THE CHURCH OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD

THE THIRTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

AUGUST 18, 2024 AT 10:15 AM



ALL ARE WELCOME HERE

We are a welcoming, inclusive and affirming parish in the Episcopal Diocese of North Carolina. We seek to meet and serve Christ in all people and to glorify God in our words and our actions.

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ARE YOU VISITING TODAY?

Know that you are most welcome, and we pray that you will return to worship with us again soon! Please do us the honor of filling out a Welcome Card, either by scanning the QR code to the right OR by filling out a physical card located in the pew rack and then placing it in the alms basin during the offertory or handing it to an usher or to a member of the clergy as you leave today. Thank you!

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Holy Eucharist: Rite Two

This service bulletin is designed for use with the red Book of Common Prayer (BCP) and the blue Hymnal 1982, both of which are located in the pew rack in front of you.

Voluntary

Processional Hymn: Morning has broken Hymnal 8

Opening Acclamation Book of Common Prayer (BCP), p. 355

Celebrant Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.
People **And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.**

The Collect for Purity BCP, p. 355

Hymn of Praise: Glory to God *please see the facing page*

The Collect of the Day

Celebrant The Lord be with you.
People **And also with you.**
Celebrant Let us pray.

Almighty God, you have given your only Son to be for us a sacrifice for sin, and also an example of godly life: Give us grace to receive thankfully the fruits of his redeeming work, and to follow daily in the blessed steps of his most holy life; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

The Collect of the Kids

Children ages 4 to 5th grade are invited to the steps for a brief introduction to the day's liturgy or lessons.

The First Lesson **1 Kings 2:10-12; 3:3-14**
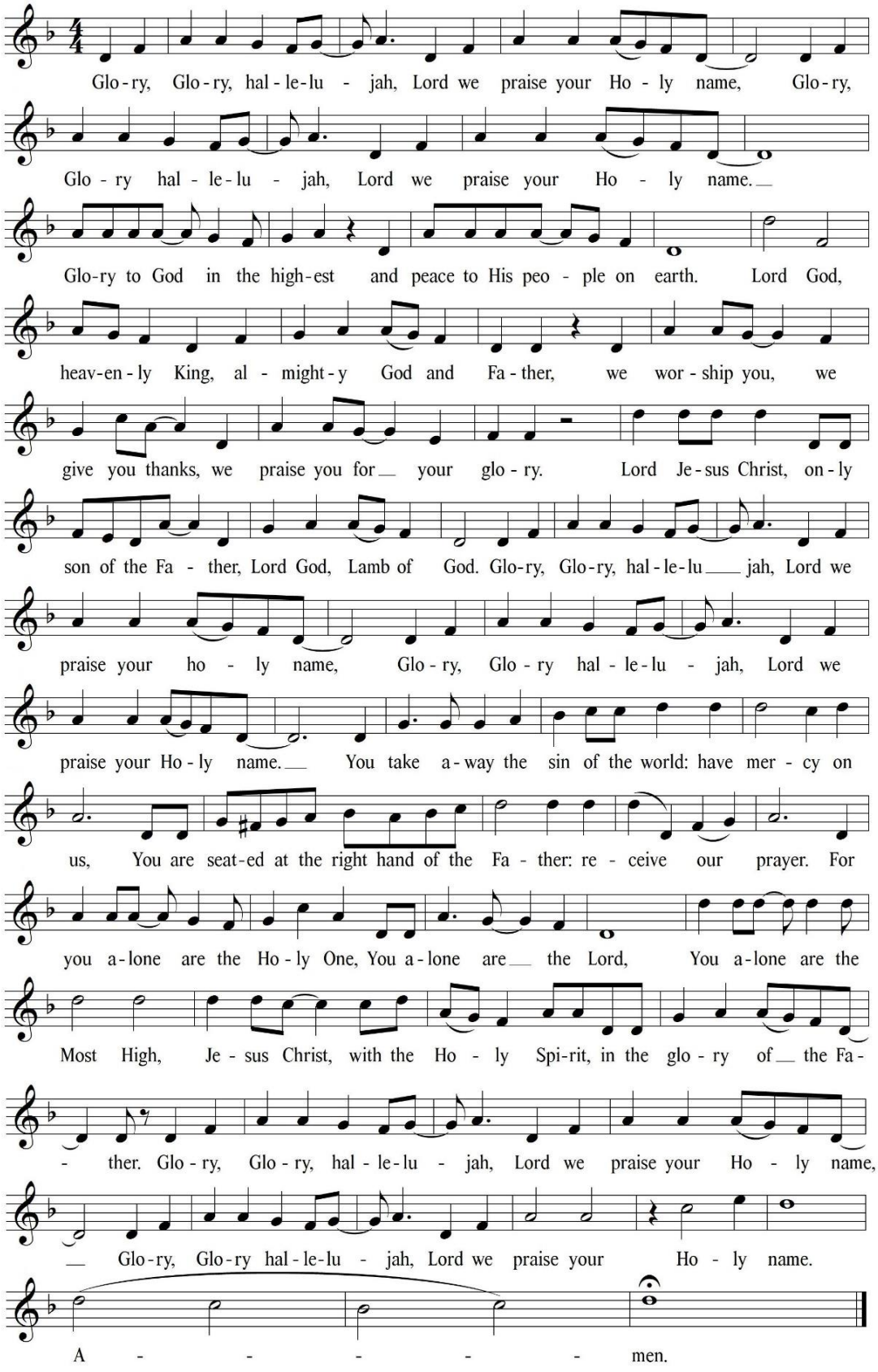
Lector A reading from the First Book of Kings.

David slept with his ancestors, and was buried in the city of David. The time that David reigned over Israel was forty years; he reigned seven years in Hebron, and thirty-three years in Jerusalem. So Solomon sat on the throne of his father David; and his kingdom was firmly established.

Solomon loved the Lord, walking in the statutes of his father David; only, he sacrificed and offered incense at the high places. The king went to Gibeon to sacrifice there, for that was the principal high place; Solomon used to offer a thousand burnt offerings on that altar. At Gibeon the Lord appeared to Solomon in a dream by night; and God said, "Ask what I should give you." And Solomon said, "You have shown great and steadfast love to your servant my father David, because he walked before you in faithfulness, in righteousness, and in uprightness of heart toward you; and you have kept for him this great and steadfast love, and have given him a son to sit on his throne today. And now, O Lord my God, you have made your servant king in place of my father David, although I am only a little child; I do not know how to go out or come in. And your servant is in the midst of the people whom you have chosen, a great people, so numerous they cannot be numbered or counted. Give your servant therefore an understanding mind to govern your people, able to discern between good and evil; for who can govern this your great people?"

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Hymn of Praise: Glory to God *Lift Every Voice and Sing* 243



It pleased the Lord that Solomon had asked this. God said to him, "Because you have asked this, and have not asked for yourself long life or riches, or for the life of your enemies, but have asked for yourself understanding to discern what is right, I now do according to your word. Indeed I give you a wise and discerning mind; no one like you has been before you and no one like you shall arise after you. I give you also what you have not asked, both riches and honor all your life; no other king shall compare with you. If you will walk in my ways, keeping my statutes and my commandments, as your father David walked, then I will lengthen your life."
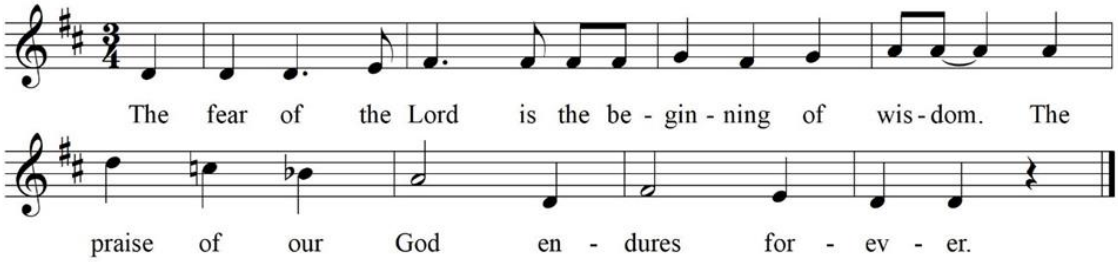
Lector The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**
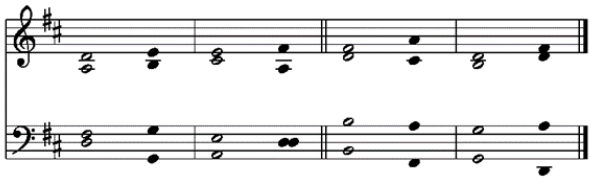
The Response **Psalm 111**

Confitebor tibi

All sing refrain; all sing verses



1 Hallelujah!
I will give thanks to the Lord with my whole heart, *
in the assembly of the upright, in the congregation.



2 Great are the deeds of the Lord! *
they are studied by all who delight in them.

3 His work is full of majesty and splendor, *
and his righteousness endures for ever.

4 He makes his marvelous works to be remembered; *
the Lord is gracious and full of compassion. REFRAIN

5 He gives food to those who fear him; *
he is ever mindful of his covenant.

6 He has shown his people the power of his works *
in giving them the lands of the nations.

7 The works of his hands are faithfulness and justice; *
all his commandments are sure.

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8 They stand fast for ever and ever, *
because they are done in truth and equity. REFRAIN

9 He sent redemption to his people;
he commanded his covenant for ever; *
holy and awesome is his Name.

10 The fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom; *
those who act accordingly have a good understanding;
his praise endures for ever. REFRAIN

The Second Lesson **Ephesians 5:15-20**

Lector A reading from the letter to the Ephesians.

Be careful then how you live, not as unwise people but as wise, making the most of the time, because the days are evil. So do not be foolish, but understand what the will of the Lord is. Do not get drunk with wine, for that is debauchery; but be filled with the Spirit, as you sing psalms and hymns and spiritual songs among yourselves, singing and making melody to the Lord in your hearts, giving thanks to God the Father at all times and for everything in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ.

Lector The Word of the Lord.
People **Thanks be to God.**

Sequence Hymn: Be thou my vision, O Lord of my heart Hymnal 488

The Gospel **John 6:51-58**

Deacon The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John.
People **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

Jesus said, "I am the living bread that came down from heaven. Whoever eats of this bread will live forever; and the bread that I will give for the life of the world is my flesh."

The Jews then disputed among themselves, saying, "How can this man give us his flesh to eat?" So Jesus said to them, "Very truly, I tell you, unless you eat the flesh of the Son of Man and drink his blood, you have no life in you. Those who eat my flesh and drink my blood have eternal life, and I will raise them up on the last day; for my flesh is true food and my blood is true drink. Those who eat my flesh and drink my blood abide in me, and I in them. Just as the living Father sent me, and I live because of the Father, so whoever eats me will live because of me. This is the bread that came down from heaven, not like that which your ancestors ate, and they died. But the one who eats this bread will live forever."

Deacon The Gospel of the Lord.
People **Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

The Sermon The Rev. Imogen Rhodenhiser

The Nicene Creed BCP, p. 358

The Prayers of the People New Zealand Prayer Book

Intercessor Heavenly Father, you have promised to hear when we pray in the name of your Son. Therefore, in confidence and trust, we pray for the Church. Father, enliven the Church for its mission,

All **That we may be salt of the earth and light to the world.**

Intercessor Breathe fresh life into your people.

All **Give us power to reveal Christ in word and action.**

Intercessor We pray for our community. Give grace to all whose lives are linked with ours.

All **May we serve Christ in one another, and love as He loves us.**

Intercessor Comfort and restore all who suffer in body, mind or spirit.

All **May they know the power of your healing love.**

Intercessor We pray for the needs of the world. For the hungry and the overfed,

All **May we have enough.**

Intercessor For the mourners and the mockers,

All **May we laugh together.**

Intercessor For the victims and the oppressors,

All **May we share power wisely.**

Intercessor For the silenced and the propagandists,

All **May we speak our own words in truth.**

Intercessor For the unemployed and the overworked,

All **May our impress on the earth be kindly and creative.**

Intercessor For the troubled and the sleek,

All **May we live together as wounded healers.**

Intercessor For the homeless and the cosseted,

All **May our homes be simple, warm, and welcoming.**

Intercessor For the vibrant and the dying,

All **May we all die to live.**

Intercessor O God of many names, lover of all peoples; we pray for peace in our hearts and homes, in our nations and our world; the peace of your will, the peace of our need.

All **Amen.**

Confession of Sin *Enriching Our Worship*

Celebrant Let us confess our sins to God.

All **God of all mercy, we confess that we have sinned against you, opposing your will in our lives. We have denied your goodness in each other, in ourselves, and in the world you have created. We repent of the evil that enslaves us, the evil we have done, and the evil done on our behalf. Forgive, restore, and strengthen us through our Savior Jesus Christ, that we may abide in your love and serve only your will. Amen.**

The Absolution BCP, p. 360

The Peace BCP, p. 360

Celebrant The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People **And also with you.**

Welcome and Announcements

Today's Altar Flowers

The flowers on the altar are given to the glory of God by Lynn Wiss in loving memory of Garin Wiss, The Rev. Robert and Juanita Kirchgessner, Barry Kent Kirchgessner and in thanksgiving for grandsons Will and Jake Doherty and by Peggy Hawks and Susan and Jane Jackson in loving memory of Sharon Jackson.

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Open your phone's camera, point the camera at the square, and tap the screen.



A Celebration & Blessing of Brother Paul's Franciscan Vocation

Please stand as you are able

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People **And also with you.**

Celebrant Let us pray.

My dear brothers and sisters in Christ, our brother, Paul Henry, has been received into the Episcopal Order of the Brothers of St. Francis. We, as his Good Shepherd family of faithful Christians, gather to recognize and celebrate his Franciscan calling. Let us offer our prayers for Brother Paul and all the members of his Franciscan Order, as well as the universal Church, for it is built upon the vocations of all its faithful members; Lay, Clergy and Religious. May he live in fidelity to this calling and may we all be challenged with him, to live spiritual lives which are faithful to Jesus' teachings.

People **Amen.**

The Celebrant then addresses the new Franciscan:

Celebrant Brother Paul, having been received as a new member of the Episcopal Order of Saint Francis, do you, here in the presence of your Church family, recommit yourself to this new way of gospel life, and together with all your Brothers, to live as baptized men of Jesus the Christ following in the way of Blessed Saint Francis of Assisi?

Brother Paul I do.

Celebrant Will you be faithful to the promises you made as they are interpreted by your Order of Saint Francis?

Brother Paul I will with God's help.

Celebrant Will you strive constantly for a perfect love of God and neighbor by living the Gospel with all your heart and by keeping faithful in following the Rule of your Order?

Brother Paul I will with God's help.

Celebrant Will you wear the habit of Saint Francis, in the form of the Tau Cross, as an outward and visible sign of your commitment to Christ, as witness to the promises you have taken, and as a means of expressing God's love for you and this congregation of The Good Shepherd?

Brother Paul I will.

Celebrant Let us offer our prayers to God for all His people, Brother Paul and for this church family of The Good Shepherd.

Heavenly Father, you have called Brother Paul to follow you in a new way of life within the Franciscan Episcopal Order of Saint Francis. We praise and bless you for the mystery of this holy vocation bestowed upon him. Guard, guide, and defend him as he endeavors to follow the Franciscan Rule of Life of his Order. May his ministry among us be a reminder that the call of all baptized Christians is to pray, to meditate on Your holy Word, and to live an exemplary life of service and love of our neighbors. Enable us to sustain him by prayer in his vocation, and to bless all with your grace and love.

At the following words the Celebrant extends hands in blessing over the Brother:

Heavenly Father, send your Spirit upon your servant, Brother Paul, and upon all of us this morning, that we may grow in our faith and live our lives in service to you, in the name of the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit.

People **Amen.**

All **May the Lord bless you and keep you; may the Lord show his face to you and have compassion on you! May he turn His face to you, and give you, his peace! Amen!**

Celebrant May the One who began this good work in you, see to its completion before the day of Christ Jesus.

People **Amen!**

The Celebrant then addresses the Congregation:
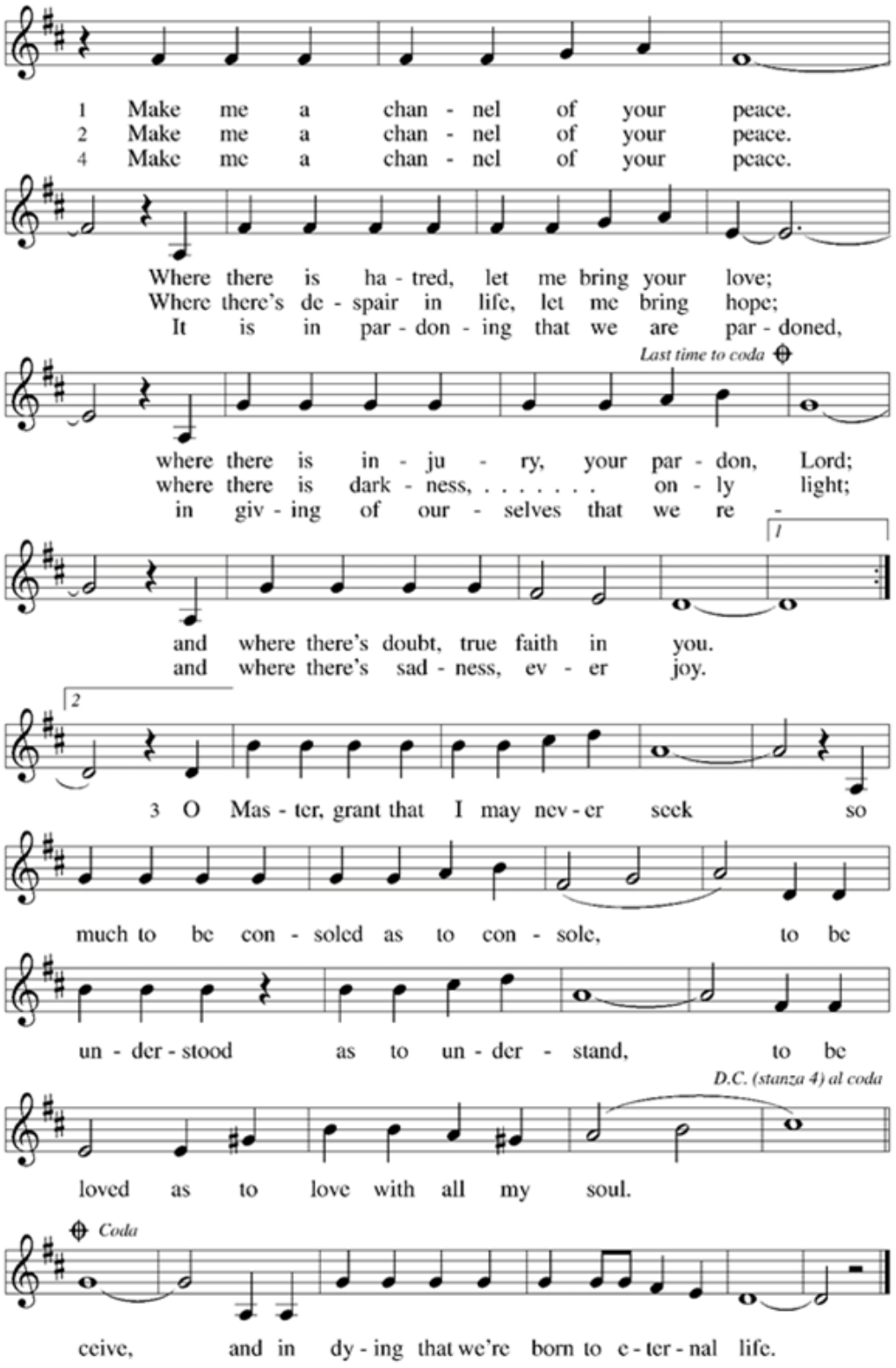
Celebrant Will all of you here today, who witness this new beginning, support and uphold Brother Paul in his new life and ministry among us?

People **Yes, we will!**

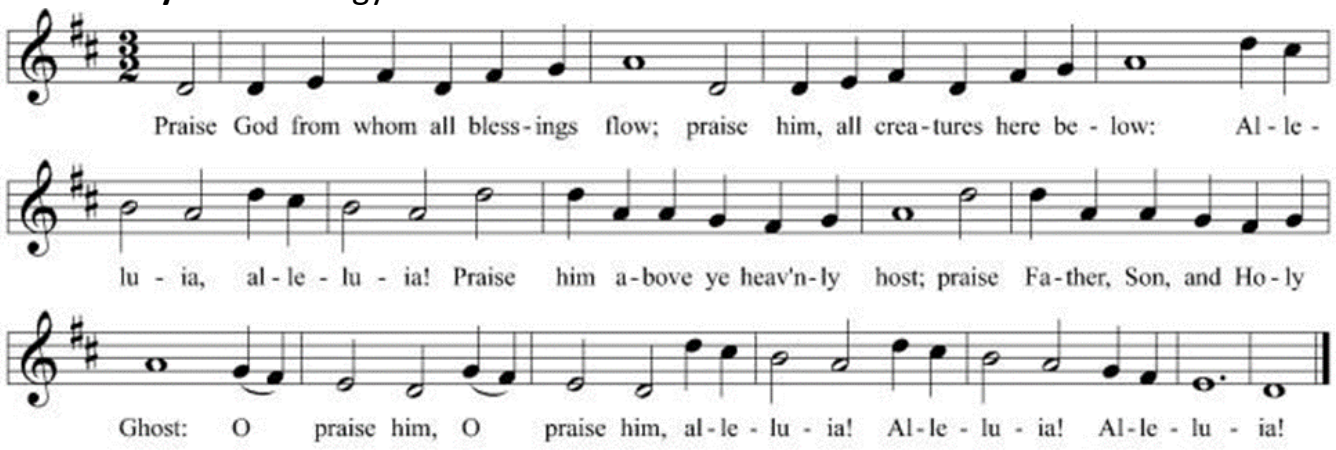
All assembled indicate their assent with joyful applause.

The Holy Communion

Offertory Hymn: Make me a channel of your peace — Sebastian Temple



Presentation Hymn: Doxology



The Great Thanksgiving: Eucharistic Prayer B BCP, p. 367

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People **And also with you.**

Celebrant Lift up your hearts.

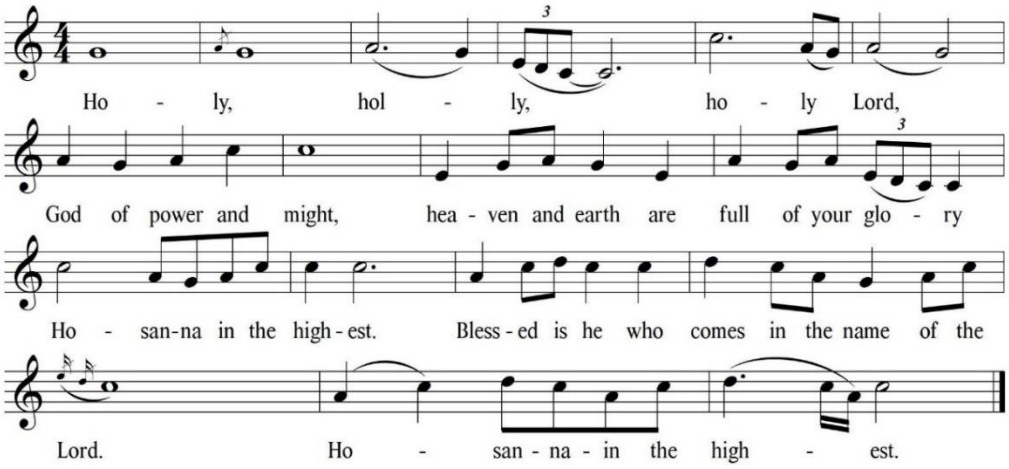
People **We lift them to the Lord.**

Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

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

Celebrant …Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who forever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

Sanctus: Holy, Holy, Holy *Lift Every Voice and Sing* 252



The Eucharistic Prayer continues on p. 368 in the Book of Common Prayer

Celebrant …Therefore, according to his command, O Father,

All **We remember his death,**
We proclaim his resurrection,
We await his coming in glory;

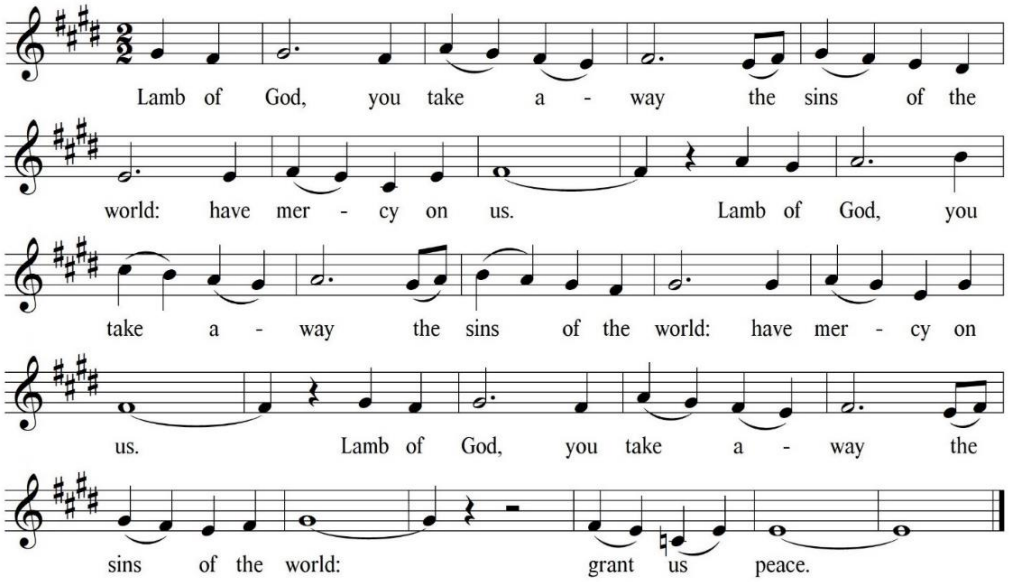
Celebrant …By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever.

All **AMEN.**

The Lord's Prayer BCP, p. 364

The Breaking of the Bread BCP, p. 364

The Fraction Anthem: Lamb of God *Lift Every Voice and Sing* 270



Invitation and Communion

All are invited to come forward during the sharing of Holy Communion.

Where can I go to receive bread and wine by drinking from the common cup? *Please come to the left side (lectern side) of the altar rail; return to your seat via the stairs in the sacristy.*

Where can I go to receive bread and wine by intinction (having a minister dip the host in wine and place it in your hand)? *Please come to the right side (pulpit side) of the altar rail; return to your seat via the stairs by the baptismal font.*

Where can I go to receive only the bread? *Please come to either location and tell the server "only bread."*

Where can I go to receive gluten-free bread? *Please come to either location and ask for gluten free.*

Where can I go to receive a blessing? *Please come to either location and cross your arms over your chest.*

How can I ask for communion to be brought to me? *Please ask an usher to receive by intinction in your seat.*

Communion Hymns:

When Christ was lifted from the earth Hymnal 603

Father, we thank thee who hast planted Hymnal 302

Sending out of Eucharistic Visitors

Celebrant In the name of this congregation, we send you forth bearing these holy gifts that those to whom you go may share with us in the communion of Christ's body and blood.

People **Because we who are many are one body in Christ. We share one bread, one cup. Amen.**

Post Communion Prayer BCP, p. 365

Celebrant Let us pray.

All **Eternal God, heavenly Father, you have graciously accepted us as living members of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ, and you have fed us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood. Send us now into the world in peace, and grant us strength and courage to love and serve you with gladness and singleness of heart; through Christ our Lord. Amen.**

The Blessing

Recessional Hymn: For all the saints, who from their labors rest (vs. 1-4, 7, 8) Hymnal 287

Special Invitation to Fellowship

The Dismissal BCP, p. 366

Voluntary

Serving Today

Ushers	Bob Robertson and Kaye Taliana
Verger	Caryl Fuller
Acolytes	Ashelyn Gilbert, Arianna Zomorodi, and Benjamin Zomorodi
Lectors	Jean and Gregg Knepley
Intercessor & Chalicist	Ian Finley
Livestream & Sound	Noom Baggett and Sam DeShong
Flower Guild	Anne Doster
Fellowship Host	James Deal in celebration of Rev. Imogen's fifth anniversary serving as the Rector of The Church of the Good Shepherd.

Please join us immediately following this service for fellowship and refreshments!

THE CHURCH OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD PRAYER LIST

Roy Wright; Carolyn Owens; Janet Gilliam; Ralph Sanders; Pete Taylor; Martha Bailey; Peggy Hawks; Ginny Byrd; Mitchell Lawrence; Darrell Dennis; Janie Ward-Newton; William Short; Catherine and Bob Williams; Paul Hoch; Carolyn Watson; Brinley Harris; Don Caudill; Shirley Caudill; Larry Bledsoe; Stephanie Rivers; Jane Mayhew; Jeffrey Halbstein-Harris; The students, faculty, and community of St. Augustine's University; Felix Waturu; Janice Frazier; John; Mary Best; Lauren Habel; Josephine; Vince Manley; Nedra Mills; Keith Stroder; Donal Cannon; Tessa; The Goodale Family; The Clayton Family; the people of Israel and Palestine; the people of Ukraine and Russia; the people of Sudan; the people of Haiti; all victims of gun violence; and those affected by drought, heat, floods, and storms.

And we pray for those who have died, that they may have a place in your eternal kingdom, remembering especially Jane Clayton.

In the diocesan cycle of prayer, we pray for St. Mary Magdalene, Seven Lakes; St. Paul's, Smithfield; San Jose Mission, Smithfield.

In the Anglican cycle of prayer, we pray for The Anglican Church of Melanesia.

ABOUT TODAY'S SERVICE MUSIC

For August and the first week of September we will be singing service music from the Episcopal African-American Hymnal *Lift Every Voice and Sing*. LEVAS is one of four hymnals currently in use by and approved by the Episcopal Church. Carl Haywood, composer of "Glory to God," is professor of music at Norfolk State University and organist/choir director at Grace Episcopal Church, Norfolk, VA. Lena McLin, composer of the Sanctus, is a music teacher, composer, author, and pastor. She taught school in Chicago. Marjorie Landsmark-DeLewis, composer of "Lamb of God," was one of the Juilliard School's first African-American graduates (Diploma '48, piano) and had a long career as a dance pianist, including for Agnes de Mille and the American Ballet Theater.

YOUR OPINIONS MATTER! HAVE YOU SUBMITTED YOUR SURVEY?
Please remember that the deadline to submit your survey is this **Wednesday, August 21st**. Surveys were distributed by email on August 7th and may be submitted online. If you did not receive a survey or if you prefer a hardcopy, you will find hardcopies in the narthex, the east transept, and the Parish Life Center. Thank you!

ARE YOU RECEIVING THE PARISH NEWSLETTER?
The Parish News is distributed every Thursday via email. If you are not receiving it, you are missing out on the latest news, including announcements and events. To subscribe, please contact the Parish Office at 919.831.2000 (Monday-Thursday, 9AM-5PM) or send an email to our Parish Administrator at David.Baggett@cgs-raleigh.com. Thank you!

DON'T FORGET TO SIGN THE ONE WAKE PETITION FOR AFFORDABLE HOUSING
You may sign the petition after this service in the narthex. Also, Jeff Whittaker will be in the narthex to hand out petitions so you can ask neighbors, friends and family to sign.

WANT TO TAKE A TOUR?
Curious about the journey your recycling goes on after it leaves your curb? Join the Green Team for an exclusive tour of Raleigh's Sonoco's State-of-the-Art Waste Services Facility:

- **When:** Friday, August 23rd
- **Time:** 11 AM – tour lasts approximately one hour
- **Where:** there is limited parking so we will carpool to the location at
  111 South Rogers Lane – details will be provided closer to the date
- **Who do I contact to sign up**: Beth Hahn (bhahn2512@gmail.com or 919.274.0660)

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Please contact our Parish Administrator, David Baggett (email: david.baggett@cgs-raleigh.org or phone: 919.831.2018), if you would like information about:

- transferring your membership from another parish
- joining the church
- being married
- being baptized.

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