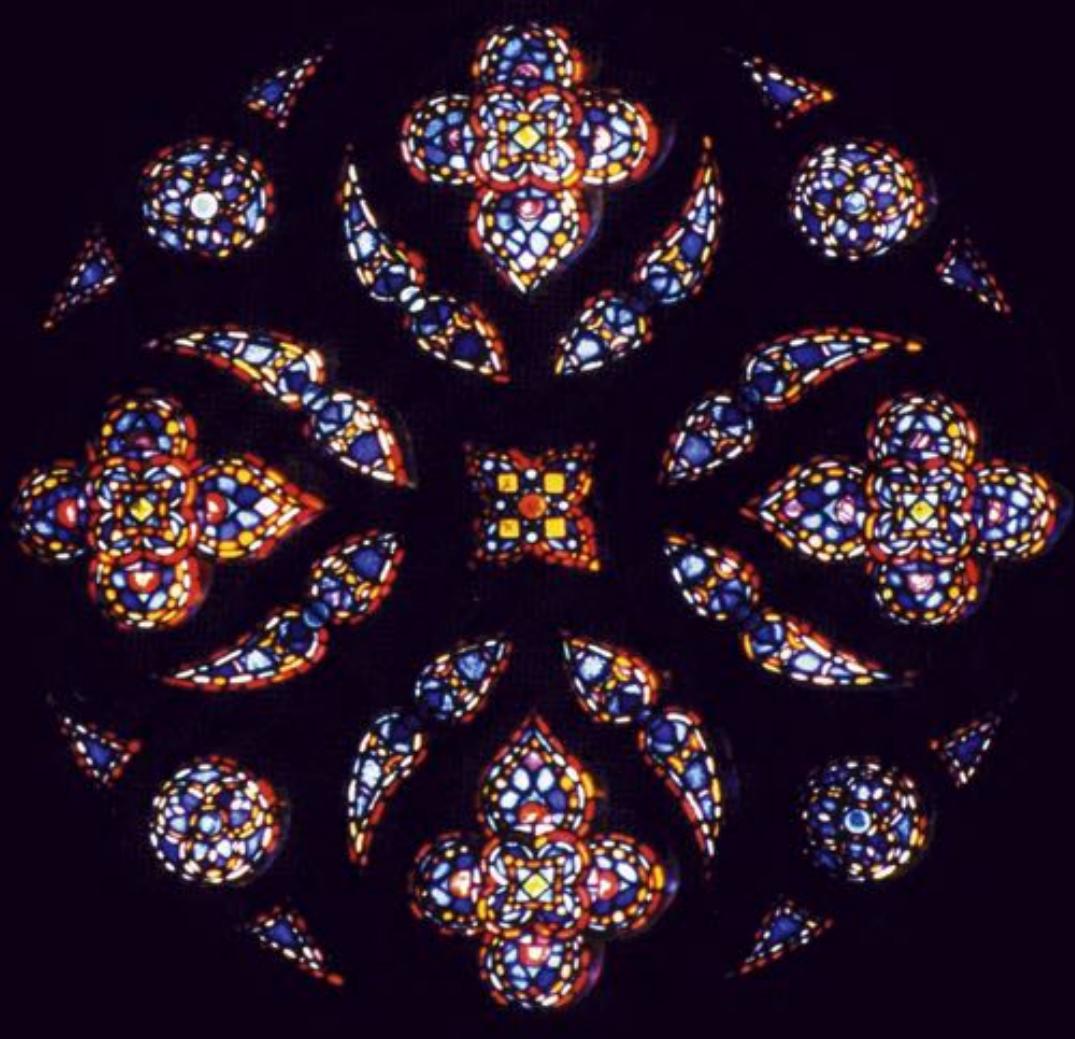


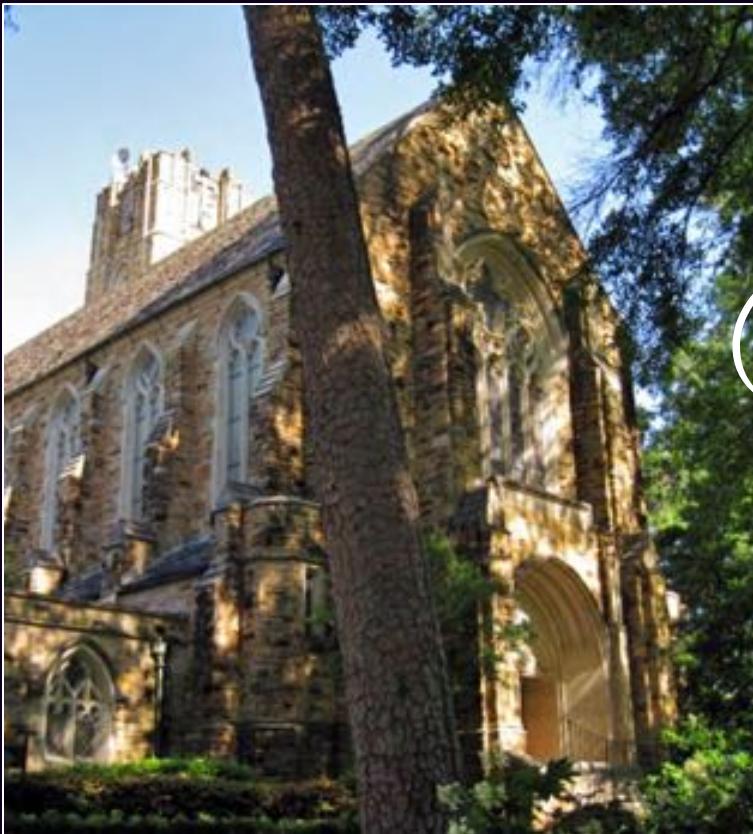
And God said,

Let there be light:



and there was light.

Rose window genesis sanctuary



Stained glass: Telling the Story

Using the King James Version of the Holy Scriptures

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Montgomery, AL

OLD TESTAMENT

Stories
in stained glass

Ten commandments tablets



ADONAI: GOD THE CREATOR

Where wast thou when I laid
the foundations of the earth?
declare, if thou hast
understanding.

*When the morning stars
sang together, and all the
sons of God shouted for joy?*

Job 38:4; 7



FALL OF MAN

Wherefore, as by one man sin entered into the world, and death by sin; and so *death passed upon all men, for that all have sinned:* For until the law sin was in the world: but sin is not imputed when there is no law.





Therefore the Lord God sent him forth from the garden of Eden, to till the ground from whence he was taken. So he drove out the man; and he placed at the east of the garden of Eden Cherubims, and *a flaming sword which turned every way, to keep the way of the tree of life.*

Adam Eve expulsion sanctuary

Genesis 3: 23-24

NOAH & THE ARK

And the dove came in to him
in the evening; and, lo,
in her mouth was an
olive leaf
pluckt off: so Noah knew that
the waters were abated
from off the earth.



A circular stained glass window depicting the sacrifice of Isaac. In the center, a figure (representing Abraham) holds a large knife over the neck of another figure (representing Isaac). The background is dark, with a border of yellow circles around the perimeter. The figures are rendered in a traditional stained glass style with various colors like blue, red, and yellow.

ABRAHAM

And Abraham stretched forth his hand,
and took the knife to slay his son.

And the angel of the Lord called unto him
out of heaven, and said, Abraham,
Abraham: and he said,
Here am I.

And he said, Lay not thine hand upon the
lad, neither do thou any thing unto him:
for now I know that thou fearest God,
seeing thou hast not withheld thy son,
thine only son from me.

Genesis 22:10-12

JOSEPH

And Joseph dreamed a dream,

and he told it his brethren:

and they hated him yet the more.

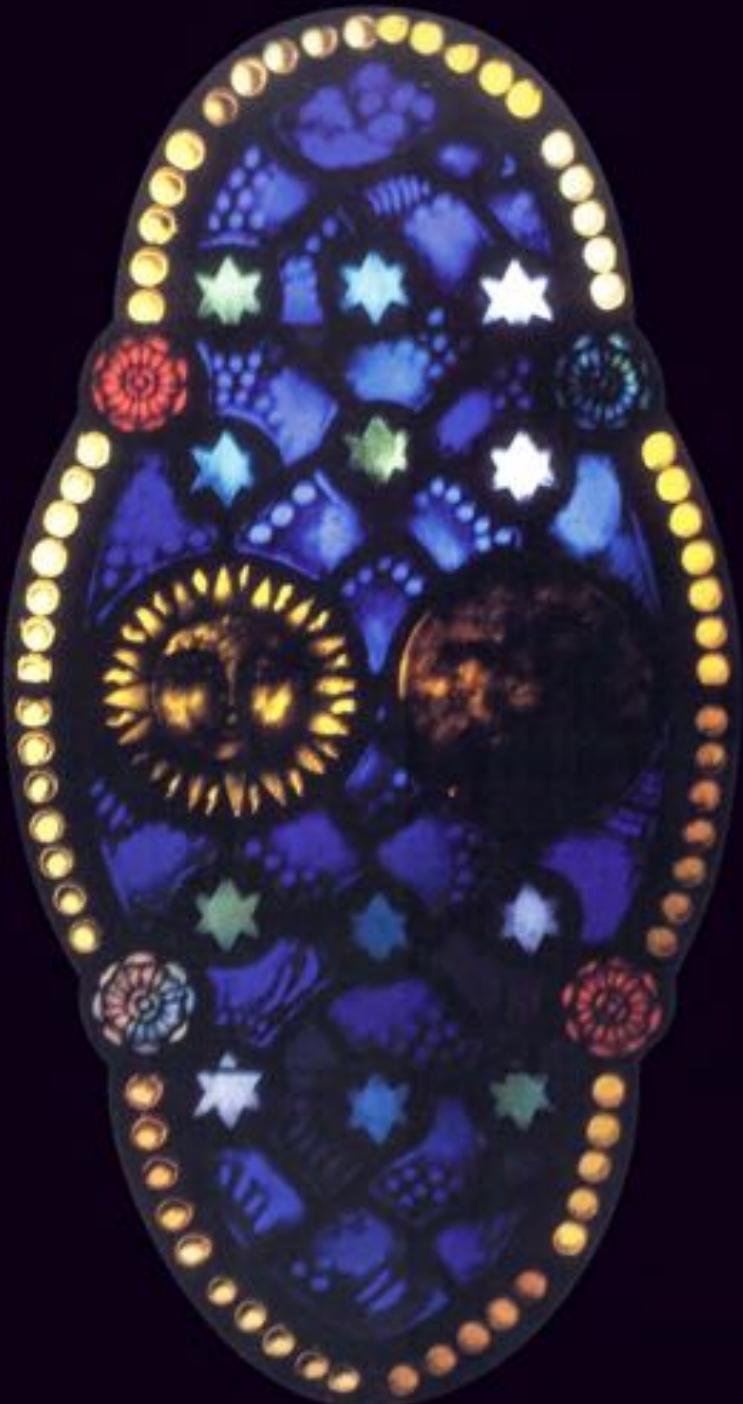
And he dreamed yet another dream,

and told it his brethren, and said,

Behold, I have dreamed a dream more;

and, behold, the sun and the moon and

the eleven stars made obeisance to me.



Genesis 37:5, 9



And Joseph said unto his brethren,
Come near to me, I pray you.
And they came near. And he said,
I am Joseph your brother, whom ye
sold into Egypt. Now therefore be
not grieved, nor angry with
yourselves, that ye sold me hither:
*for God did send me before
you to preserve life.*

So now it was not you that sent me
hither, but God: and he hath made
me a father to Pharaoh, and lord of
all his house, and a ruler
throughout all the land of Egypt.

MOSES

And the angel of the Lord appeared unto him in a flame of fire out of the midst of a bush....

And the Lord said, I have surely seen the affliction of my people which are in Egypt, and have heard their cry by reason of their taskmasters; for I know their sorrows; Come now therefore, and I will send thee unto Pharaoh, that *thou mayest bring forth my people the children of Israel out of Egypt.*

Exodus 3:2, 7, 10

Burning bush sanctuary





THE ARK OF THE COVENANT

And after the second veil,
the tabernacle which is called
the Holiest of all;
Which had the golden censer, and
the ark of the covenant
overlaid round about with gold,
wherein was the golden pot that had
manna, and Aaron's rod that budded,
and the tables of the covenant;
And over it the cherubims of glory
shadowing the mercyseat.

Hebrews 9:3-5a



THE TEN COMMANDMENTS

And Moses turned,
and went down from the mount,
and the *two tables of the
testimony* were in his hand:
the tables were written on both
their sides; on the one side
and on the other were they written.
And the tables were the work of God,
and the writing was the writing of
God, graven upon the tables.

Tablets duty man light
sanctuary

Exodus 32:15-16

THE LAMB SACRIFICE

And if he bring
a lamb for a sin offering,
he shall bring it a female
without blemish. And he shall lay
his hand upon the head of the sin
offering, and slay it for a sin
offering in the place where they
kill the burnt offering.



FRUIT OF CANAAN

And Joshua the son of Nun, and Caleb the son of Jephunneh...spake unto all the company of the children of Israel, saying, The land, which we passed through to search it, is an exceeding good land. If the Lord delight in us, then he will bring us into this land, and give it us; *a land which floweth with milk and honey.*



MOSES' STAFF

And the Lord sent fiery serpents among the people, and they bit the people; and much people of Israel died.

Therefore the people came to Moses, and said, We have sinned, for we have spoken against the Lord...And

Moses prayed for the people.

And the Lord said unto Moses, Make thee a fiery serpent, and set it upon a pole: and it shall come to pass, that every one that is bitten, when he looketh upon it, shall live.





JOSHUA

And the Lord said unto Joshua,
See, I have given into thine hand
Jericho, and the king thereof, and
the mighty men of valour.
And it shall come to pass, that when
they make a long blast with the
ram's horn, and when ye hear the
sound of the trumpet, all the people
shall shout with a great shout; and
the wall of the city
shall fall down flat...

GIDEON

So Gideon, and the hundred men that were with him, came unto the outside of the camp in the beginning of the middle watch...and they blew the trumpets, and brake the pitchers that were in their hands...and they cried,

*The sword of the Lord,
and of Gideon.*

And they stood every man in his place round about the camp; and all the host ran, and cried, and fled.





SAMSON

*And Samson took hold
of the two middle pillars
upon which the house stood, and on
which it was borne up, of the one
with his right hand, and of the other
with his left. And Samson said,
Let me die with the Philistines.
And he bowed himself with all
his might; and the house fell upon
the lords, and upon all the people
that were therein.*

DAVID

Then answered one of the servants, and said, Behold,
I have seen a son of Jesse
the Bethlehemite,
that is cunning in playing,
and a mighty valiant man,
and a man of war,
and prudent in matters,
and a comely person,
and the Lord
is with him.





SOLOMON

And God said unto him,

Because thou hast
asked this thing...

Behold, I have done according
to thy words: lo,

*I have given thee a wise and
an understanding heart;*
so that there was none like thee
before thee, neither after thee
shall any arise like unto thee.

Scepter king scroll sanctuary

1 Kings 3:11a-12

ELISHA

Elijah said unto Elisha,
Ask what I shall do for thee,
before I be taken away from thee.

And Elisha said, I pray thee,
*let a double portion
of thy spirit be upon me.*

And he said, Thou hast asked a
hard thing: nevertheless, if thou
see me when I am taken from thee,
it shall be so unto thee;
but if not, it shall not be so.



ELIJAH

And it came to pass,
as they still went on,
and talked, that, behold,
there appeared a chariot of
fire, and horses of fire,
and parted them both
asunder; and

*Elijah went up by a
whirlwind into
heaven.*



HAND OF GOD

Arise, O Lord;
O God, lift up thine hand:
forget not the humble.
Wherfore doth the wicked
contemn God? he hath said in his
heart, Thou wilt not require it.
Thou hast seen it; for thou beholdest
mischief and spite, to requite it with
thy hand: the poor committeth
himself unto thee; thou art the
helper of the fatherless.





ANGEL OF THE LORD

*The angel
of the Lord
encampeth round
about them that
fear him, and
delivereth
them.*

PRAISE THE LORD

Rejoice in the Lord,
O ye righteous: for praise is
comely for the upright.
*Praise the Lord
with harp:*
sing unto him with the
psaltery and an instrument
of ten strings. Sing unto him
a new song; play skilfully
with a loud noise.



It is a good thing to give thanks
unto the Lord, and to

*sing praises
unto thy name,*

O Most High: To shew forth

thy lovingkindness

in the morning, and

thy faithfulness every night,

Upon an instrument of

ten strings, and upon the psaltery;

upon the harp with a solemn sound.





GOD'S WORD

For ever, O Lord,
*thy word is
settled in heaven.*

Cross gospels sanctuary

Psalm 119:89

THANKSGIVING

Enter into his gates with
thanksgiving, and into his
courts with praise:

be thankful unto him,
and bless his name. For the
Lord is good; his mercy is
everlasting; and his truth
endureth to all generations.

Sheaf wheat gift sanctuary

Psalm 100:4-5



PROVERBS

The curse of the Lord
is in the house
of the wicked: but
he blesseth
the habitation
of the just.

Jesus child mother education

Proverbs 3:33



TREE OF JESSE

And there shall come forth
a rod out of the stem of Jesse,
and a Branch shall grow
out of his roots:
And in that day there shall be
a root of Jesse, which shall stand
for an ensign of the people;
to it shall the Gentiles seek:
and his rest shall be glorious.





ISAIAH

Wash you, make you clean;
put away the evil of your doings
from before mine eyes;
cease to do evil;
Learn to do well;
seek judgment,
relieve the oppressed,
judge the fatherless,
plead for the widow.

Isaiah 1:16-17

Tongs coal saw scroll flame judgment
sanctuary



7 GIFTS OF THE OLD TESTAMENT

And the spirit of the Lord
shall rest upon him,
the spirit of wisdom and
understanding, the spirit
of counsel and might,
the spirit of knowledge
and of the fear
of the Lord.

*And shall make him
of quick understanding
in the fear of the Lord:
and he shall not judge
after the sight of his eyes,
neither reprove after
the hearing of his ears:*



Candles candle candlestick
Exodus 25 sanctuary

Isaiah 11:3



PASSION FLOWER

Surely he hath borne our griefs,

and carried our sorrows:

yet we did esteem him stricken,

smitten of God, and afflicted.

But he was wounded for

our transgressions, he

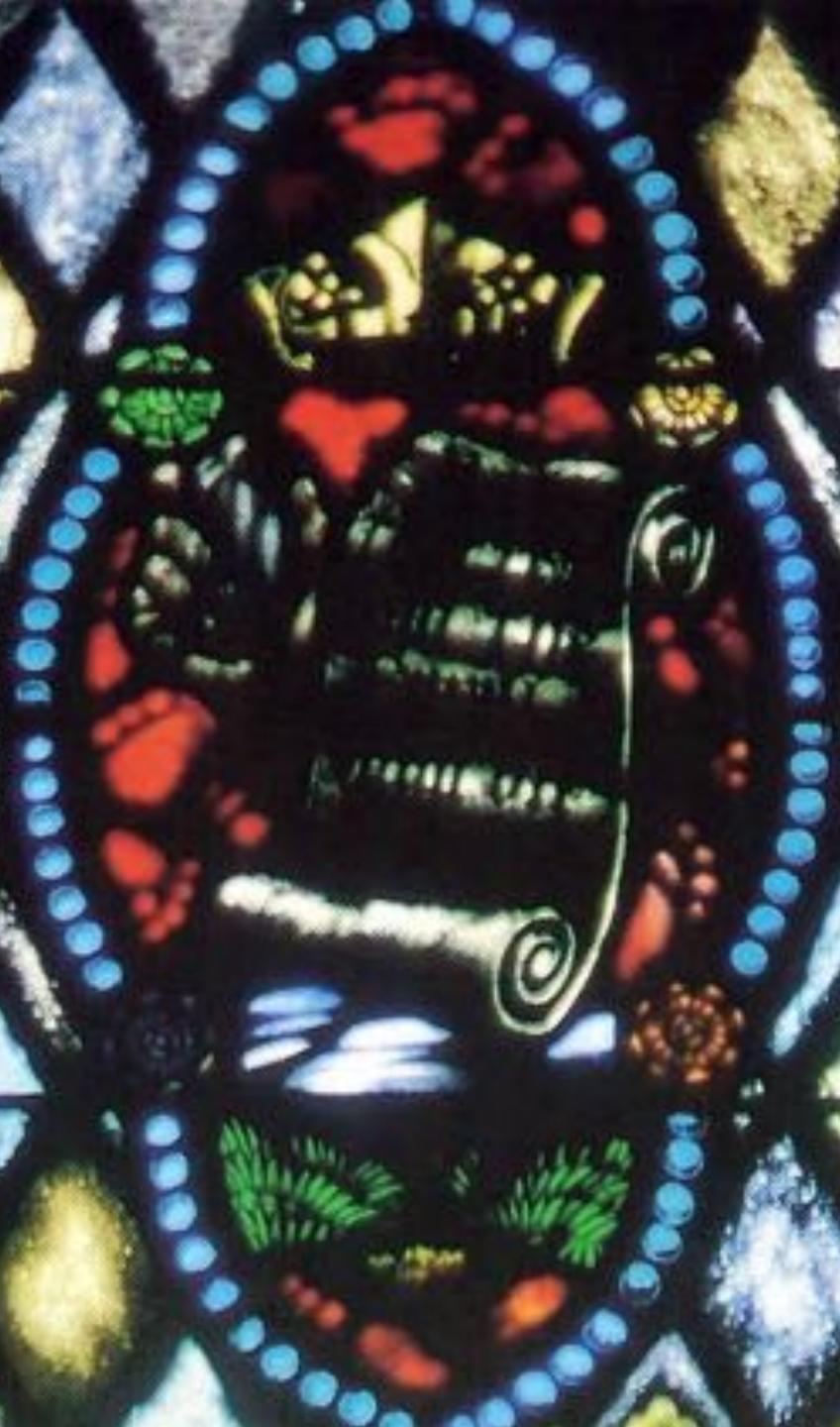
was bruised for our iniquities:

the chastisement of

our peace was upon him; and

with his stripes we are healed.

Isaiah 53:4-5



JEREMIAH

For thus saith the Lord,
Enter not into the house
of mourning, neither go
to lament nor bemoan them:
for I have taken away my peace from
this people, saith the Lord,
even lovingkindness and mercies.

*Both the great and the
small shall die in this land*

Crown scroll sanctuary

Jeremiah 16:5-6a

EZEKIEL

Then he brought me back the way of
the gate of the outward sanctuary
which looketh toward the east;
and it was shut.

Then said the Lord unto me;
This gate shall be shut,
it shall not be opened, and no man
shall enter in by it; because the Lord,
the God of Israel, hath entered in by
it, therefore it shall be shut.





DANIEL

Then said Daniel unto the king,
O king, live for ever.
My God hath sent his angel, and hath
shut the lions' mouths,
that they have not hurt me:
forasmuch as before him
innocency was found in me;
and also before thee, O king,
have I done no hurt.

Den sanctuary

Daniel 6:21-22

MINOR PROPHETS

For, behold, the day cometh,
that shall burn as an oven;
and all the proud, yea, and all that do
wickedly, shall be stubble:
and the day that cometh shall burn
them up, saith the Lord of hosts, that
it shall leave them neither root nor
branch. But unto you
that fear my name shall
the Sun of righteousness arise
with healing in his wings...



NEW TESTAMENT



Jesus Gethsemane education



WORD OF GOD

In the beginning was the Word,
and the Word was with God, and

the Word was God.

The same was
in the beginning with God.

All things were made by him;
and without him was not any thing
made that was made.



THE GOSPEL WRITERS



Matthew

Mark

Luke

John

Saint window sanctuary

MATTHEW

*The book of the generation
of Jesus Christ,*

the son of David, the son of Abraham.

So all the generations from Abraham

to David are fourteen generations;

and from David until the carrying

away into Babylon are fourteen

generations; and from the carrying

away into Babylon unto Christ

are fourteen generations.





MARK

Again the high priest asked him,
and said unto him,
Art thou the Christ, the Son of the
Blessed? And Jesus said,
I am: and ye shall see
*the Son of man sitting
on the right hand of
power, and coming in
the clouds of heaven.*

LUKE

For I say unto you,
*that this that is
written must yet be
accomplished in me,*
And he was reckoned among
the transgressors:
for the things concerning me
have an end.





JOHN

*And the Word
was made flesh,
and dwelt among us,
(and we beheld his glory, the glory
as of the only begotten of the
Father,) full of grace and truth.
No man hath seen God at any time,
the only begotten Son,
which is in the bosom of the Father,
he hath declared him.*

THE VIRGIN MARY

Thy neck is like the tower of David
builded for an armoury, whereon
there hang a thousand bucklers,
all shields of mighty men.

And in the sixth month the angel
Gabriel was sent from God unto a
city of Galilee, named Nazareth,
To a virgin espoused to a man
whose name was Joseph,
of the house of David; and
the virgin's name was Mary.





And the angel said unto her,
Fear not, Mary: for thou hast
found favour with God.

And, behold, thou shalt
conceive in thy womb,
and bring forth a son,
and shalt call his name

JESUS.

Education



THE NATIVITY

But thou,
Bethlehem Ephratah,
though thou be little among
the thousands of Judah, yet out
of thee shall he come forth
unto me that is to be
ruler in Israel;
whose goings forth have been
from of old, from everlasting.

SHEPHERDS

And there were in the same country shepherds abiding in the field, keeping watch over their flock by night. And, lo, the angel of the Lord came upon them...

And the angel said unto them, Fear not: for, behold, I bring you good tidings of great joy, which shall be to all people.

For unto you is born this day in the city of David a Saviour, which is Christ the Lord.

Luke 2:8-11





And it came to pass,
as the angels were gone
away from them into
heaven, the shepherds
said one to another,

*Let us now go even
unto Bethlehem, and
see this thing which
is come to pass, which
the Lord hath made
known unto us.*

And they came with haste,
and found Mary,
and Joseph, and the
*babe lying
in a manger.*

Jesus shepherds Nativity education

Luke 2:16





HIS NAME IS JESUS

And she shall bring forth a son,
*and thou shalt call
his name Jesus:
for he shall save his people from
their sins. Now all this was
done, that it might be fulfilled
which was spoken of the Lord
by the prophet...*

WISE MEN

They saw the young child
with Mary his mother,
and fell down,
and worshipped him:
and when they
had opened their treasures,
they presented unto him gifts;
*gold, and frankincense
and myrrh.*





JESUS AT THE TEMPLE

After three days
they found him in the temple,
sitting in the midst of the doctors,
both hearing them,
and asking them questions.

And all that heard him
were astonished
at his understanding
and answers.

Luke 2:46b-47

LAMB OF GOD

John seeth Jesus
coming unto him,
and saith,
*Behold the
Lamb of God,*
which taketh away the
sin of the world.

Latin banners cross
sanctuary

John 1:29



CHRIST'S BAPTISM



And John bare record, saying,

*I saw the Spirit
descending
from heaven
like a dove,
and it abode upon him.*

Holy sacrament bird Wesley

John 1:32



And I knew him not:
*but he that sent me
to baptize with water,*
the same said unto me,
Upon whom thou
shalt see the Spirit descending,
and remaining on him,
the same is he which baptizeth
with the Holy Ghost. And I saw,
and bare record that this is
the Son of God.



And Jesus, when he was baptized,
went up straightway out of the
water: and, lo, the heavens were
opened unto him, and he saw
the Spirit of God descending
like a dove, and lighting
upon him: And lo a voice from
heaven, saying,
*This is my beloved Son, in
whom I am well pleased.*



SPIRIT OF THE LORD

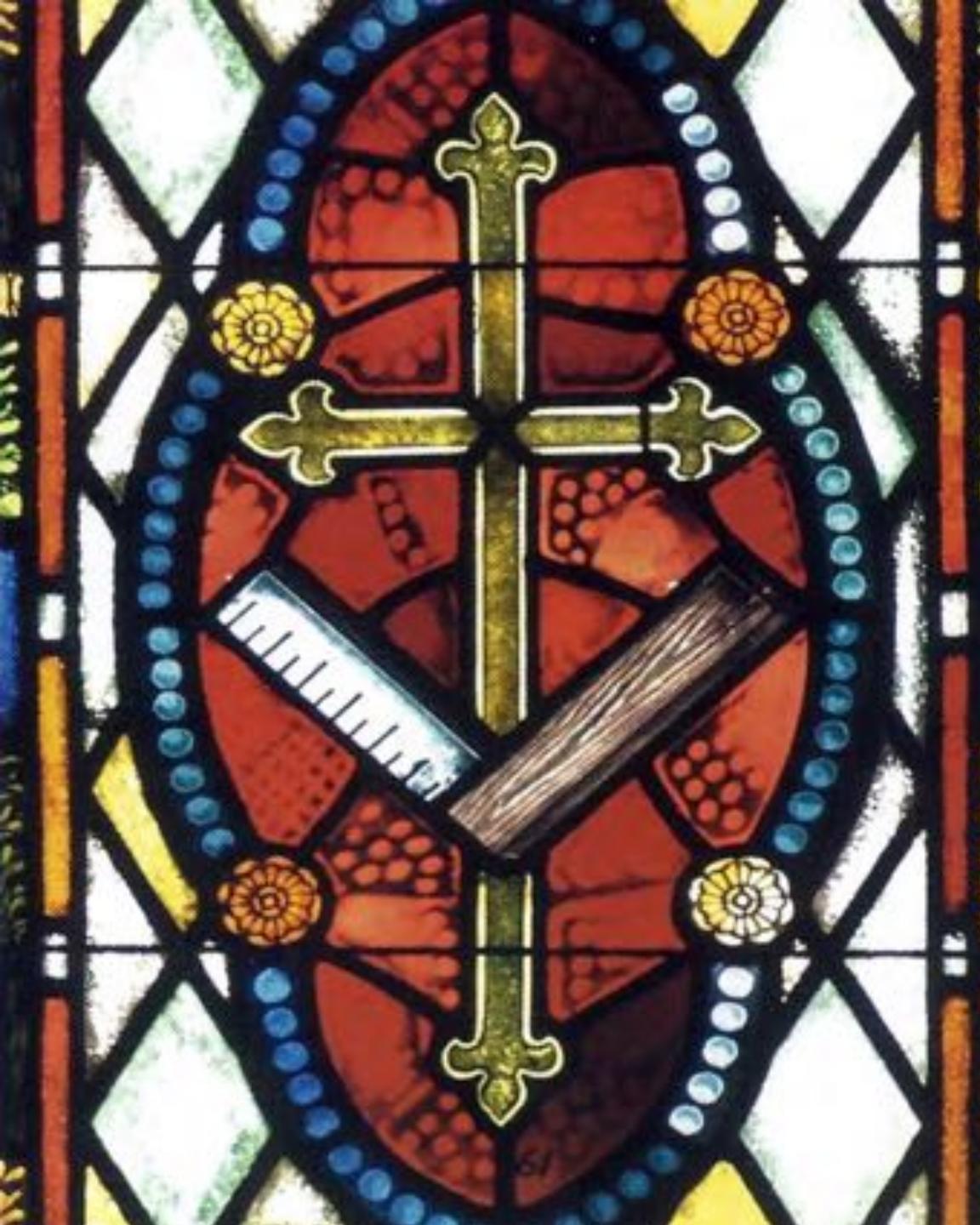
The Spirit of the Lord is upon me,
because he hath anointed me to
preach the gospel to the poor;
he hath sent me to heal the
brokenhearted, to preach
deliverance to the captives, and
recovering of sight to the blind,
to set at liberty them that are
bruised, To preach the acceptable
year of the Lord.

Luke 4:18-19

ANDREW

One of the two which heard John speak, and followed him, was Andrew, Simon Peter's brother. He first findeth his own brother Simon, and saith unto him, *We have found the Messias, which is, being interpreted, the Christ.*





PHILIP

The day following
Jesus would go forth
into Galilee,
and findeth Philip,
and saith unto him,

Follow me.

Cross carpenter square saint sanctuary

John 1:43



JAMES

And going on from thence,
he saw other two brethren,
James the son of Zebedee,
and John his brother, in a ship
with Zebedee their father,
mending their nets;
and he called them.

And they immediately left the
ship and their father,
and followed him.

NATHANAEL

Nathanael saith unto him,
Whence knowest thou me?

Jesus answered and said unto him,
Before that Philip called thee,
when thou wast under the fig tree,
I saw thee. Nathanael answered
and saith unto him, Rabbi,
thou art the Son of God;
thou art the King of Israel.

Bartholomew saint Nathaniel sanctuary

John 1:48-49



JOHN

Then Peter, turning about, seeth

*the disciple whom
Jesus loved...*

This is the disciple which
testifieth of these things,
and wrote these things:

and we know that

his testimony is true

Chalice snake saint cup
sanctuary

John 21:20a, 24



DO NOT WORRY

Therefore I say unto you,

Take no thought

for your life,

what ye shall eat,

or what ye shall drink;

nor yet for your body,

what ye shall put on.

Is not the life more than meat,

and the body than raiment?



FEEDING THE MULTITUDE

And he commanded the multitude to sit down on the grass, and took the five loaves, and the two fishes, and looking up to heaven, he blessed, and brake, and gave the loaves to his disciples, and the disciples to the multitude. And they did all eat, and were filled: and they took up of the fragments that remained twelve baskets full. And they that had eaten were about five thousand men, beside women and children.



Miracle Wesley

Matthew 14:19-21



JESUS HEALS THE SICK

They brought unto him all that
were diseased, and them that were
possessed with devils...

*And he healed many
that were sick*

of divers diseases, and cast out
many devils; and suffered
not the devils to speak,
because they knew him.

JESUS BLESSES THE CHILDREN

Then were there brought unto him little children, that he should put his hands on them, and pray: and the disciples rebuked them. But Jesus said,

Suffer little children, and forbid them not, to come unto me: for of such is the kingdom of heaven.





THE RICH YOUNG RULER

There came one running...
and asked him, Good Master,
what shall I do that I may inherit
eternal life? Then Jesus beholding
him loved him, and said unto him,
One thing thou lackest: go thy way,
sell whatsoever thou hast, and give
to the poor, and thou shalt have
treasure in heaven: and come,
take up the cross, and follow me.



LIGHT OF MEN

In him was life;

and the life was

the light of men.

And the light shineth

in darkness;

and the darkness

comprehended it not.

Latin candle candlestick
sanctuary

John 1:4-5



LIGHT OF THE WORLD

Then spake Jesus again
unto them, saying,
*I am the light
of the world:*
he that followeth me
shall not walk in darkness,
but shall have
the light of life.

THE GOOD SHEPHERD

I am the
good shepherd,
and know my sheep, and am
known of mine. As the Father
knoweth me, even so know
I the Father: and
I lay down my life
for the sheep.





THE GOOD SAMARITAN

A certain Samaritan...came where he was: and when he saw him, he had compassion on him, Which now of these three, thinkest thou, was neighbour unto him that fell among the thieves? And he said, *He that shewed mercy on him.*

Then said Jesus unto him, Go, and do thou likewise.

MARY & MARTHA

And Jesus answered and said unto her, Martha, Martha, thou art careful and troubled about many things: But one thing is needful: and *Mary hath chosen that good part, which shall not be taken away from her.*



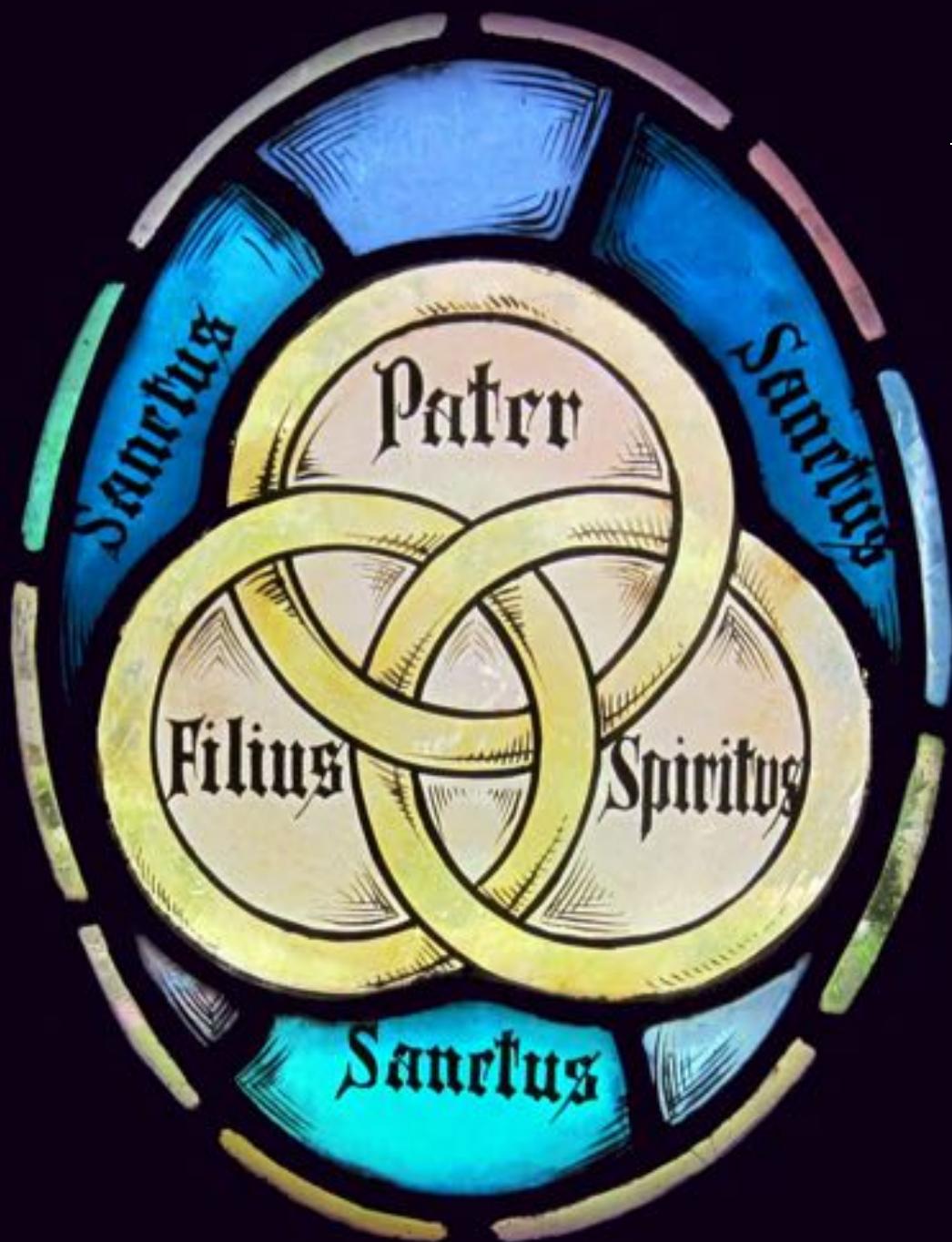
THE TRINITY



Believest thou not that
*I am in the Father, and
the Father in me?*

*The Comforter, which
is the Holy Ghost,
whom the Father will send
in my name, he shall teach
you all things, and bring all
things to your
remembrance, whatsoever
I have said unto you.*

THE TRINITY



*All things that
the Father hath
are mine:
therefore said I,
that he shall take of mine,
and shall shew it
unto you.*

Latin son spirit holy
education

John 16:15



MARTYRDOM

Remember the word that I said
unto you, The servant is
not greater than his lord.

If they have persecuted me,
they will also persecute you;
if they have kept my saying, they will
keep yours also. But all these things
will they do unto you for my name's
sake, because they know not him
that sent me.

*And fear not them
which kill the body,*

but are not able to
kill the soul: but rather
fear him which is able to
destroy both soul and body
in hell.

Thomas carpenter square
arrows spear saint education

Matthew 10:28



PALM SUNDAY

And a very great multitude spread their garments in the way; others cut down branches from the trees...

And the multitudes that went before, and that followed, cried, saying, *Hosanna* to the son of David: *Blessed* is he that cometh in the name of the Lord; *Hosanna in the highest.*



THE BETRAYAL

Then one of the twelve,
called Judas Iscariot,
went unto the chief priests,
And said unto them,
What will ye give me,
and I will deliver him unto you?
And they covenanted
with him for
thirty pieces of silver.

Lantern light sanctuary

Matthew 26: 14-15



THE LAST SUPPER

And when the hour was come, he sat down, and the twelve apostles with him.

And he said unto them, With desire

*I have desired to eat
this passover with you
before I suffer:*

For I say unto you, I will not any more eat thereof, until it be fulfilled in the kingdom of God.



Chalice plate sacrament Communion cup
education

Luke 22:14-16



WASHING FEET

He riseth from supper, and laid aside his garments; and took a towel, and girded himself.

After that he poureth water into a basin, and began to

wash the disciples' feet,

and to wipe them with the towel wherewith he was girded.

Jesus humility sanctuary

John 13:1, 4-5

And as they were eating,
Jesus took bread,
and blessed it,
and brake it,
and gave it to
the disciples,
and said,

*Take, eat;
this is my body.*

Last Supper chalice grapes
Communion sacrament cup
sanctuary

Matthew 26:26





And he took the cup,
and gave thanks,
and gave it to them, saying,
Drink ye all of it;
For this is
my blood
of the new testament,
which is shed
for many for the
remission of sins.

Chalice grapes wheat Last
Supper sacrament
Communion Jesus Wesley

Matthew 26:27-28



GETHSEMANE

And he was withdrawn
from them about a stone's cast,
and kneeled down,
and prayed, Saying, Father,
if thou be willing, remove
this cup from me: nevertheless
not my will,
but thine, be done.



CROWN OF THORNS

And when they had platted a *crown of thorns*, they put it upon his head, and a reed in his right hand: and they bowed the knee before him, and mocked him, saying, Hail, King of the Jews! And set up over his head his accusation written,

*This Is Jesus
The King Of The Jews.*

Latin light nails crucifixion sanctuary

Matthew 27:29, 37

BEFORE PILATE

And Pilate answered...

What will ye then that I shall do
unto him whom ye call
the King of the Jews?

And they cried out again,
Crucify him. And so Pilate,
willing to content the people,
released Barabbas unto them,
and delivered Jesus, when he had
scourged him, to be crucified.



CRUCIFIXION

And they smote him on the head
with a reed, and did spit
upon him, and bowing their knees
worshipped him. And when they
had mocked him, they took off
the purple from him, and put
his own clothes on him, and
led him out to crucify him.

Cross crown thorn nails Latin
education

Mark 15:19-20



FULFILLMENT OF SCRIPTURE

Then the soldiers, when they had crucified Jesus, took his garments... They said therefore among themselves, Let us not rend it, but cast lots for it, whose it shall be: that the *scripture might be fulfilled,* which saith, They parted my raiment among them, and for my vesture they did cast lots.





ATONEMENT

For all have sinned, and come short
of the glory of God;

*Being justified freely by his
grace through the redemption*

that is in Christ Jesus:

Whom God hath set forth to be a
propitiation through faith in his
blood, to declare his righteousness
for the remission of sins

How much more shall
the blood of Christ,
who through the eternal Spirit
offered himself without spot
to God, purge your conscience
from dead works
to serve the living God?

Bird pelican sacrifice education



Hebrews 9:14

AT THE TOMB

And they found the stone rolled
away from the sepulchre.

And they entered in, and found not
the body of the Lord Jesus... behold,
two men stood by them in shining
garments: And as they were afraid,
and bowed down their faces to the
earth, they said unto them, Why
seek ye the living among the dead?

He is not here, but is risen



He is not here: for he is risen,
as he said. Come, see the place
where the Lord lay.

And go quickly,
and tell his disciples that
he is risen from the dead;
and, behold, he goeth before you
into Galilee; there shall ye see him:
lo, I have told you.

Jesus angel education

Matthew 28:6-7



MARY MAGDALENE

Jesus saith unto her, Mary.
She turned herself, and saith unto him, Rabboni; which is to say, Master. Jesus saith unto her, Touch me not; for I am not yet ascended to my Father: but go to my brethren, and say unto them, *I ascend unto my Father, and your Father; and to my God, and your God.*





RESURRECTION

Now if we be dead with Christ,
we believe that we shall also live
with him: Knowing that
Christ being raised from the dead
dieth no more;

*death hath no more
dominion over him.*

Phoenix bird flame
sanctuary

Romans 6:8-9

But now is Christ risen
from the dead,
and become the firstfruits
of them that slept.
For since by man came death,
by man came also the
resurrection of the dead.
For as in Adam all die,
even so in Christ shall
all be made alive.





REBIRTH

Jesus answered, Verily, verily,
I say unto thee, Except a man be
born of water and of the Spirit,
he cannot enter into the kingdom
of God. That which is born of the
flesh is flesh; and that which is
born of the Spirit is spirit. Marvel
not that I said unto thee, *Ye*
must be born again.

Butterfly education

John 3:5-7



So also is the resurrection of the dead.

It is sown in corruption; it is raised in incorruption: It is sown in dishonour; it is raised in glory: it is sown in weakness; it is raised in power: It is sown a natural body; it is raised a spiritual body. There is a natural body, and there is a spiritual body.

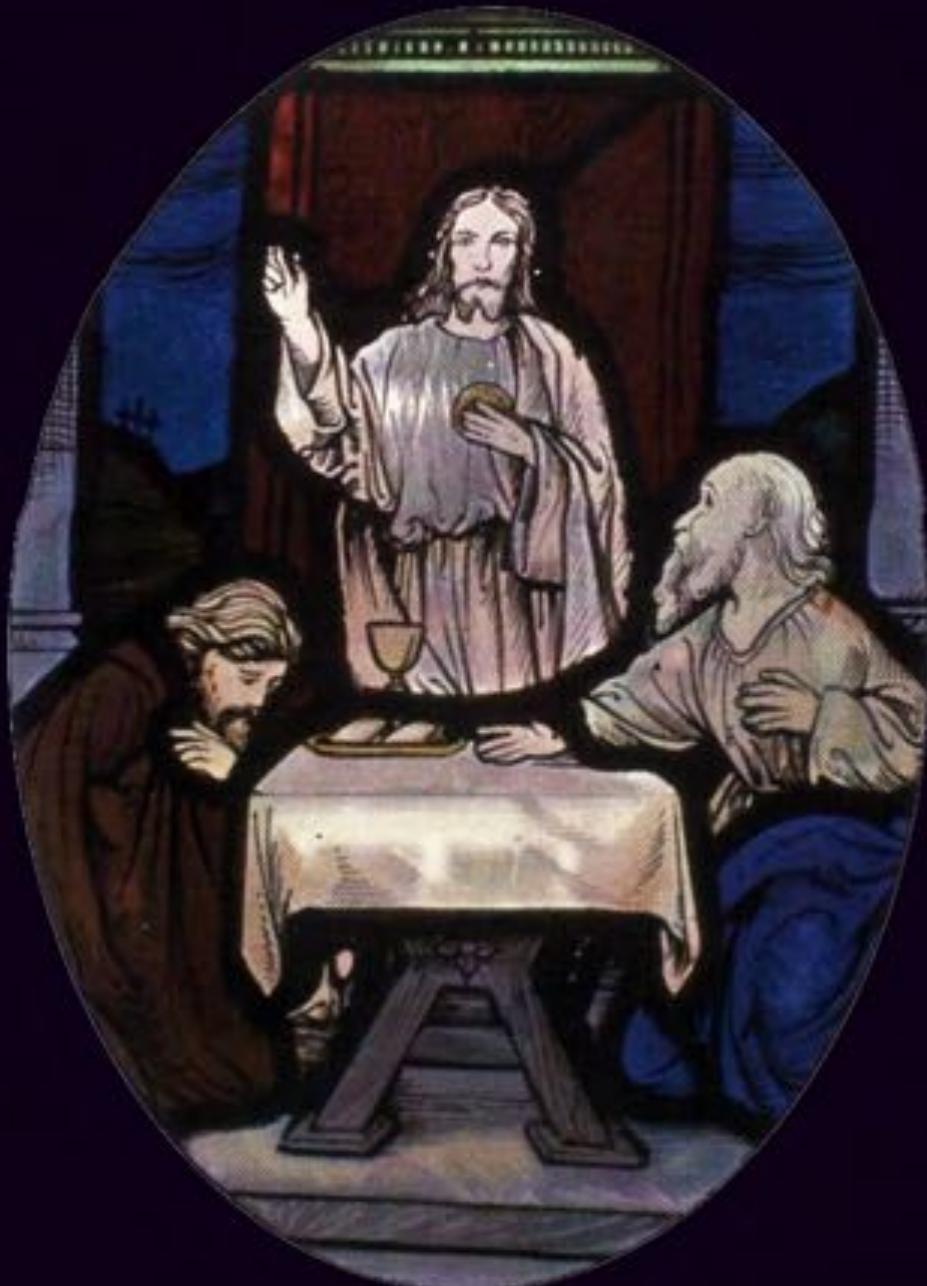
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1 Corinthians 15:42-44



RESURRECTION OF CHRIST

He seeing this before spake of the
resurrection of Christ,
that his soul was not left in hell,
neither his flesh did see
corruption. This Jesus hath
God raised up, whereof
we all are witnesses.



AT EMMAUS

And it came to pass, as he sat
at meat with them...

Their eyes were opened,
and they knew him; and he
vanished out of their sight.

And they said one to another,
Did not our heart burn within us,
while he talked with us
by the way, and while he opened to
us the scriptures?

ST. THOMAS

Jesus saith unto him,
Thomas, because thou hast seen
me, thou hast believed:
*blessed are they that
have not seen, and yet
have believed.*

Carpenter square arrows spear saint
sanctuary

John 20:29



A circular stained glass window depicting the keys of St. Peter. Two golden keys with crosses are shown, one pointing up and one pointing down, set against a blue and purple background. Below the keys is a golden circular medallion with a three-leaf design. The bottom of the window features a blue banner with the text "St. PETER" in gold.

CHURCH ON THE ROCK

And I say also unto thee,
That thou art Peter, and
upon this rock
I will build my church;
and the gates of hell shall not
prevail against it. And I will give
unto thee the keys of the
kingdom of heaven...

CORNERSTONE

Wherefore also it is contained
in the scripture, Behold,

*I lay in Sion a
chief corner stone,
elect, precious: and he that
believeth on him
shall not be confounded.*

Christ cross rock ages
sanctuary

1 Peter 2:6



ST. PAUL

*I have fought a good
fight, I have finished
my course, I have kept
the faith:*

Henceforth there is laid up
for me a crown of
righteousness, which the
Lord, the righteous judge,
shall give me at that day...



Sword saint sanctuary

2 Timothy 4:7-8

PEACE

*Peace I leave
with you, my peace
I give unto you:
not as the world giveth,
give I unto you.
Let not your heart be troubled,
neither let it be afraid.*

Dove bird olive branch Wesley

John 14:27



RIGHTEOUSNESS THROUGH FAITH



But now
the righteousness of God
without the law is manifested,
being witnessed by the law
and the prophets; Even the
righteousness of God which is by
faith of Jesus Christ unto all and
upon all them that believe: for
there is no difference

Commandments law tablets
education

Romans 3:21-22a

LOVE OF GOD

Nor height, nor depth,
nor any other creature,
shall be able to separate us

from the love of God,
which is in Christ Jesus
our Lord.

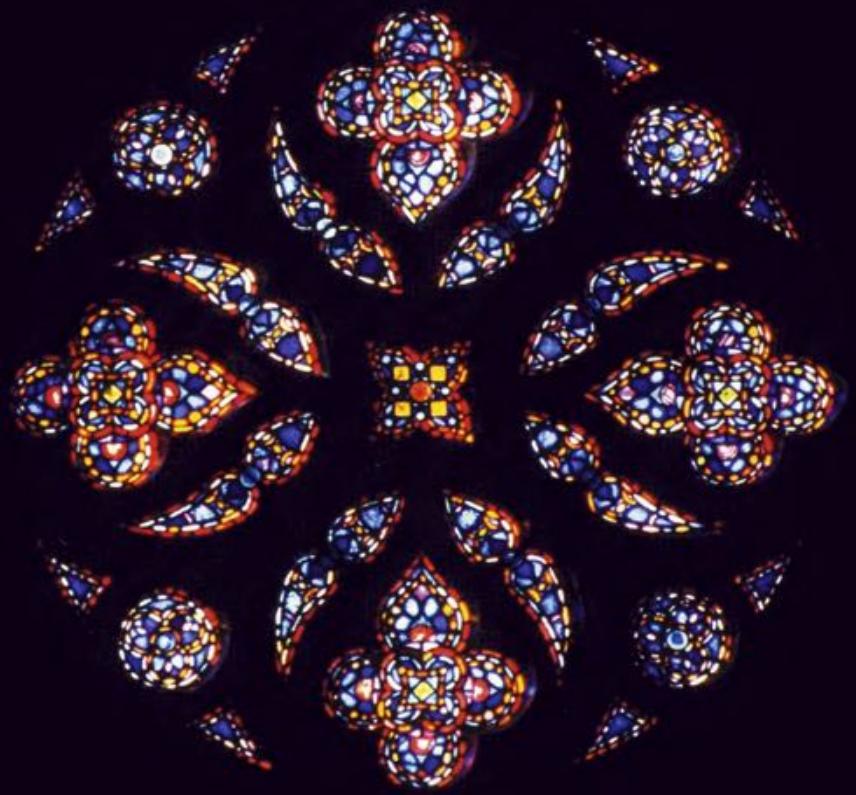
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Romans 8:39



PENTECOST

And when the day of Pentecost
was fully come, they were
all with one accord in one place. And
suddenly there came
a sound from heaven
as of a rushing mighty wind...
And they were
all filled with the Holy Ghost,
and began to speak with
other tongues, as the Spirit gave
them utterance.



Rose window sanctuary

CROSS & CROWN

But rejoice, inasmuch as ye are partakers of Christ's sufferings; that, when his glory shall be revealed, ye may be glad also *with exceeding joy.*

And when the chief Shepherd shall appear, ye shall receive a *crown of glory* that fadeth not away.

1 Peter 4:13; 5:4



THANKS BE TO GOD

*Thanks be to God,
which giveth us the
victory through our Lord
Jesus Christ.*

Greek cross sanctuary

1 Corinthians 15:57b



ARMOUR OF GOD

Wherfore take unto you

the whole armour of God,

that ye may be able to withstand

in the evil day, and having

done all, to stand.

And take the helmet of salvation,

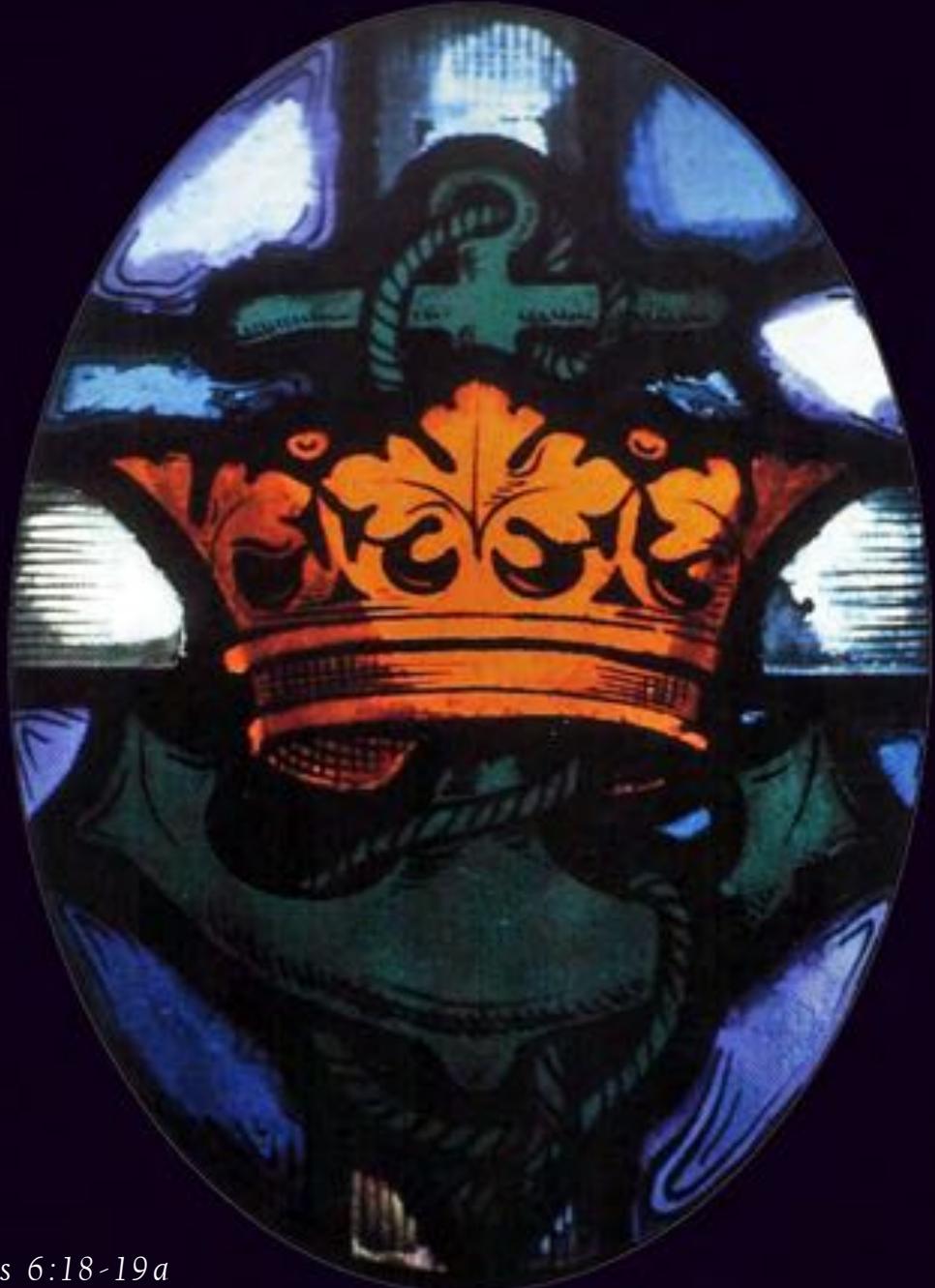
and the sword of the Spirit,

which is the word of God



HOPE: AN ANCHOR

By two immutable things,
in which it was impossible
for God to lie, we might have
a strong consolation,
who have fled for refuge to lay
hold upon the hope set before us:
Which hope we have as an
anchor of the soul,
both sure and stedfast





For therefore we both
labour and suffer reproach,
because we trust
in the living God,
who is the
Saviour of all men,
specially of those that believe.

Anchor hope savior Wesley

1 Timothy 4:10

WITNESSES

But ye shall receive power,
after that the Holy Ghost is
come upon you: and

ye shall be

witnesses unto me

both in Jerusalem, and in all
Judaea, and in Samaria,
and unto the uttermost
part of the earth.

Sailboat boat sanctuary

Acts 1:8





*Go ye therefore,
and teach all nations,
baptizing them in the name of
the Father, and of the Son,
and of the Holy Ghost:
Teaching them to observe all
things whatsoever I have
commanded you: and, lo,
I am with you always,
even unto the end of the world.*

Amen.

LIGHT BEFORE MEN

*Let your light
so shine
before men, that they
may see your good works,
and glorify your Father
which is in heaven.*

Torch flame olive
wreath sanctuary

Matthew 5:16



JESUS KNOCKS

Behold, I stand at the door,
and knock: if any man hear
my voice, and open the door,

I will come in to him,
and will sup with him,
and he with me.

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Revelation 3:20

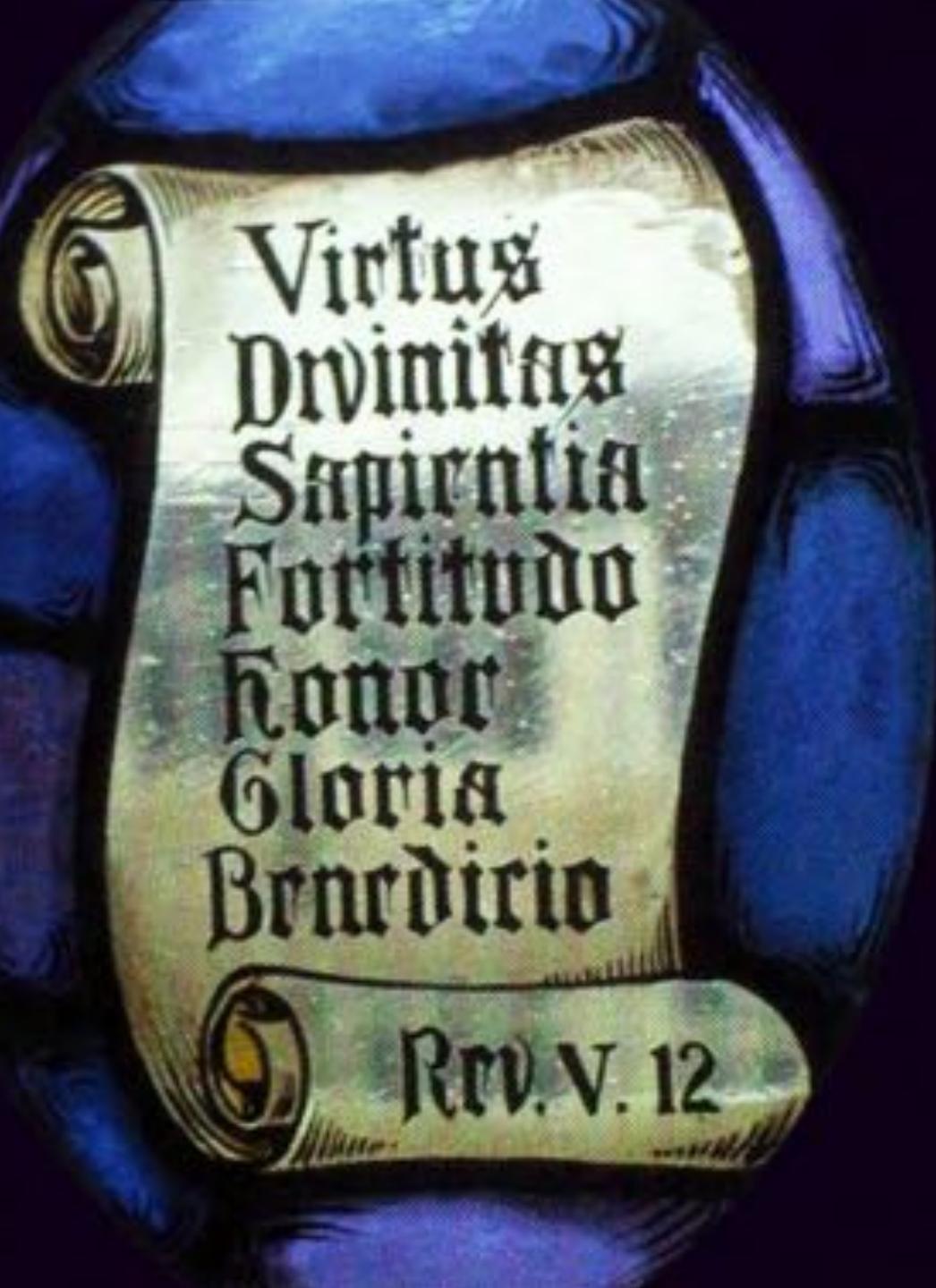




BOOK OF SEALS

And when he had taken the book,
the four beasts and four and
twenty elders fell down before
the Lamb, having every one of
them harps, and golden vials full
of odours, which are the prayers
of saints. And they sung
a new song, saying,

Thou art worthy
to take the book, and to open
the seals thereof



7 GIFTS OF THE NEW TESTAMENT

Saying with a loud voice,
Worthy is the Lamb
that was slain to receive
power, and riches, and
wisdom, and strength,
and honour, and glory,
and blessing.

ALPHA & OMEGA

And, behold, I come quickly;
and my reward is with me,
to give every man according
as his work shall be.

*I am Alpha and Omega,
the beginning and the end,
the first and the last.*

Greek Chi Rho cross
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Revelation 22:12-13



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