



KNOWING *the Savior*
ALIGNING *with the Lord*
SEEING *the Kingdom come*

Nineteenth Sunday after Pentecost

Sunday, October 11, 2020

Order of Worship

Welcome and Announcements

Opening Hymn: O Worship the King

Hanover

O worship the King, all glorious above! O gratefully sing his power and his love!
Our Shield and Defender, the Ancient of Days, pavilioned in splendor, and girded with praise.

O tell of his might! O sing of his grace! Whose robe is the light, whose canopy space,
His chariots of wrath the deep thunderclouds form, and dark is his path on the wings of the storm.

Thy bountiful care, what tongue can recite? It breathes in the air; it shines in the light;
it streams from the hills, it descends to the plain, and sweetly distills in the dew and the rain.

Frail children of dust, and feeble as frail, in thee do we trust, nor find thee to fail;
thy mercies how tender! how firm to the end! Our Maker, Defender, Redeemer, and Friend!

Officiant: Blessed be God: the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit.

People: And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.

The officiant begins by reading an opening sentence of Scripture.

Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ. *Philippians 1:2*

The officiant says to the people:

Let us humbly confess our sins to Almighty God.

The Confession of Sin

Almighty and most merciful Father, we have erred and strayed from your ways like lost sheep. We have followed too much the devices and desires of our own hearts. We have offended against your holy laws. We have left undone those things which we ought to have done, and we have done those things which we ought not to have done; and apart from your grace, there is no health in us. O Lord, have mercy upon us. Spare all those who confess their faults. Restore all those who are

penitent, according to your promises declared to all people in Christ Jesus our Lord. And grant, O most merciful Father, for his sake, that we may now live a godly, righteous, and sober life, to the glory of your holy Name. Amen.

The priest says:

The Almighty and merciful Lord grant you absolution and remission of all your sins, true repentance, amendment of life, and the grace and consolation of his Holy Spirit. **Amen.**

Invitatory

Officiant: O Lord, open our lips;

People: And our mouth shall proclaim your praise.

Officiant: O God, make speed to save us;

People: O Lord, make haste to help us.

Officiant: Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit;

People: As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

Officiant: Praise the Lord.

People: The Lord's Name be praised.

The officiant and people say:

Jubilate

Be Joyful

*O be joyful in the Lord, all you lands;
serve the Lord with gladness,
and come before his presence with a song.*

*Be assured that the Lord, he is God;
it is he that has made us, and not we ourselves;
we are his people, and the sheep of his pasture.*

*O go your way into his gates with thanksgiving,
and into his courts with praise;
be thankful unto him, and speak good of his Name.*

*For the Lord is gracious, his mercy is everlasting,
and his truth endures from generation to generation.*

Psalm 100

First Reading: 1 Samuel 8:1-9

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

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

People: Glory to you, Lord Christ.

The Gospel: Matthew 22:1-14

Reader: The Gospel of the Lord.

People: *Praise to you, Lord Christ.*

Sermon: "Like All the Nations"

The Rev. Shay Gaillard

Sermon Hymn: This Is Amazing Grace

Who breaks the power of sin and darkness
Whose love is mighty and so much stronger
The King of Glory the King above all kings
Who shakes the whole earth with holy thunder
Who leaves us breathless in awe and wonder
The King of Glory the King above all kings

Chorus: This is amazing grace
This is unfailing love
That You would take my place
That You would bear my cross
You laid down Your life
That I would be set free
Oh, Jesus I sing for all that You've done for me

Who brings our chaos back into order
Who makes the orphan a son and daughter
The King of Glory the King of Glory
Who rules the nations with truth and justice
Shines like the sun in all of its brilliance
The King of Glory the King above all kings

Sing Chorus

Worthy is the Lamb who was slain
Worthy is the King who conquered the grave
Worthy is the Lamb who was slain
Worthy is the King who conquered the grave
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Worthy is the King who conquered the grave
Worthy is the Lamb who was slain
Worthy worthy worthy

Sing Chorus

Worthy is the Lamb who was slain, worthy

The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord. He was conceived by the Holy Spirit and born of the Virgin Mary. He 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, and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again 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.

Officiant: The Lord be with you.

People: And with your spirit.

Officiant: Let us pray.

The Prayers

The Lord's Prayer

The Collect of the Day

The General Thanksgiving

Almighty God, Father of all mercies, we your unworthy servants give you humble thanks for all your goodness and loving-kindness to us and to all whom you have made. We bless you for our creation, preservation, and all the blessings of this life; but above all for your immeasurable love in the redemption of the world by our Lord Jesus Christ; for the means of grace, and for the hope of glory. And, we pray, give us such an awareness of your mercies, that with truly thankful hearts we may show forth your praise, not only with our lips, but in our lives, by giving up our selves to your service, and by walking before you in holiness and righteousness all our days; through Jesus Christ our Lord, to whom, with you and the Holy Spirit, be honor and glory throughout all ages. Amen.

The Grace

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit, be with us all evermore. *Amen.*

The Blessing

Closing Hymn: Lead On, O King Eternal

Lancashire

Lead on, O King eternal; The day of march has come;
Henceforth in fields of conquest, Thy tents shall be our home;
Through days of preparation, Thy grace has made us strong,
And now, O King eternal, We lift our battle song.

Lead on, O King eternal, Till sin's fierce war shall cease,
And holiness shall whisper, The sweet amen of peace;
For not with swords loud clashing, Nor roll of stirring drums,
But deeds of love and mercy, The heav'nly kingdom comes.

Lead on, O King eternal; We follow, not with fears;
For gladness breaks like morning, Where'er thy face appears.
Thy cross is lifted o'er us; We journey in its light;
The crown awaits the conquest; Lead on, O God of might!

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in honor of all those working to end the COVID-19 crisis.*

Participating in the service:

The Rev. Shay Gaillard, Rector

The Rev. Todd Simonis, Associate Rector for Small Groups and Missions

The Rt. Rev. Alden Hathaway, Bishop in Residence

Jeff Harbin, organist; Michael McIntyre, guitarist

Nicole Harbin, soprano

This Week's Prayer List

Let light perpetual shine upon them ...

Elizabeth Greve (Betty) Warwick

Please pray for all those who, in this transitory life, are in trouble, sorrow, need, sickness, or any other adversity, especially the following:

For those in our parish family: Elsa and Jere Ayers, Barigala Family, Doris Bland, Mary Grey Boatwright, Tedda Burton, Tamy Cargill, Susan Cato, Sarah Christofek, Jack Clark, Laura and Jonathan Councell, Carroll Crowther, Wyatt deTreville, Bill Elliott, John Ellsworth, Dolly Fulton, Frank Giammona, Kay Gorse, Angel Gray, Maude Hornsby, Lori and Bob Jackson, Ross and Celeste Jones, Carol Kamm, Chuck and Carole Knapp, Steve and Beverly Melvin, Margy Oehlert, Patrick O'Leary, Keith O'Neal, Doadie Parker, Anne Pinckney, Annie Pollak, Margaret Rodgers, Bill Schaphorst, Ric Schwank, Tommy Schwank, Lee Scott, Keith Strawn, Bill Thompson, George Trask, Jani Ubelis, Betty Walsh, and Ray Williams.

For extended family or friends of our parish family: Kenny Ackerman, Sally Babin, Peter Balsam, Jessica Bass, Eva, Ron and Francis Blais; Jan Bodnar, Danyel and Tim Bolding, Dakota Brindle, Ashley Bush, Ben Byrne, Andrea Cain, Jean Carlson, Harvey and Tiney Carter, Tadd Carver, Brendon Dasher, Ashley Demosthanes, Angela Devine, Zachariah Driggers, Bryce Ferry, Loren and Linda Fox, Bobby Frye, Veena Goburdhun, Brad Grove, Hume and Virginia Guerard, Christopher Hathaway, Linda Henson, Clint Heyd, Linda Heyd, Eddie Hipp, George Hull, Bill Hunt, Hyatt family, Crawford Kennedy, Steve King, Lou Lachicotte, Martha Lachicotte, Tammy Lentner and family, Anne Merritt, Zoran and Annie Misic, Milledge Morris, Wade and Peggy Otey, Eve Hipp Mills, Cheryl Parker, Katie Payne, Sarah Pergande, Stuart Mitchell Philp, Lucy Pizzo, Debbie Pollak, Carol Poore, Pete Pratt, Karen Ranieri, Joe Ritchie, Ron and Josie, Gray Segars, Schnieder family, Connie Chesnutt Simmons, Judy Smith, Debbie Steed, Lettie Stoops, Mary Sumner, Jon Thomforde, Christopher Thompson, Agnes Truluck, Jerome Walen, Owen Webb and David Willis.

For all our U.S. service members defending our country, especially the following who are deployed overseas: Tommy Bardenwerper, Robert Batts, Ryan Burns, Rodney Parker, and Michael Joseph Tollison.

For these expectant parents: Charmian and David Bixler, Laura and Jonathan Councell, Julia and CR Cumbee (via adoption), Eli and Will Flippen, Margaret and Sherwood Miler, Gracyn and William Myrick, Bradshaw and Jordan O'Farrell, Annika and Gray Segars, Gretchen and Jamie Sosnowski (via adoption), and Luci and Brendan Willmann.

For our foreign and local missionaries supported by St. Helena's: Fr. John, Kim, Philip, Roger and Joanne Griffin, Lacy, Marentes, Todd and Patsy McGregor, and Carolyn Wolfenbarger.

Names on the prayer list are the initial communication to the clergy of a need for prayer. In order to keep the list current, names remain on the list for 30 days. Expectant parents remain on the list until their children are born and deployed military until they return home. Please fill out an online Prayer Request form or call the church office at (843) 522-1712 to submit a prayer request and inform the clergy of hospitalizations.

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