

THE SIXTH SUNDAY AFTER EASTER
MAY 5, 2024

HOLY EUCHARIST RITE II

9:15 A.M. IN THE CHAPEL

Presider – The Rev. Sarah A. Dunn

Preacher – The Rev. Devon Anderson

Organist/Choir Director – Dr. Clair Rozier

Associate Organist/Choir Director – Dr. Elaine Sonnenberg Whitelock

THE ORDER OF SERVICE

Voluntary

All Things Bright and Beautiful

O Praise Ye the Lord

Arr. Sondra Tucker

Handbell Choirs

Hymn 432

O Praise Ye the Lord

Laudate Dominum

1 O praise ye the Lord! Praise him in the height;
2 O praise ye the Lord! Praise him up - on earth,
*3 O praise ye the Lord! All things that give sound;
4 O praise ye the Lord! Thanks - giv - ing and song

re - joice in his word, ye an - gels of light;
in tun - ful ac - cord, all ye of new birth;
each ju - bi - lant chord re - ech - o a - round;
to him be out - poured all a - ges a - long!

ye hea - vens, a - dore him by whom ye were made,
praise him who hath brought you his grace from a - bove,
loud or - gans, his glo - ry forth tell in deep tone,
For love in cre - a - tion, for hea - ven re - stored,

and wor - ship be - fore him, in bright - ness ar - rayed.
praise him who hath taught you to sing of his love.
and sweet harp, the sto - ry of what he hath done.
for grace of sal - va - tion, O praise ye the Lord!

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THE WORD OF GOD

Presider Alleluia. Christ is risen.

People The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia.

The Collect for Purity

Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy Name; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

WLP 900

Glory to God

John Rutter

Glo-ry to God in the high-est, —
— and peace to his peo-ple on earth. — Lord God,
heav'n-ly King, al - migh - ty God and Fa - ther, — we wor - ship
you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glo-ry. —
Lord Je - sus Christ, — on - ly Son of the Fa - ther,
Fa - ther, —

Cont'd

Lord God, Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the

world: have mer - cy on us; you are seat - ed at the right

hand of the Fa - ther: re - ceive our prayer. For
Fa - ther: re - ceive

you a - lone are the Ho - ly One, you a - lone are the

Lord, you a - lone are the Most High,

Je - sus Christ, with the Ho - ly Spi - rit,

in the glo - ry of God the Fa - ther. A - men.

The Collect of the Day

Presider The Lord be with you.

People **And also with you.**

Presider Let us pray.

O God, you have prepared for those who love you such good things as surpass our understanding: Pour into our hearts such love towards you, that we, loving you in all things and above all things, may obtain your promises, which exceed all that we can desire; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

The First Reading – Acts 10:44-48

While Peter was still speaking, the Holy Spirit fell upon all who heard the word. The circumcised believers who had come with Peter were astounded that the gift of the Holy Spirit had been poured out even on the Gentiles, for they heard them speaking in tongues and extolling God. Then Peter said, "Can anyone withhold the water for baptizing these people who have received the Holy Spirit just as we have?" So he ordered them to be baptized in the name of Jesus Christ. Then they invited him to stay for several days.

Anthem

Psalm 98

Jane Marshall

O sing to the Lord a new song, for he has done marvelous things!

Sing praises to the Lord, to the Lord with the lyre,

with the lyre and the sound of melody!

With trumpets and the sound of the horn,

O make a joyful noise before the Lord, before the King.

Primary, Children, and Youth Choirs

The Second Reading - 1 John 5:1-6

Everyone who believes that Jesus is the Christ has been born of God, and everyone who loves the parent loves the child. By this we know that we love the children of God, when we love God and obey his commandments. For the love of God is this, that we obey his commandments. And his commandments are not burdensome, for whatever is born of God conquers the world. And this is

the victory that conquers the world, our faith. Who is it that conquers the world but the one who believes that Jesus is the Son of God?

This is the one who came by water and blood, Jesus Christ, not with the water only but with the water and the blood. And the Spirit is the one that testifies, for the Spirit is the truth.

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

Children in grade 5 and younger are invited to meet at the back of the sanctuary by the main doors for a children's sermon.

Hymn

Know Christ the Light

St. David's Radnor



Know Christ the_ light and_ make him known: keep bright his_ blaze in_ you.
The hu - man Christ, the cos - mic Christ, the Christ in eve - ry guise:
Through song and wor - ship make Christ known, through deeds that match our prayer,



Know Christ the_ truth and_ make him known: be_ fear - less of the_ new
The stran - ger walk - ing at our side we fail to re - cog - nize,
through nur - tur - ing our com - mon life and reach - ing out with care,



Know Christ the_ way and_ make him known: take paths you_ ne - ver_ tried._
the Christ who comes in bread and wine, who tends this wound - ed earth,
through dar - ing to ex - pend the gifts that God so rich - ly gives,



— Know Christ the_ lamb and_ make him known: re - sist hate's vio - lent_ tide.
And calls to us to make him known: to bless it with re - birth
Through bold com - pas - sion that de - clares the Christ we know still lives!

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

The Gospel

John 15:9-17

Jesus said to his disciples, “As the Father has loved me, so I have loved you; abide in my love. If you keep my commandments, you will abide in my love, just as I have kept my Father’s commandments and abide in his love. I have said these things to you so that my joy may be in you, and that your joy may be complete.

“This is my commandment, that you love one another as I have loved you. No one has greater love than this, to lay down one’s life for one’s friends. You are my friends if you do what I command you. I do not call you servants any longer, because the servant does not know what the master is doing; but I have called you friends, because I have made known to you everything that I have heard from my Father. You did not choose me but I chose you. And I appointed you to go and bear fruit, fruit that will last, so that the Father will give you whatever you ask him in my name. I am giving you these commands so that you may love one another.”

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

The Sermon

The Nicene Creed

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.
We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God,
eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light,
true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father.
Through him all things were made.
For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven:
by the power of the Holy Spirit he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary,
and was made man.
For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;
he suffered death and was buried.

On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures;
he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father.
He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead,
and his kingdom will have no end.
We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,
who proceeds from the Father and the Son.
With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified.
He has spoken through the Prophets.
We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.
We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.
We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come.
Amen.

The Prayers of the People

Risen Lord, we come before you on this Eastertide full of joy and praise for you. We give thanks for the blessing of new life that you have given each of us through your resurrection.

God of service, we invite your presence with peoples around the world, and especially with our leaders: Justin the Archbishop of Canterbury; Michael, our Presiding Bishop; Daniel, our Bishop; and all the clergy, vestry and laity of St David's Church, especially those serving on the Discernment Committee. We also ask you bless our companions in ministry in Ardmore, Chester, Norristown, Philadelphia, Wayne, Cuba, Guatemala, Iraq, and Uganda. Bring change and new life to your church, O God,

That we might serve you with courage and grace.

God of wisdom, we pray that you inspire our governmental leaders to be fair, caring and just. Guide Joe, our President; the Congress and Supreme court; Josh, our Governor and our General Assembly and judges. Show us how to live and work together to serve the common good. Encourage our leaders and each of us towards peace. Bring change and new life to our nation, O God,

That we each might honor one another.

God of peace, our world is broken in so many ways. Be with those whose lives are infected by war, poverty, gun violence, and other injustices. Keep all those who defend our country and communities safe, particularly those in the military, first responders, hospice and other health care workers. Bring change and new life to your world, O God,

That all might know the goodness of your love.

God of compassion, we pray for all those who are suffering from illness, abuse, addiction, loneliness, grief, and those who do not know your love. We pray especially for those on our prayer list Alan, Andrew, Anne, Ashley, Barbara, Ben, Bill, Bob, Catsby, Cathy, Courtney, Crystal, Danny, Daniel, Eileen, Freddie, Gail, Gavin, Gene, Ginny, Helen, Ida, Jason, Jerry, Jill, Jim, John, Joy, Kathy, Kay, Kris, Lauren, Laurie, Liz, Lucy, Madeline, Marianne, Marion, Marie, Matt, Maureen, Michael, Michelle, Molly, Patti, Paul, Peter, Peyton, Pierce, Ray III, Rebecca, Rhonda, Ross, Sean, Seth, Sig, Susan, Tammy, Viola, Virgie, Wilson. Hold each of these people closely and all of those in our hearts this morning.

Bring change and new life for the suffering, O God,
That they might know your saving help.

God of mercy, we pray for those who have died this week, for now they are with you in eternal life. We remember those for whom flowers have been given and for those whose lives each of them touched. May God comfort each of us in our sorrow.

Bring change and new life to the departed, O God,
That they might forever grow in your likeness.

God of hope, we pour out our thanks for your work in our lives. We share the joy of celebrating birthdays and anniversaries this week. We honor teachers, mentors, and the children they lead, especially those at St David's Episcopal Day School. Bless every one of them, and our families and friends as we celebrate God's love for each of us.

Bring change and new life to ourselves, O God,
As we learn to live out your love.

Holy One, we thank you for all that is beautiful in the world around us and for all the blessings that you bestow upon us. Risen Lord, stay with us each day and night and make your presence known to us. Remind us to be good and faithful stewards and to love one another as you loved us.

Bring change and new life to our hearts, O God,
That we might grow fuller in faith. Amen.

The Peace

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

Announcements

THE HOLY COMMUNION

Offertory Anthem

For the Beauty of the Earth

John Rutter

*For the beauty of the earth, for the beauty of the skies,
For the love which from our birth over and around us lies:
Lord of all, to thee we raise this our joyful hymn of praise.*

*For the beauty of each hour of the day and of the night,
Hill and vale and tree and flower, sun and moon and stars of light:
Lord of all, to thee we raise this our joyful hymn of praise.*

*For the joy of human love, brother sister, parent, child,
Friends on earth and friends above, for all gentle thoughts and mild:
Lord of all, to thee we raise this our joyful hymn of praise.*

*For each perfect gift of thine to our race so freely given,
Graces human and divine, flowers of earth and buds of heaven:
Lord of all, to thee we raise this our joyful hymn of praise.*

Children, Youth, and Adult Choirs

Doxology

Lasst uns erfreuen

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow. Praise him, all creatures here be -
low Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! Praise him a - bove ye heaven - ly host. Praise
Fa - ther, Son and Ho - ly Ghost. Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le -
lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!

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The Great Thanksgiving

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 God thanks and praise.**

Then, facing the Holy Table, the Celebrant proceeds.

God of all power, Ruler of the Universe, you are worthy of glory and praise.
Glory to you for ever and ever.

At your command all things came to be: the vast expanse of interstellar space, galaxies, suns, the planets in their courses, and this fragile earth, our island home.
By your will they were created and have their being.

From the primal elements you brought forth the human race, and blessed us with memory, reason, and skill. You made us the rulers of creation. But we turned against you, and betrayed your trust; and we turned against one another.
Have mercy, Lord, for we are sinners in your sight.

Again and again, you called us to return. Through prophets and sages you revealed your righteous Law. And in the fullness of time you sent your only Son, born of a woman, to fulfill your Law, to open for us the way of freedom and peace.
By his blood, he reconciled us.
By his wounds, we are healed.

And therefore we praise you, joining with the heavenly chorus, with prophets, apostles, and martyrs, and with all those in every generation who have looked to you in hope, to proclaim with them your glory, in their unending hymn:

Sanctus S-125

Holy, Holy, Holy Lord

Richard Proulx

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow - er and might,
heaven and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho -
san - na in the high - est. Ho - san - na in the high - est.
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho -
san - na in the high - est. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

Setting: From *A Community Mass*; Richard Proulx (b. 1937)

Then the Celebrant continues

And so, Father, we who have been redeemed by him, and made a new people by water and the Spirit, now bring before you these gifts. Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be the Body and Blood of Jesus Christ our Lord.

On the night he was betrayed he took bread, said the blessing, broke the bread, and gave it to his friends, and said, "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper, he took the cup of wine, gave thanks, and said, "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Remembering now his work of redemption, and offering to you this sacrifice of thanksgiving,

We celebrate his death and resurrection, as we await the day of his coming.

Lord God of our Fathers: God of Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob; God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ: Open our eyes to see your hand at work in the world about us. Deliver us from the presumption of coming to this Table for solace only, and not for strength; for pardon only, and not for renewal. Let the grace of this Holy Communion make us one body, one spirit in Christ, that we may worthily serve the world in his name.

Risen Lord, be known to us in the breaking of the Bread.

Accept these prayers and praises, Father, through Jesus Christ our great High Priest, to whom, with you and the Holy Spirit, your Church gives honor, glory, and worship, from generation to generation. **Amen.**

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


Presider and People say together,

**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy Name,
thy kingdom come, thy will be done,
on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread.
And forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those who trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom, and the power,
and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.**

The Presider breaks the consecrated Bread.


Presider Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;
People **Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.**

Antiphon: Cantor; then All




Be known to us, Lord Je - sus, in the break - ing of the bread.

Cantor



1. The bread which we break, al - le - lu - ia,



is the com - mun - ion of the bo - dy of Christ. [Ant.]

The Presider faces the people and says:

The Gifts of God for the People of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.

The Communion

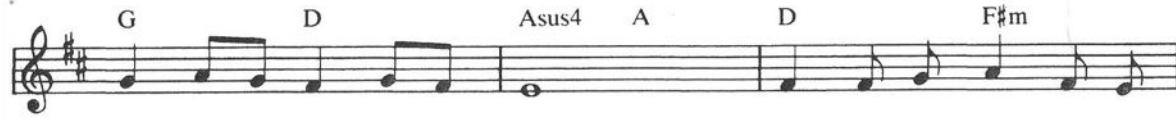
Please come forward to receive communion. You may intinct (dip) the bread, or eat the bread and guide the chalice to drink the wine then return to your pew. If you need gluten-free bread, please let the priest know.

Music at the Communion

The congregation is encouraged to join in singing the hymns.



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



and its right - eous - ness, and all these things shall be
seek, and ye shall find, knock, and the door shall be



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

Refrain



Al - le - lu - ia,



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



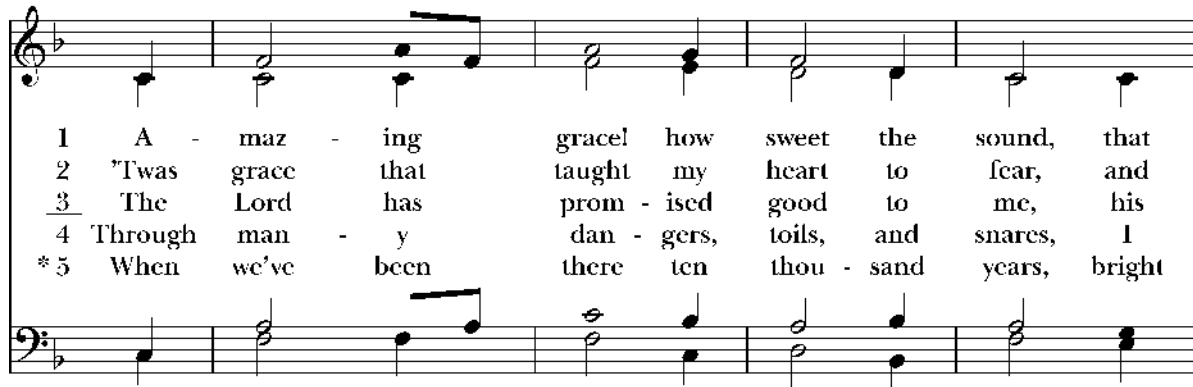
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Words: St. 1, Matthew 6:33; adapt. Karen Lafferty (20th cent.). St. 2, Matthew 7:7.

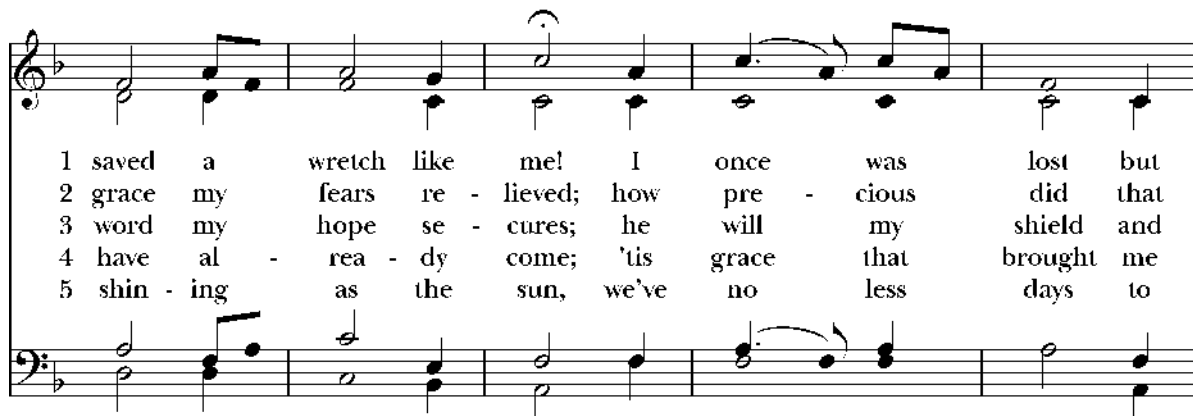
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Music: Seek Ye First, Karen Lafferty (20th cent.)

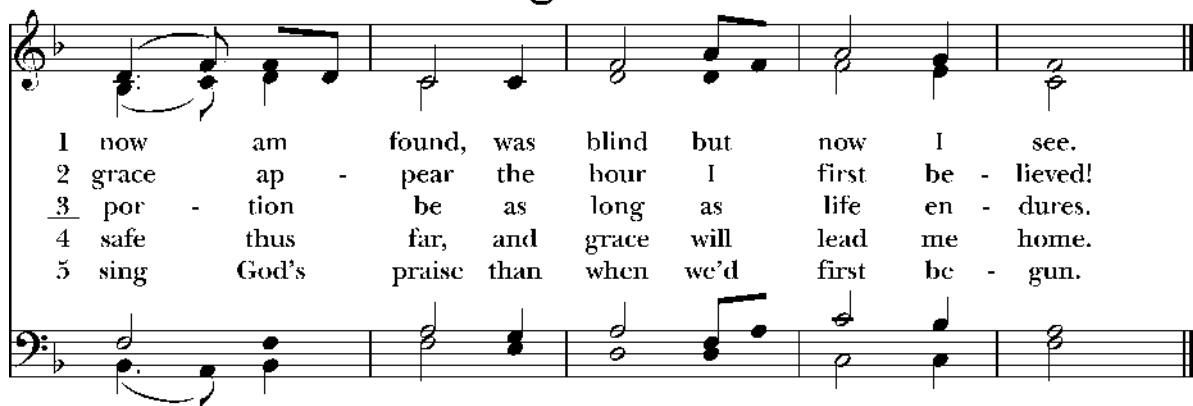
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13. 11. 7 with Alleluias



1 A - maz - ing grace! how sweet the sound, that
 2 'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear, and
 3 The Lord has prom - ised good to me, his
 4 Through man - y dan - gers, toils, and snares, I
 *5 When we've been there ten thou - sand years, bright



1 saved a wretch like me! I once was lost but
 2 grace my fears re - lieved; how pre - cious did that
 3 word my hope se - cures; he will my shield and
 4 have al - rea - dy come; 'tis grace that brought me
 5 shin - ing as the sun, we've no less days to



1 now am found, was blind but now I see.
 2 grace ap - pear the hour I first be - lieved!
 3 por - tion be as long as life en - dures.
 4 safe thus far, and grace will lead me home.
 5 sing God's praise than when we'd first be - gun.

The melody may be sung in canon at distances of either two or three beats.

Words: John Newton (1725-1807), alt.; st. 5, from *A Collection of Sacred Ballads*, 1790; compiled by Richard Broaddus and Andrew Broaddus. Music: *New Britain*, from *Virginia Harmony* 1831; adapt. att. Edwin Othello Excell (1851-1921); harm. Austin Cole Lovelace (b. 1919). Harmonization Copyright © 1974 by Abingdon Press.



1 I want to walk as a child of the light.
 2 I want to see the bright-ness of God.
 3 I'm look-ing for the com-ing of Christ.



I want to fol-low Je-sus.
 I want to look at Je-sus.
 I want to be with Je-sus.



God set the stars to give light to the world. The
 Clear sun of right-eous-ness, shine on my path, and
 When we have run with pa-tience the race, we



star of my life is Je-sus.
 show me the way to the Fa-ther.
 shall know the joy of Je-sus.

Refrain



In him there is no dark-ness at all. The



night and the day are both a-like. The



Lamb is the light of the ci-ty of God.



Shine in my heart, Lord Je-sus.

Hymn

Eat This Bread

Jacques Berthier

p Eat this bread, drink this cup, come to him and nev - er be hun - gry. *f*

mf Eat this bread, drink this cup, trust in him and you will not thirst.

John 6; adapt. Robert J. Batastini
and the Taizé Community

Jacques Berthier (1923–1994)

Please kneel as you are able.

The Post Communion Prayer

Let us pray.

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 Rector Transition Prayer

We ask for open hearts and minds in our search for a new rector. We ask for the eyes to see, ears to hear, and hearts to sense your guidance and inspiration. We ask you to help us to imagine as much as think, to listen more than we speak, and to trust the movements of the Holy Spirit throughout this process.

We pray for comfort in this time of change; for our friends who generously served on our discernment committee; for the priests we met through this search; and, gratefully, for Devon, as she leads us in this time of transition. Help us, O God, to keep trusting in what we cannot yet see. In Christ we pray. **Amen.**

The Blessing

The peace of God that passes all understanding keep your hearts and minds in the love of God and of God's Son, Jesus Christ; and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you, and remain with you always.

Amen.

Hymn 420

When in Our Music God is Glorified

Engelberg



1 When in our mu - sic God is glo - ri - fied,
2 How of - ten, mak - ing mu - sic, we have found
3 So has the Church, in lit - ur - gy and song, _____
4 And did not Je - sus sing a psalm that night _____
5 Let ev - ery in - stru - ment be tuned for praise!



1 and a - dor - a - tion leaves no room for pride,
2 a new di - men - sion in the world of sound,
3 in faith and love, through cen - tu - ries of wrong, _____
4 when ut - most e - vil strove a - gainst the Light? _____
5 Let all re - joice who have a voice to raise! _____



1 it is as though the whole cre - a - tion cried _____
2 as wor - ship moved us to a more pro - found _____
3 borne wit - ness to the truth in ev - ery tongue, _____
4 Then let us sing, for whom he won the fight, _____
5 And may God give us faith to sing al - ways _____



— Al - le - lu - ial — Al - le - lu - ial A - men.

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The Sending

Clergy Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

Voluntary *Allegro Maestoso* from Sonata No. 1 in F Major Felix Mendelssohn

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Acolytes – Brynn Myers

Verger – Chick Young

~ MEMORIALS ~

Flowers in the Chapel are given to the glory of God,

and in memory of

Arthur G. Broll, Jr

Jennifer Tompkins Lord

G. Christian Overton

John W. Lord III

Judith N. Lord

Nancy T. Broll

David Woodruff, 1930-2010

ALL CHOIR RECOGNITION SUNDAY

May 5, 2024

PRIMARY CHOIR

Mila Barber	Daniel Guercio	Eliska Khan
Vivienne Schock	Caroline Walsleben	

CHILDREN'S CHOIR

Catherine Allen	Emerson Addy	Wren Barber
Rebecca Ford	David Guercio	Emma Herrell
Nolan Kuhn	Serena Kuhn	Vanessa Kuhn
Sawyer Payne	Henry Rauch	Lilly Rauch
Greta Swager	Grace Westcott	

YOUTH CHOIR

Ella Barber	Jace Barber	Scout Given
Michaela Kuhn	Aileen Lutz	David Martin
Brynn Myers	Sam Pancoast	Ella Wagner
Avery Witcher	Cora Witcher	Edward Wozniak

ADULT HANDBELL CHOIR

Betsy Aikens	Amy Allen	Barbara Cassidy
Ruth Christner	Stephen Christner	Kim Close
Jane Fischer	Katherine Frantz	Patty Hewson
Whitney Kellett	Julie Lord	Kathy Marscher
Susan Nagy	Janet Pollan	Jean Purinton
John Reid	Leslie Roy	Rachael Stube

ADULT CHOIR

Betsy Aikens	Jenn Allen	Jane Baumgardner
Patricia Binnion	Nancy Brockman	Geoff Chamberlain
Patrice Chan	Stephen Christner	Ryan Colbert
Nancy Collins	Catherine Dow	Katherine Frantz
Robert Frazier	Maria Greendyk	Nancy Groff
Keith Kennedy	Brian Kirby	Ken Klaus
Teresa Kleinhans	Craig Laird	Barbara Lander
Elizabeth Lowy	Claire Martin	Cheri McCaslin
Bill Oppenheim	Herb Ormsbee	MJ Ormsbee
Ben Powley	John Reid	Meredith Reid
Kim Robson	Janis Satterfield	Brad Smith
Ellie Smith	Ali Stahlwood	John Stetson
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