



Saturday, July 30, 2022
5:00 pm

WELCOME

GATHERING

The Holy Spirit calls us together as the people of God.

God, as we gather together to worship you, we stand in awe of your creation.

We see you in the rising and setting of the sun. We see you in the moon and the stars of the night sky. Your creative presence is all around us.

We see you in the beasts of the field, the birds of the air and the creatures of the sea.

From the flowers of the valley to the mountaintops in the sky,

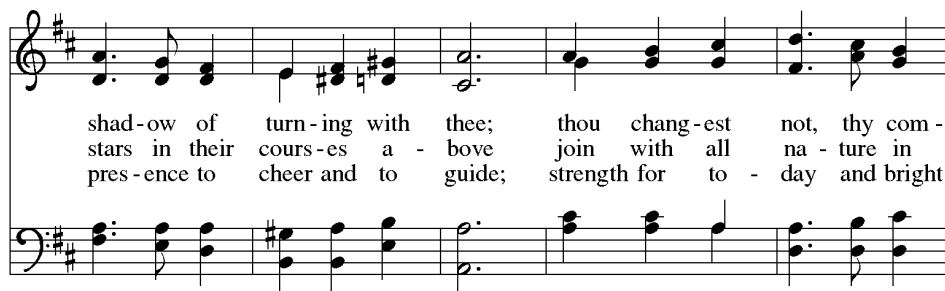
We see your beauty all over the earth.

Let us worship you for who you are our creator and sustainer.

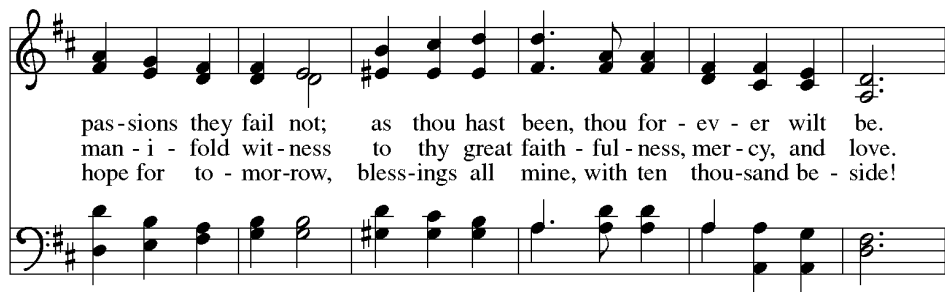
SONG 1 – 733 – GREAT IS THY FAITHFULNESS



1 Great is thy faith-ful-ness, O God my Fa-ther; there is no
2 Sum-mer and win-ter and spring-time and har-vest, sun, moon, and
3 Par-don for sin and a peace that en-dur-eth, thine own dear



shad-ow of turn-ing with thee; thou chang-est not, thy com-
stars in their cours-es a-bove join with all na-ture in
pres-ence to cheer and to guide; strength for to-day and bright



pas-sions they fail not; as thou hast been, thou for-ev-er wilt be.
man-i-fold wit-ness to thy great faith-ful-ness, mer-cy, and love.
hope for to-mor-row, 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.

CONFESSION & FORGIVENESS

Though God's creation dazzles us with all of its wonder, we have not always done our part to be good stewards of it. Let us confess before God the times we have missed the mark when it comes to our own lives as well as caring for creation.

God, we come to you today acknowledging that things are broken. Creation is broken. Relationships are broken. We are broken. But in the same breath we know that you make all things new. Today we pray that your presence would be felt in our brokenness. We ask that through your grace all of creation would once again be made whole. Amen.

Hear the great news today; the life, death, and resurrection of Christ covers all our iniquities. Just as quickly as our sins were offered up, they have been forgiven.

Thanks be to God!

SHARING OF THE PEACE OF CHRIST

The peace of the Lord be with you always.
And also with you.

WORD

God speaks to us in scripture reading, preaching, and song.

READINGS

SONG 2 - W&P 122 - SEEK YE FIRST

Optional descant

Al - le - lu - ia, al -

D F#m G D G

1 Seek ye first the king - dom of God and its
 2 Ask and it shall be giv - en un - to you; seek and

le - lu - ia, al - le -

D Em⁷ A⁷ D F#m

righ - teous - ness, and all these things shall be
 you shall find; knock and the door shall be

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

G D G D Em⁷ A D

add - ed un - to you. Al - le - lu, al - le - lu - ia.
 o - pened un - to you. Al - le - lu, al - le - lu - ia.

HOMILY


SONG 3 – 824 – THIS IS MY FATHER’S WORLD



1 This is my Fa-ther's world, and to my lis-t'ning ears all
2 This is my Fa-ther's world; the birds their car - ols raise; the
3 This is my Fa-ther's world; oh, let me not for - get that,



na - ture sings, and round me rings the mu - sic of the spheres.
morn - ing light, the lil - y white, de - clare their mak - er's praise.
though the wrong seems oft so strong, God is the rul - er yet.



This is my Fa-ther's world; I rest me in the thought of
This is my Fa-ther's world; he shines in all that's fair. In the
This is my Fa-ther's world; why should my heart be sad? The



rocks and trees, of skies and seas; his hand the won - ders wrought.
rus - tling grass I hear him pass; he speaks to me ev-'ry-where.
Lord is king, let heav - en ring; God reigns, let earth be glad!

PRAYERS

Merciful God,
receive our prayer.

Receive the prayers...our holy Wisdom.

MEAL

God feeds us with the presence of Jesus Christ.

OFFERING

As evident through all of creation, God has freely given to us. Each week we worship through our giving of what God has first given us. Scan the QR code to give or place your offering in the box as you leave.



OFFERING PRAYER

God of abundance:

**you have set before us a plentiful harvest.
As we feast on your goodness,
strengthen us to labor in your field,
and equip us to bear fruit for the good of all,
in the name of Jesus.
Amen.**

COMMUNION LITANY

Welcome to the celebration! God supplies for our every need and gives us this meal to share.

God, we thank you for the bread of eternal life.

We come to the table, acknowledging our shortcomings and our need to experience your presence in bread and wine.

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While Jesus and his disciples were eating, Jesus took a loaf of bread, and after blessing it he broke it, gave it to them, and said, 'Take; this is my body.' Then he took a cup, and after giving thanks he gave it to them, and all of them drank from it. He said to them, 'This is my blood of the covenant, which is poured out for many.' **Amen.**

LORD'S PRAYER

Gathered into one by the Holy Spirit, let us pray as Jesus taught us:

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours, now and forever. Amen.

DISTRIBUTION OF THE SACRAMENT

SPECIAL MUSIC

PRAYER

SENDING

God blesses us and sends us in mission to the world.

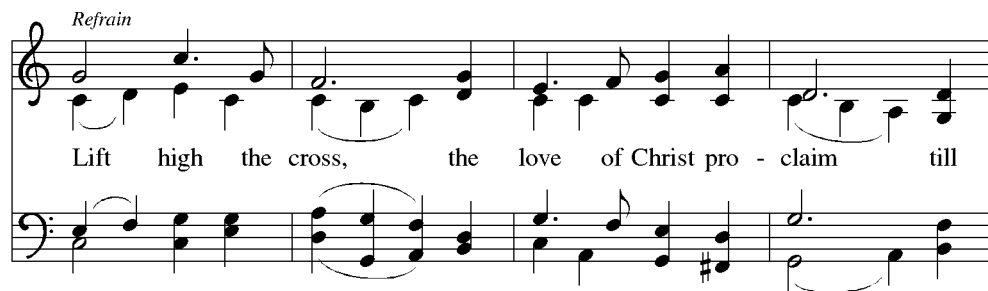
BLESSING

God of creation, send us out as people who seek to honor you in all that we do, who look for you in creation, and who take care of that creation, in the name of our Creator, Redeemer, and Sustainer

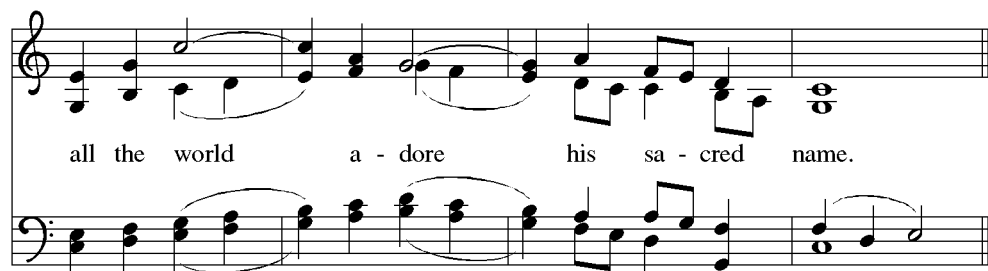
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SONG 4 – 660 – LIFT HIGH THE CROSS

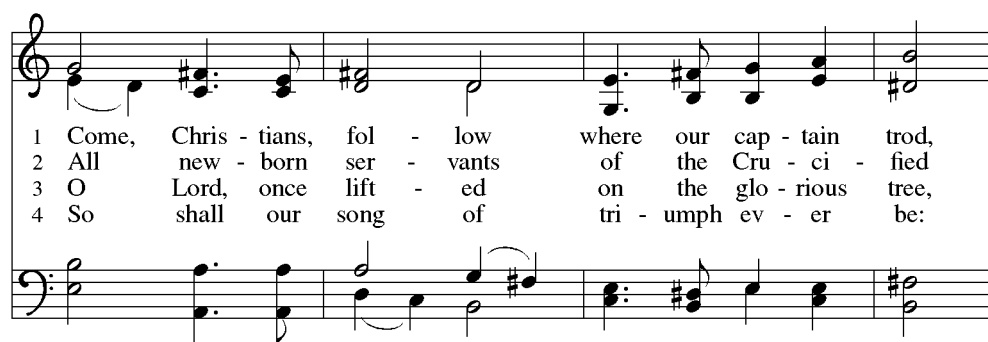
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Lift high the cross, the love of Christ pro - claim till

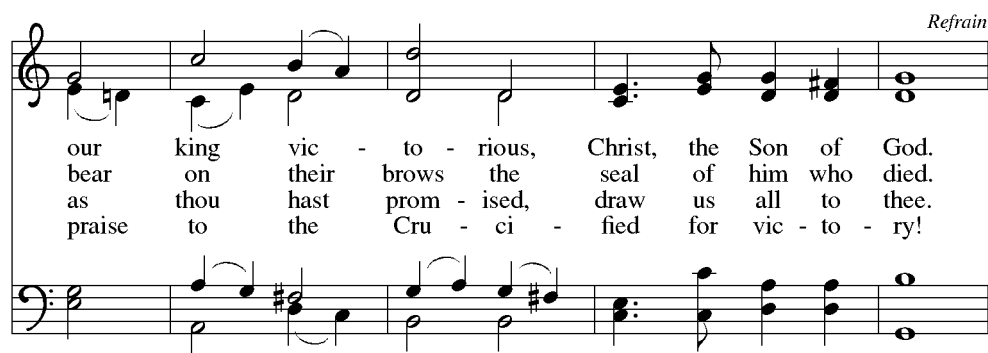


all the world a - dore his sa - cred name.



1 Come, Chris - tians, fol - low where our cap - tain trod,
2 All new - born ser - vants of the Cru - ci - fied
3 O Lord, once lift - ed on the glo - rious tree,
4 So shall our song of tri - umph ev - er be:

Refrain



our king vic - to - rious, Christ, the Son of God.
bear on their brows the seal of him who died.
as thou hast prom - ised, draw us all to thee.
praise to the Cru - ci - fied for vic - to - ry!

DISMISSAL

Go in peace. Love your neighbor.

Thanks be to God.