# St. Patrick's Episcopal Church
## Incline Village, Nevada



*Christ the King (Pomnik Chrystusa Króla) statue, located in Świebodzin, Poland.*

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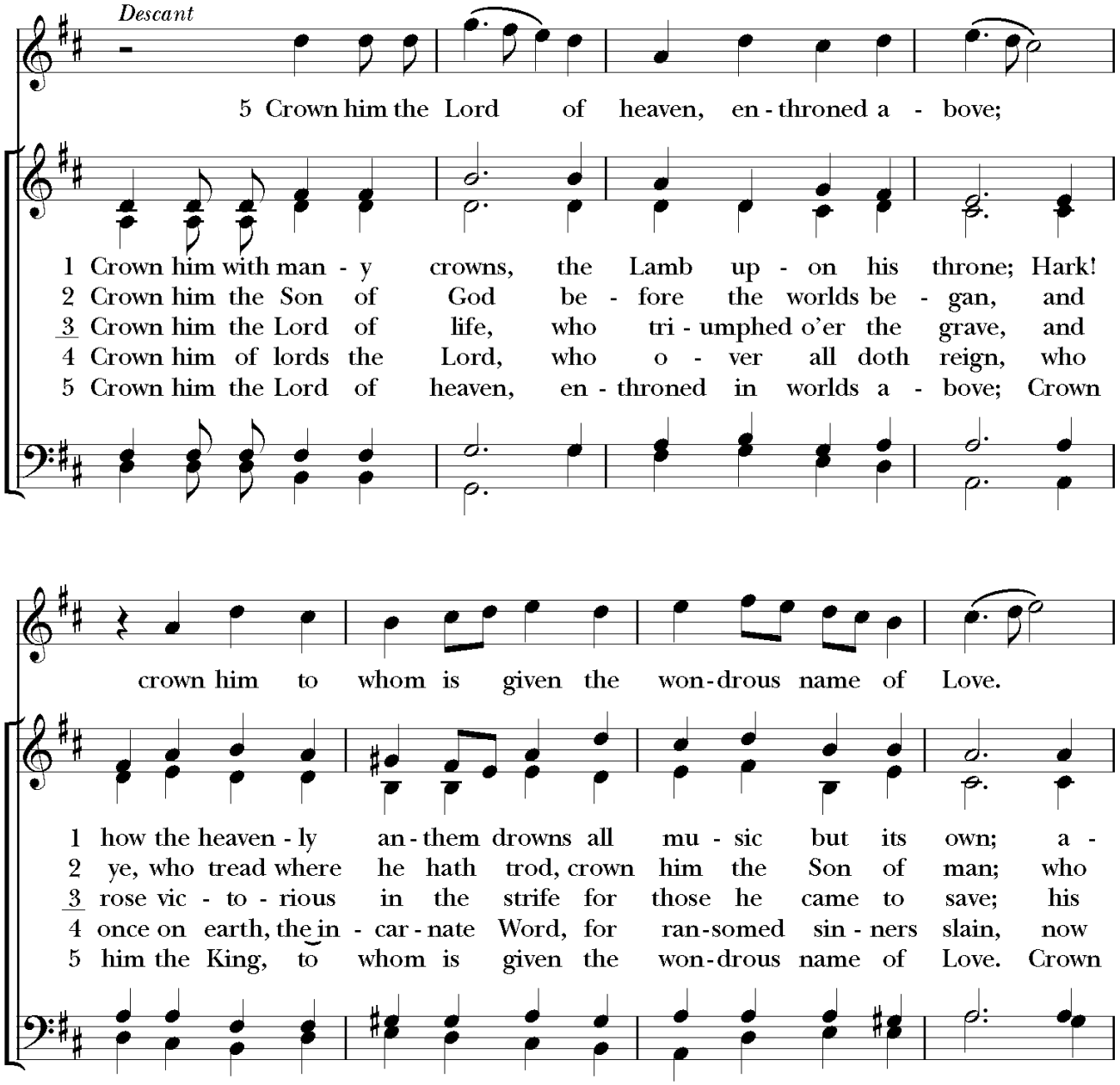
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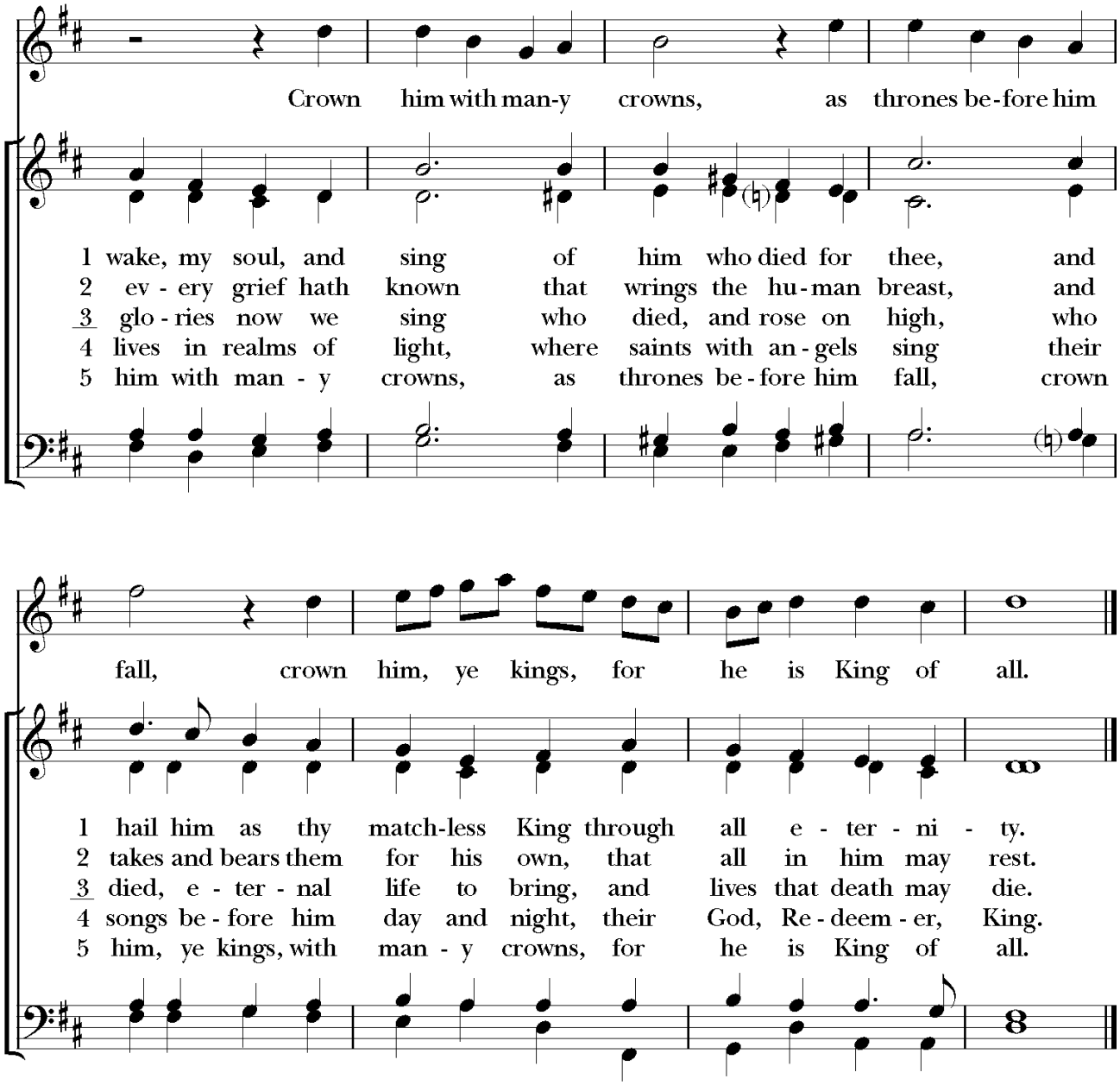
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# Christ the King
# November 22, 2026

**Prelude** *The King of Love* Hymnal 1982 #645

**Opening Hymn:** *Crown Him With Many Crowns* Hymnal 1982 #494






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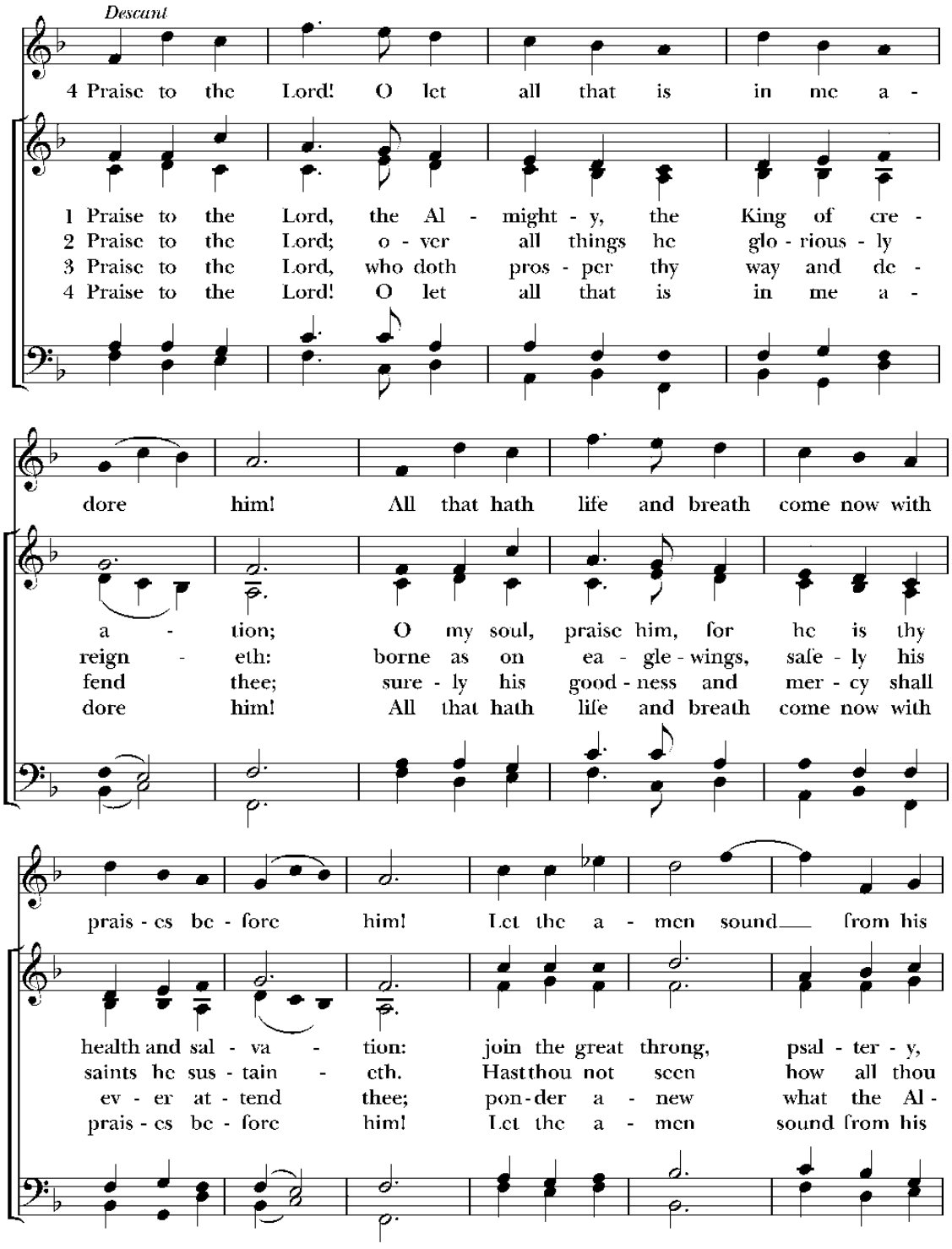
### Opening Acclamation

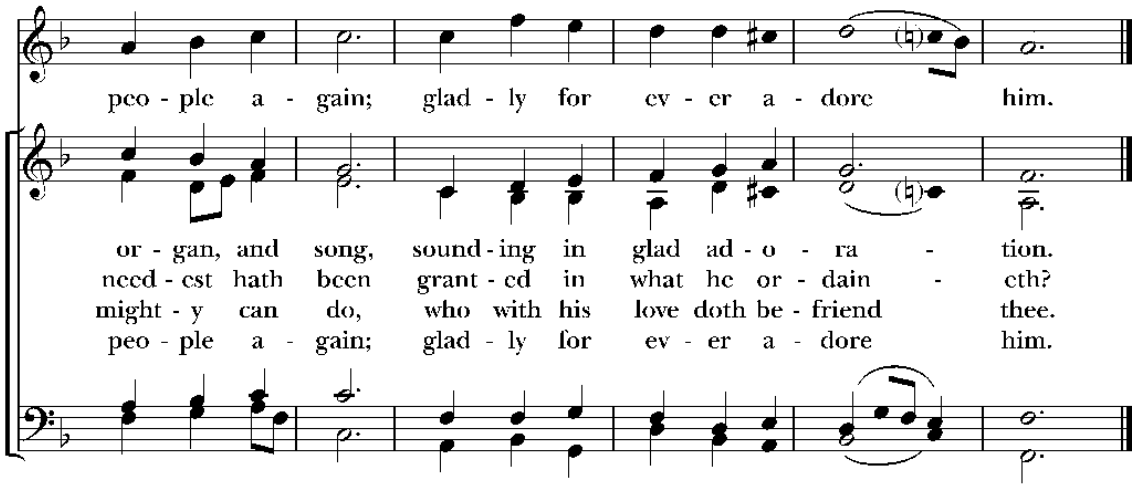
Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit
***And blessed be God's kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.***

### 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.

**Song of Praise** *The Hymnal 1982*, #390 v.1






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

**Collect of the Day:** Almighty and everlasting God, whose will it is to restore all things in your well-beloved Son, the King of kings and Lord of lords: Mercifully grant that the peoples of the earth, divided and enslaved by sin, may be freed and brought together under his most gracious rule; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. *Amen.*

**First Reading:** *Ezekiel 34:11-16, 20-24*

Thus says the Lord GOD: I myself will search for my sheep, and will seek them out. As shepherds seek out their flocks when they are among their scattered sheep, so I will seek out my sheep. I will rescue them from all the places to which they have been scattered on a day of clouds and thick darkness. I will bring them out from the peoples and gather them from the countries, and will bring them into their own land; and I will feed them on the mountains of Israel, by the watercourses, and in all the inhabited parts of the land. I will feed them with good pasture, and the mountain heights of Israel shall be their pasture; there they shall lie down in good grazing land, and they shall feed on rich pasture on the mountains of Israel. I myself will be the shepherd of my sheep, and I will make them lie down, says the Lord GOD. I will seek the lost, and I will bring back the strayed, and I will bind up the injured, and I will strengthen the weak, but the fat and the strong I will destroy. I will feed them with justice.

Therefore, thus says the Lord GOD to them: I myself will judge between the fat sheep and the lean sheep. Because you pushed with flank and shoulder, and butted at all the weak animals with your horns until you scattered them far and wide, I will save my flock, and they shall no longer be ravaged; and I will judge between sheep and sheep.

I will set up over them one shepherd, my servant David, and he shall feed them: he shall feed them and be their shepherd. And I, the LORD, will be their God, and my servant David shall be prince among them; I, the LORD, have spoken.

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

**Psalm 100**

1 Be joyful in the LORD, all you lands; *
serve the LORD with gladness
and come before his presence with a song.

2 Know this: The LORD himself is God; *
he himself has made us, and we are his;
we are his people and the sheep of his pasture.

3 Enter his gates with thanksgiving;
go into his courts with praise; *
give thanks to him and call upon his Name.
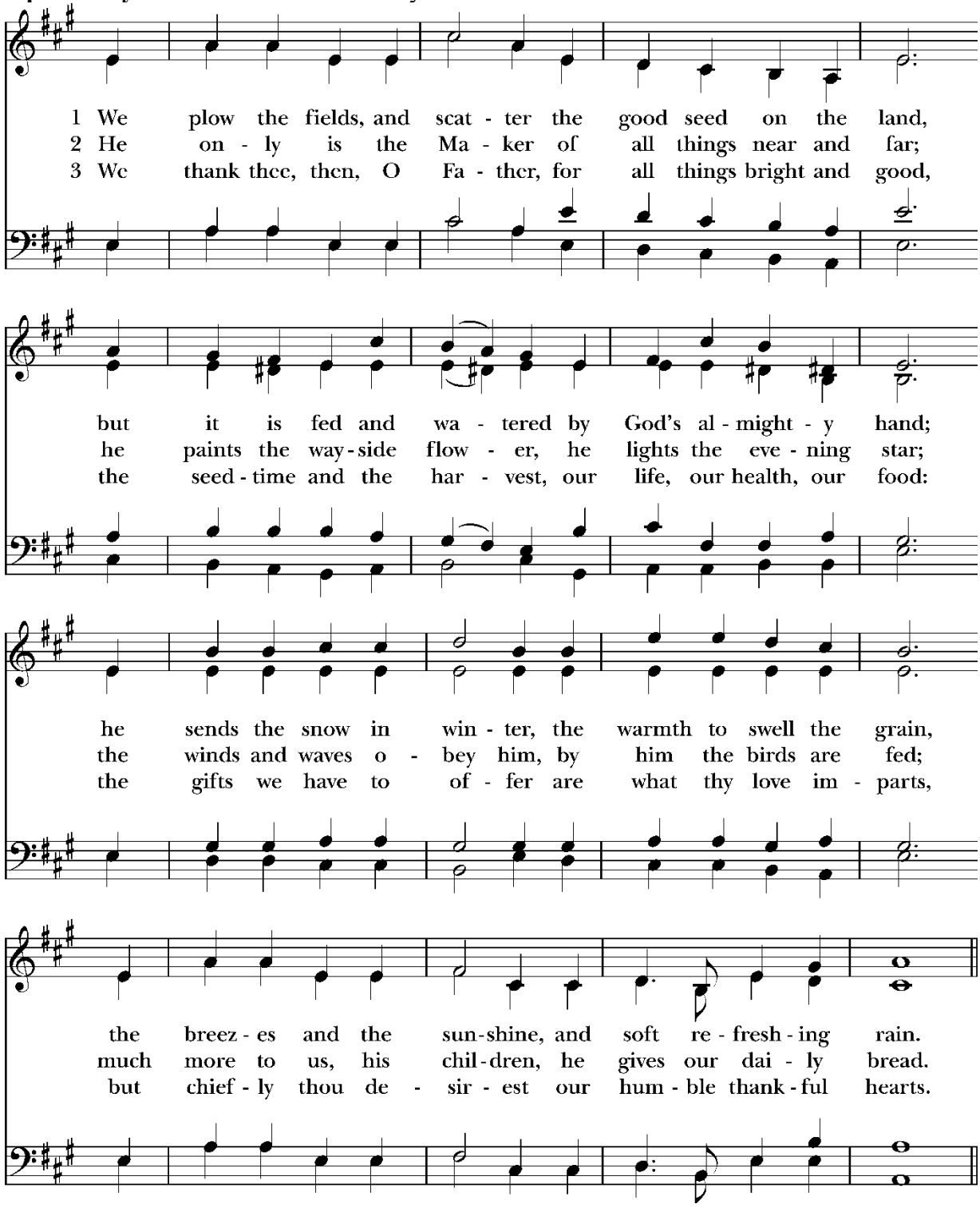
4 For the LORD is good;
his mercy is everlasting; *
and his faithfulness endures from age to age.

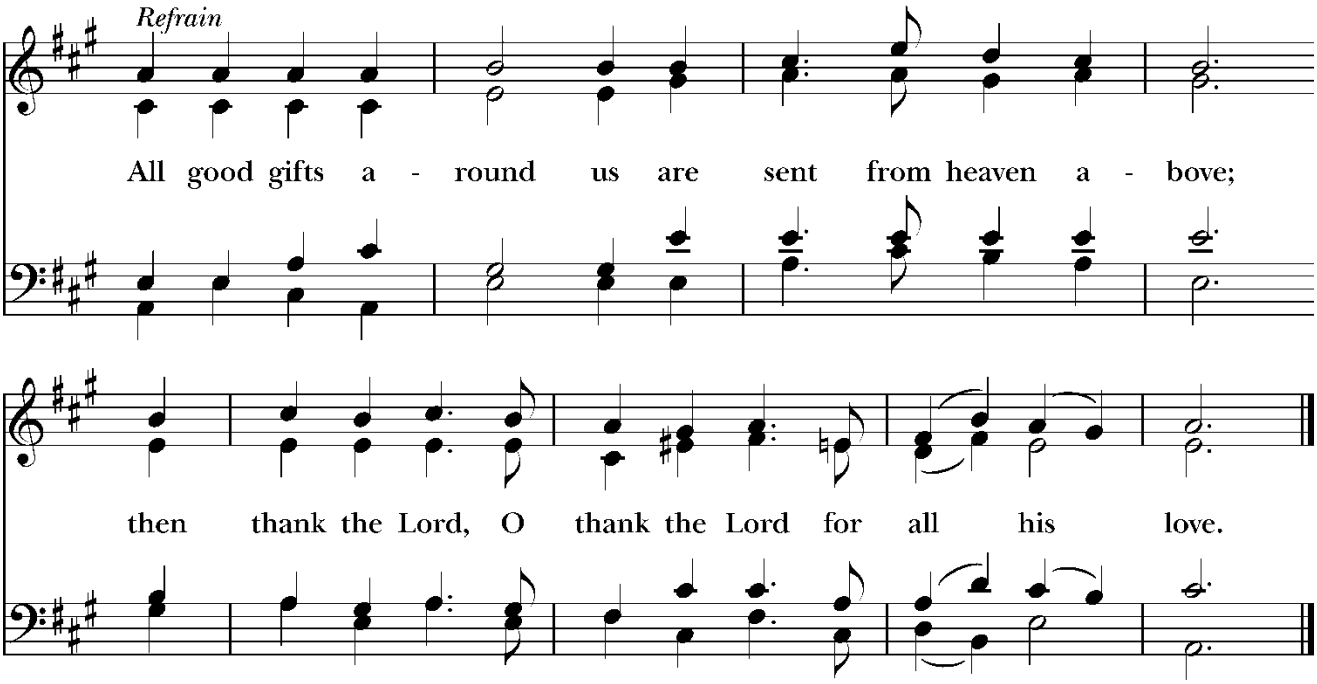
**Second Reading:** *Ephesians 1:15-23*

I have heard of your faith in the Lord Jesus and your love toward all the saints, and for this reason I do not cease to give thanks for you as I remember you in my prayers. I pray that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, may give you a spirit of wisdom and revelation as you come to know him, so that, with the eyes of your heart enlightened, you may know what is the hope to which he has called you, what are the riches of his glorious inheritance among the saints, and what is the immeasurable greatness of his power for us who believe, according to the working of his great power. God put this power to work in Christ when he raised him from the dead and seated him at his right hand in the heavenly places, far above all rule and authority and power and dominion, and above every name that is named, not only in this age but also in the age to come. And he has put all things under his feet and has made him the head over all things for the church, which is his body, the fullness of him who fills all in all.

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

**Sequence Hymn:** *We Plow the Fields* Hymnal 1982 #291






Words: Matthias Claudius (1740-1815); tr. Jane Montgomery Campbell (1817-1878), alt. Music: *Wir Pflugen*, Johann Abraham Peter Schulz (1747-1800).

The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew:
***Praise to you, Lord Christ.***

**Matthew 25:31-46**

Jesus said, "When the Son of Man comes in his glory, and all the angels with him, then he will sit on the throne of his glory. All the nations will be gathered before him, and he will separate people one from another as a shepherd separates the sheep from the goats, and he will put the sheep at his right hand and the goats at the left. Then the king will say to those at his right hand, 'Come, you that are blessed by my Father, inherit the kingdom prepared for you from the foundation of the world; for I was hungry and you gave me food, I was thirsty and you gave me something to drink, I was a stranger and you welcomed me, I was naked and you gave me clothing, I was sick and you took care of me, I was in prison and you visited me.' Then the righteous will answer him, 'Lord, when was it that we saw you hungry and gave you food, or thirsty and gave you something to drink? And when was it that we saw you a stranger and welcomed you, or naked and gave you clothing? And when was it that we saw you sick or in prison and visited you?' And the king will answer them, 'Truly I tell you, just as you did it to one of the least of these who are members of my family, you did it to me.' Then he will say to those at his left hand, 'You that are accursed, depart from me into the eternal fire prepared for the devil and his angels; for I was hungry and you gave me no food, I was thirsty and you gave me nothing to drink, I was a stranger and you did not welcome me, naked and you did not give me clothing, sick and in prison and you did not visit me.' Then they also will answer, 'Lord, when was it that we saw you hungry or thirsty or a stranger or naked or sick or in prison, and did not take care of you?' Then he will answer them, 'Truly I tell you, just as you did not do it to one of the least of these, you did not do it to me.' And these will go away into eternal punishment, but the righteous into eternal life."

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

**Sermon** The Very Rev. Marla Asson

**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.***

**Prayers of the People: Form VI**

In peace, we pray to you, Lord God.

For all people in their daily life and work;
***For our families, friends, and neighbors, and for those who are alone.***

For this community, the nation, and the world;
***For all who work for justice, freedom, and peace.***

For the just and proper use of your creation;
***For the victims of hunger, fear, injustice, and oppression.***

For all who are in danger, sorrow, or any kind of trouble;
***For those who minister to the sick, the friendless, and the needy.***

For the peace and unity of The Church of England and Christ Church/Cristo Rey, Las Vegas, as well as our sister churches in Incline Village; St. Francis of Assisi, Cornerstone Community Church, The Village Church, New Life Church, and Open Door Foursquare Church.
***For all who proclaim the Gospel, and all who seek the Truth.***

For Sean our Presiding Bishop; Elizabeth, our Bishop; and for all bishops and other ministers;
***For all who serve God in his Church.***

For the special needs and concerns of this congregation, Cathy, Yvonne, the Hagen family, Kay, Adam, Julie, Ethan, Steve, Kendra, Rita, Ron, Ginnie, Barbara, Jamie, Jean, Cindy, Sarah, Anaya, Rachel, Eric, Christine, Dylan, Jon, Debra Kay, Marsha, Lans, Everett.

Hear us, Lord;
***For your mercy is great.***

We thank you, Lord, for all the blessings of this life.
We will exalt you, O God our King;
***And praise your Name for ever and ever.***

We pray for all who have died, that they may have a place in
your eternal kingdom;

Lord, let your loving-kindness be upon them;
***Who put their trust in you.***

We pray to you also for the forgiveness of our sins.

***Have mercy upon us, most merciful Father;***
***In your compassion forgive us our sins,***
***Known and unknown, Things done and left undone;***
***And so uphold us by your Spirit***
***That we may live and serve you in newness of life,***
***To the honor and glory of your Name;***
***Through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.***

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

**The Peace:**
The peace of the Lord be always with you.
***And also with you.***

**Stewardship Speaker** Ian Temple

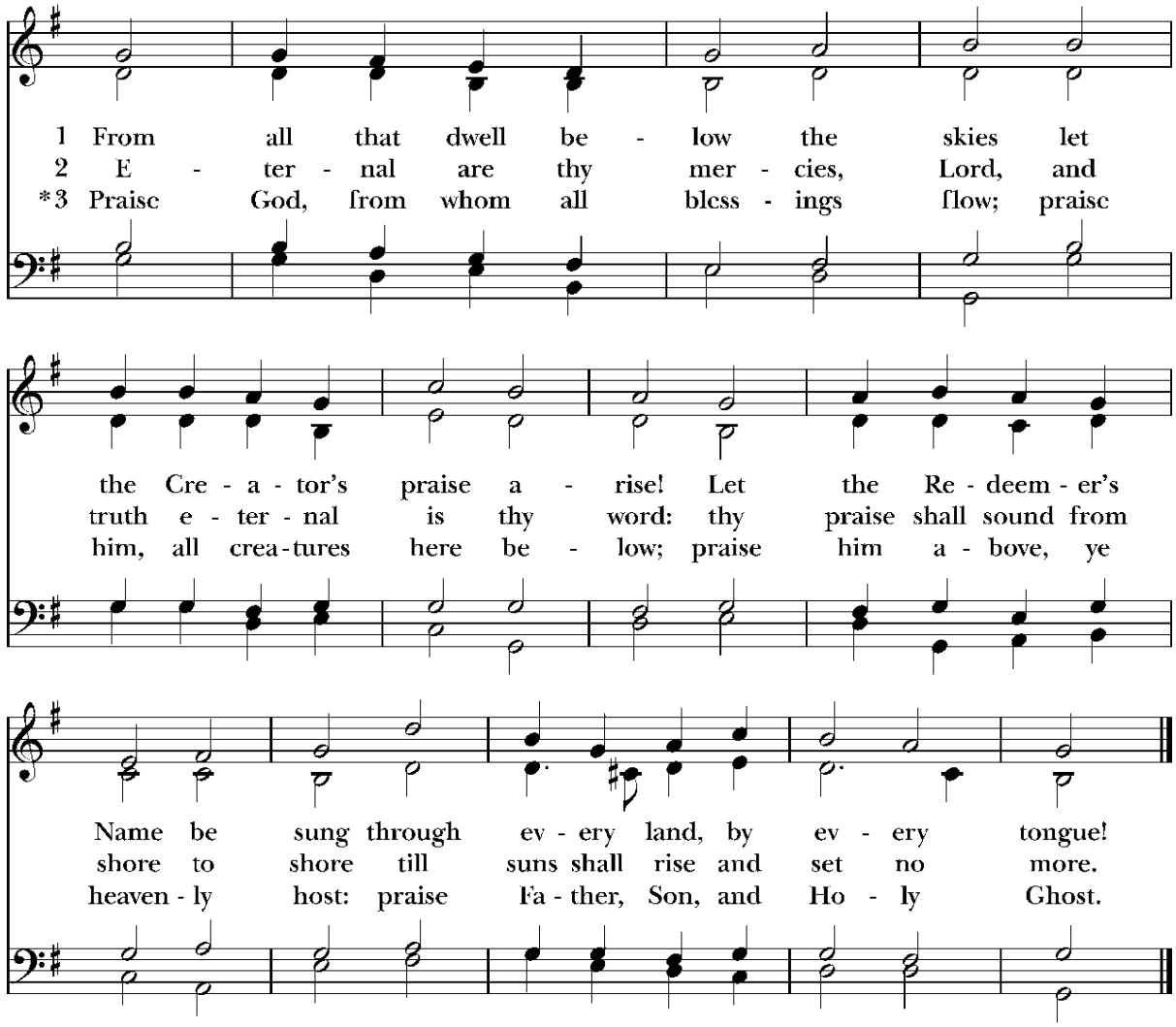
**Announcements**

**Special Blessings**

**Music at the Offertory:** *All Who Hunger, Gather Gladly* WLP #761

**Offertory:**
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**Doxology** Hymnal 1982 #380**:**




Words: Isaac Watts (1674-1748), para. of Psalm 117. St. 3, Thomas Ken (1637-1711). Music: *Old 100th*, melody from *Pseaumes octante trois de David*, 1551, alt.; harm. after Louis Bourgeois (1510?-1561?).

**SERVICE OF THE TABLE:**
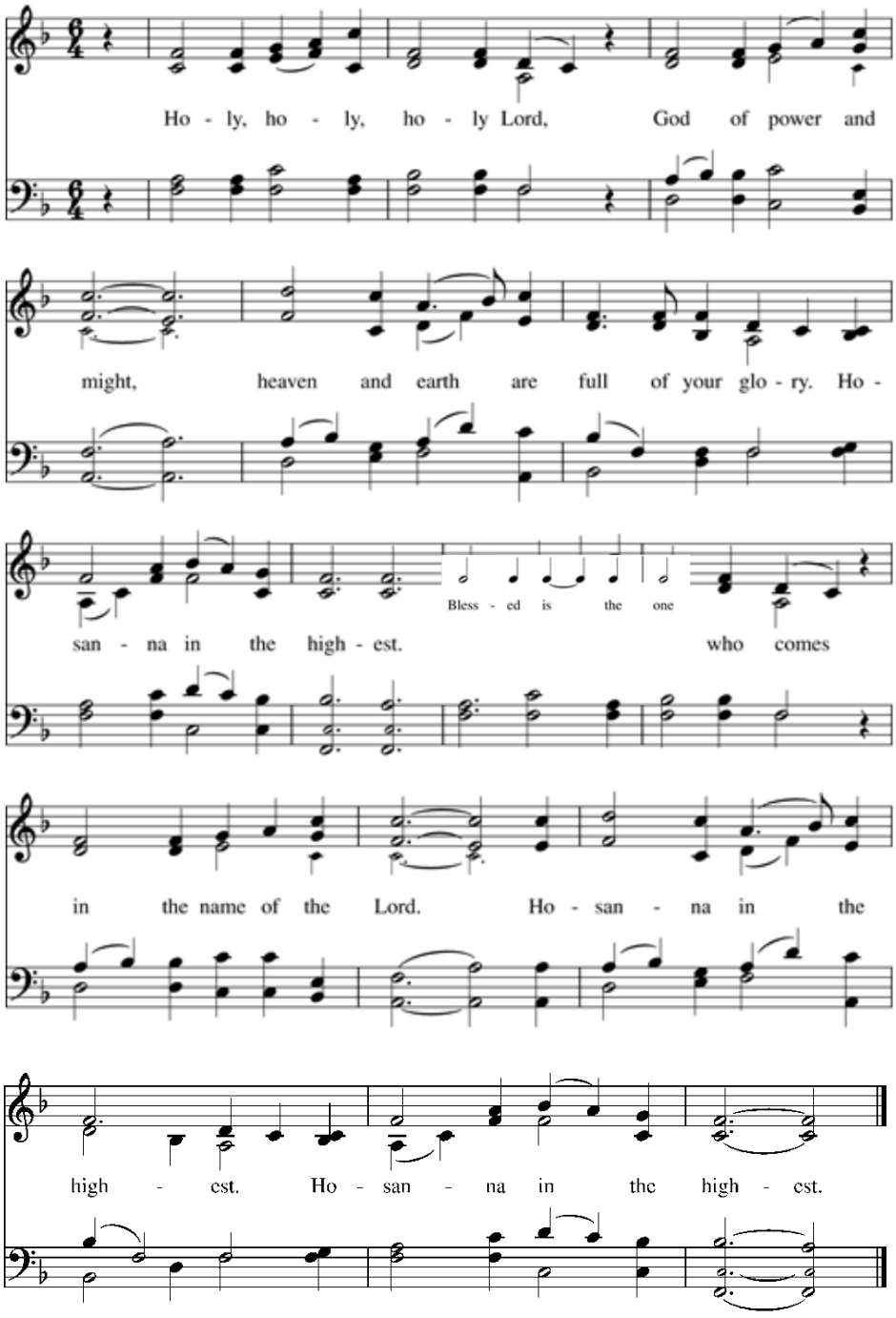
**Eucharistic Prayer B**

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 God thanks and praise.***

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth.

For by water and the Holy Spirit you have made us a new people in Jesus Christ our Lord, to show forth your glory in all the world.

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




We give thanks to you, O God, for the goodness and love which you have made known to us in creation; in the calling of Israel to be your people; in your Word spoken through the prophets; and above all in the Word made flesh, Jesus, your Son. For in these last days you sent him to be incarnate from the Virgin Mary, to be the Savior and Redeemer of the world. In him, you have delivered us from evil, and made us worthy to stand before you. In him, you have brought us out of error into truth, out of sin into righteousness, out of death into life.

On the night before he died for us, 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, according to his command, O Father,

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

And we offer our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving to you, O Lord of all; presenting to you, from your creation, this bread and this wine.

We pray you, gracious God, to send your Holy Spirit upon these gifts that they may be the Sacrament of the Body of Christ and his Blood of the new Covenant. Unite us to your Son in his sacrifice, that we may be acceptable through him, being sanctified by the Holy Spirit. In the fullness of time, put all things in subjection under your Christ, and bring us to that heavenly country where, with Patrick and all your saints, we may enter the everlasting heritage of your sons and daughters; through Jesus Christ our Lord, the firstborn of all creation, the head of the Church, and the author of our salvation.

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. *AMEN.*

And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say,
***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:**
Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us.
***Therefore let us keep the feast.***
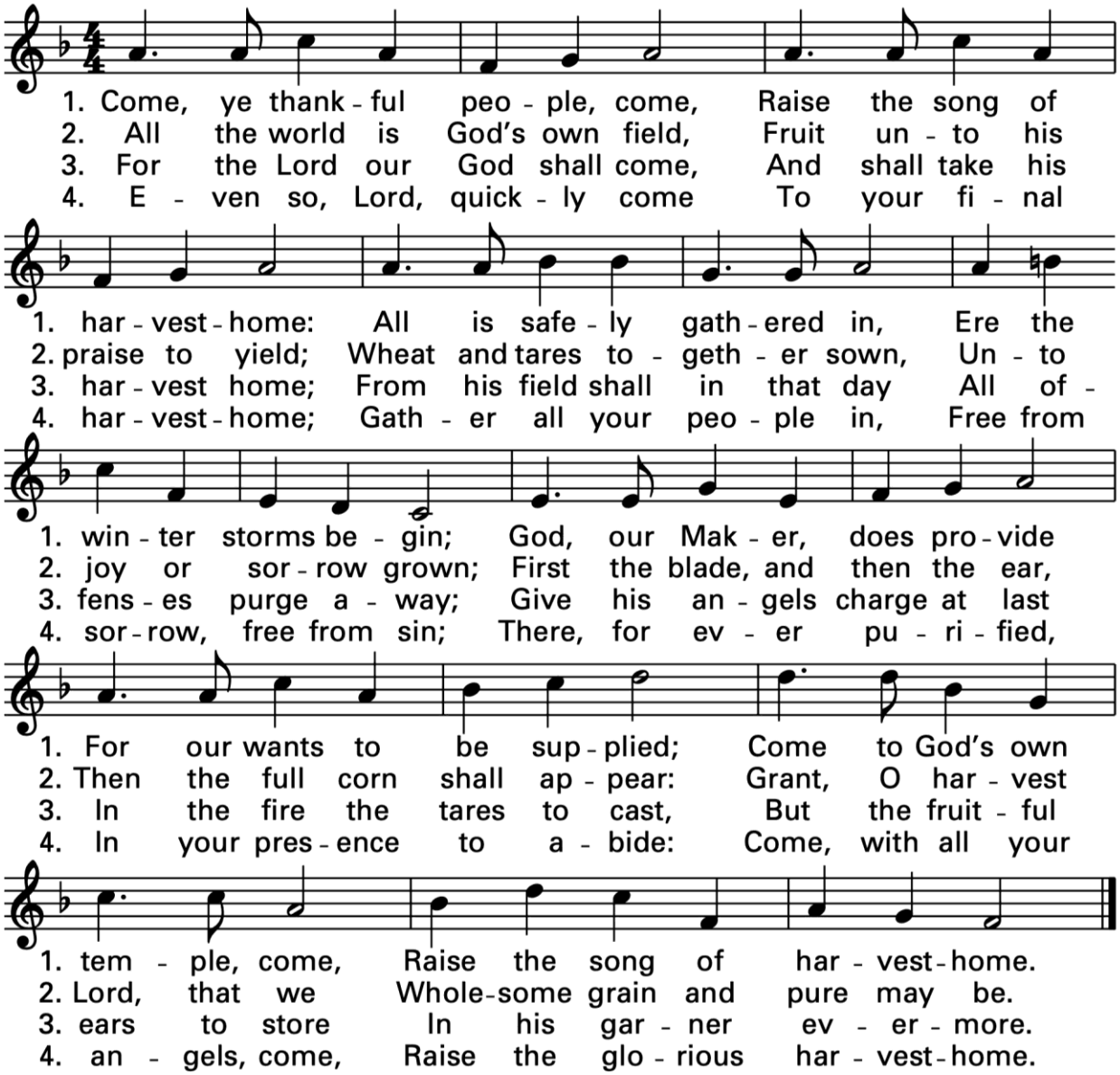
The Gifts of God for the People of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving

**Music at Communion:** *We Gather Together* Hymnal1982 #433

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.***

**Congregational Blessing**
Now, let us depart this place in peace. As we go, remember the poor, pray for the sick, make no peace with oppression, and love one another as Christ has loved you. And the blessing of God, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, rest upon you and remain with you always.

**Hymn** *Come, Ye Thankful People, Come* Hymnal 1982 #290




Text: 77 77 D; Henry Alford, 1810–1871, alt. Music: George J. Elvey, 1816–1893.

Let us go forth rejoicing in the power of the Spirit!
***Thanks be to God!***

**Postlude** *The King of Love Reprise*

*Please join us for refreshments in the Parish Hall following worship!*

We remember those who are in our Columbarium.

## Worship Team

*Minister of Music:* Donna Axton
*Choir:* Gwendalyn Gilliam, Nora Behrens, Daniel Gollery, Suzanne & Marty Gollery, Larry Harrison, Kay Lehr, Donna Dekker-Robertson, Paula Chapman, Thea Reed, Steve Barney
*Readers:* Lucille Wang & Connie Skidmore
*Usher:* Ian Temple
*Counters:* Bob Skidmore & Nancy Rawie
*Altar Guild:* Nora Behrens
*Lay Eucharistic Minister:* Lucille Wang

## Clergy

The Very Rev. Marla Asson, Rector

## Members of the Vestry

Mike Wang, Senior Warden; Suzanne Gollery, Junior Warden
Paula Chapman, Treasurer
Suzanne Gollery, Dick Jackson, Connie Skidmore (2024-2027 term)
Paula Chapman (2025-2028 term)
Thea Reed (2026-2029 term)

Nora Behrens, *Parish Administrator*

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