

MORNING WORSHIP

The beginning of the prelude is a call to silent, personal preparation for the worship of God.

PRELUDE Blessed Jesus, We Are Here *Johann Sebastian Bach*

INTROIT “Jehovah, Let Me Now Adore Thee” *German chorale*
arr. Theodore Hoelty-Nickel

Jehovah, let me now adore thee, for where is there a God such, Lord, as thou? With songs I fain would come before thee; O, let thy Holy Spirit teach me now to praise thee in his name through whom alone our songs can please thee, through thy blessed Son.

***DOXOLOGY AND INVOCATION** (The Hymnal, 592)

***HYMN 411** “Arise, Your Light Is Come!” *Tune: FESTAL SONG*

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (*unison*)

**Save us, Lord,
from the temptation to buy what we do not need;
from confusing what we need with what we want;
from wasting what we do not own;
from owning what we will never use;
from mistaking our own agendas for your holy will;
from idealizing the past as a golden age;
from bequeathing those who come after us
a sorry inheritance.**

**Strengthen the arm and the will of all who,
for the good of the world you made and love,
challenge our busyness and greed
and inform us about appropriate living.
May their words gain a good hearing
so that the world may have a good future.
Amen.**

DECLARATION OF PARDON

Minister: Friends, believe the good news.

People: **In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.**

CONCERNS OF THE CHURCH

MINUTE FOR DISCIPLESHIP

ANTHEM

“There Is a Balm in Gilead”

*African American spiritual
arr. Larry L. Fleming*

There is a balm in Gilead
to make the wounded whole;
there is a balm in Gilead
to heal the sin-sick soul.
Sometimes I feel discouraged
and think my work's in vain,
but then the Holy Spirit
revives my soul again.
If you cannot sing like angels,
if you cannot preach like Paul,
you can tell the love of Jesus and say,
“He died for all!”

PSALTER

Psalm 71:1–6 (*responsively*)

(page 503, O.T.)

*GLORIA PATRI

(The Hymnal, 579)

SCRIPTURE LESSON Luke 13:10–17

(page 71, N.T.)

Minister: The Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

SERMON

Of Faith and Work

HARDY H. KIM

*“But the Lord answered him and said,
‘You hypocrites! Does not each of you
on the sabbath untie his ox or his donkey
from the manger, and lead it away to give it water?
And ought not this woman, a daughter of Abraham
whom Satan bound for eighteen long years,
be set free from this bondage on the sabbath day?’”
Luke 13:15–16 (NRSV)*

*HYMN 380

“O Christ, the Healer”

Tune: ERHALT UNS, HERR

*** APOSTLES' CREED** *(unison)*

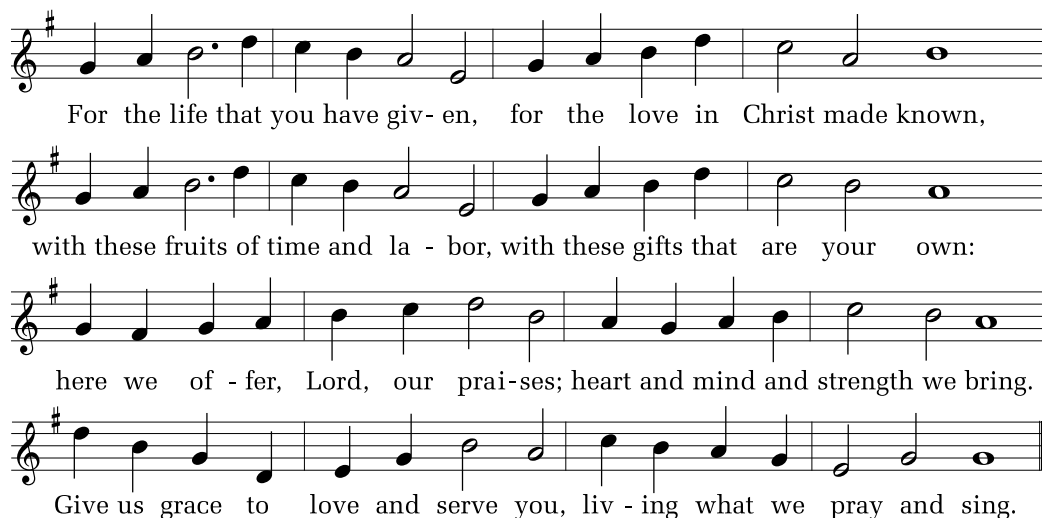
**I believe in God the Father Almighty,
Maker of heaven and earth,
and in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord;
who was conceived by the Holy Ghost,
born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, dead, and buried;
he descended into hell;
the third day he rose again from the dead;
he ascended into heaven,
and sitteth on the right hand
of God the Father Almighty;
from thence he shall come to judge
the quick and the dead.
I believe in the Holy Ghost;
the holy catholic church;
the communion of saints;
the forgiveness of sins;
the resurrection of the body;
and the life everlasting. Amen.**

OFFERING

OFFERTORY SOLO "The Lord's Prayer"

Jean Sibelius

*** OFFERTORY RESPONSE**



For the life that you have giv- en, for the love in Christ made known,
with these fruits of time and la - bor, with these gifts that are your own:
here we of - fer, Lord, our prai- ses; heart and mind and strength we bring.
Give us grace to love and serve you, liv - ing what we pray and sing.

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THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

INVITATION

GREAT THANKSGIVING

Minister: The Lord be with you.

People: **And also with you.**

Minister: Lift up your hearts.

People: **We lift them to the Lord.**

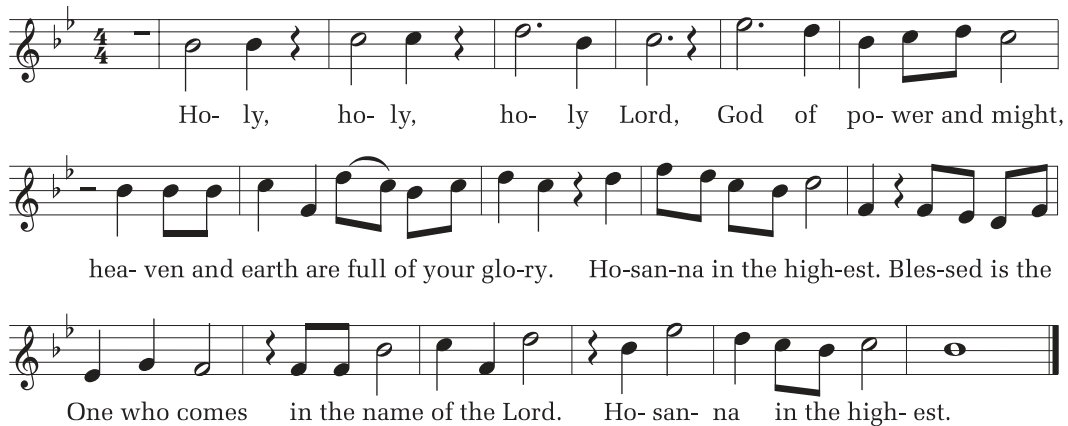
Minister: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People: **It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

PRAYER

Minister: It is truly right and our greatest joy . . .

. . . who forever sing to the glory of your name:



Ho- ly, ho- ly, ho- ly Lord, God of po- wer and might,
hea- ven and earth are full of your glo-ry. Ho-san-na in the high-est. Bles-sed is the
One who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho-san- na in the high- est.

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THE LORD'S PRAYER (*unison*)

**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 debts,
as we forgive our debtors;**

**and lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.**

**For thine is the kingdom
and the power and the glory forever.**

Amen.

THE COMMUNION

COMMUNION ANTHEM “Jesus, Thou Joy of Loving Hearts” *Plainsong*

Jesus, thou joy of loving hearts, thou fount of life,
thou light of all, from the best bliss that earth imparts
we turn, unfilled, to heed thy call. Thy truth unchanged
hath ever stood; thou savest those that on thee call;
to them that seek thee thou art good, to them that find
thee, all in all. We taste thee, O thou living bread,
and long to feast upon thee still; we drink of thee,
the fountainhead, and thirst our souls from thee to
fill. Our restless spirits yearn for thee, wherever our
changeable lot is cast, glad when thy gracious smile we
see, blest when our faith can hold thee fast. O Jesus,
ever with us stay, make all our moments calm and
bright; O chase the night of sin away; shed over the
world thy holy light.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION (*unison*)

**Gracious God,
you have made us one with all your people
in heaven and on earth.
You have fed us with the bread of life
and renewed us for your service.
Help us who have shared Christ's body
and received his cup
to be his faithful disciples,
so that our daily living
may be part of the life of your kingdom
and our love be your love
reaching out into the life of the world;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.**

***HYMN 437** “Our Cities Cry to You, O God” *Tune: SALVATION*

BENEDICTION AND RESPONSE

POSTLUDE Carillon de Westminster *Louis Vierne*

WORSHIP LEADERS

Judith L. Watt, Edwin Estevez, Hardy H. Kim

THE MUSIC TODAY

Men of the Morning Choir; Mark Eldred, soloist
Thomas E. Gouwens, Associate Organist

WORSHIP NOTES

The men of the Morning Choir will be singing in worship through September 1. The full choir will return on September 8.

Today's Minute for Discipleship is presented by Jeanne Bishop on behalf of the Adult Education Committee.

This morning, Communion is served by intinction. The congregation will come forward by the center aisle to receive the bread, which they will then dip into the chalice of grape juice. (Gluten-free bread is available in a small tumbler in each basket of bread.) Worshipers will return to their pews by the side aisles. The invitation to the Lord's Supper is not just for Presbyterians or "members of the church." All who confess Jesus Christ as Savior and Lord are invited to partake of the Lord's Supper. Even one who doubts or whose trust is wavering may receive the bread and grape juice (in place of wine) in order to be assured of God's love and grace in Jesus Christ.

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