## Grace & Holy Trinity Church

an Episcopal parish on Monroe Park





# Holy Eucharist Rite Two

## The Fifth Sunday after Pentecost (Year B)

Proper 7

June 23, 2024 10:30 a.m.

## Communion Instructions for 10:30 a.m. Services

- Communicants will drink from the Chalice at the Altar in the church. Alternatively, communicants who receive the Bread may refrain from drinking from the Chalice; those who refrain from drinking from the Chalice are encouraged to cross their arms and to say "Amen" when the Chalice is offered by the Chalice Bearer: their "Amen" is their verbal acknowledgment of the grace of the sacrament. The full grace of the sacrament is communicated through the Bread.
- Intinction will be offered only at the Altar in the Chapel and for those who are served Communion in the pews. Prior to the start of worship at 10:30 a.m., the side doors of the chapel will be opened for communicants to enter the chapel to receive Communion from a Priest and Chalice Bearer, who will bring the sacrament from the Altar in the church to the Altar in the chapel. The Priest will intinct the Bread into the Common Cup, which the Chalice Bearer will hold. We will use a larger size wafer to facilitate intinction.
- The communion team who serves Communion at the Chapel will then move into the church and bring Communion to persons who are not able to go forward to the Altar in the church or the chapel. The same intinction method will be observed in the pews.
- Clergy and Chalice Bearers will apply hand sanitizer before administering the sacrament.

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## Welcome

Welcome to Grace & Holy Trinity. Ever aspiring to be more like Christ, we strive to be a warm and welcoming Episcopal parish, ever mindful of the needs of others. We seek to be inclusive to all, including the LGBTQIA+ community. We hope you will find a family here with us, whether you are a college student, Richmond newcomer, out-of-towner, or a long-time resident looking for a new church home. We open our arms and our hearts to you! If you are visiting, please fill out the **Connect Card** in the pew rack and place it in the offering plate during the service. Sign up for the Weekly News with the Connect Card or at ghtc.org/news. Over the summer, Elementary Age Children are invited to join Children's Chapel in the chapel at the back of the church during the Liturgy of the Word. The children will return to their parents following the sermon. A wonderful nursery staff is available from 8:00 a.m. to 11:45 a.m. should you wish to drop off your young children (up to age 3) during worship. We also provide children's bulletins for children wishing to stay with their parents. If young children get restless, you are welcome to use our library. Changing tables are located in the family restroom near the choir room. A greeter can direct you. Information about Complimentary Sunday Parking can be found in the back of this bulletin or on the Connect Table in the hallway across from the library. Information about Holy **Communion** at the 10:30 a.m. services can be found on the previous page.

## **Today's Worship Participants**

The Reverend Paul Evans, *Celebrant* The Reverend Stephen Y. McGehee, *Preacher & Deacon* Ellie Leffler, William Lee & Mac Martin, *Acolytes* Kathy Wommack & Annette Hook, *Lectors* Mike MacDowell, Catherine Perrin & Leslie Winn, *Chalice Bearers* Barbara Davenport, Kay Gray, Cary Lee Henderson & Jean Jumet, *Altar Guild* Nick Sollog, *Children's Chapel Storyteller* 

### Flowers at the Altar

This Sunday's flowers at the altar are given to the Glory of God. *If you would like to remember or honor a loved one by giving the altar flowers, please call Cathy Saunders at (804) 359-5628 x13 with dates and specific requests.* Altar flowers can also be given for recognition, birthdays, anniversaries, or special occasions. The cost is \$100. You may mail a check or handle the cost online at **ghtc.org/give.** 

## The Word of God

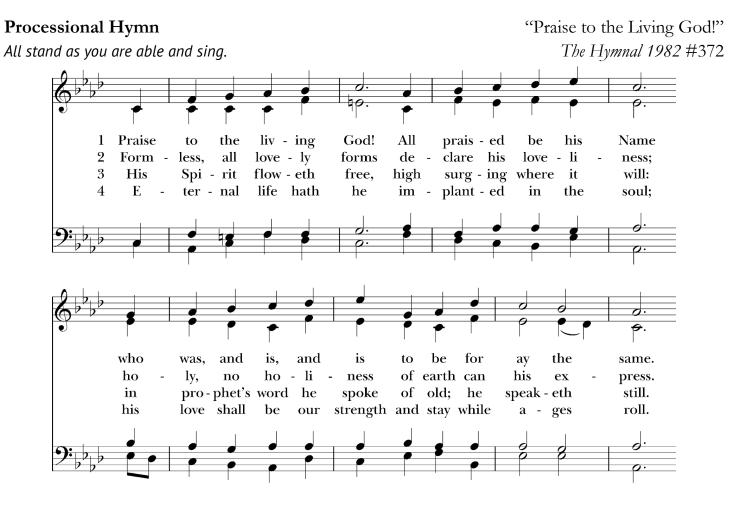
The Prelude marks the beginning of our worship and is intended as a time of quiet prayer and reflection for all. **Please silence your devices.** 

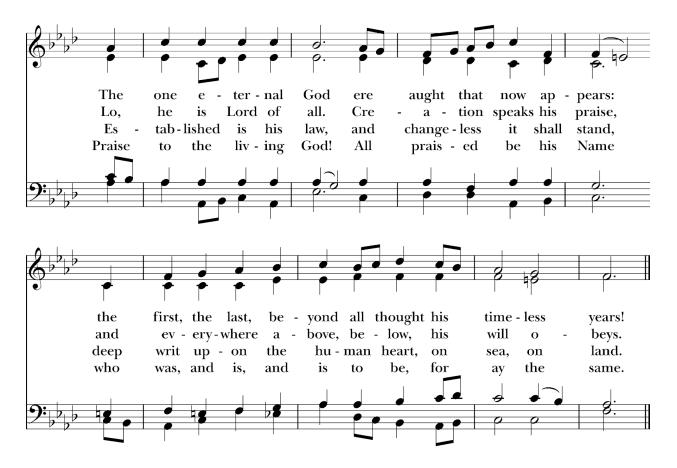


Prelude

"Invention No. 1 in C Major, BWV 772" | Johann Sebastian Bach

Yelena Perera, Pianist





Words: Medieval Jewish liturgy; tr. Max Landsberg (1845-1928) and Newton M. Mann. (1836-1926) Music: Leoni, Hebrew melody; harm. Hymns Ancient and Modern, 1875, alt.

## **Opening Acclamation**

Book of Common Prayer (BCP) p. 355

Celebrant Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

#### And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever. Amen. All

## The Collect for Purity

Celebrant 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.

## The Kyrie

Celebrant Lord, have mercy. All Christ, have mercy.

Celebrant Lord, have mercy.

BCP p. 355

BCP p. 356

#### The Collect of the Day

Job 38:1-11

*Celebrant* The Lord be with you.

#### All And also with you.

*Celebrant* Let us pray.

O Lord, make us have perpetual love and reverence for your holy Name, for you never fail to help and govern those whom you have set upon the sure foundation of your loving-kindness; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.** 

Please be seated.

### Children's Chapel Dismissal

Celebrant Jesus said, "Let the children come to me, and do not stop them, for it is to such as these that the kingdom of heaven belongs." —Matthew 19:14

The children are invited to gather in the chapel for Children's Chapel.

#### **First Reading**

| A reading from the Book of Job.                               |
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| The Lord answered Job out of the whirlwind:                   |
| "Who is this that darkens counsel by words without knowledge? |
| Gird up your loins like a man,                                |
| I will question you, and you shall declare to me.             |
| "Where were you when I laid the foundation of the earth?      |
| Tell me, if you have understanding.                           |
| Who determined its measurements-surely you know!              |
| Or who stretched the line upon it?                            |
| On what were its bases sunk,                                  |
| or who laid its cornerstone                                   |
| when the morning stars sang together                          |
| and all the heavenly beings shouted for joy?                  |
| "Or who shut in the sea with doors                            |
| when it burst out from the womb?—                             |
| when I made the clouds its garment,                           |
| and thick darkness its swaddling band,                        |
|   |

and prescribed bounds for it, and set bars and doors, and said, "Thus far shall you come, and no farther, and here shall your proud waves be stopped"?"

*Lector* The Word of the Lord.*All* Thanks be to God.

#### Psalm 107:1-3, 23-32

Read responsively by half verse.

| Give thanks to the Lord, for he is good, * |
|--|
| and his mercy endures for ever.            |
|  |

Let all those whom the Lord has redeemed proclaim \* that he redeemed them from the hand of the foe.

He gathered them out of the lands; \* from the east and from the west, from the north and from the south.

Some went down to the sea in ships \* and plied their trade in deep waters;

They beheld the works of the Lord \* and his wonders in the deep.

Then he spoke, and a stormy wind arose, \* which tossed high the waves of the sea.

They mounted up to the heavens and fell back to the depths; \* their hearts melted because of their peril.

They reeled and staggered like drunkards \* and were at their wits' end.

Then they cried to the Lord in their trouble, \* and he delivered them from their distress.

He stilled the storm to a whisper \* and quieted the waves of the sea.

Then were they glad because of the calm, \* and he brought them to the harbor they were bound for. BCP p. 746 Confitemini Domino Let them give thanks to the Lord for his mercy \* and the wonders he does for his children.

Let them exalt him in the congregation of the people \* and praise him in the council of the elders.

#### Second Reading

2 Corinthians 6:1-13

*Lector* A reading from the Second Letter of Paul to the Corinthians.

As we work together with Christ, we urge you also not to accept the grace of God in vain. For he says,

"At an acceptable time I have listened to you, and on a day of salvation I have helped you."

See, now is the acceptable time; see, now is the day of salvation! We are putting no obstacle in anyone's way, so that no fault may be found with our ministry, but as servants of God we have commended ourselves in every way: through great endurance, in afflictions, hardships, calamities, beatings, imprisonments, riots, labors, sleepless nights, hunger; by purity, knowledge, patience, kindness, holiness of spirit, genuine love, truthful speech, and the power of God; with the weapons of righteousness for the right hand and for the left; in honor and dishonor, in ill repute and good repute. We are treated as impostors, and yet are true; as unknown, and yet are well known; as dying, and see-- we are alive; as punished, and yet not killed; as sorrowful, yet always rejoicing; as poor, yet making many rich; as having nothing, and yet possessing everything.

We have spoken frankly to you Corinthians; our heart is wide open to you. There is no restriction in our affections, but only in yours. In return-- I speak as to children-- open wide your hearts also.

LectorThe Word of the Lord.AllThanks be to God.

#### Gradual Hymn

Please stand as you are able and sing.



Words: Timothy Rees (1874-1939), alt. | Music: Abbot's Leigh, Cyril Vincent Taylor (b. 1907)

Please remain standing as you are able.

## The Gospel

#### Mark 4:35-41

*Deacon* The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Mark.*All* Glory to you, Lord Christ.

When evening had come, Jesus said to his disciples, "Let us go across to the other side." And leaving the crowd behind, they took him with them in the boat, just as he was. Other boats were with him. A great windstorm arose, and the waves beat into the boat, so that the boat was already being swamped. But he was in the stern, asleep on the cushion; and they woke him up and said to him, "Teacher, do you not care that we are perishing?" He woke up and rebuked the wind, and said to the sea, "Peace! Be still!" Then the wind ceased, and there was a dead calm. He said to them, "Why are you afraid? Have you still no faith?" And they were filled with great awe and said to one another, "Who then is this, that even the wind and the sea obey him?"

DeaconThe Gospel of the Lord.AllPraise to you, Lord Christ.

Please be seated.

The Sermon

The Rev. Stephen Y. McGehee

BCP p. 304

Please stand as you are able.

### The Renewal of Baptismal Vows

*Celebrant* Through the Paschal mystery, dear friends, we are buried with Christ by Baptism into his death, and raised with him to newness of life. I call upon you, therefore, to renew the solemn promises and vows of Holy Baptism, by which we once renounced Satan and all his works, and promised to serve God faithfully in his holy Catholic Church.

CelebrantDo you reaffirm your renunciation of evil and renew your commitment to Jesus Christ?AllI do.

Celebrant Do you believe in God the Father?

All I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

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

All I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord. He was conceived by the power of 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.

Celebrant Do you believe in God the Holy Spirit?

*All* 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.

*Celebrant* Will you continue in the apostles' teaching and fellowship, in the breaking of bread, and in the prayers?

All I will, with God's help.

*Celebrant* Will you persevere in resisting evil, and whenever you fall into sin, repent and return to the Lord?

All I will, with God's help.

Celebrant Will you proclaim by word and example the Good News of God in Christ?

All I will, with God's help.

Celebrant Will you seek and serve Christ in all persons, loving your neighbor as yourself?

All I will, with God's help.

- *Celebrant* Will you strive for justice and peace among all people, and respect the dignity of every human being?
- All I will, with God's help.
- Celebrant May Almighty God, the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has given us a new birth by water and the Holy Spirit, and bestowed upon us the forgiveness of sins, keep us in eternal life by his grace, in Christ Jesus our Lord.

All Amen.

## The Prayers of the People

Please remain standing as you are able.

Celebrant In peace, we pray to you, Lord God.

*Lector* For all people in their daily life and work;

All For our families, friends, and neighbors, and for those who are alone.

**Form VI** | BCP p. 392

| Lector     | For this community, the nation, and the world;  |
|------------|---|
| <b>All</b> | For all who work for justice, freedom, and peace.   |
| Lector     | For the just and proper use of your creation;   |
| <b>All</b> | For the victims of hunger, fear, injustice, and oppression.   |
| Lector     | For all who are in danger, sorrow, or any kind of trouble;  |
| <b>All</b> | For those who minister to the sick, the friendless, and the needy.  |
| Lector     | For the peace and unity of the Church of God;   |
| <b>All</b> | For all who proclaim the Gospel, and all who seek the Truth.  |
| Lector     | For Michael our Presiding Bishop; Mark, Gayle, and Bud, our Bishops; and for all bishops and other ministers; |
| All        | For all who serve God in his Church.  |
| Lector     | For the special needs and concerns of this congregation.  |

*Silence* | *The People may add their own petitions.* 

#### The Parish Prayer List

The Deacon will read the names of those on the parish prayer list.

| All    | For your mercy is great. |
|--------|--------------------------|
| Deacon | Hear us, Lord;           |

*Deacon* We thank you, Lord, for all the blessings of this life.

Silence | The People may add their own thanksgivings.

Deacon We will exalt you, O God our King;

#### All And praise your Name for ever and ever.

*Deacon* We pray for all who have died, [especially\_\_\_\_], that they may have a place in your eternal kingdom.

Silence | The People may add their own petitions.

- *Deacon* Lord, let your loving-kindness be upon them;
- All Who put their trust in you.

Celebrant We pray to you also for the forgiveness of our sins.

*Silence may be kept.* | *Please remain standing as you are able.* 

## The Confession of Sin & Absolution

- All Have mercy upon us, most merciful Father; in your compassion forgive us our sins, known and unknown, things done and left undone; and so uphold us by your Spirit that we may live and serve you in newness of life, to the honor and glory of your Name; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.
- *Celebrant* Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life. **Amen**.

#### The Peace

CelebrantThe peace of the Lord be always with you.AllAnd also with you.

Please be seated.

Welcome and Announcements

## The Holy Communion

### **Offertory Sentence**

Walk in love, as Christ loved us and gave himself for us, an offering and sacrifice to God.

-Ephesians 5:2

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Please remain seated.



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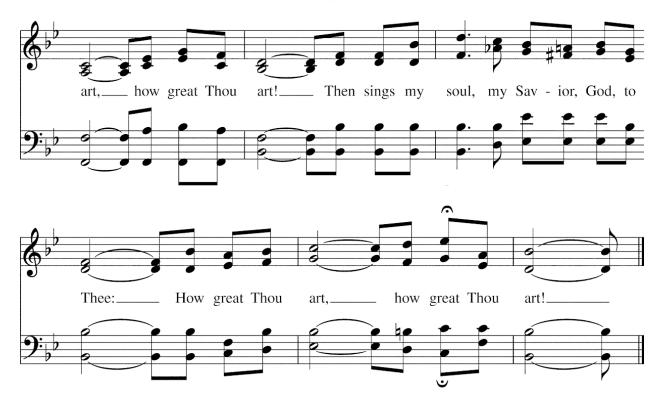
**Offertory Hymn** 

All sing.





<sup>\*</sup> The translator's original words are "works" and "mighty."



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#### Please stand as you are able.

#### Doxology

The Hymnal 1982 #380 (vs. 3)

When the altar is set for communion, all stand as you are able and sing the following:

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all creatures here below; praise him above, ye heavenly host: praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

## Eucharistic Prayer C

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

## All And also with you.

Celebrant Lift up your hearts.

All We lift them to the Lord.

Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

All It is right to give God thanks and praise.

Celebrant God of all power, Ruler of the Universe, you are worthy of glory and praise.

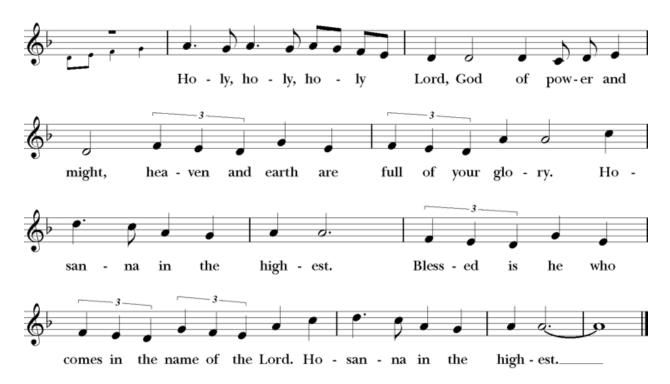
## All Glory to you for ever and ever.

*Celebrant* At your command all things came to be: the vast expanse of interstellar space, galaxies, suns, the planets in their courses, and this fragile earth, our island home.

## All By your will they were created and have their being.

- *Celebrant* From the primal elements you brought forth the human race, and blessed us with memory, reason, and skill. You made us the rulers of creation. But we turned against you, and betrayed your trust; and we turned against one another.
- All Have mercy, Lord, for we are sinners in your sight.
- Celebrant Again and again, you called us to return. Through prophets and sages you revealed your righteous Law. And in the fullness of time you sent your only Son, born of a woman, to fulfill your Law, to open for us the way of freedom and peace.
- All By his blood, he reconciled us. By his wounds, we are healed.
- *Celebrant* And therefore we praise you, joining with the heavenly chorus, with prophets, apostles, and martyrs, and with all those in every generation who have looked to you in hope, to proclaim with them your glory, in their unending hymn:

#### Sanctus & Benedictus



Setting: Robert Powell (b. 1932)

Please remain standing, as you are able.

*Celebrant* And so, Father, we who have been redeemed by him, and made a new people by water and the Spirit, now bring before you these gifts. Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be the Body and Blood of Jesus Christ our Lord.

> On the night he was betrayed he took bread, said the blessing, broke the bread, and gave it to his friends, and said, "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

> After supper, he took the cup of wine, gave thanks, and said, "Drink this, all of you: 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 for the remembrance of me."

- Celebrant Remembering now his work of redemption, and offering to you this sacrifice of thanksgiving,
- All We celebrate his death and resurrection, as we await the day of his coming.

*Celebrant* Lord God of our Mothers and Fathers: God of Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob; God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ: Open our eyes to see your hand at work in the world about us. Deliver us from the presumption of coming to this Table for solace only, and not for strength; for pardon only, and not for renewal. Let the grace of this Holy Communion make us one body, one spirit in Christ, that we may worthily serve the world in his name.

All Risen Lord, be known to us in the breaking of the Bread.

*Celebrant* Accept these prayers and praises, Father, through Jesus Christ our great High Priest, to whom, with you and the Holy Spirit, your Church gives honor, glory, and worship, from generation to generation.

All AMEN.

Celebrant And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say,

## The Lord's Prayer

BCP p. 364

| 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, the power, and the glory, |            |
| for ever and ever. Amen.                            |            |
| The Breaking of the Bread                           | BCP p. 364 |
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The Celebrant breaks the consecrated Bread.

A period of silence is kept.

*Celebrant* Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;*All* Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.

*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.

Communion from the Common Cup is available from the Main Altar only. Communion by intinction is available in the Chapel and for those who are seated in the pews. Please refer to page 1 of this service leaflet for full instructions about receiving communion.

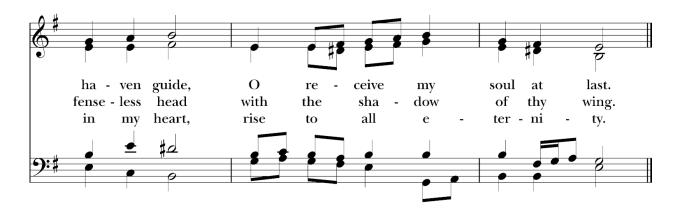
If you prefer to receive the sacrament while seated in the congregation, **please raise your bulletin and the Eucharistic Ministers will bring the sacrament to you.** For a **gluten-free wafer**, please bring a blue gluten-free card from the pew rack to the altar rail. If you do not wish to receive Communion, you may come forward for a blessing.

Please be seated after receiving communion.

**Communion Hymn 1** 

All sing.





Words: Charles Wesley (1707-1788), alt. | Music: Aberystnyth, Joseph Parry (1841-1903)

#### **Communion Hymn 2**

All sing.

"Amazing grace!" The Hymnal 1982 #671



The melody may be sung in canon at distances of either two or three beats.

Words: John Newton (1725-1807), alt.; st. 5, John Rees (19th cent.)

Music: New Britain, from Virginia Harmony, 1831; adapt. att. Edwin Othello Excell (1851-1921); harm. Austin Cole Lovelace (b. 1919)

#### **Post-Communion Prayer**

Please stand as you are able.

Celebrant Eternal God, heavenly Father, you have graciously accepted us as living members of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ, and you have fed us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood. Send us now into the world in peace, and grant us strength and courage to love and serve you with gladness and singleness of heart; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

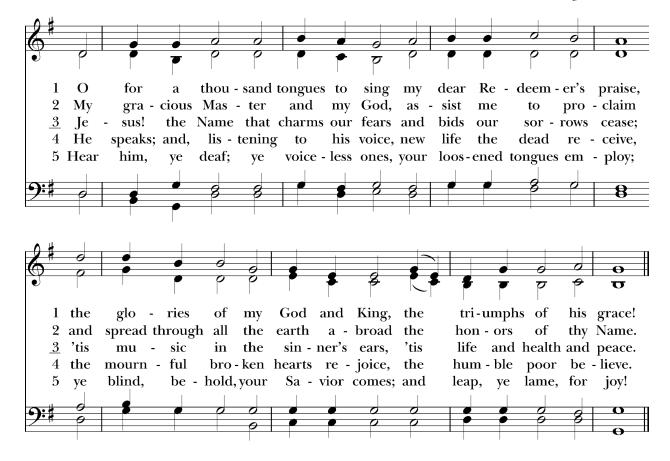
#### The Blessing

*Celebrant* The peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, keep your hearts and minds in the knowledge and love of God, of and 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 Hymn**

All remain standing as you are able and sing.

"O for a thousand tongues" *The Hymnal 1982* #493



#### 6 Glory to God and praise and love be now and ever given by saints below and saints above, the Church in earth and heaven.

Words: Charles Wesley (1707-1788), alt.Music: Azmon, Carl Gotthilf Gläser (1784-1829); adapt. and arr. Lowell Mason (1792-1872)

## The Dismissal

BCP p. 340

Deacon Let us go forth into the world, rejoicing in the power of the Spirit.

All Thanks be to God.

Postlude

"Praise to the Lord" | Johann Gottfried Walther

Stanley M. Baker, Organist

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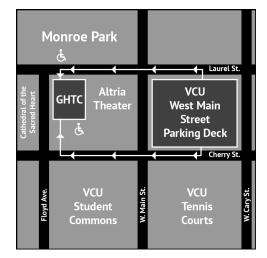


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