

Water and Spirit

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May 24, 2026

THE DAY OF PENTECOST
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Divine Service Setting Three with Holy Communion

Stand

Come, Holy Ghost, Creator Blest

LSB 498



1 Come, Ho - ly Ghost, Cre - a - tor blest, And make
2 To You, the Coun - sel - or, we cry, To You,
3 In You, with grac - es sev - en - fold, We God's
4 Your light to ev - 'ry thought im - part, And shed



our hearts Your place of rest; Come with Your grace and
the gift of God Most High; The fount of life, the
al - might - y hand be - hold While You with tongues of
Your love in ev - 'ry heart; The weak - ness of our



heav'n-ly aid, And fill the hearts which You have made.
fire of love, The soul's a - noint - ing from a - bove.
fire pro - claim To all the world His ho - ly name.
mor - tal state With death - less might in - vig - or - ate.

5 Drive far away our wily foe,
And Your abiding peace bestow;
With You as our protecting guide,
No evil can with us abide.

6 Teach us to know the Father, Son,
And You, from both, as Three in One
That we Your name may ever bless
And in our lives the truth confess.

△ 7 Praise we the Father and the Son
And Holy Spirit, with them One,
And may the Son on us bestow
The gifts that from the Spirit flow!

The Lord Absolves Us of Our Sins Invocation

P *In the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.*

C Amen.

Exhortation

LSB 184

P *Beloved in the Lord! Let us draw near with a true heart and confess our sins unto God our Father, beseeching Him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to grant us forgiveness.*

P *Our help is in the name of the Lord,*

C who made heaven and earth.

P *I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the Lord,*

C and You forgave the iniquity of my sin.

Silence for reflection on God's Word and for self-examination.

Confession of Sins

LSB 184

P *O almighty God, merciful Father,*

C I, a poor, miserable sinner, confess unto You all my sins

and iniquities with which I have ever offended You and justly deserved Your temporal and eternal punishment. But I am heartily sorry for them and sincerely repent of them, and I pray You of Your boundless mercy and for the sake of the holy, innocent, bitter sufferings and death of Your beloved Son, Jesus Christ, to be gracious and merciful to me, a poor, sinful being.

Absolution

LSB 185

[P] Upon this your confession, I, by virtue of my office, as a called and ordained servant of the Word, announce the grace of God unto all of you, and in the stead and by the command of my Lord Jesus Christ I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

[C] Amen.

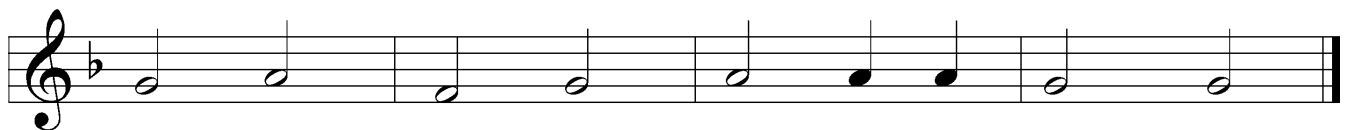
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We Welcome our Victorious Lord

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[C] Lord, have mer - cy up - on us. Christ, have mer - cy up -



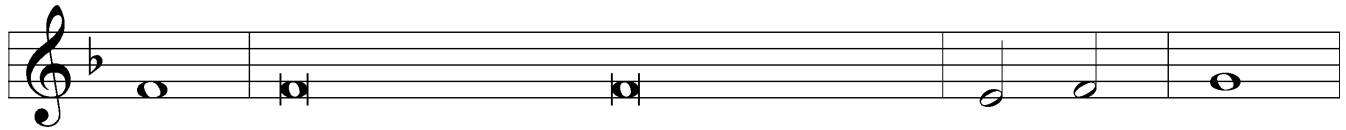
on us. Lord, have mer - cy up - on us.

We Rejoice in Christ's Victory

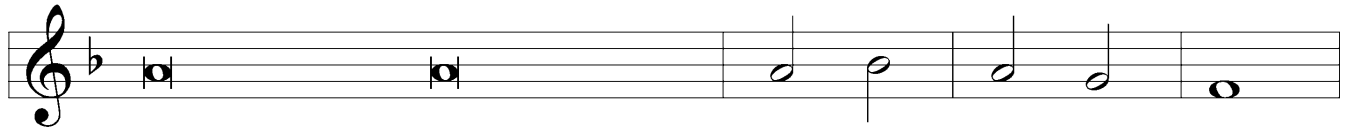
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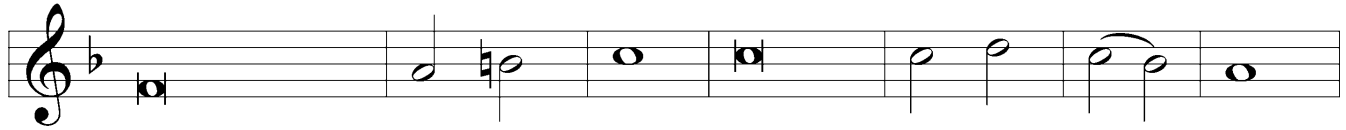
[P] Glory be to God on high: **[C]** and on earth peace, good - will toward



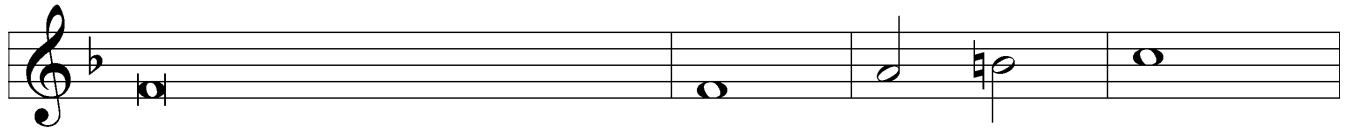
men. We praise Thee, we bless Thee, we wor-ship Thee,



we glorify Thee, we give thanks to Thee, for Thy great glory.



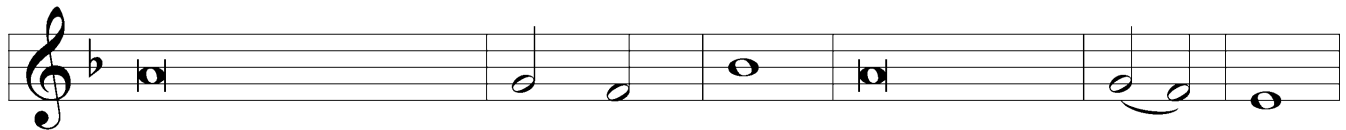
O Lord God, heav'n-ly King, God the Fa-ther Al - mighty.



O Lord, the only begotten Son, Je - sus Christ;



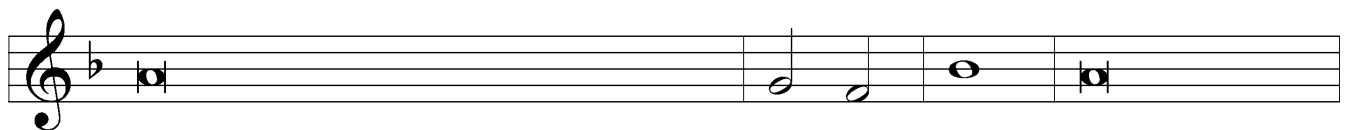
O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,



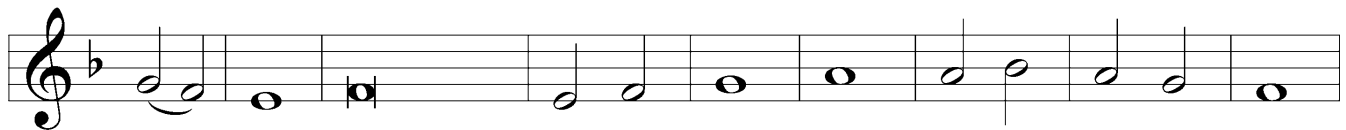
that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy up-on us.



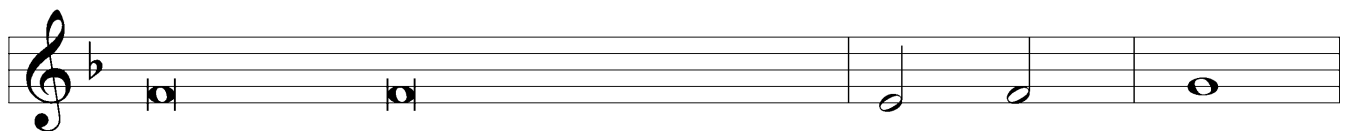
Thou that takest away the sin of the world, re-ceive our prayer.



Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father, have mercy up-



on us. For Thou only art holy; Thou on-ly art the Lord.



Thou only, O Christ, with the Ho - ly Ghost,

art most high in the glory of God the Father. A - men.

We Pray as the Lord Enables Us

P The Lord be with you.

C And with thy spir - it.

P Let us pray.

P O God, on this day You once taught the hearts of Your faithful people by sending them the light of Your Holy Spirit. Grant us in our day by the same Spirit to have a right understanding in all things and evermore to rejoice in His holy consolation; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C A - men.

Sit

The Lord's Word in the Acts

Numbers 11:24–30

²⁴Moses went out and told the people the words of the LORD. And he gathered seventy men of the elders of the people and placed them around the tent. ²⁵Then the LORD came down in the

cloud and spoke to him, and took some of the Spirit that was on him and put it on the seventy elders. And as soon as the Spirit rested on them, they prophesied. But they did not continue doing it. ²⁶Now two men remained in the camp, one named Eldad, and the other named Medad, and the Spirit rested on them. They were among those registered, but they had not gone out to the tent, and so they prophesied in the camp. ²⁷And a young man ran and told Moses, “Eldad and Medad are prophesying in the camp.” ²⁸And Joshua the son of Nun, the assistant of Moses from his youth, said, “My lord Moses, stop them.” ²⁹But Moses said to him, “Are you jealous for my sake? Would that all the LORD’s people were prophets, that the LORD would put his Spirit on them!” ³⁰And Moses and the elders of Israel returned to the camp.

P *This is the Word of the Lord.*

C **Thanks be to God.**

Reading *(sung by half verse)*

Psalm 25:1–15

¹*To you, | O LORD, **

I lift | up my soul.

²*O my God, in you I trust; let me not be | put to shame; **

let not my enemies exult | over me.

³*Indeed, none who wait for you shall be | put to shame; **

they shall be ashamed who are wantonly | treacherous.

⁴*Make me to know your ways, | O LORD; **

teach me | your paths.

⁵*Lead me in your truth and teach me, for you are the God of my sal- | vation; **

for you I wait all the | day long.

⁶*Remember your mercy, O LORD, and your | steadfast love, **

for they have been | from of old.

⁷*Remember not the sins of my youth or my trans- | gressions; **

**according to your steadfast love remember me, for the sake
of your goodness, | O LORD!**

*⁸Good and upright | is the LORD; **

therefore he instructs sinners | in the way.

*⁹He leads the humble in | what is right, **

and teaches the humble | his way.

*¹⁰All the paths of the LORD are steadfast love and | faithfulness, **

for those who keep his covenant and his testi- | monies.

*¹¹For your name's sake, | O LORD, **

pardon my guilt, for | it is great.

*¹²Who is the man who | fears the LORD? **

Him will he instruct in the way that | he should choose.

*¹³His soul shall abide in well- | being, **

and his offspring shall inher- | it the land.

*¹⁴The friendship of the LORD is for those who | fear him, **

and he makes known to them his | covenant.

*¹⁵My eyes are ever | toward the LORD, **

for he will pluck my feet out | of the net.

Glory be to the Father and | to the Son*

and to the Holy | Spirit;

as it was in the be- | ginning, *

is now, and will be forever. | Amen

The Lord's Word through the Apostles

Acts 2:1–21

¹When the day of Pentecost arrived, they were all together in one place. ²And suddenly there came from heaven a sound like a mighty rushing wind, and it filled the entire house where they were sitting. ³And divided tongues as of fire appeared to them and rested on each one of them. ⁴And they were all filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other tongues as the Spirit gave them utterance. ⁵Now there were dwelling in Jerusalem Jews,

devout men from every nation under heaven. ⁶And at this sound the multitude came together, and they were bewildered, because each one was hearing them speak in his own language. ⁷And they were amazed and astonished, saying, “Are not all these who are speaking Galileans? ⁸And how is it that we hear, each of us in his own native language? ⁹Parthians and Medes and Elamites and residents of Mesopotamia, Judea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, ¹⁰Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya belonging to Cyrene, and visitors from Rome, ¹¹both Jews and proselytes, Cretans and Arabians—we hear them telling in our own tongues the mighty works of God.” ¹²And all were amazed and perplexed, saying to one another, “What does this mean?” ¹³But others mocking said, “They are filled with new wine.” ¹⁴But Peter, standing with the eleven, lifted up his voice and addressed them, “Men of Judea and all who dwell in Jerusalem, let this be known to you, and give ear to my words. ¹⁵For these men are not drunk, as you suppose, since it is only the third hour of the day. ¹⁶But this is what was uttered through the prophet Joel: ¹⁷““And in the last days it shall be, God declares, that I will pour out my Spirit on all flesh, and your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, and your young men shall see visions, and your old men shall dream dreams; ¹⁸even on my male servants and female servants in those days I will pour out my Spirit, and they shall prophesy. ¹⁹And I will show wonders in the heavens above and signs on the earth below, blood, and fire, and vapor of smoke; ²⁰the sun shall be turned to darkness and the moon to blood, before the day of the Lord comes, the great and magnificent day. ²¹And it shall come to pass that everyone who calls upon the name of the Lord shall be saved.””

P *This is the Word of the Lord.*

C **Thanks be to God.**

Stand

Alleluia

LSB 190




Al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia.

The Lord's Word in the Gospels

John 7:37–39

P *The Holy Gospel according to St. John, the seventh chapter.*



Glo - ry be to Thee, O Lord.

³⁷On the last day of the feast, the great day, Jesus stood up and cried out, “If anyone thirsts, let him come to me and drink.

³⁸Whoever believes in me, as the Scripture has said, ‘Out of his heart will flow rivers of living water.’” ³⁹Now this he said about the Spirit, whom those who believed in him were to receive, for as yet the Spirit had not been given, because Jesus was not yet glorified.

P *This is the Gospel of the Lord.*



Praise be to Thee, O Christ.

Nicene Creed

C I believe in one God,
the Father Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth
and of all things visible and invisible.

**And in one Lord Jesus Christ,
the only-begotten Son of God,
begotten of His Father before all worlds,
God of God, Light of Light,
very God of very God,
begotten, not made,
being of one substance with the Father,
by whom all things were made;
who for us men and for our salvation came down from
heaven
and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary
and was made man;
and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate.
He suffered and was buried.**

**And the third day He rose again according to the
Scriptures**

**and ascended into heaven
and sits at the right hand of the Father.**

**And He will come again with glory to judge both the living
and the dead,
whose kingdom will have no end.**

**And I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the Lord and giver of life,
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,
who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped
and glorified,
who spoke by the prophets.**

**And I believe in one holy Christian and apostolic Church,
I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins,
and I look for the resurrection of the dead
and the life ✠ of the world to come. Amen.**

Sit

Children's Message

Proper

Acts 2:17b; Romans 10:10

I will pour out my Spirit | on all flesh,*
and your sons and your daughters shall | prophesy.
With the heart one believes and is | justified,*
and with the mouth one confesses | and is saved.

Sermon

Water and Spirit

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We Ask the Lord to Work in Us

LSB 192

Cre-ate in me a clean heart, O God, and re -
new a right spir - it with - in me. Cast me not a -
way from Thy pres - ence, and take not Thy Ho - ly Spir - it
from me. Re - store un - to me the joy of Thy sal - va -
tion, and up - hold me with Thy free spir - it. A - men.

Sit

Offering - Yet Not I, Through Christ in Me *Mikaela Roach*

What gift of grace is Jesus, my redeemer
There is no more for heaven now to give
He is my joy, my righteousness, and freedom
My steadfast love, my deep and boundless peace

To this I hold, my hope is only Jesus
For my life is wholly bound to His
Oh, how strange and divine, I can sing: All is mine!
Yet not I, but through Christ in me

The night is dark but I am not forsaken
For by my side, the Saviour He will stay
I labour on in weakness and rejoicing
For in my need, His power is displayed

To this I hold, my Shepherd will defend me
Through the deepest valley, He will lead

Oh, the night has been won, and I shall overcome
Yet not I, but through Christ in me

No fate I dread, I know I am forgiven
The future sure, the price it has been paid
For Jesus bled and suffered for my pardon
And He was raised to overthrow the grave

To this I hold, my sin has been defeated
Jesus now and ever is my plea

Oh, the chains are released, I can sing: I am free!
Yet not I, but through Christ in me

With every breath, I long to follow Jesus
For He has said that He will bring me home
And day by day I know He will renew me
Until I stand with joy before the throne

To this I hold, my hope is only Jesus
All the glory evermore to Him
When the race is complete, still my lips shall repeat:
Yet not I, but through Christ in me!

When the race is complete, still my lips shall repeat:
Yet not I, but through Christ in me!
Yet not I, but through Christ in me!

Stand

Prayer of the Church

P *In peace, let us pray to the Lord:*

C **Lord, have mercy.**

P *For all the baptized, that the baptismal water of life may bring forth its full fruit in all we say, think and do, let us pray to the Lord:*

C **Lord, have mercy.**

P *For faithful pastors and church workers devoted to the service of God, who delivered His Word through Moses and the prophets and fulfilled it in Christ, let us pray to the Lord:*

C **Lord, have mercy.**

P For those called to volunteer their time and service at St. John's, including our Learning and Growth Committee: Sarah, Susan, Marilyn, Angie, Dania, Zoe, Lauren and Dana, let us pray to the Lord:

C Lord, have mercy.

P For all parents, that God would continue to pour out His Spirit upon them to catechize their children faithfully in His Word, let us pray to the Lord:

C Lord, have mercy.

P For all who face sickness, surgery and pain, especially Heather, Larry, Rodney, Rodney, Inez, Jim, Barrie, Orval, Norman, Michael, Inge, Forest, Noel, Pastor Dan, Michael, Shirley, Danny, and Doug, that they may not be afraid, and that they might be healed according to the abundance of God's steadfast love, let us pray to the Lord:

C Lord, have mercy.

P For those who commune at the Lord's altar this day, that they may receive our Lord Jesus' gifts in sincere repentance, and through firm faith be raised up from death to life through His forgiveness, let us pray to the Lord:

C Lord, have mercy.

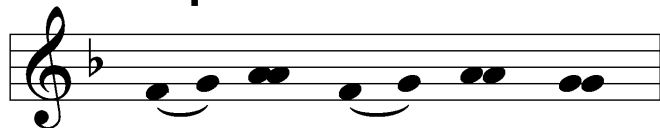
P In thanksgiving for the resurrection of the dead and the eternal life in Christ Jesus; and in remembrance of those who have gone before us and are at rest, let us pray to the Lord:

C Lord, have mercy.

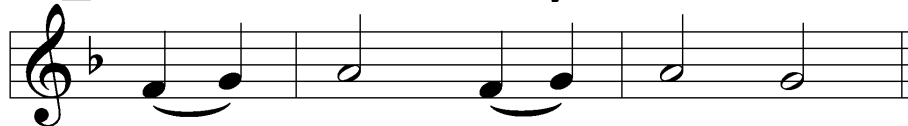
P *Almighty Father, with Your Son, Jesus Christ, send Your Holy Spirit into our hearts through Your Word to rule and govern us according to Your will. Comfort us in every temptation and misfortune and defend us against every error, that we may continue steadfast in the faith, increase in love and good works, and — trusting firmly in Your grace — obtain eternal salvation; through the same Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.*

C Amen.

We Prepare to Receive Christ's Body and Blood *LSB 194*



P The Lord be with you.



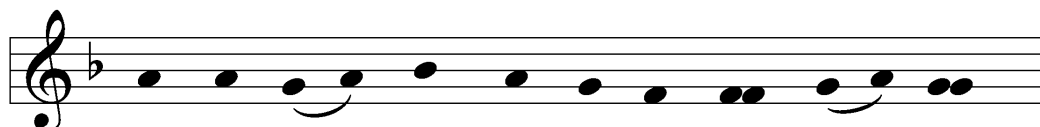
C And with thy spir - it.



P Lift up your hearts.



C We lift them up un - to the Lord.



P Let us give thanks un - to the Lord, our God.



C It is meet and right so to do.

Proper Preface

P*It is truly meet, right, and salutary that we should at all times and in all places give thanks to You, holy Lord, almighty Father, everlasting God, through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who ascended above the heavens and, sitting at Your right hand, poured out on this day the promised Holy Spirit on His chosen disciples. For all this the whole earth rejoices with exceeding joy. Therefore with angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven we laud and magnify Your glorious name, evermore praising You and saying:*

The Song of Angels and Disciples

LSB 195



C Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord God of Sab - a - oth;



heav'n and earth are full of Thy glo - ry. Ho - san - na,



ho - san - na, ho - san - na in the high - est. Bless-ed is He,



bles - ed is He, bles - ed is He that com - eth in the name of the Lord.



Ho - san - na, ho - san - na, ho - san - na in the high - est.

Lord's Prayer

LSB 179

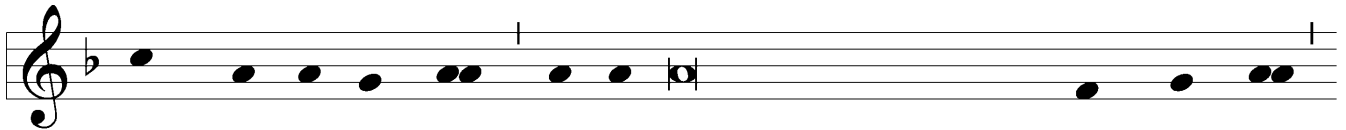
P Lord, remember us in Your kingdom and teach us to pray:

C 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.

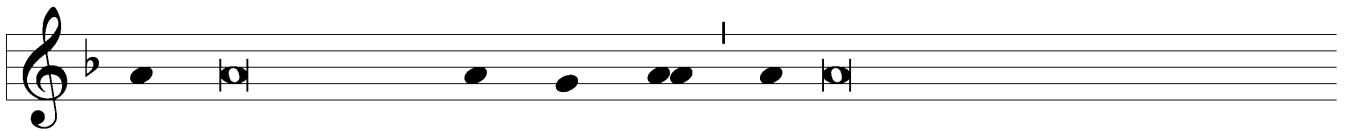
For Thine is the kingdom
and the power and the glory
forever and ever. Amen.

The Words of Our Lord

LSB 197



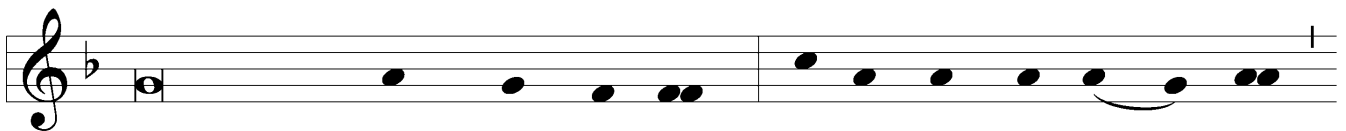
P Our Lord Je-sus Christ, on the night when He was be-trayed, took bread,



and when He had giv - en thanks, He broke it and gave it to the



dis-ci-ples and said: "Take, eat; this is My ✠ bod - y, which is giv-en for you.



This do in re - mem - brance of Me." In the same way al - so

He took the cup after sup - per, and when He had giv - en thanks, He gave it
to them, say - ing: "Drink of it, all of you; this cup is the new testament in
My † blood, which is shed for you for the for-give - ness of sins.
This do, as often as you drink it, in re-mem-brance of Me."
P The peace of the Lord be with you al - ways.
C A - men.

The Song of John the Baptist

LSB 198

O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that tak - est a-way the sin of the
world, have mer - cy up - on us. O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that
tak - est a-way the sin of the world, have mer - cy up - on us.

O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that tak - est a - way the sin of the
world, grant us Thy peace. A - - men.

Sit

Distribution

I Heard the Voice of Jesus Say *LSB 699 [Tune LSB 444]*

- 1 I heard the voice of Je - sus say, "Come un - to Me and rest;
- 2 I heard the voice of Je - sus say, "Be - hold, I free - ly give
- 3 I heard the voice of Je - sus say, "I am this dark world's light.

Lay down, thou wea - ry one, lay down Thy head up - on My breast."
The liv - ing wa - ter; thirst - y one, Stoop down and drink and live."
Look un - to Me; thy morn shall rise And all thy day be bright."

I came to Je - sus as I was, So wea - ry, worn, and sad;
I came to Je - sus, and I drank Of that life - giv - ing stream;
I looked to Je - sus, and I found In Him my star, my sun;

I found in Him a rest - ing place, And He has made me glad.
My thirst was quenched, my soul re - vived, And now I live in Him.
And in that light of life I'll walk Till trav - ling days are done.

Father Welcomes

LSB 605

Refrain



Fa - ther wel - comes all His chil - dren To His fam - 'ly



through His Son. Fa - ther giv - ing His sal - va - tion,



Life for - ev - er has been won.



1 Lit - tle chil - dren, come to Me, For My king - dom
2 In the wa - ter, in the Word, In His prom - ise,
3 Let us dai - ly die to sin; Let us dai - ly



is of these. Life and love I have to give,
be as - sured: Those who are bap - tized and be - lieve
rise with Him, Walk in the love of Christ our Lord,



Mer - cy for your sin.
Shall be born a gain.
Live in the peace of God.

Refrain

Come, Holy Ghost, God and Lord

LSB 497



1 Come, Ho - ly Ghost, God and Lord, With all Your grac - es
2 Come, ho - ly Light, guide di - vine, Now cause the Word of
3 Come, ho - ly Fire, com - fort true, Grant us the will Your



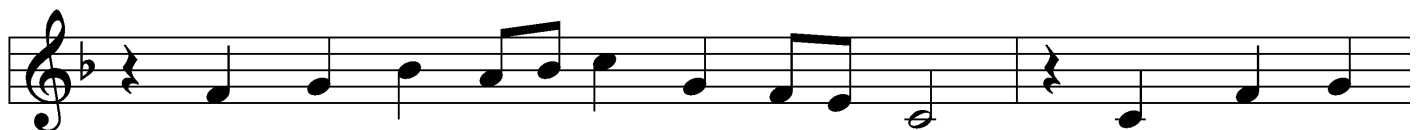
now out-poured On each be - liev - er's mind and heart;
life to shine. Teach us to know our God a - right
work to do And in Your ser - vice to a - bide;



Your fer - vent love to them im - part. Lord, by the
And call Him Fa - ther with de - light. From ev - 'ry
Let tri - als turn us not a - side. Lord, by Your



bright-ness of Your light In ho - ly faith Your Church u - nite;
er - ror keep us free; Let none but Christ our mas - ter be
pow'r pre-pare each heart, And to our weak-ness strength im - part



From ev - 'ry land and ev - 'ry tongue This to Your
That we in liv - ing faith a - bide, In Him, our
That brave - ly here we may con - tend, Through life and



praise, O Lord, our God, be sung: Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!
Lord, with all our might con - fide. Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!
death to You, our Lord, as - cend. Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!

In dismissing the communicants, the following is said:

The Dismissal

LSB 199

P *The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen and preserve you in body and soul to life everlasting. Depart ✠ in peace.*

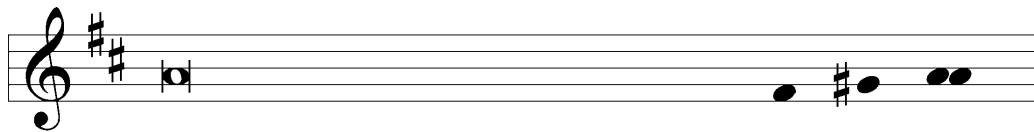
C Amen.

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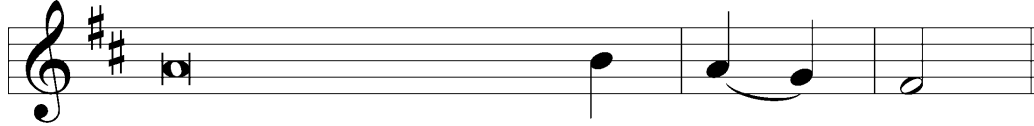
The Song of Simeon

LSB 199

C Lord, now lettest Thou Thy servant de - part in peace ac -
cord - ing to Thy word, for mine eyes have seen Thy salvation,
which Thou hast pre - pared be - fore the face of all people,
a light to light - en the Gen - tiles and the glo - ry of Thy
peo - ple Is - ra - el. Glo - ry be to the Father and
to the Son and to the Ho - ly Ghost; as it was in the beginning,
is now, and ev - er shall be, world with - out end. A - men.



A O give thanks unto the Lord, for He is good,

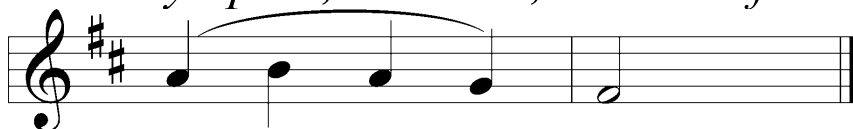


C and His mercy endureth for - ev - er.

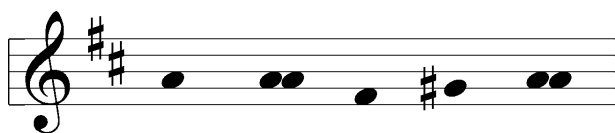
Post-Communion Collect

P Let us pray.

O God the Father, the fountain and source of all goodness, who in loving-kindness sent Your only-begotten Son into the flesh, we thank You that for His sake You have given us pardon and peace in this Sacrament, and we ask You not to forsake Your children but always to rule our hearts and minds by Your Holy Spirit that we may be enabled constantly to serve You; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.



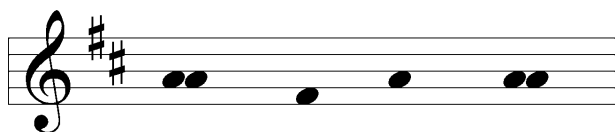
C A - men.



P The Lord be with you.



C And with thy spir - it.



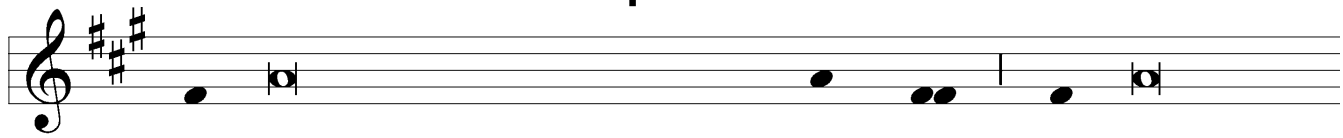
A Bless we the Lord.



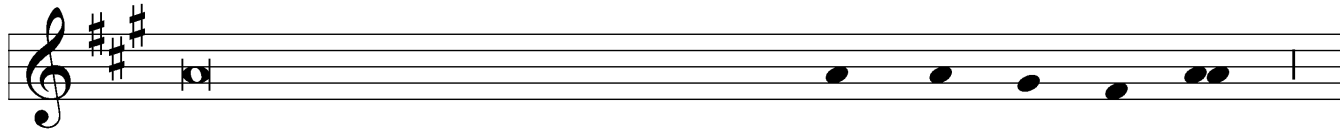
C Thanks be to God.

The Lord Blesses His People

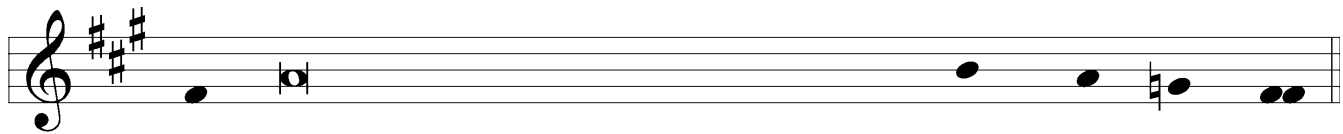
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P The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord make



His face shine upon you and be gra - cious un - to you.



The Lord lift up His countenance upon you and † give you peace.



C A-men, a-men, a - men.

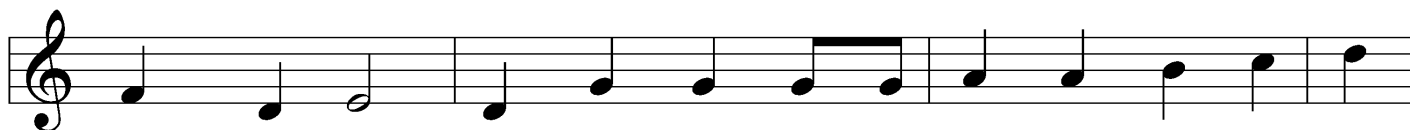
Announcements

O Day Full of Grace

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1 O day full of grace that now we see Ap - pear - ing on
2 O day full of grace, O bless - ed time, Our Lord on the
3 For Christ bore our sins, and not His own, When He on the
4 God came to us then at Pen - te - cost, His Spir - it new
5 When we on that fi - nal jour - ney go That Christ is for



earth's ho - ri - zon, Bring light from our God that we may be
earth ar - riv - ing; Then came to the world that light sub - lime,
cross was hang - ing; And then He a - rose and moved the stone
life re - veal - ing, That we might no more from Him be lost,
us pre - par - ing, We'll gath - er in song, our hearts a - glow,



Re - plete in His joy this sea - son. God, shine for us
Great joy for us all re - triev - ing; For Je - sus all
That we, un - to Him be - long - ing, Might join with an -
All dark - ness for us dis - pel - ling. His flame will the
All joy of the heav - ens shar - ing, And walk in the



now in this dark place; Your name on our hearts em - bla - zon.
mor - tals did em - brace, All dark - ness and shame re - mov - ing.
gel - ic hosts to raise Our voic - es in end - less sing - ing.
mark of sin ef - face And bring to us all His heal - ing.
light of God's own place, With an - gels His name a - dor - ing.

The Sacrament of Holy Communion – All baptized and confirmed members of St. John's are invited to receive Christ's true body and blood, given and shed for the forgiveness of sins. If you are a guest, or want to be rooted in Jesus with us, Pastor Charles would love to talk with you about our congregation and what it means to commune here.

St. John's is a member congregation of The Lutheran Church – Missouri Synod (lcms.org). We're in communion with the congregations of the Lutheran Church – Canada (lutheranchurchcanada.ca) and many other Lutheran churches around the world (ilcouncil.org).

SERVING IN THE LORD'S HOUSE TODAY

ELDERS: Jake Bernard/Carson Bramburger

ACOLYTE & CROSS BEARER: Dylin Raglin

PSALM CANTOR: Esther & Margaret Zadow

COMMUNION: Jon Hammel/Eric Zadow

HOSPITALITY:

SOUND: Brian Schroeder

SCREENS: Lauren Biggs

ELEVATOR: Idalee Shalla

ORGANIST: Fred Zadow

LIVE STREAM: Richard Kramer/Karen, Rachel & Ashlyn Craig

COMMUNION SET-UP: Angie Anderson

ALTAR GUILD: Linda Bramburger, Darlene Couette, Marilyn Hampel

OUR LIFE TOGETHER THIS WEEK

TODAY (May 24)

- 9:00 AM Sunday School
- 9:00 AM Bible Study
- 10:00 AM Divine Worship/Holy Communion
- 11:30 AM Fellowship/Tea & Coffee
- 11:30 AM Witness & Outreach Meeting
- 1:00 PM Private Event

MONDAY (May 25)

- 6:00 PM Embers

TUESDAY (May 26)

- 7:00 PM Choir
- 7:30 PM AA

WEDNESDAY (May 27)

- 9:30 AM Quilters
- 9:30 AM Grief Share Meeting
- 10:00 AM Pastoral Care Meeting
- 5:00 PM Worship Service
- 6:30 PM Bible Study

THURSDAY (May 28)

1:30 PM Miramichi Service

6:30 PM Church Council

NEXT SUNDAY (May 31)

9:00 AM Sunday School

9:00 AM Bible Study

10:00 AM Divine Worship/Holy Communion

11:30 AM Church Picnic

NEWS & NOTES

WE THANK Fred Zadow for filling in for Debbie as organist while she is away.

CHURCH PICNIC Please join us next Sunday, May 31st at the Alice & Fraser Rec Centre for our Church Picnic after the service.

Please bring a salad or dessert to share. Chicken will be served.

CONGREGATION MEETING Our next Congregation Meeting will be held after the service on June 7th.

HOSPITALITY We still have more dates that we need covered for hospitality this year...June 21, July 19, August 23, and September 13. If you would like to help out, please contact Susan.

LIFE QUOTE FROM LUTHERANS FOR LIFE "In grief, the world often feels empty. The absence of loved ones weighs heavily, leaving our days feeling hollow and incomplete without their presence. And yet, Scripture tells us that in these moments of deep sorrow, God draws near. He does not stand at a distance, waiting for us to be strong enough to move on with our life. He comes to us, holds us in our brokenness, and carries us when we cannot stand." ~Rev. M.L. Smith, Director of International Missions of Lutheran Church–Canada (LCC)

PLEASE PRAY FOR - OUR CHURCH FAMILY: Heather Wilson; Larry Markus; Rodney Risto; Rodney Hoffman; Inez Leroux; Jim Karau; Barrie Hartwick; Orval Schultz; Norman Wodtke; Michael Hodgins; Inge Reckzin. **FRIENDS & FAMILY:** Forest Kitely, Noel Dupuis; Pastor Dan Kletke; Michael Duquette; Shirley Duquette; Danny Carnwright; Doug Sell.