

October 17, 2021 8:30 am Service Time after Pentecost



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# Serving at the 8:30 am Worship Service:

Organist: Mary Ermel Cantor: Michele Neilson

FLC Sanctuary Choir Pat Anderson, Director Mary Ermel, Accompanist FLC Handbell Choir Barbara Horten, Director Dave Moklebust, Accompanist

Reader: Terri Veen

Today's gospel starts with disciples obsessing over who will be closest to Jesus, leading to Jesus teaching his followers about God's take on importance and power. Here Jesus makes it explicit that the reversal of values in God's community is a direct challenge to the values of the dominant culture, where wielding power over others is what makes you great. When we pray "your kingdom come" we are praying for an end to tyranny and oppression. We pray this gathered around the cross, a sign of great shame transformed to be the sign of great honor and service.

# HANDBELL PRELUDE "Sing to the Lord of Harvest" arr. Moklebust TOWER BELLS

#### WELCOME

#### **CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS**

Blessed be the holy Trinity, + one God, whose teaching is life, whose presence is sure, and whose love is endless.

Amen.

Let us confess our sins to the one who welcomes us with an open heart.

Silence is kept for reflection.

God our comforter:

like lost sheep, we have gone astray.

We gaze upon abundance and see scarcity.

We turn our faces away from injustice and oppression.

We exploit the earth with our apathy and greed.

Free us from our sin, gracious God.

Listen when we call out to you for help.

Lead us by your love to love our neighbors as ourselves.

Amen.

All have sinned and fall short of the glory of God.

By the gift of grace in + Christ Jesus, God makes you righteous.

Receive with glad hearts the forgiveness of all your sins.

Amen.



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#### APOSTOLIC GREETING

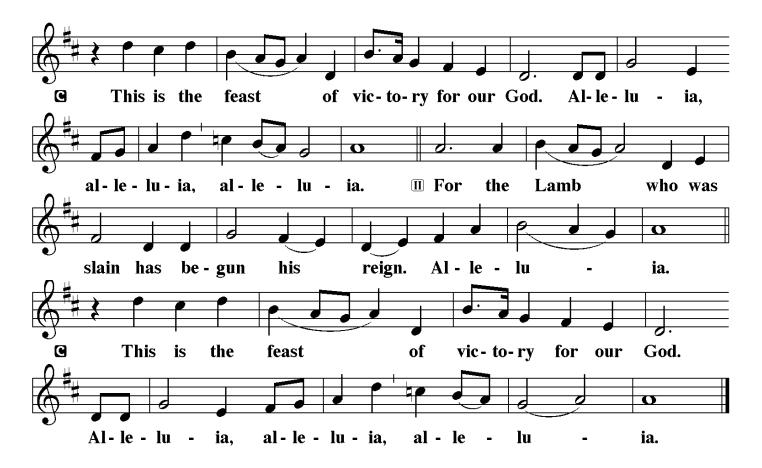
The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all. **And also with you.** 

## **KYRIE**



## THIS IS THE FEAST





#### PRAYER OF THE DAY

The Lord be with you.

# And also with you.

Let us pray. Sovereign God, you turn your greatness into goodness for all the peoples on earth. Shape us into willing servants of your kingdom, and make us desire always and only your will, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. **Amen.** 

# **OLD TESTAMENT READING: ISAIAH 53:4-12**

<sup>4</sup>Surely he has borne our infirmities and carried our diseases; yet we accounted him stricken, struck down by God, and afflicted. <sup>5</sup>But he was wounded for our transgressions, crushed for our iniquities; upon him was the punishment that made us whole, and by his bruises we are healed. <sup>6</sup>All we like sheep have gone astray; we have all turned to our own way, and the LORD has laid on him the iniquity of us all.

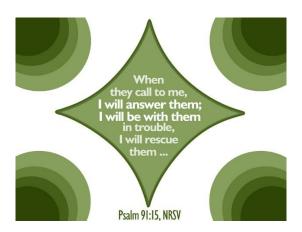
<sup>7</sup>He was oppressed, and he was afflicted, yet he did not open his mouth; like a lamb that is led to the slaughter, and like a sheep that before its shearers is silent, so he did not open his mouth. <sup>8</sup>By a perversion of justice he was taken away. Who could have imagined his future? For he was cut off from the land of the living, stricken for the transgression of my people.

<sup>9</sup>They made his grave with the wicked and his tomb with the rich, although he had done no violence, and there was no deceit in his mouth.

<sup>10</sup>Yet it was the will of the LORD to crush him with pain. When you make his life an offering for sin, he shall see his offspring, and shall prolong his days; through him the will of the LORD shall prosper. <sup>11</sup>Out of his anguish he shall see light; he shall find satisfaction through his knowledge. The righteous one, my servant, shall make many righteous, and he shall bear their iniquities. <sup>12</sup>Therefore I will allot him a portion with the great, and he shall divide the spoil with the strong; because he poured out himself to death, and was numbered with the transgressors; yet he bore the sin of many, and made intercession for the transgressors.

Word of God, Word of life.

#### Thanks be to God.



#### **RESPONSIVE PSALM 91:9-16**

<sup>9</sup>Because you have made the LORD your refuge, and the Most High your habitation,

<sup>10</sup>no evil will befall you, nor shall affliction come near your dwelling.

<sup>11</sup>For God will give the angels charge over you, to guard you in all your ways.

<sup>12</sup>Upon their hands they will bear you up,

lest you strike your foot against a stone.

<sup>13</sup>You will tread upon the lion cub and viper; you will trample down the lion and the serpent.

<sup>14</sup>I will deliver those who cling to me;

I will uphold them, because they know my name.

<sup>15</sup>They will call me, and I will answer them;

I will be with them in trouble; I will rescue and honor them.

<sup>16</sup>With long life will I satisfy them, and show them my salvation.

# **NEW TESTAMENT READING: HEBREWS 5:1-10**

<sup>1</sup>Every high priest chosen from among mortals is put in charge of things pertaining to God on their behalf, to offer gifts and sacrifices for sins. <sup>2</sup>He is able to deal gently with the ignorant and wayward, since he himself is subject to weakness; <sup>3</sup>and because of this he must offer sacrifice for his own sins as well as for those of the people. <sup>4</sup>And one does not presume to take this honor, but takes it only when called by God, just as Aaron was.

<sup>5</sup>So also Christ did not glorify himself in becoming a high priest, but was appointed by the one who said to him,

"You are my Son,

today I have begotten you";

<sup>6</sup>as he says also in another place,

"You are a priest forever,

according to the order of Melchizedek."

<sup>7</sup>In the days of his flesh, Jesus offered up prayers and supplications, with loud cries and tears, to the one who was able to save him from death, and he was heard because of his reverent submission. <sup>8</sup>Although he was a Son, he learned obedience through what he suffered; <sup>9</sup>and having been made perfect, he became the source of eternal salvation for all who obey him, <sup>10</sup>having been designated by God a high priest according to the order of Melchizedek.

Word of God, Word of life.

Thanks be to God.

#### CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

# **GOSPEL ACCLAMATION**





# **GOSPEL**

The word of God from St. Mark 10:35-45. Glory to you, O Lord.

<sup>35</sup>James and John, the sons of Zebedee, came forward to him and said to him, "Teacher, we want you to do for us whatever we ask of you." <sup>36</sup>And he said to them, "What is it you want me to do for you?" <sup>37</sup>And they said to him, "Grant us to sit, one at your right hand and one at your left, in your glory." <sup>38</sup>But Jesus said to them, "You do not know what you are asking. Are you able to drink the cup that I drink, or be baptized with the baptism that I am baptized with?" <sup>39</sup>They replied, "We are able." Then Jesus said to them, "The cup that I drink you will drink; and with the baptism with which I am baptized, you will be baptized; <sup>40</sup>but to sit at my right hand or at my left is not mine to grant, but it is for those for whom it has been prepared."

<sup>41</sup>When the ten heard this, they began to be angry with James and John. <sup>42</sup>So Jesus called them and said to them, "You know that among the Gentiles those whom they recognize as their rulers lord it over them, and their great ones are tyrants over them. <sup>43</sup>But it is not so among you; but whoever wishes to become great among you must be your servant, <sup>44</sup>and whoever wishes to be first among you must be slave of all. <sup>45</sup>For the Son of Man came not to be served but to serve, and to give his life a ransom for many."

Word of God. Word of life.

Thanks be to God.



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# Holy Baptism of Briar Lauren Carsrud

#### **PRESENTATION**

Pastor God, who is rich in mercy and love, gives us a new birth into a living

hope through the sacrament of baptism. By water and the Word, God delivers us from sin and death and raises us to new life in Jesus Christ. We are united with all the baptized in the one body of Christ, anointed with the gift of the Holy Spirit, and joined in God's mission for the life

of the world.

Pastor Called by the Holy Spirit, trusting in the grace and love of God, parents,

do you desire to have Briar Lauren Carsrud baptized into Christ?

Parents I do.

Pastor As you bring Briar to receive the gift of baptism, you are entrusted with

responsibilities: to live with her among God's faithful people, bring her to the word of God and the holy supper, teach her the Lord's Prayer, the

Creed, and the Ten Commandments, place in her hands the holy

scriptures, and nurture her in faith and prayer, so that she may learn to trust God, proclaim Christ through word and deed, care for others and

the world God made, and work for justice and peace.

Pastor Do you promise to help Briar grow in the Christian faith and life?

Parents I do.

Pastor Sponsors, do you promise to nurture Briar in the Christian faith as you

are empowered by God's Spirit, and to help her live in the covenant of

baptism and in communion with the church?

Sponsors I do.

Pastor People of God, do you promise to support Briar and pray for her in her

new life in Christ?

Congregation We do.

#### PROFESSION OF FAITH

Pastor Do you renounce the devil and all the forces that defy God, the powers

of this world that rebel against God, and the ways of sin that draw you

from God?

Congregation I renounce them.

The presiding minister addresses the candidates and the assembly.

Pastor Do you believe in God the Father?

Congregation I believe in God, the Father almighty,

creator of heaven and earth.

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

Congregation 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.

Pastor Do you believe in God the Holy Spirit?

Congregation 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.

#### THANKSGIVING AT THE FONT

Pastor The Lord be with you.

Congregation And also with you.

Pastor Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

Congregation It is right to give our thanks and praise.

Pastor Blessed are you, holy God. You are the creator of the waters of the

earth. You are the fire of rebirth. You poured out your Spirit on

your people Israel.

You breathe life into our dry bones. Your Son Jesus promised to send the Spirit to us that the world may know your peace and truth. Pour out your Holy Spirit, and breathe new life into those who are here baptized. By your Spirit adopt us all as your children, through our Savior Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with you and the

Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Congregation Amen.

#### **BAPTISM**

Pastor I baptize you, Briar Lauren Carsrud, in the name of the Father, and

of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

**Pastor** 

Let us pray. We give you thanks, O God, that through water and the Holy Spirit you give your daughters and sons new birth, cleanse them from sin, and raise them to eternal life. Sustain Briar with the gift of your Holy Spirit: 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, both now and forever. Amen.

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

Congregation

You belong to Christ, in whom you have been baptized. Alleluia.

#### WELCOME

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

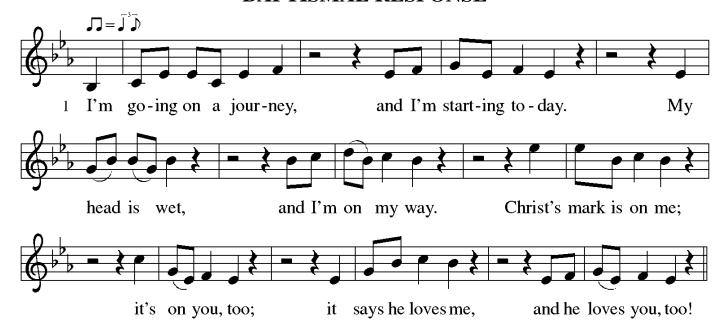
Pastor Let us welcome the newly baptized.

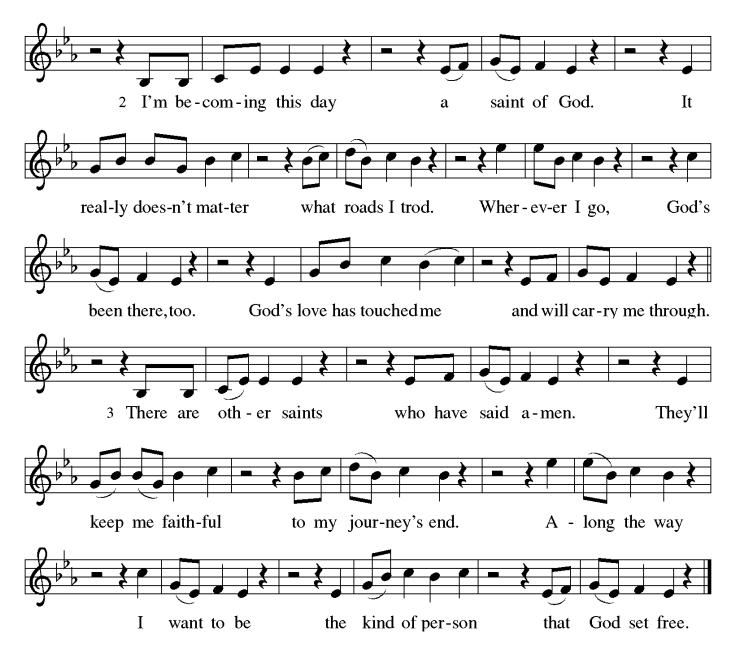
Congregation

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.

# **BAPTISMAL RESPONSE**





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#### PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

Set free from sin and death and nourished by the word of truth, we join in prayer for all of God's creation.

# A brief silence.

Holy One, for the gift of the church handed down through the ages and for all who carry on the servant ministry of Jesus, we praise you. Send your Holy Spirit upon all who are discerning calls to ministry in its many forms and equip them with your gifts. We pray for First Lutheran, Ascension Lutheran, and the University Lutheran Center. Hear us, O God. **Your mercy is great.** 

Creating One, for the lush and abundant habitat you provide for all your creatures, we praise you. Provide healing for the earth so that waterfowl, reptiles, wild horses, dolphins, and all living things flourish as you intend. Hear us, O God.

# Your mercy is great.

Suffering One, for all who work toward peace and who lead nations with a servant's heart, we praise you. Bring justice for all who suffer violence, persecution, discrimination, hunger, poverty, and homelessness, and create places of refuge for all people. Hear us, O God. **Your mercy is great.** 

Merciful One, for all who do the work of healing in mind, body, and spirit, we praise you. Surround and comfort all who struggle with depression, anxiety, cancer, diabetes, dementia, or any illness, especially Justin Pederson, Vern Voelzke, Donna Steenson, Melvin, Lethe, Bob, Dee, Amanda and Doris, that all may be healed. Hear us, O God. **Your mercy is great.** 

Sustaining One, for all who volunteer for the vitality of this congregation, we praise you. Strengthen and encourage greeters, ushers, office volunteers, bakers, counters, committee and group leaders, teachers, students, evangelists, singers, builders, nurturers, and all who serve with generous hearts. Hear us, O God.

# Your mercy is great.

Here other intercessions may be offered.

Risen One, we thank you for those who have shaped your church and shared your gospel. Through the witness of your saints, continue to inspire us with hope until we all are gathered at your eternal feast. Bless Briar and Baylor, their parents and godparents, and all those in their family both present and absent. Hear us, O God. **Your mercy is great.** 

Confident that you hear us, O God, we boldly place our prayers into your hands; through Jesus Christ, our truth and life.

Amen.



#### **PEACE**

The peace of the LORD be with you always.

And also with you.

Let me be a splash of water falling on a thirsty land; Let me be a touch of comfort that calms a trembling hand; Ev'ry day, Spirit move through me; Hear my prayer: I'm asking, Father, please.

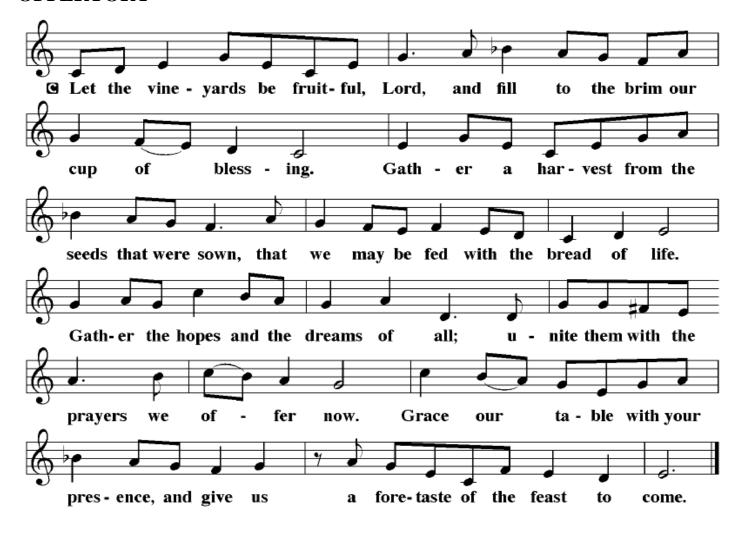
A servant's heart, a servant's heart, give to me a servant's heart; Help me be Your hands and feet. Lord, please grant a servant's heart.

Let me be a word of promise to the one who cannot speak; Let me be a friend so faithful to the lonely and the meek. Ev'ry day, Spirit move through me; Hear by prayer: I'm asking, Father, please.

A servant's heart, a servant's heart. Give to me a servant's heart; Help me be Your hands and feet. Lord, please grant a servant's heart.

Thank you for your continuing, faithful commitment to be a steward of God's gifts.

#### **OFFERTORY**



#### OFFERTORY PRAYER

God of abundance, you cause streams to break forth in the desert and manna to rain from the heavens. Accept the gifts you have first given us. Unite them with the offering of our lives to nourish the world you love so dearly; through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. **Amen.** 

#### **GREAT THANKSGIVING**

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.

#### THE LORD'S PRAYER

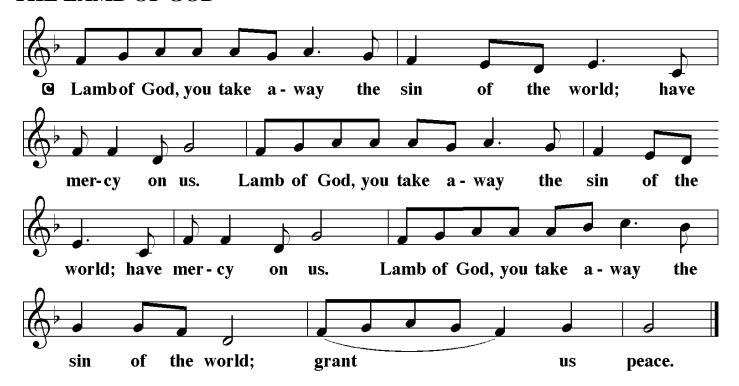
Our Father, who art in heaven,
hallowed be thy name.
Thy kingdom come, thy will be done,
on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread,
and forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those who trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom,
and the power, and the glory,
Forever and ever. Amen.

#### INVITATION TO COMMUNION

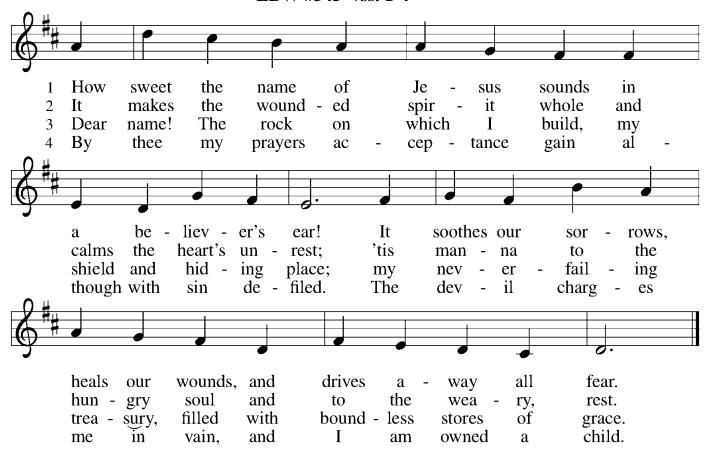
All who hunger and thirst, come. The table is ready.

The body of Christ, given for you. The blood of Christ, shed for you.

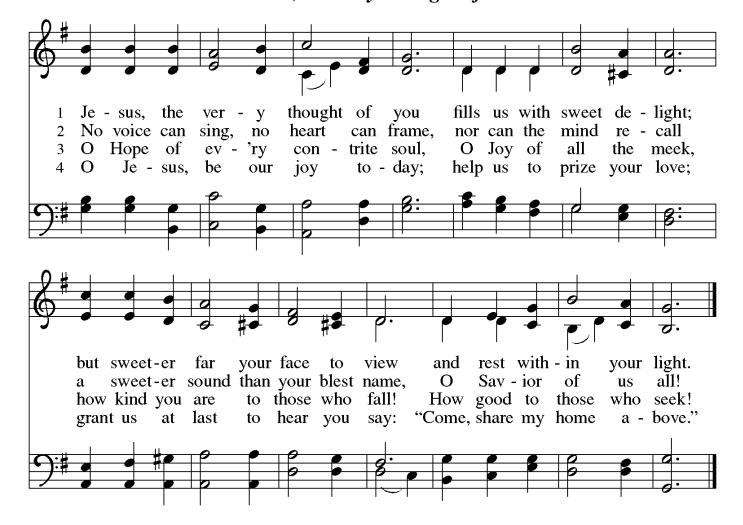
#### THE LAMB OF GOD



# COMMUNION MUSIC "How Sweet the Name of Jesus Sounds" LBW #345 vss. 1-4



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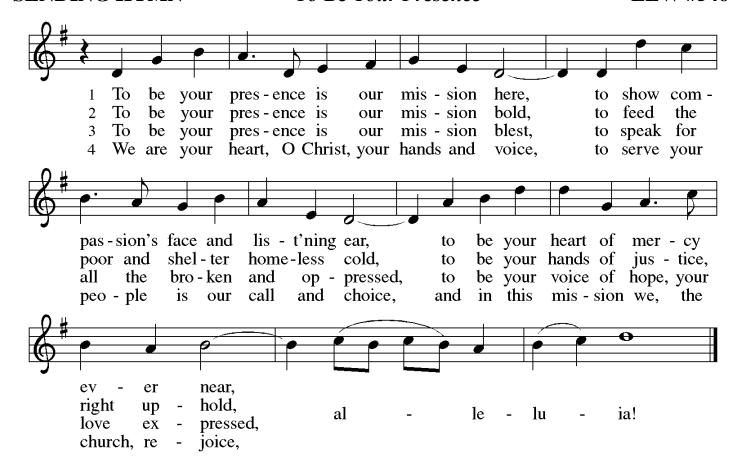
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#### POST COMMUNION BLESSING

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

#### BENEDICTION

People of God, you are Christ's body, bringing new life to a suffering world. The holy Trinity, + one God, bless you now and forever. **Amen.** 



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#### **DISMISSAL**

Go in peace. The living Word dwells in you.

Thanks be to God.

#### **POSTLUDE**

# "Lead On, O King Eternal"

**Gilbert Martin** 

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