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Episcopal Church in Kapa'au, Hawai'i

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HOLY EUCHARIST

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October 27, 2024 7:00 am & 9:00 am

Twenty-third Sunday after Pentecost

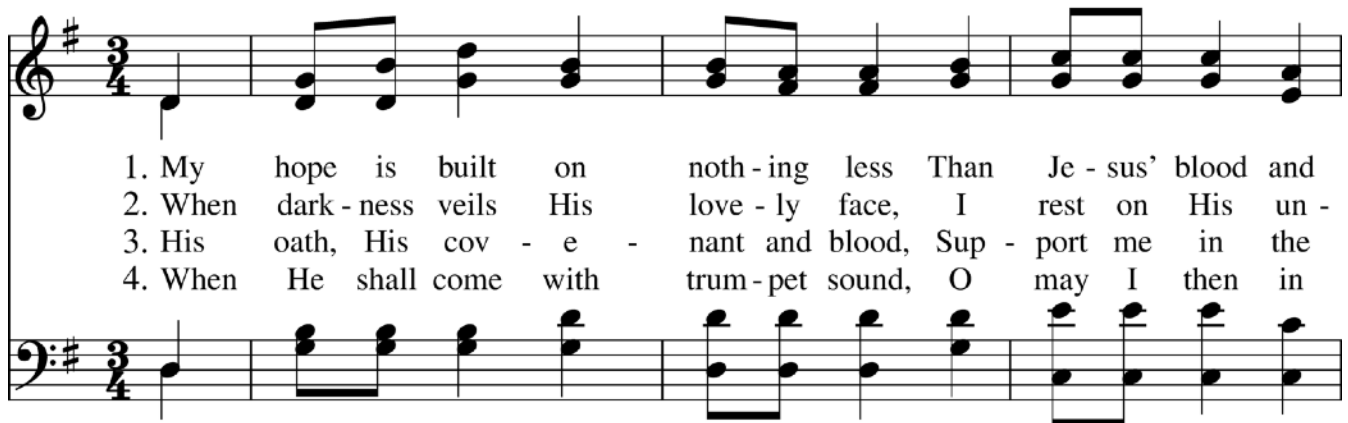
Prelude

Kirk Corey, organ

Please stand as you are able for the opening hymn.

Opening Hymn On Christ the Solid Rock

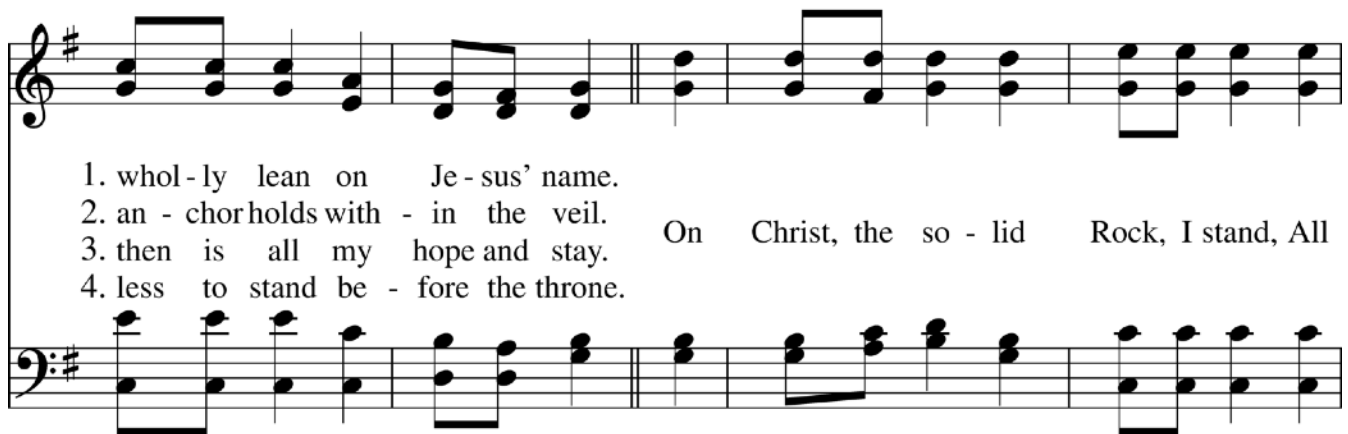
Lift Every Voice & Sing #99



1. My hope is built on noth - ing less Than Je - sus' blood and
2. When dark - ness veils His love - ly face, I rest on His un -
3. His oath, His cov - e - nant and blood, Sup - port me in the
4. When He shall come with trum - pet sound, O may I then in



1. right - eous - ness; I dare not trust the sweet - est frame, But
2. chang - ing grace; In ev - 'ry high and storm - y gale, My
3. whelm - ing flood; When all a - round my soul gives way, he
4. Him be found; Dressed in His right - eous - ness a - lone, Fault -



1. whol - ly lean on Je - sus' name.
2. an - chorholds with - in the veil. On Christ, the so - lid Rock, I stand, All
3. then is all my hope and stay.
4. less to stand be - fore the throne.



oth - er ground is sink - ing sand, All oth - er ground is sink - ing sand.

Opening Acclamation

Presider Blessed be God the Creator, the Light, and the Spirit of Truth.

People **And blessed be all of God's creation, now and forever. Amen.**

Gloria (E na lāhui kānaka)

Wonder, Love & Praise #830

The musical score is written in 3/4 time with a key signature of two flats (B-flat and E-flat). It consists of two systems. The first system has a treble staff and a bass staff. The lyrics are: *E nā lā - hui - ka - na - ka ho - o - na - ni i ka Haku! E*. The second system also has a treble staff and a bass staff. The lyrics are: *nā lā - hui - ka - na - ka ho - o - na ni i ka Haku! E*. The word "Fine" is written above the final measure of the second system.

Words: adapt. From the psalms, tr. Malcolm Naea Chun (b. 1954). Music: Jacques Berthier (1923-1994).

Translation - All nations, all the people - all praise be to the Lord! All nations, all the people - all praise be to the Lord!

The Collect

Presider God be with you.

People And also with you.

Presider Let us pray.

Beggar God, you call us from the roadside to see ourselves in you: let us take heart and come to you, though your road leads to Calvary and absent sun, to love revealed for lightless eyes; through Jesus Christ, the image of the invisible God. Amen.

Source: *Prayers for an Inclusive Church* Steven Shakespeare

Please be seated.

The Lessons

The First Reading

Job 42:1-6, 10-17

Reader A reading from the Book of Job

Job answered the Lord:

“I know that you can do all things,
and that no purpose of yours can be thwarted.

‘Who is this that hides counsel without knowledge?’

Therefore I have uttered what I did not understand,
things too wonderful for me, which I did not know.

‘Hear, and I will speak;
I will question you, and you declare to me.’

I had heard of you by the hearing of the ear,
but now my eye sees you;

therefore I despise myself,
and repent in dust and ashes.”

And the Lord restored the fortunes of Job when he had prayed for his friends; and the Lord gave Job twice as much as he had before. Then there came to him all his brothers and sisters and all who had known him before, and they ate bread with him in his house; they showed him sympathy and comforted him for all the evil that the Lord had brought upon him; and each of them gave him a piece of money and a gold ring.

The Lord blessed the latter days of Job more than his beginning; and he had fourteen thousand sheep, six thousand camels, a thousand yoke of oxen, and a thousand donkeys. He also had seven sons and three daughters. He named the first Jemimah, the second Keziah, and the third Keren-happuch. In all the land there were no women so beautiful as Job’s daughters; and their father gave them an inheritance along with their brothers. After this Job lived for one hundred and forty years, and saw his children, and his children’s children, four generations. And Job died, old and full of days.

Reader Here ends the reading.

People **May Spirit open our hearts and minds.**

The Psalm

Psalm 34:1-8, (19-22) *Benedicam Dominum*

Reader We will read the Psalm responsively by half verse.

I will bless the Lord at all times; *
his praise shall ever be in my mouth.

I will glory in the Lord; *
let the humble hear and rejoice.

Proclaim with me the greatness of the Lord; *
let us exalt his Name together.

I sought the Lord, and he answered me *
and delivered me out of all my terror.

Look upon him and be radiant, *
and let not your faces be ashamed.

I called in my affliction and the Lord heard me *
and saved me from all my troubles.

The angel of the Lord encompasses those who fear him, *
and he will deliver them.

Taste and see that the Lord is good; *
happy are they who trust in him!

The Epistle

Hebrews 7:23-28

Reader A reading from Paul's letter to the Hebrews.

The former priests were many in number, because they were prevented by death from continuing in office; but Jesus holds his priesthood permanently, because he continues forever. Consequently he is able for all time to save those who approach God through him, since he always lives to make intercession for them.

For it was fitting that we should have such a high priest, holy, blameless, undefiled, separated from sinners, and exalted above the heavens. Unlike the other high priests, he has no need to offer sacrifices day after day, first for his own sins, and then for those of the people; this he did once for all when he offered himself. For the law appoints as high priests those who are subject to weakness, but the word of the oath, which came later than the law, appoints a Son who has been made perfect forever.

Reader Here ends the reading.

People **May Spirit open our hearts and minds.**

Please stand as you are able.

Gospel Acclamation

Light and Peace

by Mila Polevia

Al - migh - ty — God on high, your word to us now give a - mid the dark - ness

nigh for light and peace to live.

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Gospel

Deacon The Holy Gospel of our Savior Jesus Christ according to Mark.

People **Glory to you, O Christ.**

Mark 10:46-52

Jesus and his disciples came to Jericho. As he and his disciples and a large crowd were leaving Jericho, Bartimaeus son of Timaeus, a blind beggar, was sitting by the roadside. When he heard that it was Jesus of Nazareth, he began to shout out and say, “Jesus, Son of David, have mercy on me!” Many sternly ordered him to be quiet, but he cried out even more loudly, “Son of David, have mercy on me!” Jesus stood still and said, “Call him here.” And they called the blind man, saying to him, “Take heart; get up, he is calling you.” So throwing off his cloak, he sprang up and came to Jesus.

Then Jesus said to him, “What do you want me to do for you?” The blind man said to him, “My teacher, let me see again.” Jesus said to him, “Go; your faith has made you well.” Immediately he regained his sight and followed him on the way.

Deacon The Gospel of our Savior.

People **Praise to you, O Christ.**

Please be seated.

The Sermon

The Rev. Jennifer Masada

Music for reflection and gathering of prayers. Please hand them to the deacon or priest.

Please stand as you are able.

The Affirmation *from the Episcopal Litany for the Season of Creation*

**We believe in God, who creates all things,
who embraces all things, who celebrates all things,
who is present in every part of the fabric of creation.**

**We believe in God as the source of all life,
who baptizes this planet with living water.**

**We believe in Jesus Christ, the suffering one, the poor one,
the malnourished one, the climate refugee,
who loves and cares for this world
and who suffers with it.**

**And we believe in Jesus Christ, the seed of life,
who came to reconcile and renew this world
and everything in it.**

**We believe in the Holy Spirit, the breath of God,
who moves with God
and who moves among and with us today.**

We believe in everlasting life in God.

**And we believe in the hope that one day
God will put an end to death and all destructive forces.**

Prayers of the People

Deacon Let us pray for the revealing of the realm of God in the world,
now and always.

Deacon In the beginning,

People **God was.**

Deacon Here and now,

People **God is.**

Deacon In the future,

People **God will be.**

Deacon Creator of earth, sea, and sky, kindle the fire of your Spirit within us that we may be bold to heal and defend the earth, and pour your blessing upon all who work for the good of the planet.

Silence

God, giver of life,

People **Hear our prayer.**

Deacon Breath of life, receive our thanks for the beauty of our local habitat and all who dwell in it, and grant us the wisdom and will to conserve it.

Silence

God, giver of life,

People **Hear our prayer.**

Deacon Source of life, heal and redeem the wounds of your creation, and visit the places and people who suffer from our indifference, neglect, and greed.

Silence

God, giver of life,

People **Hear our prayer.**

Deacon Lover of all you have made, we thank you for the wondrous diversity of your creatures, and we pray for their well-being.

Silence

God, giver of life,

People **Hear our prayer.**

Deacon Author of the book of nature, receive our gratitude for places of restoration and healing, and continue to bless those places that feed our lives and spirits.

Silence

God, giver of life,

People **Hear our prayer.**

Deacon Wise Creator, whose works are full of mystery, give us wonder and appreciation for your creatures with whom we find ourselves in conflict.

Silence

God, giver of life,

People **Hear our prayer.**

Deacon Giver of all good gifts, awaken us daily to our dependence upon your bounty, and make us always thankful for the abundance of your blessings.

Silence

God, giver of life,

People **Hear our prayer.**

Deacon Divine Physician, heal our communities, especially those where neglect, greed, or violence inflict suffering upon people and other creatures.

Silence

God, giver of life,

People Hear our prayer.

Deacon Comforter of all the earth, sustain the people of this congregation who desire or need your presence and help [especially _____].

Silence

God, giver of life,

People Hear our prayer.

Deacon Rock and refuge of all your creatures, receive into everlasting mercy all those who have died [especially _____].

Silence

God, giver of life,

People Hear our prayer.

Closing Collect for the Prayers of the People

Presider Creating God, your name is written on every leaf, every bird, every river, every stone, every living being. We give thanks to you for the magnificence of your creation. Make us attentive to the wounds of the earth and willing to work for the healing of the whole creation, through Christ **Amen.**

Source: Prayers from the Episcopal Liturgy for the Season of Creation.

Confession of Sin

Deacon Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

All **Most merciful God,
we confess that we have sinned against you
in thought, word, and deed,
by what we have done,
and by what we have left undone.
We have not loved you with our whole heart;
we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves.
We are truly sorry and we humbly repent.
For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ,
have mercy on us and forgive us;
that we may delight in your will,
and walk in your ways,
to the glory of your Name. Amen.**

Presider Almighty God have mercy on us, forgive us all our sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen us in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep us in eternal life. **Amen.**

The Queen's Prayer

1. 'O kou a - lo - ha nō A - i - a i - ka la - ni,
 2. Ko'u no - ho mi - hi 'ana A pa - 'a - ha - o 'i - a,
 3. Mai nā - nā 'i - no - 'ino Nā he - wa o kā - na - ka,
 4. No - lai - la e ka Haku Ma la - lo kou 'ē - he - u,

A 'o Kou 'o - ia 'i - 'o He he - mo - le - le ho'i.
 'O 'o - e ku - 'u la - ma Kou na - ni ko - 'u ko'o.
 A - kā e hu - i - ka - la A ma - 'e - ma - 'e nō.
 Kō mā - kou ma - lu - hi - a A mau loa a - ku nō. 'Ā - me - ne.

Translation of The Queen's Prayer: Your loving mercy is as high as heaven and your truth so perfect. I live in sorrow, imprisoned. You are my light. Your glory, my support. Behold not with malevolence the sins of man, but forgive and cleanse. And so, O God, protect us beneath your winds and let peace be our portion now and forever more. Amen.

Please be seated.

Announcements

Announcements of birthdays, anniversaries, and church events for the upcoming week.

The Peace

Presider The God of heaven has made a home on earth.

People **Christ dwells among us and is one with us.**

Presider In Christ we are becoming a new creation.

People **We see God around us.**

We see God within us.

We give thanks to our Creator.

Presider Peace with yourself.

Peace with Creation.

Peace with one another.

The peace of our Creator be with you in all things.

People **And also with you.**

All share peace with one another.

The Holy Communion

Offertory

All **We come with offerings of our time, our money, our strength, our pleasure in one another's company. All these we bring to God in dedication and for use in the glory of the realm of God.**

The oblationers bring the bread and wine to the deacon at the altar.

Offertory hymn *Heal me, hands of Jesus*

Wonder, Love & Praise #773

1. Heal me, hands of Je - sus, and search out all my pain: re -
2. Cleanse me, blood of Je - sus, take bit - ter-ness a - way; let
3. Know me, mind of Je - sus, and show me all my sin; dis -
4. Fill me, joy of Je - sus: anx - i - e - ty shall cease and

The musical score is written in 4/4 time with a key signature of one flat (Bb). It consists of a vocal line and a piano accompaniment. The vocal line begins with a treble clef and a key signature of one flat. The piano accompaniment is written for both the right and left hands, with a grand staff. The lyrics are aligned with the vocal line.

store my hope, re - move my fear and bring me peace a - gain.
 me for - give as one for-given and bring me peace to - day.
 pel the mem - o - ries of guilt, and bring me peace with - in.
 heaven's se - ren - i - ty be mine, for Je - sus brings me peace!

The Great Thanksgiving

Source: Prayers from the Episcopal Liturgy for the Season of Creation.

Please stand as you are able.

Presider The Lord be with you.

People **And also with you.**

Presider Lift up your hearts.

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

Presider Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

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

The Presider continues,

Praise and thanks are yours, our Creating God. From the dust of the earth you shaped human beings in your own image, and you filled the earth and seas and skies with a myriad of wonders. Yet we consistently turn your generosity into our scarcity, your elegance into our meanness, and your simplicity into our corruption. Though we poison and destroy your good Creation, you continue to offer us your abundance. In your mercy, you have redeemed us through your Son, Jesus, transforming death into life. Through the Spirit you continue to call us into covenant with you—for the restoration of Creation and the reconciliation of all people. And so we give you thanks, rejoicing with all of Creation, as we join the saints and angels in their unending hymn:

Sanctus (Autumn tide)

by Mila Polevia

The musical score is written for a single melodic line in treble clef, key of D major (one sharp), and 6/8 time. It consists of four staves of music. The lyrics are written below the notes. Chord symbols are placed above the staff to indicate accompaniment. The lyrics are: "Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow - er and might, hea - ven and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho - san - na in the high - est. Bless - ed is he who comes in the name of the Lord! Ho - san - na, ho - san - na, ho - san - na, ho - san - na in the high - est!"

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On the night Jesus was betrayed, he took bread and gave thanks to God. He broke the bread, gave it to his friends, and said: "Take and eat, for this is my body, given for you. Do this in remembrance of me." He took the wine and gave thanks to God, Creator. He gave it to his friends saying: "This is my blood of the new covenant, shed for you and for all creation for the forgiveness of sins. Every time you drink of the wine, do this in remembrance of me."

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

All Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.

The Presider continues

Merciful God, we come to this table seeking reconciliation: with you, with one another, and with all creation. Through these mysteries reconcile us to our world and empower us to restore your Creation and fulfill your will. Send your life-giving Spirit upon us, and upon this bread and wine. Stir in us the creative and redeem the destructive. Heal your stricken world, that the soil, the skies, and the seas may be filled with your life anew. Fill every heart with the sure and certain hope that we shall enter into the fullness of your joy, when your whole Creation is justified by faith and sanctified by love, and you are all in all.

Through Christ and with Christ and in Christ, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all honor and glory is yours, now and forever. **Amen.**

Presider And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say,

All **Eternal Spirit, Earth-maker, Pain-bearer, Life-giver,
Source of all that is and that shall be,
Father and Mother of us all,
Loving God, in whom is heaven:**

**The hallowing of your name echo through the universe!
The way of your justice be followed by the peoples of the world!
Your heavenly will be done by all created beings!
Your commonwealth of peace and freedom
sustain our hope and come on earth.**

**With the bread we need for today, feed us.
In the hurts we absorb from one another, forgive us.
In times of temptation and test, strengthen us.
From trials too great to endure, spare us.
From the grip of all that is evil, free us.**

For you reign in the glory of the power that is love, now and for ever. Amen.

*From the New Zealand Prayer Book
The Anglican Church of the Province of New Zealand*

The Breaking of the Bread

Fraction hymn *Whoever Comes to Me*

Wonder, Love and Praise #878

Who-ev - er comes to me shall not hun - ger and
who-ev - er be - lieves in me shall nev - er thirst.

The image shows two staves of musical notation in G major (one sharp) and 4/4 time. The first staff contains the melody for the first line of lyrics, and the second staff contains the melody for the second line. The lyrics are written below the notes.

Presider The gifts of God for the People of God.

Instructions for receiving the sacraments

You are invited to come up, row by row, to receive the sacraments of bread and wine.

The usher will guide you. If you would like to receive communion at your seat, please tell the usher; the priest and deacon will come to you.

At the font

The waters of our font remind us of the waters that flow mauka to makai through this ahupua'a we enjoy with respect and honor for the Ali'i who granted permission. Through water, we are connected with 'āina, God, and one another. We pause at the font to remember our baptismal vows that recall us to our Creator and remind us to care for all people in this community, in our diocese, and all creation. In remembrance of the sacrament of baptism, we anoint one another.

As you approach the front of the church, you are invited to dip a finger in the font water, turn to the person behind you, and anoint them with water, making a small cross on their forehead. If you prefer not to be anointed, simply cross your arms and the vicar will anoint the person behind you.

Receiving the bread and wine

To receive the bread (also called the host), extend your hands with palms flat. The priest will place the host on your palm with the words "The Body of Christ, the Bread of heaven." Please indicate if you would prefer gluten-free.

To receive the wine, you may drink directly from the chalice. The deacon will say "the Blood of Christ, the cup of Salvation."

If you prefer, you may dip a small part the host in the wine. This is called intinction. Please dip carefully so that your fingers do not touch the wine. The deacon will say "the Body and Blood of our Lord Jesus Christ keep you in everlasting life."

Receiving bread only

If you do not wish to partake in the wine, simply cross your arms over your chest. Consuming the host is considered the full sacrament of Holy Communion. After receiving the sacraments, you may make the sign of the cross ✠.

Receiving a blessing

If you do not wish to receive either the bread or the wine but would like a blessing, you are invited to come forward, arms crossed, to receive the blessing.

Communion Hymn*Come now, you blessed*

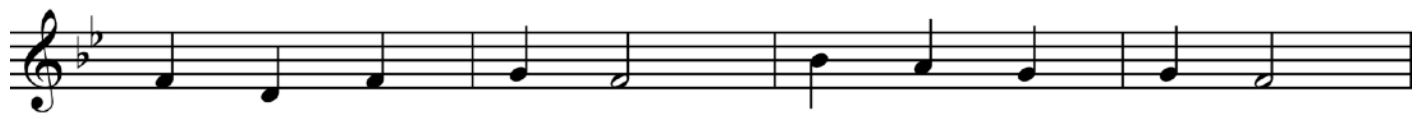
My Heart Sings Out #155



1 "Come now, you bless - ed, eat at my ta - ble,"
 2 When did we see you hun - gry or thirs - ty?
 3 "When you gave bread to the earth's hun - gry chil - dren,
 4 Christ, when we see you out on life's road - ways,



said Je - sus Christ to the right - eous a - bove.
 When were you home - less, a strang - er a - lone?
 when you gave shel - ter to war's ref - u - gees.
 look - ing to us in the fac - es of need,



"When I was hun - gry, thirs - ty and home - less,
 When did we see you sick or in pris - on?
 When you re - mem - bered those most for - got - ten,
 then may we know you, wel - come and show you



sick and in pris - on, you showed me your love."
 What have we done that you call us your own?
 you cared for me in the small - est of these."
 love that is faith - ful in word and in deed.

Please stand as you are able.*Presider* Let us pray.

All **Create in us a new heart and a new vision, O God, that the gifts of your Spirit may work in us and renew the face of the earth. May we be one with you so that our work is yours and your work is ours. Lead us to transform our lives to reflect your glory in Creation; through Jesus Christ our Savior who is alive with you and the Holy Spirit, one God now and for ever. Amen.**

The Blessing

Presider May God who established the dance of creation—who marvels at the lilies of the field, who transforms chaos to order—lead us to transform our lives and the Church, to listen to the voice of all creatures that reflect God’s glory in creation.

And the blessing of God the Creator, the Light, and the Spirit of Truth be with you now and for ever.. **Amen.**

Closing Hymn *Your Hand, O Lord*

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1 Your hand, O Lord, in days of old was strong to
2 Your touch then, Lord, brought life and health, gave speech and
3 O be our great de - liv - 'rer still, the Lord of

heal and save; it tri-umphed o - ver pain and death, o'er
strength and sight; and youth re - newed and fren - zy calmed re -
life and death; re - store and quick - en, soothe and bless, with

dark - ness and the grave. To you they came, the
veiled you, Lord of light. And now, O Lord, be
your life - giv - ing breath. To hands that work and

The musical score is written in G minor (one flat) and 4/4 time. It consists of three systems, each with a vocal line (treble clef) and a piano accompaniment line (bass clef). The lyrics are arranged in three columns, corresponding to the three verses of the hymn. The first system covers the first line of lyrics, the second system covers the second and third lines, and the third system covers the fourth and fifth lines. The piano accompaniment features a steady bass line with chords and some melodic movement in the right hand.

blind, the mute, the par - a - lyzed and lame, the lep - ers
 near to bless, al - might - y as be - fore, in crowd - ed
 eyes that see give wis - dom's heal - ing pow'r that whole and

in their mis - er - y, the sick with fe - vered frame.
 street, by beds of pain, as by Gen - nes - 'ret's shore.
 sick and weak and strong may praise you ev - er - more.

The Dismissal

Deacon Let us go forth in the name of Christ. Alleluia, Alleluia.

People **Thanks be to God! Alleluia, Alleluia.**

Postlude *Sortie*, Jacques-Nicolas Lemmens (1823-1881)

Kirk Corey, organ



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