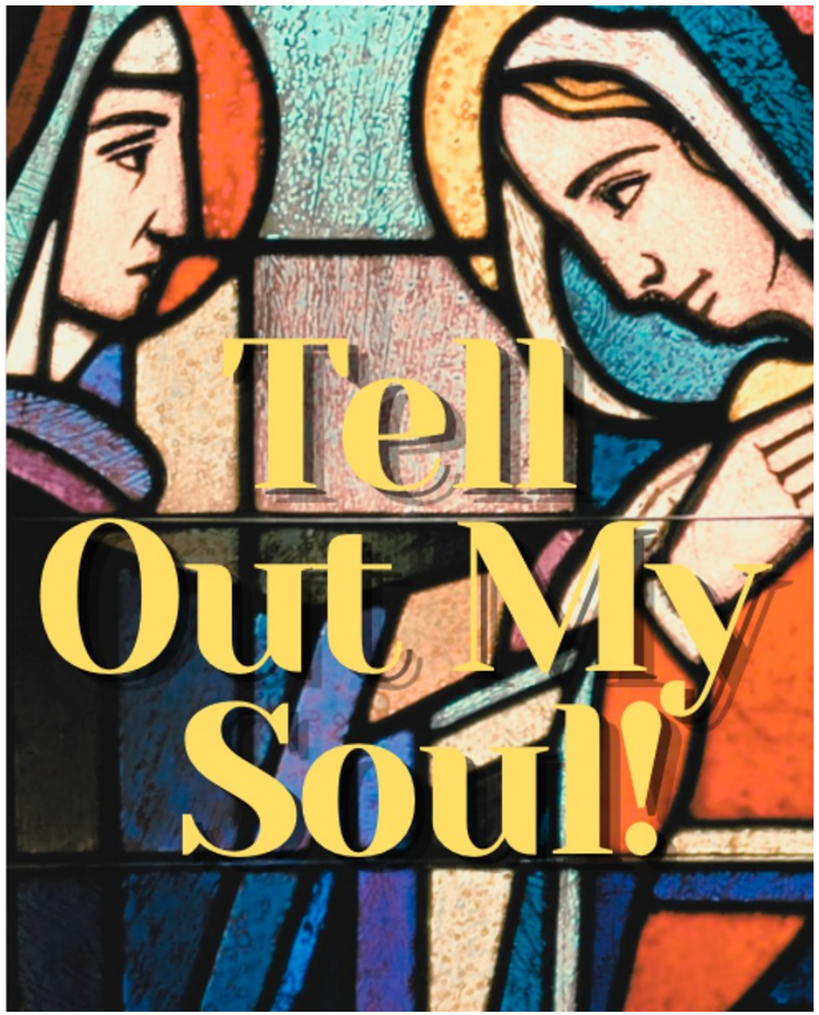


MESSIAH EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Twenty-fifth Sunday after Pentecost
November 15th, 2026 8:30 and 11 am
Holy Communion, Rite Two

Generosity Season Worship Notes.

And Mary said, "My soul magnifies the Lord, and my spirit rejoices in God my Savior…"
–Luke 1:46-47

As followers of Jesus, who have responded to His grace, we have a story to tell. We have been entrusted with the greatest story ever told. We see this story grow from the Creation, through the patriarchs and prophets, until the story recounts the life, death and resurrection of the Son of God. But the story doesn't end with the Resurrection just as it did not end with the Cross. It continues through the Spirit of God as we encounter and are transformed by the Good News of the Gospel of Jesus Christ. How can it be otherwise in a Church community committed to the Worship of God, the Lordship of Christ, and Renewal through the Holy Spirit.

Our preaching theme this season is *Tell Out My Soul!*

Ingathering Sunday is Nov. 8th!

A Note for Visitors.
Resisting the urge to project our music and liturgy on screens, as Anglican Christians in the Episcopal Church we pray from the Book of Common Prayer and sing from our Hymnal. Other music is found in your worship bulletin. It is our custom to stand when we praise and profess, kneel when we pray, and sit when we listen. Our clergy will do our best to guide you, as will Messiah members.

Liturgy Changes.
Liturgically, we've moved to Eucharistic Prayer A and Prayer Form V through to Advent. We will acknowledge our sinfulness with the General Confession and hear the words of grace in the Absolution. Beginning on All Saint's Day, we will sing only one praise song after the "Collect for Purity" at the 8:30am service; the two-song praise set after the "Collect for Purity" continues at 11:00am.

With every blessing,

Rev. Dave+

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THE WORD OF GOD

Please stand.

OPENING HYMN

Praise To The Lord, The Almighty **Hymnal #390**

Please turn in the hymnal to our opening Hymn, Hymn # 390 Praise To The Lord, The Almighty

၁. ပတြာဃထိဉ်ယွၤ, စိကဖိၤခိဉ်, တၢ်ဘဉ်တ့ၤခစီၤပၤ
ယသးဇၢ, စံးပတြာဃွၤ, ဟ့ဉ်တၢ်အိဉ်ဆူဉ်ဘ့ဉ်ခိဉ်တၢ်
ပ့ၤနှၢ်ဟူတၢ်,မ့ဉ်,ခွါ,သုးဘူးသးကိးဂၤ
ဘါထိဉ်အိၤလၢတၢ်ယူးတၢ်ယိဉ်.

၂. ပတြာဃထိဉ်ယွၤ, လၢအပၢ, အတၢ်ဘဉ်တ့သ့ဉ်တဖဉ်
ဖဲနုလိၤဘ့ဲး, ကဟ့ကယာ်နုၤလၢအခံးဆ့လာ်
မှ်နုထံဉ်ဇါ, တၢ်လိဉ်လၢနုဂ်ၢ်တဖဉ်
အတၢ်အဲဉ်လၢနုဂ်ၢ်ခိဉ်ဖး.

၃. ပတြာဃထိဉ်ယွၤ, လၢခုးဒိဉ်ထိဉ်တၢ်ဖၤခိးအံးကွၢ်နုၤ
တၢ်အဲဉ်ခိးတၢ်သးကညီၤနှဉ်အစဲခဉ်ဟ့ဉ်လိၤနုၤ
ဆိဖိဉ်ထံထံ, ယွၤသ့တၢ်လၢဂ်အဖၤတၢ်.
ကဖၤစၢၤနုၤတ့ၤအကတၢ်.

၄. ပတြာဃထိဉ်ယွၤ, ဖဲလပိတဖဉ်, ဂဲၤစံဉ်စုအခါ
ကစၢ်ယွၤကဖၤပူၤနုၤလၢတၢ်ကိတၢ်ခဲတဖဉ်
ဟ့ဉ်အကလုၢ်, တၢ်သးထိဉ်ခုးဆိတ့ၢ်ဖ:
ပိဉ်လဲဉ်လပိဒိကနှဉ်အီၤ.

OPENING ACCLAMATION **BCP p. 355**

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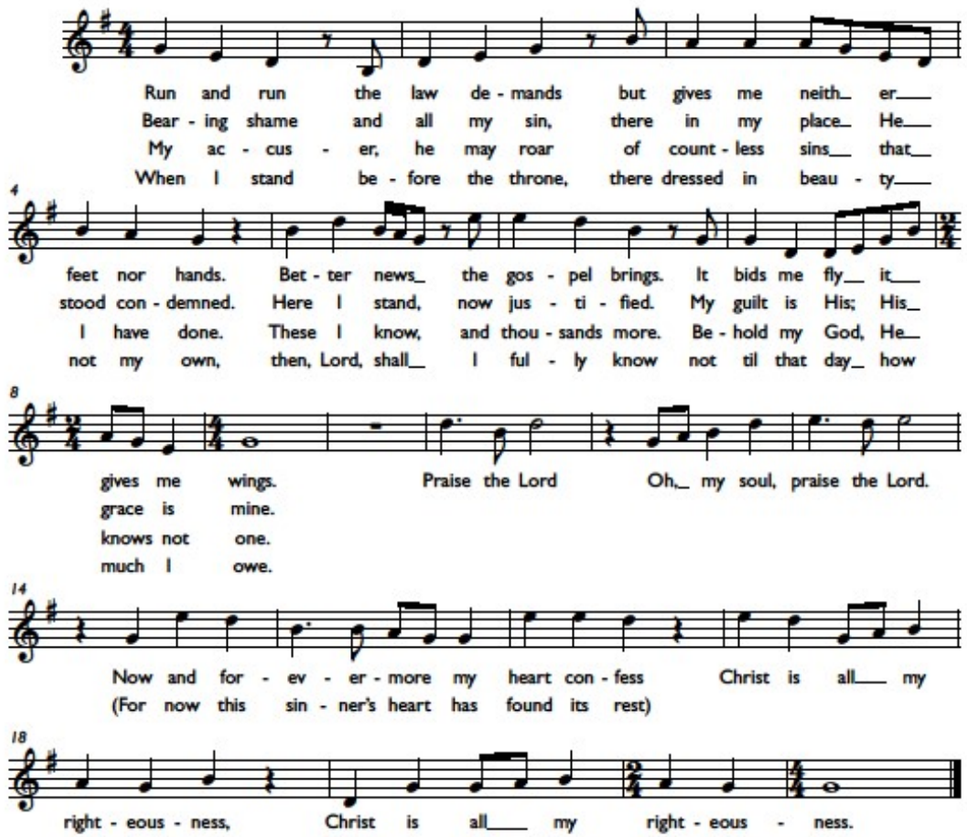
Leader Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.
All **And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever.**
Amen.

COLLECT FOR PURITY

Leader Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known...
...and worthily magnify your holy Name; through Christ our Lord.
All **Amen.**

SONGS OF PRAISE

Run And Run (Christ Is All My Righteousness)



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Great Are You Lord

1. You give life You are love
You bring light to the darkness
You give hope You restore ev'ry heart that is broken
And great are You Lord

Chorus
It's Your breath in our lungs
So we pour out our praise
We pour out our praise
It's Your breath in our lungs
So we pour out our praise to You only

Bridge
And all the earth will shout Your praise
Our hearts will cry these bones will sing
Great are You Lord
(repeat)

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Please stand.

COLLECT OF THE DAY BCP p. 236

Leader The Lord be with you.
All **And also with you.**

Leader Let us pray.
Blessed Lord, who caused all holy Scriptures to be written...
...and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.
All **Amen.**

All sit.

THE LESSONS BCP p. 357

(OLD TESTAMENT LESSON (Zephaniah 1:7, 12-18) Bible OT p. 874-875)

NEW TESTAMENT LESSON (1 Thessalonians 5:1-11) Bible NT p. 205

Please turn in your pew Bible to NT p. # 205.

After the reading:
Reader The word of the Lord.
All **Thanks be to God.**
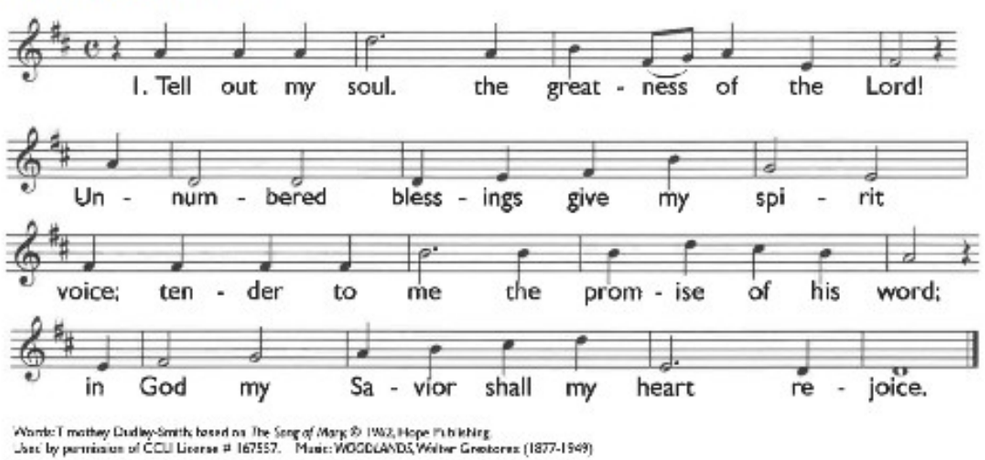
PSALTER: Psalm 90:1-8, 12 (read responsively by whole verse) **BCP p. 717-718**

Please turn in the Book of Common Prayer to p. #717.

All stand.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Tell Out My Soul



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All stand.

THE HOLY GOSPEL (Matthew 25:14-30) Bible NT p. 28-29

Please turn in your pew Bible to NT p. # 28.

Reader The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to ...
All **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**
After the reading:
Reader The Gospel of the Lord.
All **Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

All sit.

THE SERMON Joey Goodall

All stand.

THE NICENE CREED **BCP p. 358**

Please turn in the Book of Common Prayer, p. #358, as we profess our faith in the words of the Nicene Creed.

All **We believe in one God...**
… and the life of the world to come. Amen

Please kneel as you are able.

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE: FORM V **BCP p. 389-391**

Leader In peace, let us pray to the Lord, saying, *"Lord, have mercy"*
For the holy Church of God, that it may be filled...
...we pray to you, O Lord.

Here and after every petition the People respond, ***"Lord, have mercy".***

CONFESSION OF SIN **BCP p. 359-360**

All stand.

ABSOLUTION & PEACE

BCP p. 360

Leader The peace of the Lord be always with you.
Maw Ywa, ata ghu ta poe, oh taw thu da kay.
All **And also with you.**
Maw oh taw, na thar da kay.

Please take a moment to share the sign of peace with those around you.

All sit.

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

A greeting from our clergy to Messiah members and our guests; we'll also share news for the Messiah community.

THE HOLY COMMUNION

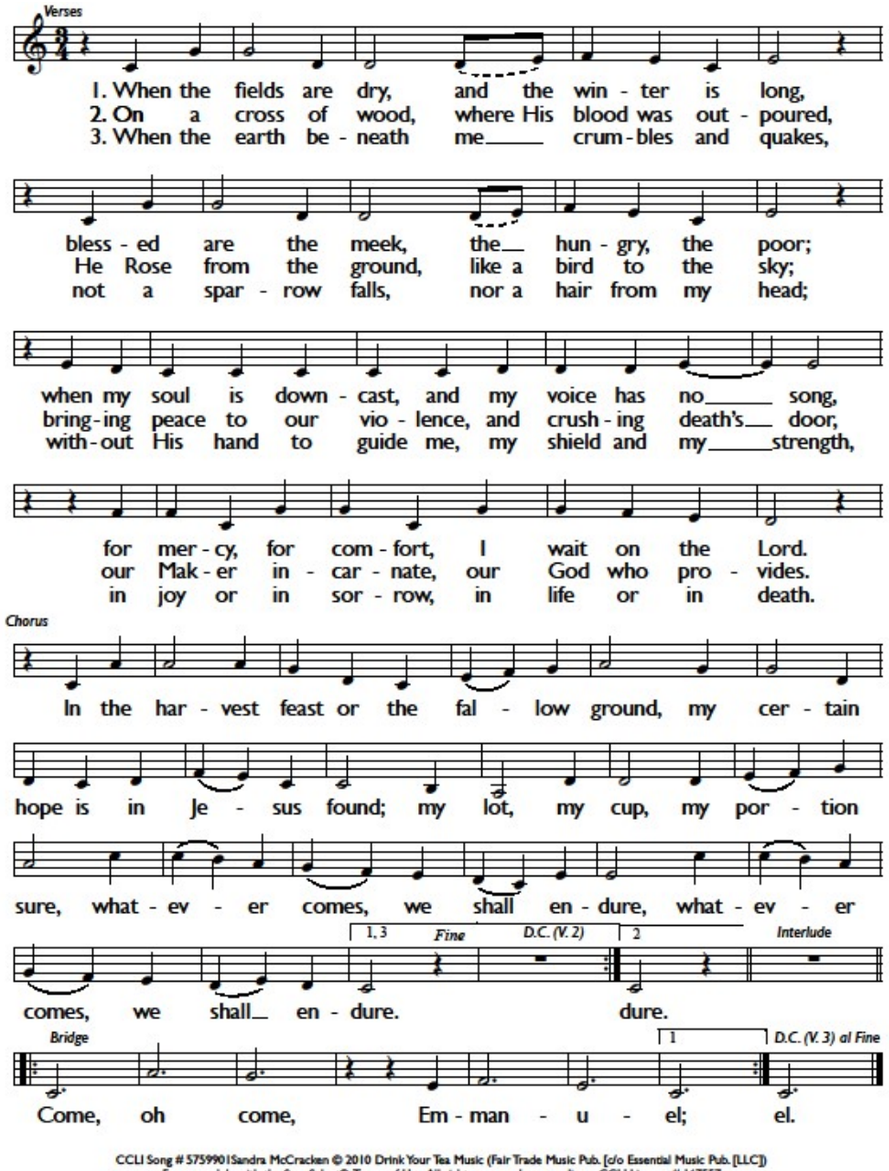
OFFERTORY

Leader Walk in love, as Christ loved us and gave himself for us, an offering and sacrifice to God. *Ephesians 5:2*

The bread and wine are brought forward and the offering is received.

OFFERTORY HYMN

In Feast Or Fallow



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All stand as offering is brought forward.

Leader All things come from you, O God.
All **And from your own have we given you.**
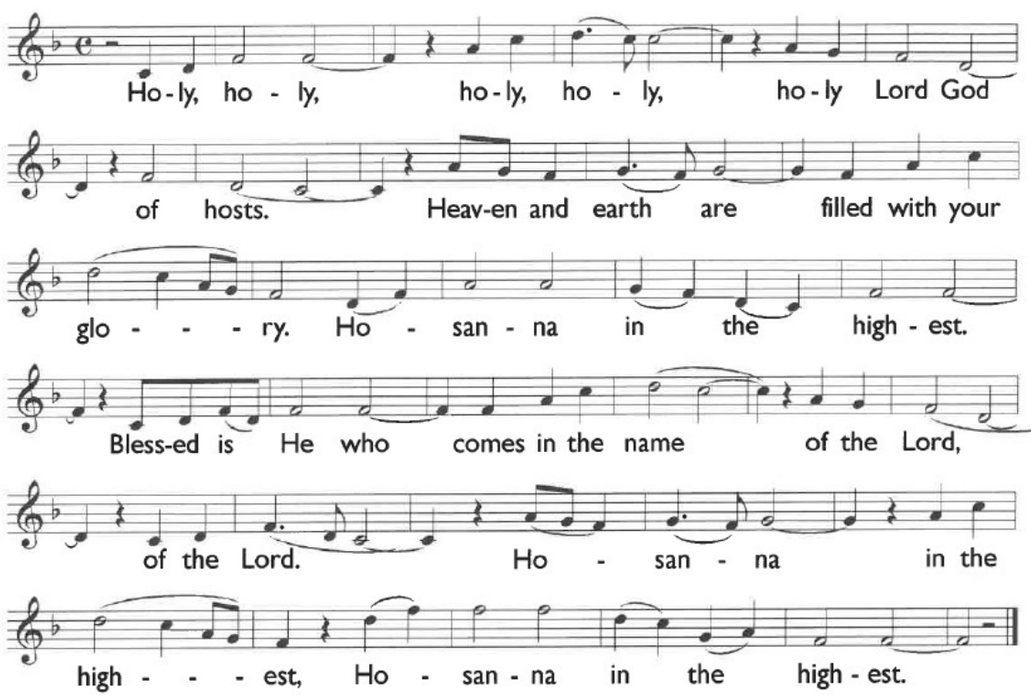
THE GREAT THANKSGIVING: EUCHARISTIC PRAYER A **BCP p. 361**

Please turn in the Book of Common Prayer to p. # 361

Leader The Lord be with you.
All **And also with you.**
Leader Lift up your hearts.
All **We lift them to the Lord.**
Leader Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
All **It is right to give him thanks and praise.**

Leader It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always…
...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:

SANCTUS



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Leader Holy and gracious Father: In your infinite love you made us for yourself...
...Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

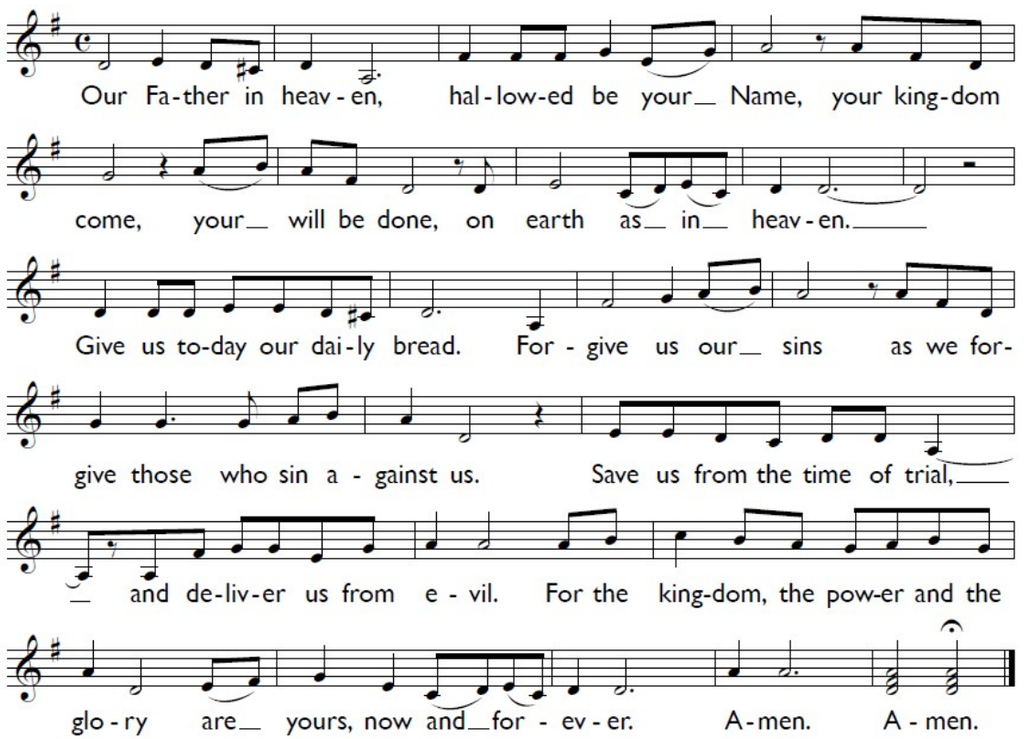
All **Christ has died.**
Christ is risen.
Christ will come again.

Leader We celebrate the memorial of our redemption, O Father...
… 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 for ever. **AMEN.**

Please kneel as you are able.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Leader And now as Jesus has taught us, we are bold to say:



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THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD **BCP p. 364-366**

Please turn in the Book of Common Prayer to p. #364.

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

Leader The gifts of God for the people of God. Take them in remembrance ...
... and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.

All are invited to kneel in prayer at the Communion. The ushers will release you, one pew at a time, to kneel at the Altar Rail to receive Holy Communion. All baptized believers in Jesus are welcome to receive the Eucharist. A special note to visitors: If you are accustomed to receiving Holy Communion in your home Church, no matter what its denomination, you are also welcome to receive Holy Communion. After receiving the bread, one is free to receive the chalice. If you would prefer to receive the bread only, simply cross your arms in front of you. And, if you would prefer to receive a blessing only, please also signify by crossing your arms. Thank you.
Please notify the usher if you need communion brought to you in the pew.

8:30 am service: Healing team members Deb Baird and Jean Smidt are available for prayer during communion.
11 am service: Healing team members are available for prayer during communion.

COMMUNION MUSIC

Come Unto Jesus

1. Come unto Jesus all you who are weary
Come to the mercy seat fervently kneel
Here bring your wounded hearts broken and needy
Come unto Jesus mighty to heal

2. Joy of the comfortless Light for the straying
Hope of the penitent Peace in our strife
Here speaks the Comforter tenderly saying
My yoke is easy my burden is light

Chorus Come unto Jesus
Come unto Jesus
Lay down your burdens He is enough
Come unto Jesus rest in His love

3. Come taste the Bread of Life broken for sinners
Drink from the cup of His promise made sure
Feast at His table as sons and as daughters
Grace overflowing is yours evermore

4. Come now and follow Him this life forsaking
All that was gain count as nothing but loss
Trade all this world for His kingdom unfading
Come unto Jesus take up your cross
Come unto Jesus take up your cross
Life everlasting He offers to us *(Chorus)*

Come unto Jesus rest in His love

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Oh Lord You're Beautiful

1. Oh Lord You're beautiful
Your face is all I seek
And when Your eyes are on this child
Your grace abounds to me

Bridge I want to take Your Word and shine it all around
First help me just to live it Lord
And when I'm doing well help me to never seek a crown
For my reward is giving glory to You

2. Oh Lord please light the fire
That once burned bright and clear
Replace the lamp of my first love
That burns with holy fear

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At Messiah we generally stand for the last Communion song, the Altar party will stand first.

His Mercy Is More

Verse 1
What love could remember no wrongs we have done
Omniscient all knowing He counts not their sum
Thrown into a sea without bottom or shore
Our sins they are many His mercy is more

Verse 2
What patience would wait as we constantly roam
What Father so tender is calling us home
He welcomes the weakest the vilest the poor
Our sins they are many His mercy is more

Verse 3
What riches of kindness He lavished on us
His blood was the payment His life was the cost
We stood 'neath a debt we could never afford
Our sins they are many His mercy is more

Chorus
Praise the Lord His Mercy is more
Stronger than darkness new every morn
Our sins they are many His mercy is more

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PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION **BCP p. 365**

Please turn in the Book of Common Prayer to p. #365.

Leader Eternal God, heavenly Father, you have graciously accepted us as living members … with gladness and singleness of heart, through Christ our Lord.
All **Amen.**

THE BLESSING BCP p. 366

The Celebrant offers a blessing to the people in the name of God: Father, Son and Holy Spirit.

CLOSING HYMN

My Faith Looks Up To Thee **Hymnal #691**

Please turn in the hymnal to our closing Hymn, Hymn #691 My Faith Looks Up To Thee

THE DISMISSAL BCP p. 366

Please turn in the Book of Common Prayer to p. #366.

Leader Let us go forth into the world, rejoicing in the power of the Holy Spirit.
All **Thanks be to God.**

Postlude



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