



"...For truly, I say to you, if you have faith like a grain of mustard seed, you will say to this mountain, 'Move from here to there,' and it will move, and nothing will be impossible for you."

Matthew 17:20b

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## AS WE GATHER - DO NOT BE AFRAID

Polls tell us that many of us live in fear and struggle with depression. Jesus calls us not to be afraid—not because we have no enemies but because He is stronger than them all. God knows the score—from every bird that falls from the sky to every hair on our head. He has invested His love and mercy in us in Christ and will not turn away from us. This promise is sure. Because of this, we can surrender our fears of being known as His children. Everyone who confesses Him on earth, Christ will confess him before His Father in heaven. From this promise comes the strength to live the new life given to us in our Baptism and to make known what Christ has done by His death and resurrection—for us and for all the world. We are called to judge not by the times but by the promises of God. Neither will He disappoint us nor will He forsake us.

### + PREPARATION +

## 901 OPEN NOW THY GATES OF BEAUTY



1 O - pen now thy gates of beau - ty; Zi - on, let me  
2 Gra - cious God, I come be - fore Thee; Come Thou al - so  
3 Here Thy praise is glad - ly chant - ed; Here Thy seed is  
4 Thou my faith in - crease and quick - en; Let me keep Thy  
5 Speak, O God, and I will hear Thee; Let Thy will be



en - ter there, Where my soul in joy - ful du - ty  
un - to me. Where we find Thee and a - dore Thee,  
du - ly sown. Let my soul, where it is plant - ed,  
gift di - vine, How - so - e'er temp - ta - tions thick - en;  
done in - deed. May I un - dis - turbed draw near Thee



Waits for Him who an - swers prayer. Oh, how bless - ed  
There a heav'n on earth must be. To my heart, O  
Bring forth pre - cious sheaves a - lone, So that all I  
May Thy Word still o'er me shine As my guid - ing  
While Thou dost Thy peo - ple feed. Here of life the



is this place, Filled with sol - ace, light, and grace!  
en - ter Thou; Let it be Thy tem - ple now!  
hear may be Fruit - ful un - to life in me.  
star through life, As my com - fort in all strife.  
foun - tain flows; Here is balm for all our woes.

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## INVOCATION

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

**C** Amen.

## CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

*Psalm 25:7, 18*

**P** Remember not the sins of my youth or my transgressions; according to Your steadfast love remember me, for the sake of Your goodness, O LORD!

**C** Consider my affliction and my trouble, and forgive all my sins.

**P** Holy and gracious God,

**C** I confess that I have sinned against You this day. Some of my sin I know—the thoughts and words and deeds of which I am ashamed—but some is known only to You. In the name of Jesus Christ I ask forgiveness. Deliver according to Your mercy and grant peace to my heart so that I may serve You with all my mind, body, and soul.

**P** By the mercy of God we are redeemed by Jesus Christ, and in Him we are forgiven. As a called and ordained servant of Christ and by His authority, I therefore forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

**C** Amen.

**P** He who began this good work within you will bring it to completion on the day of our Lord Jesus Christ. The peace of the Lord be with you.

**C** And also with you. Amen.

**+ WORD +**

# 809 GREAT IS THY FAITHFULNESS



1 Great is Thy faith - ful - ness, O God my Fa - ther;  
2 Sum - mer and win - ter and spring - time and har - vest,  
3 Par - don for sin and a peace that en - dur - eth,



There is no shad - ow of turn - ing with Thee.  
Sun, moon, and stars in their cours - es a - bove  
Thine own dear pres - ence to cheer and to guide;



Thou chang - est not: Thy com - pas - sions, they fail not;  
Join with all na - ture in man - i - fold wit - ness  
Strength for to - day and bright hope for to - mor - row,



As Thou hast been, Thou for - ev - er wilt be.  
To Thy great faith - ful - ness, mer - cy, and love.  
Bless - ings all mine, with ten thou - sand be - side!



*Refrain*  
Great is Thy faith - ful - ness! Great is Thy faith - ful - ness!



Morn - ing by morn - ing new mer - cies I see;



All I have need - ed Thy hand hath pro - vid - ed;



Great is Thy faith - ful - ness, Lord, un - to me!

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## SALUTATION

**L** The Lord be with you.

**C** And also with you.

## PSALM

*Psalm 91:1–10; antiphon: v. 1*

**L** <sup>1</sup>He who dwells in the shelter of the Most High will abide in the shadow of the Almighty. <sup>2</sup>I will say to the LORD, “My refuge and my fortress, my God, in whom I trust.” <sup>3</sup>For he will deliver you from the snare of the fowler and from the deadly pestilence. <sup>4</sup>He will cover you with his pinions, and under his wings you will find refuge; his faithfulness is a shield and buckler. <sup>5</sup>You will not fear the terror of the night, nor the arrow that flies by day, <sup>6</sup>nor the pestilence that stalks in darkness, nor the destruction that wastes at noonday. <sup>7</sup>A thousand may fall at your side, ten thousand at your right hand, but it will not come near you. <sup>8</sup>You will only look with your eyes and see the recompense of the wicked. <sup>9</sup>Because you have made the LORD your dwelling place—the Most High, who is my refuge— <sup>10</sup>no evil shall be allowed to befall you, no plague come near your tent.

## PRAYER OF THE DAY

**L** O God, because Your abiding presence always goes with us, keep us aware of Your daily mercies that we may live secure and content in Your eternal love; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**C** Amen.

## 392 GOD LOVES ME DEARLY

*sts. 1, ref*



1 God loves me dear - ly, Grants me sal -



va - tion, God loves me dear - ly, Loves e - ven me.

*Refrain*



There - fore I'll say a - gain: God loves me



dear - ly, God loves me dear - ly, Loves e - ven me.

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**(Children come forward for the Children's Message.)**

## CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

### 392 GOD LOVES ME DEARLY

sts. ref, 5

5 Now I will praise You, O Love E -  
ter - nal; Now I will praise You All my life long.  
*Refrain*  
There - fore I'll say a - gain: God loves me  
dear - ly, God loves me dear - ly, Loves e - ven me.

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## OLD TESTAMENT READING

Jeremiah 20:7-13

<sup>7</sup>O LORD, you have deceived me, and I was deceived; you are stronger than I, and you have prevailed. I have become a laughingstock all the day; everyone mocks me. <sup>8</sup>For whenever I speak, I cry out, I shout, "Violence and destruction!" For the word of the LORD has become for me a reproach and derision all day long. <sup>9</sup>If I say, "I will not mention him, or speak any more in his name," there is in my heart as it were a burning fire shut up in my bones, and I am weary with holding it in, and I cannot. <sup>10</sup>For I hear many whispering. Terror is on every side! "Denounce him! Let us denounce him!" say all my close friends, watching for my fall. "Perhaps he will be deceived; then we can overcome him and take our revenge on him." <sup>11</sup>But the LORD is with me as a dread warrior; therefore my persecutors will stumble; they will not overcome me. They will be greatly shamed, for they will not succeed. Their eternal dishonor will never be forgotten. <sup>12</sup>O LORD of hosts, who tests the righteous, who sees the heart and the mind, let me see your vengeance upon them, for to you have I committed my cause. <sup>13</sup>Sing to the LORD; praise the LORD! For he has delivered the life of the needy from the hand of evildoers.

**L** This is the Word of the Lord.

**C** Thanks be to God.

## EPISTLE

Romans 6:12-23

<sup>12</sup>Let not sin therefore reign in your mortal bodies, to make you obey their passions.

<sup>13</sup>Do not present your members to sin as instruments for unrighteousness, but present yourselves to God as those who have been brought from death to life, and your members to God as instruments for righteousness. <sup>14</sup>For sin will have no dominion over you, since you are not under law but under grace.

<sup>15</sup>What then? Are we to sin because we are not under law but under grace? By no means! <sup>16</sup>Do you not know that if you present yourselves to anyone as obedient slaves, you are slaves of the one whom you obey, either of sin, which leads to death, or of obedience, which leads to righteousness? <sup>17</sup>But thanks be to God, that you who were once slaves of sin have become obedient from the heart to the standard of teaching to which you were committed, <sup>18</sup>and, having been set free from sin, have become slaves of righteousness. <sup>19</sup>I am speaking in human terms, because of your natural limitations. For just as you once presented your members as slaves to impurity and to lawlessness leading to more lawlessness, so now present your members as slaves to righteousness leading to sanctification. <sup>20</sup>When you were slaves of sin, you were free in regard to righteousness. <sup>21</sup>But what fruit were you getting at that time from the things of which you are now ashamed? The end of those things is death. <sup>22</sup>But now that you have been set free from sin and have become slaves of God, the fruit you get leads to sanctification and its end, eternal life. <sup>23</sup>For the wages of sin is death, but the free gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord.

**L** This is the Word of the Lord.

**C** Thanks be to God.

## 504 FATHER MOST HOLY

sts. 1-3



1 Fa - ther most ho - ly, mer - ci - ful, and ten - der; Je - sus, our  
 2 Trin - i - ty bless - ed, u - ni - ty un - shak - en, Good - ness un -  
 3 Mak - er of all things, all Thy crea - tures praise Thee; All for Thy



Sav - ior, with the Fa - ther reign - ing; Spir - it of com - fort,  
 bound - ed, ver - y God of heav - en, Light of the an - gels,  
 wor - ship were and are cre - at - ed; Now, as we al - so



ad - vo - cate, de - fend - er, Light nev - er wan - ing;  
 joy of those for - sak - en, Hope of all liv - ing,  
 wor - ship Thee de - vout - ly, Hear Thou our voic - es.

Text: Latin, c. 10th cent.; tr. Percy Dearmer, 1867-1936, alt. Tune: Antiphoner, 1681, ParisText and tune: Public domain



flock, For the Fa - ther has cho - sen To  
 flock, For the Fa - ther will keep you In  
 bove, For He stoops down to heal you, Up -  
 God, For He stays close be - side you, In

give you the King - dom; Have no fear, lit - tle flock!  
 His love for - ev - er; Have good cheer, lit - tle flock!  
 lift and re - store you; Praise the Lord high a - bove!  
 all things works with you; Thank - ful hearts raise to God!

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## SERMON

### NICENE CREED

*Nicene Creed*

**☩ 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.**

### OFFERING & VIDEO

*(At this time, please fill out the attendance sheet in the colored bulletin and place in the offering plate. Also at this time, on the back of the attendance slip, please refresh your thoughts or read what we believe, as you prepare to come to receive the Lord's Body & Blood or as you come forward to receive a blessing.)*

## 956 CREATE IN ME

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.

The musical score is written on five staves in G major (one sharp) and 4/4 time. It features a melody with various note values including quarter, eighth, and half notes, along with rests and slurs. The lyrics are placed below the notes.

Text: Psalm 51:10-12 Tune: Johann Georg Winer, 1583-1651, adapt. Text and tune: Public domain

## PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

- L** Let us pray for the whole people of God in Christ Jesus and for all people as they have need.

Bless to Your Church, her ministers, and all of us, Your people, that we trust in Your Word and promise when eyes do not see Your hand at work; and when hearts are tempted to anxiety and fear, grant that we know the fullness of Your peace. Lord, in Your mercy,

- C** hear our prayer.

- L** Make us to be good soil so that the seed of Your Word planted in us may grow, flourish, and bear the good fruit You desire. Bless the work of all pastors, missionaries, and church workers who serve us in Your name that their ministry to us bear good fruit. Lord, in Your mercy,

- C** hear our prayer.

- L** Give relief to the suffering, healing to the sick, peace to the troubled, and comfort to those who grieve, and bless them with patience and endurance until You deliver them from their trials. Lord, in Your mercy,

- C** hear our prayer.

**L** We thank you, Lord, for Pastor Tom and Sharon for their service and sacrifice for Peace. We pray for Your blessings upon them as they travel and transition into this new chapter in their lives. Be with them as they adjust and acclimate to their new community and church, and use them to bring your love and Word to those in need. Lord, in Your mercy,

**C** **hear our prayer.**

**L** All things are Yours, heavenly Father, and You have promised to supply them to us as we need and when we need them. Help us to pray with confident hearts, trusting that You will provide for us all things needful and deliver us from all things harmful, through Jesus Christ, our Lord.

**C** **Amen.**

## + SACRAMENT +

### 659 LORD OF OUR LIFE

st. 1

1 Lord of our life and God of our sal - va - tion, Star of our  
night and hope of ev - 'ry na - tion: Hear and re - ceive Your  
Church's sup - pli - ca - tion, Lord God Al - might - y.

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### PREFACE

**P** The Lord be with you.

**C** **And also with you.**

**P** Lift up your hearts.

**C** **We lift them to the Lord.**

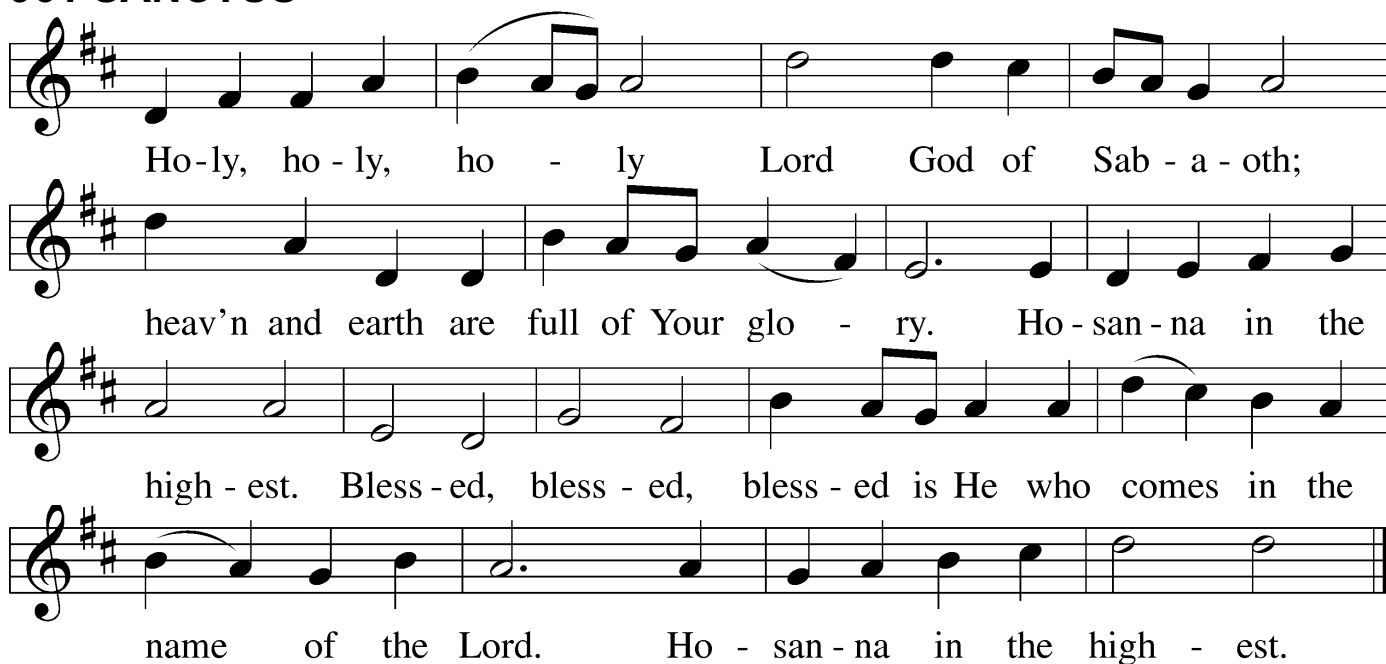
**P** Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**C** **It is right to give Him thanks and praise.**

### PROPER PREFACE

**P** It is truly good, 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, out of love for His fallen creation, humbled Himself by taking on the form of a servant, becoming obedient unto death, even death upon a cross. Risen from the dead, He has freed us from eternal death and given us life everlasting. Therefore with angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven we laud and magnify Your glorious name, evermore praising You and saying:

## 961 SANCTUS



Ho-ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord God of Sab - a - oth;  
heav'n and earth are full of Your glo - ry. Ho - san - na in the  
high - est. Bless - ed, bless - ed, bless - ed is He who comes in the  
name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

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## PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

**P** Blessed are You, Lord of heaven and earth, for You have had mercy on those whom You created and sent Your only-begotten Son into our flesh to bear our sin and be our Savior. With repentant joy we receive the salvation accomplished for us by the all-availing sacrifice of His body and His blood on the cross. Gathered in the name and the remembrance of Jesus, we beg You, O Lord, to forgive, renew, and strengthen us with Your Word and Spirit. Grant us faithfully to eat His body and drink His blood as He bids us do in His own testament. Gather us together, we pray, from the ends of the earth to celebrate with all the faithful the marriage feast of the Lamb in His kingdom, which has no end. Graciously receive our prayers; deliver and preserve us. To You alone, O Father, be all glory, honor, and worship, with the Son and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**C** Amen.

## THE WORDS OF OUR LORD

### PROCLAMATION OF CHRIST

**P** As often as we eat this bread and drink this cup, we proclaim the Lord's death until He comes.

**C** Amen. Come, Lord Jesus.

**P** O Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father, in giving us Your body and blood to eat and to drink, You lead us to remember and confess Your holy cross and passion, Your blessed death, Your rest in the tomb, Your resurrection from the dead, Your ascension into heaven, and Your coming for the final judgment. So remember us in Your kingdom and teach us to pray:

## THE LORD'S PRAYER

**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.

## PAX DOMINI

**P** The peace of the Lord be with you always.

**C** Amen.

## AGNUS DEI

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**C** Lamb of God, You take a - way the sin of the world;  
have mer - cy on us. Lamb of God, You take a - way the  
sin of the world; have mer - cy on us. Lamb of  
God, You take a - way the sin of the world;  
grant us peace, grant us peace.

## + DISTRIBUTION HYMNS +

### I KNOW A NAME

I know a name that can silence roaring waves.  
I know a name that can empty out a grave.  
I know a name, it's the only name that saves,  
And it's worthy of all praise.

I call You, Jesus. I call You, I call You, Healer,  
Risen and reigning in power.  
Something comes out of the grave every time I call You, Jesus.

I call You, I call You, Savior, Worthy of glory forever.  
Something comes out of the grave every time I call Your name.

I have a King with dominion over death.  
He holds the keys in His holy nail-scarred hands.  
He is the heel, That has crushed the serpent's head,  
Our resurrected Great I Am.

I call You, Jesus. I call You, I call You, Healer,  
Risen and reigning in power.  
Something comes out of the grave Every time I call You, Jesus.  
I call You, I call You, Savior, Worthy of glory forever.  
Something comes out of the grave Every time I call Your name.

Chains break, dry bones wake.  
Every time I call Your name The gates of Hell shake.  
Every time I call Your name Chains break, dry bones wake.  
Every time I call Your name The gates of Hell shake,  
Every time I call Your name, Every time I call Your name.

Where, oh death, is now your sting? And where, oh grave, your victory?  
Where, oh death, is now your sting? And where, oh grave, your victory?

Dead things come alive, Dead things come alive,  
Dead things come alive in the name of Jesus.

*(repeat phrase 2 more times)*

Dead things come alive, Dead things come alive,  
Dead things come alive in the name.

I call You, Jesus. I call You, I call You, Healer,  
Risen and reigning in power.  
Something comes out of the grave Every time I call You, Jesus.  
I call You, I call You, Savior, Worthy of glory forever.  
Something comes out of the grave, Every time I call Your name.  
Chains break, dry bones wake.  
Every time I call Your name The gates of Hell shake.  
Every time I call Your name  
Dead things come alive, Dead things come alive,  
Dead things come alive in the name of Jesus.

Dead things come alive, Dead things come alive,  
Dead things come alive in the name of Jesus Christ.

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## FORGIVEN

I'm the one who held the nail. It was cold between my fingertips.  
I've hidden in the garden. I've denied You with my very lips.

God, I fall down to my knees With a hammer in my hand.  
You look at me, arms open. Forgiven, forgiven.  
Child there is freedom from all of it,  
Say goodbye to every sin, You are forgiven.

I've done things I wish I hadn't done. I've seen things I wish I hadn't seen.  
Just the thought of Your amazing grace And I cry, "Jesus, forgive me!"

God, I fall down to my knees With a hammer in my hand.  
You look at me, arms open. Forgiven, forgiven.  
Child there is freedom from all of it,  
Say goodbye to every sin, You are forgiven.

I could've been six feet under. I could've been lost forever.  
Yeah I should be in that fire, But now there's fire inside of me.

Here I am a dead man walking; No grave gonna hold God's people.  
All the weight of all our evil, Lifted away forever free.

Who could believe, who could believe? Forgiven, forgiven.  
You love me even when I don't deserve it. Forgiven, I'm forgiven.  
Jesus, Your blood makes me innocent.  
So I will say goodbye to every sin, I am forgiven. I am forgiven.

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## POST-COMMUNION DISMISSAL

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

**C** Amen.

## THANK THE LORD

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**C** Thank the Lord and sing His praise; tell ev-'ry-one what He has done.



Let all who seek the Lord re - joice and proud-ly bear His name.

He re-calls His prom-is - es and leads His peo - ple forth in joy  
with shouts of thanks-giv-ing. Al - le - lu - ia, al-le - lu - ia.

## POST-COMMUNION THANKSGIVING

*Psalm 106:1*

- P** Oh give thanks to the LORD, for He is good,  
**C** for His steadfast love endures forever!

**P** Almighty and everlasting God, since You have revealed Your glory to all nations in Jesus Christ and in the Word of His truth, keep, we ask You, in safety the works of Your mercy so that Your church, spread throughout all the nations, may be defended against the adversary and may serve You in true faith and persevere in the confession of Your name; through Jesus Christ, our Lord.

**C** Amen.

## BENEDICAMUS

- P** Let us bless the Lord.  
**C** Thanks be to God.

## + FAREWELL AND GODSPEED TO A PASTOR +

### ADDRESS

- L** Dear brothers and sisters in Christ, Pastor Tom Boeck, has accepted a call to a new field of service in the Church. At this time of farewell and Godspeed, let us hear the Word of the Lord.

### PHILIPPIANS 1:3–8

- A** <sup>3</sup>I thank my God in all my remembrance of you, <sup>4</sup>always in every prayer of mine for you all making my prayer with joy, <sup>5</sup>because of your partnership in the gospel from the first day until now. <sup>6</sup>And I am sure of this, that he who began a good work in you will bring it to completion at the day of Jesus Christ. <sup>7</sup>It is right for me to feel this way about you all, because I hold you in my heart, for you are all partakers with me of grace, both in my imprisonment and in the defense and confirmation of the gospel. <sup>8</sup>For God is my witness, how I yearn for you all with the affection of Christ Jesus.

## 1 CORINTHIANS 15:58

1 Corinthians 15:58

- A** <sup>58</sup>Therefore, my beloved brothers, be steadfast, immovable, always abounding in the work of the Lord, knowing that in the Lord your labor is not in vain.

## PSALM

- L** I lift up my eyes to the hills. From where does my help come? My help comes from the LORD, who made heav'n and earth. Lord, you have been our dwelling place in all generations. Before the mountains were brought forth, or ever you had formed the earth and the world, from everlasting to everlasting you are God. Blessèd shall you be in the city, and blessèd shall you be in the field. Blessèd shall you be when you come in, and blessèd shall you be when you go out. Satisfy us in the morning with your steadfast love, that we may rejoice and be glad all our days. Let your work be shown to your servants, and your glorious power to their children.

Let the favor of the Lord our God be upon us, and establish the work of our hands upon us; yes, establish the work of our hands!

- C** **Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit; as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen.**

## WORDS OF ENCOURAGEMENT FOR PASTOR BOECK

### COLLECT

- A** Let us pray. O Lord God, merciful and gracious Father, we give thanks for all the blessings You have bestowed on this congregation, its members, and the Church through the ministry of Your servant, Pastor Boeck. By Your Holy Spirit grant him grace in his new field of service, readiness, and steadfastness in his ministry, patience, understanding, a cheerful spirit, and great zeal. Support and strengthen him that by Your Word Your Church may be built and increased; through Your Son, our great High Priest, Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

- C** **Amen.**

### BENEDICTION

- P** The Lord bless you and keep you.  
The Lord make His face shine on you and be gracious to you.  
The Lord look upon you with favor and ✠ give you peace.

- C** **Amen.**

## **CLOSING SONG: THE TREES OF THE FIELD**

You shall go out with joy And be led forth with peace,  
And the mountains and the hills will break forth before you.  
There'll be shouts of joy And all the trees of the field  
Will clap, will clap their hands.

And the trees of the field will clap their hands,  
And the trees of the field will clap their hands,  
And the trees of the field will clap their hands,  
While you go out with joy.

*(Repeat all above)*

And the trees of the field will clap their hands,  
And the trees of the field will clap their hands,  
And the trees of the field will clap their hands,  
While you go out with joy. *(Repeat 2 more times)*

While you go out with joy.

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## **GUIDING STATEMENT**

**C** Peace Conway is a loving Christian family, faithfully serving all people by sharing the good news of Jesus and caring for people in need.

## **CLOSING PEACE**

**L** Go in Peace as you serve the Lord.

**C** Thanks be to God.

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