
Traditional Worship Guide

26th Sunday of Pentecost

November 17, 2024

ANTHEM “As You Serve, Remember Me” Chancel Choir

WELCOME

HYMN: “We Praise You, O God” # **870**

GREETING & KYRIE

P: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

C: **And also with you.**

P: Lord, have mercy.

C: **Lord, have mercy.**

P: Christ, have mercy.


C: **Christ, have mercy.**

P: Lord, have mercy.

C: **Lord, have mercy.**

HYMN OF PRAISE (congregation refrain, cantor verses)

Refrain



This is the feast of vic - to - ry for our God.



Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

Cantor:

1. Worthy is Christ, the Lamb who was slain, whose blood set us free to be people of God. Power and riches, wisdom and strength, and honor and blessing and glory are his. **Refrain**

2. For the Lamb who was slain has begun his reign. Alleluia. **Refrain**

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PRAYER OF THE DAY

FIRST READING *Hebrews 10: 11-25* Bible, pg. 1873

ACCLAMATION: “Halle, Halle, Hallelujah”

Halle, halle, halle-lu-jah. Halle, halle, halle-lu-jah.

Halle, halle, halle-lu-jah. Hallelujah. Hallelujah.

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HOLY GOSPEL *Mark 13: 1-8* Bible, pg. 1577

Say before the reading: **Glory to You, O Lord.**

Say after the reading: **Praise to You, O Christ.**

SERMON *After the sermon at the 10:30 service, the preacher goes to the Contemporary Service in the Fellowship Hall.*

HYMN: “My Lord, What a Morning” # **438**

HOLY BAPTISM (10:30) | BAPTISMAL AFFIRMATION (8:15)

After the presentation and promises, all may confess faith:

P: I ask you to profess your faith in Christ Jesus, reject sin, and confess the faith of the Church, the faith in which we baptize. Do you renounce the devil, all forces that defy God, and the empty ways of sin that draw you from God?

C: **I renounce them.**

P: Do you believe in God the Father?

C: **I believe in God, the Father almighty, Creator of heaven and earth.**

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

C: **I believe in Jesus Christ, God’s only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, 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,
He is seated at the right hand of the Father,
and He will come to judge the living and the dead.**

P: Do you believe in God the Holy Spirit?

**C: 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. Amen.**

Then follows the thanksgiving, the baptism, and the laying-on of hands.

The pastor invites everyone to speak a welcome:

**C: We welcome you into the Lord's family.
We receive you as a fellow member of the body of
Christ, child of the same heavenly Father,
and a worker with us in the kingdom of God.**

The congregation may express welcome with applause.

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

Response after each petition:

P: ...Lord in your mercy,

C: hear our prayer.

MINISTRY HIGHLIGHTS & REGISTRATION

Please sign and pass the black registration pads located near center aisle.

HYMN: "Just as I Am" (vs 1 & 2,) # 592

- 1 Just as I am, without one plea,
but that thy blood was shed for me,
and that thou bidd'st me come to thee,
O Lamb of God, I come, I come.
- 2 Just as I am, though tossed about
with many a conflict, many a doubt,
fightings and fears within, without,
O Lamb of God, I come, I come.

GREAT THANKSGIVING

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 our thanks and praise.

P: It is indeed right, our duty and our joy ... we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

Sing to tune "Come, You Thankful People, Come" # 693

**C: Holy, holy, holy Lord! God of hosts, by all adored!
Heav'n and earth cannot contain
All the glory of Your name!
Hail, hosanna, God most high!
Blest is He who now draws nigh
In the name of God the King!
Glad hosannas, Lord, we sing.**

EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER & LORD'S PRAYER

HOLY COMMUNION DISTRIBUTION

Please come down the center aisle and return by the side aisle

Hymn: "Lamb of God" # 195

Hymn: "When Peace Like a River" # 785

Hymn: "Jesus, Still Lead On" # 624

BENEDICTION

HYMN: "O God, Our Help in Ages Past" # 632

DISMISSAL

P: Go in peace, to Be, Live as, & Make Disciples of Jesus Christ.

C: Thanks be to God!

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We Praise You, O God

- 1 We praise you, O God, our redeemer, creator;
in grateful devotion our tribute we bring.
We lay it before you; we kneel and adore you;
we bless your holy name; glad praises we sing.
- 2 We worship you, God of our fathers and mothers;
through trial and tempest our guide you have been.
When perils o'ertake us, you will not forsake us,
and with your help, O Lord, our struggles we win.
- 3 With voices united our praises we offer
and gladly our songs of thanksgiving we raise.
With you, Lord, beside us, your strong arm will guide us.
To you, our great redeemer, forever be praise!

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My Lord, What a Morning

Refrain

My Lord, what a morning;
my Lord, what a morning;
oh, my Lord, what a morning,
when the stars begin to fall.

- 1 You will hear the trumpet sound,
to wake the nations underground,
looking to my God's right hand,
when the stars begin to fall. *Refrain*
- 2 You will hear the sinner cry,
to wake the nations underground,
looking to my God's right hand,
when the stars begin to fall. *Refrain*
- 3 You will hear the Christian shout,
to wake the nations underground,
looking to my God's right hand,
when the stars begin to fall. *Refrain*

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Lamb of God

Lamb of God,
You take away the sin of the world;
Have mercy on us.
Lamb of God,
You take away the sin of the world;
Have mercy on us.
Lamb of God,
You take away the sin of the world;
grant us your peace.

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When Peace like a River

- 1 When peace like a river attendeth my way;
when sorrows like sea billows roll;
whatever my lot, thou hast taught me to say,
it is well, it is well with my soul.

Refrain

It is well (it is well)
with my soul, (with my soul,)
it is well, it is well with my soul.

- 2 Though Satan should buffet, though trials should come,
let this blest assurance control,
that Christ has regarded my helpless estate,
and has shed his own blood for my soul. *Refrain*
- 3 He lives--oh, the bliss of this glorious thought;
my sin, not in part, but the whole,
is nailed to his cross and I bear it no more.
Praise the Lord, praise the Lord, O my soul! *Refrain*
- 4 Lord, hasten the day when our faith shall be sight,
the clouds be rolled back as a scroll,
the trumpet shall sound and the Lord shall descend;
even so it is well with my soul. *Refrain*

Text: Horatio G. Spafford, 1828-1888. Music: Philip P. Bliss, 1838-1876
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“Jesus, Still Lead On”

- 1 Jesus, still lead on,
till our rest be won;
and, although the way be cheerless,
we will follow, calm and fearless;
guide us by your hand
to the promised land.
- 2 If the way be drear,
if the foe be near,
let no faithless fears o’ertake us,
let not faith and hope forsake us;
safely past the foe
to our home we go.
- 3 When we seek relief
from a long-felt grief,
when temptations come alluring
make us patient and enduring;
show us that bright shore
where we weep no more.
- 4 Jesus, still lead on,
till our rest be won;
heav’nly leader, still direct us,
still support, console, protect us,
till we safely stand
in the promised land.

Text: Nicolaus L. von Zinzendorf, 1700-1760; tr. Jane L. Borthwick, 1813-1897, alt.
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O God, Our Help in Ages Past

- 1 O God, our help in ages past,
our hope for years to come,
our shelter from the stormy blast,
and our eternal home:
- 2 Under the shadow of your throne
your saints have dwelt secure;
sufficient is your arm alone,
and our defense is sure.
- 3 Before the hills in order stood
or earth received its frame,
from everlasting you are God,
to endless years the same.
- 4 A thousand ages in your sight
are like an evening gone,
short as the watch that ends the night
before the rising sun.
- 5 Time, like an ever-rolling stream,
bears all our years away;
they fly forgotten, as a dream
dies at the op’ning day.
- 6 O God, our help in ages past,
our hope for years to come,
still be our guard while troubles last
and our eternal home.

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