



St. Peter's Anglican Church  
Loveland, CO

HOLY EUCHARIST  
*6th Sunday of Epiphany*  
&  
*World Mission Sunday*

WELCOME  
IN THE NAME OF OUR LORD  
JESUS CHRIST



February 12, 2023

## Announcements

### Prelude

#### Processional: Lift High the Cross – Hymn # 473

Refrain:

Lift high the cross,  
The love of Christ proclaim  
Till all the world adore  
His sacred Name.

Led on their way by this triumphant sign,  
The hosts of God in conquering ranks combine.

(Refrain)

Each new-born servant of the Crucified  
Bears on the brow the seal of him who died.

(Refrain)

O Lord, once lifted on the glorious tree,  
As thou hast promised, draw the world to thee.

(Refrain)

So shall our song of triumph ever be:  
Praise to the Crucified for victory.

(Refrain)

*Celebrant:* I will make you as a light for the nations,

*People:* **That my salvation may reach to the end  
of the earth.**

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

*Deacon/Priest:* Hear what our Lord Jesus Christ says:

You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart  
and with all your soul and with all your mind. This is  
the first and great commandment. And the second is  
like it: You shall love your neighbor as yourself. On  
these two commandments depend 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.

## Canticle 20, Glory to God: Gloria in Excelsis – S280

Glory to God in the highest,  
And peace to his people on earth.  
Lord God, heavenly King,  
Almighty God and Father,  
We worship you, we give you thanks,  
We praise you for your glory.  
Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father,  
Lord God, Lamb of God,  
You take away the sin of the world;  
Have mercy on us;  
You are seated at the right hand of the Father;  
Receive our prayer.  
For you alone are the Holy One,  
You alone are the Lord,  
You alone are the Most High,  
Jesus Christ,  
With the Holy Spirit,  
In the glory of God the Father. Amen.

*Celebrant:* The Lord be with you.

*People:* **And with your spirit.**

*Celebrant:* Let us pray:

### Collect for the Day

*Celebrant:* Almighty God, through the outpouring of  
the Holy Spirit, you revealed the way of eternal life to  
every race and nation: Pour out this gift anew, that by  
the preaching of the Gospel your salvation may reach  
to the ends of the earth; through Jesus Christ our Lord,  
who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy  
Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

(The people may sit.)

### The First Lesson: Isaiah 49:1-7

1 Listen to me, O coastlands, and give attention, you  
peoples from afar. The Lord called me from the womb,  
from the body of my mother he named my name. 2 He  
made my mouth like a sharp sword; in the shadow of  
his hand he hid me; he made me a polished arrow; in  
his quiver he hid me away. 3 And he said to me, "You  
are my servant, Israel, in whom I will be glorified." 4  
But I said, "I have labored in vain; I have spent my  
strength for nothing and vanity; yet surely my right is  
with the Lord and my recompense with my God." 5  
And now the Lord says, he who formed me from the  
womb to be his servant, to bring Jacob back to him; and  
that Israel might be gathered to him—for I am honored  
in the eyes of the Lord, and my God has become my

strength— 6 he says: “It is too light a thing that you should be my servant to raise up the tribes of Jacob and to bring back the preserved of Israel; I will make you as a light for the nations, that my salvation may reach to the end of the earth.” 7 Thus says the Lord, the Redeemer of Israel and his Holy One, to one deeply despised, abhorred by the nation, the servant of rulers: “Kings shall see and arise; princes, and they shall prostrate themselves; because of the Lord, who is faithful, the Holy One of Israel, who has chosen you.”

*Reader:* The Word of the Lord.

*All:* **Thanks be to God.**

### **The Psalm 67**

*Deus misereatur*

1 May God be merciful unto us, and **ble**ss us, \*  
and show us the light of his countenance, and be  
merci-/ful un-to us.

2 Let your way be known upon **earth**, \*  
your saving health a-/mong all **na**-tions.

3 Let the peoples praise you, O **God**; \*  
indeed, let all the / peo-ples **pr**aise you.

4 O let the nations rejoice and be **glad**, \*  
for you shall judge the peoples righteously, and  
govern the na-/tions up-on earth.

5 Let the peoples praise you, O **God**; \*  
let all the / peo-ples **pr**aise you.

6 Then shall the earth bring forth her **in**-crease, \*  
and God, even our own God, shall give / us his  
**ble**ss-ing.

7 God shall **ble**ss us, \*  
and all the ends of the / world shall **fe**ar him.

*All: Glory be to the Father, and to the Son,  
and/ to the Holy Ghost*

*As it was in the beginning, is now,  
and shall be for/ever A-men.*

### **The Second Lesson: 1 Corinthians 3:1-9**

1 But I, brothers, could not address you as spiritual people, but as people of the flesh, as infants in Christ.

2 I fed you with milk, not solid food, for you were not ready for it. And even now you are not yet ready, 3 for you are still of the flesh. For while there is jealousy and strife among you, are you not of the flesh and behaving only in a human way? 4 For when one says, “I follow Paul,” and another, “I follow Apollos,” are you not being merely human? 5 What then is Apollos? What is Paul? Servants through whom you believed, as the Lord assigned to each. 6 I planted, Apollos watered, but God gave the growth. 7 So neither he who plants nor

he who waters is anything, but only God who gives the growth. 8 He who plants and he who waters are one, and each will receive his wages according to his labor. 9 For we are God's fellow workers. You are God's field, God's building.

*Reader:* The Word of the Lord.

*All:* **Thanks be to God.**

*(Please stand as you are able.)*

### **O Wondrous Type! O Vision Fair – H# 137 (V. 1-3)**

O wondrous type! O vision fair  
Of glory that the Church may share,  
Which Christ upon the mountain shows,  
Where brighter than the sun he glows!

With Moses and Elijah nigh  
The incarnate Lord holds converse high;  
And from the cloud, the Holy One  
Bears record to the only Son.

With shining face and bright array,  
Christ deigns to manifest today  
What glory shall be theirs above  
Who joy in God with perfect love.

*Deacon or Priest:* The Holy Gospel of our Lord, Jesus Christ according to Saint Matthew.

*All:* **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

### **The Holy Gospel: Matthew 5:21-37**

21 “You have heard that it was said to those of old, ‘You shall not murder; and whoever murders will be liable to judgment.’ 22 But I say to you that everyone who is angry with his brother will be liable to judgment; whoever insults his brother will be liable to the council; and whoever says, ‘You fool!’ will be liable to the hell of fire. 23 So if you are offering your gift at the altar and there remember that your brother has something against you, 24 leave your gift there before the altar and go. First be reconciled to your brother, and then come and offer your gift. 25 Come to terms quickly with your accuser while you are going with him to court, lest your accuser hand you over to the judge, and the judge to the guard, and you be put in prison. 26 Truly, I say to you, you will never get out until you have paid the last penny. 27 “You have heard that it was said, ‘You shall not commit adultery.’ 28 But I say to you that everyone who looks at a woman with lustful intent has already committed adultery with her in his heart. 29 If your right eye causes you to sin, tear it out and throw it away. For it is better that you

lose one of your members than that your whole body be thrown into hell. 30 And if your right hand causes you to sin, cut it off and throw it away. For it is better that you lose one of your members than that your whole body go into hell. 31 “It was also said, ‘Whoever divorces his wife, let him give her a certificate of divorce.’ 32 But I say to you that everyone who divorces his wife, except on the ground of sexual immorality, makes her commit adultery, and whoever marries a divorced woman commits adultery. 33 “Again you have heard that it was said to those of old, ‘You shall not swear falsely, but shall perform to the Lord what you have sworn.’ 34 But I say to you, Do not take an oath at all, either by heaven, for it is the throne of God, 35 or by the earth, for it is his footstool, or by Jerusalem, for it is the city of the great King. 36 And do not take an oath by your head, for you cannot make one hair white or black. 37 Let what you say be simply ‘Yes’ or ‘No’; anything more than this comes from evil.

*Deacon or Priest:* The Gospel of the Lord.

**All: Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

***O Wondrous Type! O Vision Fair – H# 137 (V. 4-5)***

And faithful hearts are raised on high  
By this great vision’s mystery;  
For which in joyful strains we raise  
The voice of prayer, the hymn of praise.

O Father, with the eternal Son,  
And Holy Spirit, ever One,  
Vouchsafe to bring us by thy grace  
To see thy glory face to face.

***The Sermon***

*Deacon or Priest:* Let us confess our faith in the words of the Nicene Creed.

**All: 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.**

*(Please kneel, stand, or sit as you are able.)*

***Prayers of the People***

*Deacon or Priest:* Let us pray for the Church and for the world, saying, “hear our prayer.”

*Intercessor:* For the peace of the whole world, and for the well-being and unity of the people of God.

*(Please offer your prayers, either out loud or silently.)*

*Intercessor:* Lord, in your mercy:

**People: Hear our prayer.**

*Intercessor:* For our Archbishop, Dr. Foley Beach; for our Bishop, Dr. Bill Atwood; for our Rector, Father Matt Rucker, and for our assisting clergy: Father Bill Easterling, and Deacon Larry Doyle.

*(Please offer your prayers, either out loud or silently.)*

*Intercessor:* Lord, in your mercy:

**People: Hear our prayer.**

*Intercessor:* For all those who proclaim the Gospel at home and abroad; and for all who teach and disciple others including those we serve in our Outreach Programs, naming especially Samaritan’s Purse, Operation Christmas Child, and Voice of the Martyrs.

*(Please offer your prayers, either out loud or silently.)*

*Intercessor:* Lord, in your mercy:

**People: Hear our prayer.**

*Intercessor:* For our brothers and sisters in Christ who are persecuted for their faith.

*(Please offer your prayers, either out loud or silently.)*

*Intercessor:* Lord, in your mercy:

**People:** Hear our prayer.

*Intercessor:* For our nation, for those in authority, and for all in public service, especially our President, Joseph, and our Governor, Jared. Give them a discerning heart and a wise mind to lead and serve as God desires. We also pray for those in our armed forces serving our country both home and abroad.

*(Please offer your prayers, either out loud or silently.)*

*Intercessor:* Lord, in your mercy:

**People:** Hear our prayer.

*Intercessor:* For all those who are in trouble, sorrow, or any other adversity, naming especially the many thousands of victims of the earthquake centered in Turkey. Heavenly Father, be gracious to those who are mourning, who are now homeless, hungry, and hopeless. Give grace to rescue teams, and be nearest to those who are suffering most.

*(Please offer your prayers, either out loud or silently.)*

*Intercessor:* Lord, in your mercy:

**People:** Hear our prayer.

*Intercessor:* For all the blessings of this life and for the many reasons we have to give thanks, especially for those celebrating *Birthdays:* Kate Berg (*Zeteo*) (02/15), Grayson Horlings (02/18).

*(Please offer your prayers, either out loud or silently.)*

*Intercessor:* Lord, in your mercy:

**People:** Hear our prayer.

*Intercessor:* For all those who have departed this life in the certain hope of the resurrection, in thanksgiving let us pray.

*(Please offer your prayers, either out loud or silently.)*

*Intercessor:* Lord, in your mercy:

**People:** Hear our prayer.

*(Additional petitions may be made during this moment of silence.)*

*Deacon or Priest:* Heavenly Father, grant these our prayers for the sake of Jesus Christ, our only Mediator and Advocate, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **Amen.**

*Deacon or Priest:* Let us humbly confess our sins to Almighty God.

**All: 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 loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your Name. Amen.**

*Celebrant:* Almighty God, our heavenly Father, who in his great mercy has promised forgiveness of sins to all those who sincerely repent and with true faith turn to 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.**

Hear the Word of God to all who truly turn to him:

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

*Matthew 11:28*

God so loved the world, that he gave his only-begotten Son, that whoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life.

*John 3:16*

The saying is trustworthy and deserving of full acceptance, that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners.

*I Timothy 1:15*

If anyone sins, we have an advocate with the Father, Jesus Christ the righteous. He is the propitiation for our sins, and not for ours only, but also for the sins of the whole world.

*I John 2:1-2*

*(Please stand as you are able.)*

### **The Peace**

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

**All: And with your spirit.**

### **The Offering**

*“Walk in love, as Christ loved us and gave himself up for us, a fragrant offering and sacrifice to God”.*

*Ephesians 5:2*

*(Please stand as you are able.)*

### **Offertory: At the Name of Jesus - Hymn # 435**

At the Name of Jesus every knee shall bow,  
Every tongue confess him King of glory now;  
'Tis the Father's pleasure we should call him Lord  
Who from the beginning was the mighty Word.

Humbled for a season, to receive a Name  
From the lips of sinners, unto whom he came,  
Faithfully he bore it spotless to the last,  
Brought it back victorious, when from death he passed;

Bore it up triumphant, with its human light,  
Through all ranks of creatures, to the central height,  
To the throne of Godhead, to the Father's breast;  
Filled it with the glory of that perfect rest.

Name him, Christians, name him,  
With love strong as death,  
Name with awe and wonder and with bated breath;  
He is God the Savior, He is Christ the Lord,  
Ever to be worshiped, trusted, and adored.

In your hearts enthrone him; there let him subdue  
All that is not holy, all that is not true;  
Crown him as your Captain in temptation's hour;  
Let his will enfold you in its light and power.

### **The Doxology**

*Praise God from whom all blessings flow  
Praise Him all creatures here below  
Praise Him above ye heavenly hosts.  
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.*

*Celebrant:* Yours, O Lord, is the greatness, and the power, and the glory, and the victory, and the majesty: for everything in heaven and on earth is yours; yours is the Kingdom, O Lord, and you are exalted as Head above all. All things come from you, O Lord,

**People:** **And of your own have we given you.**

*1 Chronicles 29:11, 14*

### **The Great Thanksgiving**

*Celebrant:* The Lord be with you.

**People:** **And with your spirit.**

*Celebrant:* Lift up your hearts.

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

*Celebrant:* Let us give thanks to the Lord Our God.

**People:** **It is right to give him thanks and praise.**

*Celebrant:* It is right, our duty and our joy, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth.

*(Proper Preface)* Through Jesus Christ our Lord, who took on our mortal flesh to reveal his glory; that he might bring us out of darkness and into his own glorious light.

Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

### **The Sanctus (Holy, Holy, Holy Lord) – S # 129**

*Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,  
heaven and earth are full of your glory.  
Hosanna in the highest.*

*Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.  
Hosanna in the highest.*

*(The people may kneel, stand, or sit.)*

*Celebrant:* Holy and gracious Father: In your infinite love you made us for yourself; and when we had sinned against you and become subject to evil and death, you, in your mercy, sent your only Son Jesus Christ into the world for our salvation.

By the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary he became flesh and dwelt among us. In obedience to your 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 your right hand in glory, that we might come with confidence before the throne of grace.

On the night that he was betrayed, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks, he broke 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, Jesus took the cup, and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, saying, "Drink this, all of you; for this is my Blood of the New Covenant, which is shed for you, and for many, for the forgiveness of sins: Whenever you drink it, do this in remembrance of me."

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

**All: Christ has died.**

**Christ is risen.**

**Christ will come again.**

*Celebrant:* We celebrate the memorial of our redemption, O Father, in this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving, and we offer you these gifts.

Sanctify them by your Word and Holy Spirit to be for your people the Body and Blood of your 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 your Christ, and bring us with all your saints into the joy of your heavenly kingdom, where we shall see our Lord face to face.

All this we ask through your Son Jesus Christ: By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and forever. **Amen.**

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

**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.**

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

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

*(Please kneel or stand as you are able.)*

### *Prayer of Humble Access*

**All: We do not presume to come to this your table,  
O merciful Lord, trusting in our own righteousness,  
but in your abundant and great mercies. We are not  
worthy so much as to gather up the crumbs under  
your table; but you are the same Lord whose  
character is always to have mercy. Grant us,  
therefore, gracious Lord, so to eat the flesh of your  
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.**

### *The Fraction Anthem - S # 167*

*(The musicians will sing the Antiphon once. Then, the  
congregation is invited to repeat the Antiphon and join  
the musicians in singing the remainder of the song.)*

*Antiphon:*

*The disciples knew the Lord Jesus  
In the breaking of the bread.*

The bread which we break, alleluia,  
Is the communion of the body of Christ. (Ant.)

One body are we, alleluia,  
For though many we share one bread. (Ant.)

*Celebrant:* The gifts of God for the People of God.  
Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you,  
and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with  
thanksgiving.

*(You may kneel, stand, or sit during Communion.)*

### *Communion Hymns*

#### *Bonhoeffer's Prayer*

Lord, early in the morning, we cry unto You.  
In You, there is light, when I cannot see.  
In you, there is love, patience, and peace.  
Lord, I do not understand Your ways,  
But You know the way for me.

#### *The Risen Christ*

*(Getty)*

O Breath of God, come fill this place  
Revive our hearts to know Your grace  
And from our slumber make us rise  
That we may know the risen Christ

O Word of God so clear and true  
Renew our minds to trust in You  
And give to us the Bread of Life  
That we may know the risen Christ

O Love of God, so unrestrained  
Refresh our souls in Jesus' name  
Let us reflect Your sacrifice  
That we may know the risen Christ

May God the Father, God the Son,  
And God the Spirit make us one  
In holiness, let us unite  
That we may know the risen Christ

#### *Jesus, Thou Joy of Loving Hearts*

Jesus, Thou Joy of loving hearts,  
Thou Fount of life, Thou Light of men,  
From the best bliss that earth imparts,  
We turn unfilled to Thee again.

Thy truth unchanged hath ever stood;  
Thou savest those that on Thee call;  
To them that seek Thee Thou art good,  
To them that find Thee all in all.

*Chorus:*

*We taste Thee, O Thou living Bread,  
And long to feast upon Thee still;  
We drink of Thee, the Fountainhead,  
And thirst our souls from Thee to fill.*

Our restless spirits yearn for Thee,  
Wherever our changeful lot is cast;  
Glad when Thy gracious smile we see,  
Blessed when our faith can hold Thee fast.

*(Chorus)*

O Jesus, ever with us stay,  
Make all our moments calm and bright;  
Chase the dark night of sin away,  
Shed over the world Thy holy light.

*Chorus:*

*We taste Thee, O Thou living Bread,  
And long to feast upon Thee still;  
We drink of Thee, the Fountainhead,  
And thirst our souls from Thee to fill.*

**By Faith**

*(Getty)*

By faith we see the hand of God  
In the light of creation's grand design  
In the lives of those who prove His faithfulness  
Who walk by faith and not by sight

By faith our fathers roamed the earth  
With the power of His promise in their hearts  
Of a holy city built by God's own hand  
A place where peace and justice reign

*Chorus:*

*We will stand as children of the promise  
We will fix our eyes on Him our soul's reward  
Till the race is finished and the work is done  
We'll walk by faith and not by sight*

By faith the prophets saw a day  
When the longed-for Messiah would appear  
With the power to break the chains of sin and death  
And rise triumphant from the grave

By faith the church was called to go  
In the power of the Spirit to the lost  
To deliver captives and to preach good news  
In every corner of the earth

*(Chorus)*

By faith this mountain shall be moved  
And the power of the gospel shall prevail  
For we know in Christ all things are possible  
For all who call upon His name

*(Chorus 2x)*

**Post Communion Prayer**

*Celebrant:* Let us pray.

**All: Heavenly Father, we thank you for feeding us with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ; and for assuring us in these holy mysteries that we are living members of the body of your Son, and heirs**

**of your eternal Kingdom. And now, Father, send us out to do the work you have given us to do, to love and serve you as faithful witnesses of Christ our Lord. To him, to you, and to the Holy Spirit, be honor and glory, now and forever. Amen.**

**The Blessing**

*Celebrant:* The peace of God, which passes all understanding, keep your hearts and minds in the knowledge and love of God, and of his Son Jesus Christ our Lord; and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you, and remain with you always. **Amen.**

**Recessional: O Zion, Haste, Thy Mission High Fulfilling - Hymn # 539**

O Zion, haste, thy mission high fulfilling,  
To tell to all the world that God is Light;  
That he who made all nations is not willing  
One soul should fail to know his love and might.

*Refrain:*

*Publish glad tidings:  
Tidings of peace,  
Tidings of Jesus,  
Redemption and release.*

Proclaim to every people, tongue, and nation  
That God, in whom they live and move, is Love:  
Tell how he stooped to save his lost creation,  
And died on earth that all might live above.

*(Refrain)*

Send heralds forth to bear the message glorious;  
Give of thy wealth to speed them on their way;  
Pour out thy soul for them in prayer victorious  
Till God shall bring his kingdom's joyful day.

*(Refrain)*

He comes again! O Zion, ere thou meet him,  
Make known to every heart his saving grace;  
Let none whom he hath ransomed fail to greet him,  
Through thy neglect, unfit to see his face.

*(Refrain)*

**The Dismissal**

*Deacon or Priest:* Alleluia, alleluia. Let us go forth in the name of Christ.

*People:* **Thanks be to God. Alleluia, alleluia.**