might - y Sa - vior, God from God, and  
 \*3 Come with us, O King of glo - ry, by an - gel - ic

more to be; and though leav - ing now thine  
 Light from Light; thou art God, thy glo - ry  
 voic - es praised; in our hearts as in thy

al - tar, let us nev - er - more leave thee.  
 veil - ing, so that we may bear the sight.  
 hea - ven, be en - rap - tured an - thems raised.



Be thou one with us for ev - er, in our life thy  
 Now we go to seek and serve thee, through our work as  
 Let the might - y cho - rus ev - er sing its glad ex -

love di - vine our own flesh and blood has  
 through our prayer; grant us light to see and  
 ul - tant songs; let its hymn be heard for

tak - en, and to us thou giv - est thine.  
 know thee, in thy peo - ple ev - ery - where.  
 ev - er— peace for which cre - a - tion longs.

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**Home Communion:** *If you cannot attend services at St. Peter's because you are home-bound or otherwise unable, we can bring Communion to you. Please contact our Lay Eucharistic Minister-Visitor Coordinator, Lori Thompson, at [loriandmichael1@gmail.com](mailto:loriandmichael1@gmail.com)*

Communion Music

*Wait for the Lord*

1. Wait for the Lord, his day is near. Wait for the

Lord: be strong, take heart.

Communion Music

*In Christ Alone*

In Christ a - lone my hope is found He is my  
 In Christ a - lone who took on flesh, ful - ness of  
 There in the ground His bod - y lay, Light of the  
 No guilt in life, no fear in death, this is the

light, my strength, my song; This cor - ner - stone, this sol - id  
 God in help - less babe! This gift of love and right - eous -  
 world by dark - ness slain; Then, burst - ing forth in glo - rious  
 pow'r of Christ in me; From life's first cry to fi - nal

ground, firm through the fierc - est drought and storm. What heights of  
 ness, scorned by the ones He came to save. Till on that  
 day, up from the grave He rose a - gain! And as He  
 breath, Je - sus com - mands my des - ti - ny. No pow'r of



love, what depths of peace, when fears are stilled when striv-ings cease. My com-fort-  
cross as Je - sus died, the wrath of God was sat - is - fied. For ev - 'ry  
stands in vic - to - ry, sin's curse has lost its grip on me; For I am  
hell, no scheme of man, can ev - er pluck me from His hand; Till he re-



er, my all in all, here in the love of Christ I stand.  
sin on Him was laid; Here in the death of Christ I live.  
His and He is mine, bought with the pre - cious blood of Christ.  
turns or calls me home, here in the pow'r of Christ I'll stand!

### **The Post Communion Prayer** *All Kneel.*

*Celebrant and People:*

**Almighty and everliving God, we most heartily thank thee for that thou dost feed us, in these holy mysteries, with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of thy Son our Savior Jesus Christ; and dost assure us, thereby, of thy favor and goodness towards us; and that we are very members incorporate in the mystical body of thy Son, the blessed company of all faithful people; and are also heirs, through hope, of thy everlasting kingdom. And we humbly beseech thee, O heavenly Father, so to assist us with thy grace, that we may continue in that holy fellowship, and do all such good works that thou hast prepared for us to walk in; through Jesus Christ our Lord, to whom, with thee and the Holy Ghost, be all honor and glory, world without end. Amen.**

### **The Blessing** *Remain Kneeling.*

*Descant*

2 Wak - ened by the sol - emn warn - ing, from earth's bond - age let us rise;  
 5 Hon - or, glo - ry, might, and bless - ing to the Fa - ther and the Son,

1 Hark! a thrill - ing voice is sound - ing: "Christ is nigh," it seems to say;  
 2 Wak - ened by the sol - emn warn - ing, from earth's bond - age let us rise;  
 3 Lo! the Lamb, so long ex - pect - ed, comes with par - don down from heaven;  
 4 so when next he comes with glo - ry, and the world is wrapped in fear,  
 5 Hon - or, glo - ry, might, and bless - ing to the Fa - ther and the Son,

2 Christ, our sun, all sloth dis - pel - ling, shines up - on the morn - ing skies.  
 5 with the ev - er - last - ing Spi - rit while un - end - ing a - ges run.

1 "Cast a - way the works of dark - ness, O ye child - ren of the day."  
 2 Christ, our sun, all sloth dis - pel - ling, shines up - on the morn - ing skies.  
 3 let us haste, with tears of sor - row, one and all to be for - given;  
 4 may he with his mer - cy shield us, and with words of love draw near.  
 5 with the ev - er - last - ing Spi - rit while un - end - ing a - ges run.

Words: Latin, ca. 6th cent.; tr. *Hymns Ancient and Modern*, 1861, alt. Music: *Merton*, William Henry Monk (1823-1889); desc. Alan Gray (1855-1935)  
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## The Dismissal

*The People:* **Thanks be to God.**

## Postlude









## SERVICES

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9AM SUNDAY\* | HOLY COMMUNION IN CONTEMPORARY LANGUAGE

11:15AM SUNDAY\* | HOLY COMMUNION IN TRADITIONAL LANGUAGE

5PM SUNDAY\* | EVENSONG WITH HOLY COMMUNION

12:10PM WEDNESDAY | HOLY COMMUNION & PRAYERS OF HEALING

7:30PM WEDNESDAY\* (DURING CLASS SEMESTER) | CHORAL COMPLINE

9AM MONDAY-FRIDAY | MORNING PRAYER

4:30PM MONDAY-THURSDAY | EVENING PRAYER

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