

November 16, 2025
9am & 11am



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Service of Worship

Prelude

Tom Dickerson, Organ/Piano

Lucas Arzayus, Oboe

Elizabeth Honeyman, Oboe

Welcome and Preparation for Worship

Processional Hymn

Holy God We Praise Thy Name

1. Ho - ly God, we praise Thy name; Lord of all, we
2. Hark, the glad ce - les - tial hymn An - gel choirs a -
3. Ho - ly Fa - ther, ho - ly Son, Ho - ly Spir - it:

bow be - fore Thee; All on earth Thy scep - ter claim,
bove are rais - ing; Cher - u - bim and ser - a - phim,
Three we name Thee, Though in es - sence on - ly One;

All in heav'n a - bove a - dore Thee. In - fi - nite Thy
In un - ceas - ing cho - rus prais - ing; Fill the heav'ns with
Un - di - vid - ed God we claim Thee, And a - dor - ing,

vast do - main; Ev - er - last - ing is Thy reign.
sweet ac - cord: Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord.
bend the knee While we sing our praise to Thee.

Call to Worship

Sing praises to the Lord!. **For great is the Lord and most worthy of praise!**

Let the heavens rejoice, let the earth be glad. **Let all creation magnify His holy Name!**

Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

And blessed be His kingdom, now and forever. Amen.

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.

Hosanna in the highest! **Come let us adore Him!**

Song of Praise

Come, Christians, Join To Sing

1. Come, Chris-tians, join to sing Al - le - lu - ia! A - men!
2. Come, lift your hearts on high; Al - le - lu - ia! A - men!
3. Praise yet our Christ a - gain; Al - le - lu - ia! A - men!

Loud praise to Christ our King; Al - le - lu - ia! A - men!
Let prais - es fill the sky; Al - le - lu - ia! A - men!
Life shall not end the strain; Al - le - lu - ia! A - men!

Let all, with heart and voice, Be - fore His throne re - joice;
He is our guide and friend; To us He'll con - de - scend;
On heav - en's bliss - ful shore His good - ness we'll a - dore,

Praise is His gra - cious choice: Al - le - lu - ia! A - men!
His love shall nev - er end: Al - le - lu - ia! A - men!
Sing - ing for - ev - er - more, "Al - le - lu - ia! A - men!"

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MUSIC: Traditional Spanish melody; arr. Benjamin Carr; harm. David Evans;

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Collect of the Day

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

Almighty and merciful God, it is only by Your grace that Your people offer You true and right worship and service: Fill us with Your Holy Spirit that we may run without stumbling and fulfill Your purposes; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **Amen.**

Old Testament Reading - Isaiah 35:3-10

(please be seated)

³ Strengthen the weak hands, and make firm the feeble knees. ⁴ Say to those who have an anxious heart, "Be strong; fear not! Behold, your God will come with vengeance, with the recompense of God. He will come and save you." ⁵ Then the eyes of the blind shall be opened, and the ears of the deaf unstopped; ⁶ then shall the lame man leap like a deer, and the tongue of the mute sing for joy. For waters break forth in the wilderness, and streams in the desert; ⁷ the burning sand shall become a pool, and the thirsty ground springs of water; in the haunt of jackals, where they lie down, the grass shall become reeds and rushes. ⁸ And a highway shall be there, and it shall be called the Way of Holiness; the unclean shall not pass over it. It shall belong to those who walk on the way; even if they are fools, they shall not go astray. ⁹ No lion shall be there, nor shall any ravenous beast come up on it; they shall not be found there, but the redeemed shall walk there. ¹⁰ And the ransomed of the Lord shall return and come to Zion with singing; everlasting joy shall be upon their heads; they shall obtain gladness and joy, and sorrow and sighing shall flee away.

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

New Testament Reading - Revelation 5:1-14

¹ Then I saw in the right hand of him who was seated on the throne a scroll written within and on the back, sealed with seven seals. ² And I saw a mighty angel proclaiming with a loud voice, "Who is worthy to open the scroll and break its seals?" ³ And no one in heaven or on earth or under the earth was able to open the scroll or to look into it, ⁴ and I began to weep loudly because no one was found worthy to open the scroll or to look into it. ⁵ And one of the elders said to me, "Weep no more; behold, the Lion of the tribe of Judah, the Root of David, has conquered, so that he can open the scroll and its seven seals." ⁶ And between the throne and the four living creatures and among the elders I saw a Lamb standing, as though it had been slain, with seven horns and with seven eyes, which are the seven spirits of God sent out into all the earth. ⁷ And he went and took the scroll from the right hand of him who was seated on the throne. ⁸ And when he had taken the scroll, the four

living creatures and the twenty-four elders fell down before the Lamb, each holding a harp, and golden bowls full of incense, which are the prayers of the saints. ⁹ And they sang a new song, saying, “Worthy are you to take the scroll and to open its seals, for you were slain, and by your blood you ransomed people for God from every tribe and language and people and nation, ¹⁰ and you have made them a kingdom and priests to our God, and they shall reign on the earth.” ¹¹ Then I looked, and I heard around the throne and the living creatures and the elders the voice of many angels, numbering myriads of myriads and thousands of thousands, ¹² saying with a loud voice, “Worthy is the Lamb who was slain, to receive power and wealth and wisdom and might and honor and glory and blessing!” ¹³ And I heard every creature in heaven and on earth and under the earth and in the sea, and all that is in them, saying, “To him who sits on the throne and to the Lamb be blessing and honor and glory and might forever and ever!” ¹⁴ And the four living creatures said, “Amen!” and the elders fell down and worshiped.

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

Gospel Hymn

(please stand)

Tell Out My Soul

Verse 1

Tell out, my soul, the greatness of the Lord:
Unnumbered blessings give my spirit voice;
Tender to me the promise of His word;
In God my Savior shall my heart rejoice.

Verse 2

Tell out, my soul, the greatness of His name:
Make known His might, the deeds His arm has done;
His mercy sure, from age to age the same;
His holy name, the Lord, the Mighty One.

Gospel Reading - John 4:39-42

The Holy Gospel of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ according to John. **Glory to You, Lord Christ.**

³⁹ Many Samaritans from that town believed in him because of the woman's testimony, “He told me all that I ever did.” ⁴⁰ So when the Samaritans came to him, they asked him to stay with them, and he stayed there two days. ⁴¹ And many more believed because of his word. ⁴² They said to the woman, “It is no longer because of what you said that we believe, for we have heard for ourselves, and we know that this is indeed the Savior of the world.”

The Gospel of the Lord. **Praise to You, Lord Christ.**

Gospel Hymn *(cont.)*

Verse 3

Tell out, my soul, the greatness of His might:
Pow'rs and dominions lay their glory by;
Proud hearts and stubborn wills are put to flight,
The hungry fed, the humble lifted high.

Verse 4

Tell out, my soul, the glories of His word:
Firm is His promise, and His mercy sure.
Tell out, my soul, the greatness of the Lord
To children's children and forevermore.

Sermon - Revelation 5:1-14

The Rev. Dr. Bryan Hollon
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The Apostles' Creed

(please stand)

I believe in God, the Father almighty, Creator of heaven and earth; I believe in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord. He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the Virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again. He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

Prayers of the People

(please sit or kneel)

Father, thank You for Your great love for us and for hearing Your people when we pray.

Please help every member of Your Church family to truly know and humbly serve You;

That Your Name may be known and glorified by all people.

We pray for all bishops, priests, deacons, and lay leaders in the Church; **That they may be faithful ministers of the Gospel and humble servants of Your people.**

We pray for Immanuel Anglican Church in Manassas, VA; St. Barnabas Anglican Church in Towson, MD; and Sowebo Community Church in Baltimore, MD; **That You would guide, strengthen, and sustain the churches in our diocese and in Baltimore.**

We pray for our ministry partners: FOCUS and SHADE; **That You would equip and bless them to fulfill their mission, serve Your people, and build Your kingdom.**

We pray for our brothers and sisters in Christ who are persecuted for their faith, especially in Algeria, Kuwait, and India, and for those who persecute Your people; **That the afflicted may be strengthened and their oppressors turned to You.**

Let us now pray for our own needs and those of others, and give thanks for the blessings of this life, either silently in your heart or aloud for the congregation to hear.

Heavenly Father, grant these our prayers for the sake of Jesus Christ, our only Mediator and Advocate, who lives and reigns with You in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **Amen.**

Confession of Sin

Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor, beginning with silent, personal confession.

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.

Absolution and Peace

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

The peace of the Lord be always with you. **And also with you.** *(please stand)*

Please greet one another with the peace of Christ.

Announcements and Offertory

Doxology

(please stand)

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him all creatures here below.

Alleluia, Alleluia! Praise Him above ye heavenly hosts; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

O praise Him, O praise Him, Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia! Amen.

Holy Communion

The Great Thanksgiving

The Lord be with you. **And also with you.**

Lift up your hearts. **We lift them to the Lord.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. **It is right to give Him thanks and praise.**

On the night He was handed over to suffering and death, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when He had given thanks to You, He broke it, and gave it to His disciples, 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; and when He had given thanks, He gave it to them, 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."

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

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

We celebrate the memorial of our redemption, O Father, in this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving. Recalling Jesus' death, resurrection, and ascension, we offer You these gifts. Sanctify them by Your Holy Spirit to be for Your people the Body and Blood of Your Son, the holy food and drink of new and unending life we have through faith in Him.

Sanctify us also that we may faithfully receive this holy Sacrament, and serve You in unity, constancy, and peace; and at the last day bring us with all Your saints into the joy of Your eternal kingdom. All this we ask through Your Son Jesus Christ: 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 forever. **Amen.**

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

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, forever and ever. Amen.

The Breaking of the Bread

Alleluia, Alleluia! Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;

Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia, Alleluia!

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.

Communion Music

I Love You, Lord

Verse 1

I love You Lord, and I lift my voice
to worship You, oh my soul, rejoice.
Take joy my King in what You hear
May it be a sweet, sweet sound in Your ear

Verse 2

I love You Lord, and I lift my life
to worship You, through the pain and strife.
Take joy my King in what You see
May I be a sweet sacrifice to Thee.

Verse 3

I love You Lord, and I lift my hands
to worship You, as my soul demands.
Take joy my King in what You see
May I be a sweet, sweet child on Your
knee

Nothing But The Blood Of Jesus

Verse 1

What can wash away my sin?
Nothing but the blood of Jesus
What can make me whole again?
Nothing but the blood of Jesus

Chorus

O precious is the flow
That makes me white as snow
No other fount I know
Nothing but the blood of Jesus

Verse 2

For my pardon this I see
Nothing but the blood of Jesus
For my cleansing this my plea
Nothing but the blood of Jesus **Chorus**

Verse 3

Nothing can for sin atone
Nothing but the blood of Jesus
Naught of good that I have done
Nothing but the blood of Jesus **Chorus**

Shout To The North And The South

Verse 1

Men of faith rise up and sing
Of the great and glorious King.
You are strong when you feel weak;
In your brokenness, complete.

Chorus

Shout to the north and the south;
Sing to the east and the west.
Jesus is Savior to all;
Lord of heaven and earth.

Verse 2

Rise up, women of the truth.
Stand and sing to broken hearts
Who can know the healing pow'r
Of our awesome King of love. **Chorus**

Verse 3

Rise up, church, with broken wings,
Fill this place with songs again
Of our God who reigns on high;
By His grace again we'll fly. **Chorus**

Bridge

We've been through fire,
We've been through rain;
We've been refined
By the pow'r of His name.
We've fallen deeper
In love with You.
You've burned
The truth on our lips.

We Will Feast In The House Of Zion

Chorus

We will feast in the house of Zion
We will sing with our hearts restored
He has done great things we will say together
We will feast and weep no more

Verse 1

We will not be burned by the fire
He is the Lord our God
We are not consumed by the flood
Upheld protected gathered up **Chorus**

Verse 2

In the dark of night before the dawn
My soul be not afraid
For the promised morning oh how long
Oh God of Jacob be my strength **Chorus**

Verse 3

Every vow we've broken and betrayed
You are the faithful one
And from the garden to the grave
Bind us together bring shalom **Chorus**

Post Communion Prayer

(please stand)

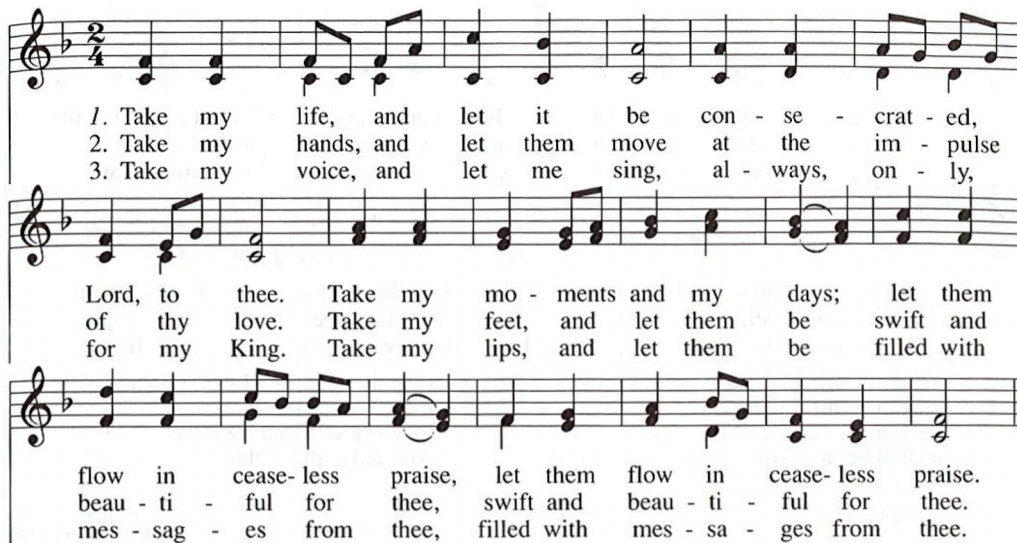
Eternal God, heavenly Father, You have graciously accepted us as living members of Your Son our Savior Jesus Christ, and You have fed us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of His Body and Blood. Send us now into the world in peace, and grant us strength and courage to love and serve You with gladness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

The Blessing

May the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you, and remain with you always. **Amen.**

Recessional Hymn

Take My Life, and Let It Be



1. Take my life, and let it be con - se - crat - ed,
2. Take my hands, and let them move at the im - pulse
3. Take my voice, and let me sing, al - ways, on - ly,

Lord, to thee. Take my mo - ments and my days; let them
of thy love. Take my feet, and let them be swift and
for my King. Take my lips, and let them be filled with

flow in cease- less praise, let them flow in cease- less praise.
beau - ti - ful for thee, swift and beau - ti - ful for thee.
mes - sag - es from thee, filled with mes - sa - ges from thee.

Dismissal

Alleluia! Alleluia! Let us go forth in the power of the Holy Spirit.

Thanks be to God! Alleluia! Alleluia!

Postlude

Upcoming Events

24 hour prayer

November 22 & 23

Saturday 7am -
Sunday 7am

Sign up:



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3:00 pm Bring food to church
5:00 pm Dinner



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Dinner Service

November 18

4:45 pm to 6:00 pm



FAMILY MOVIE NIGHT NOVEMBER 21



DOORS OPEN 5:30PM, MOVIE STARTS AT 6PM

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 26, 7:00PM

THANKSGIVING EVE WORSHIP SERVICE

PRAYER COURSE FORGIVENESS

Mondays November 24
6:30pm-8pm December 22

LUNCH SERVICE DECEMBER 1 10:45AM-1 PM

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SUNDAY, MARCH 1ST

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