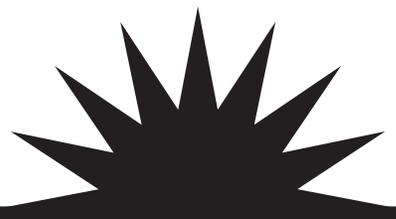




**THE THIRTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER
PENTECOST**

AUGUST 14, 2016 | 10:00

You Are Welcome



Some Helpful Things to Know Today

Can I receive Communion?

Yes. Everyone, without exception, is invited to receive Communion.

When am I supposed to stand?

At any point in the service, it's perfectly fine for you to remain seated as you're comfortable. We do have customary times when we stand or kneel; these are indicated by the italicized instructions throughout the service. There are also times when it is customary to cross ourselves, and if you wish to do so, the + indicates that.

Are children welcome here?

Yes. Children are invited to participate actively in the service. Coloring pages, crayons, and books are at the entrances to the church. Nursery care is available during the services for children ages 0-3; the Nursery is down the southwest stairs. And finally, changing tables are in the downstairs restrooms and the Nursery.

Where are the restrooms?

There are single-user, gender-neutral restrooms down the southwest stairs and also through the northeast door of the sanctuary. See the map on the Welcome Table for details.

How do I find my way around?

There's a map at the Welcome Table near the west entrance to the church. Also feel free to ask anyone to help you around.

Is there wheelchair accessibility?

Yes. An accessible restroom is through the northeast door of the sanctuary. There is also a lift to take you downstairs, through the southeast door. See the map on the Welcome Table for details. Everyone is invited to remain seated at any point during the service as they need.

How about hearing assistance?

We can help there, too. Hearing-assistance devices are available from the ushers.

A Little About St. Paul & the Redeemer

Our Vision

We seek to become a community that mirrors the radical hospitality practiced by Jesus. We do that in five important ways:

-  **We Praise God**
-  **We Invite All**
-  **We Connect Lives**
-  **We Nurture Faith**
-  **We Serve Neighbor**

Let's Get Connected

We look forward to getting to know you and telling you about this community:

1) Fill out one of these cards, which you can find in the backs of the chairs:



2) Stop by the Welcome Table, which is near the west entrance to the church.

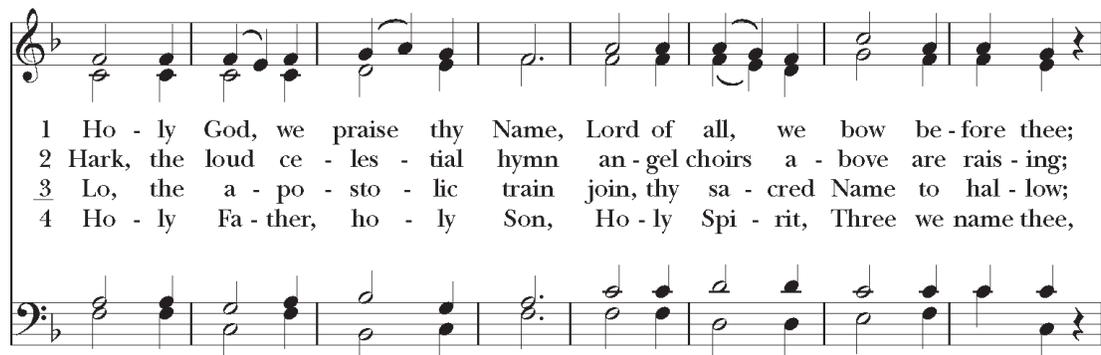


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THE WORD OF GOD

Prelude

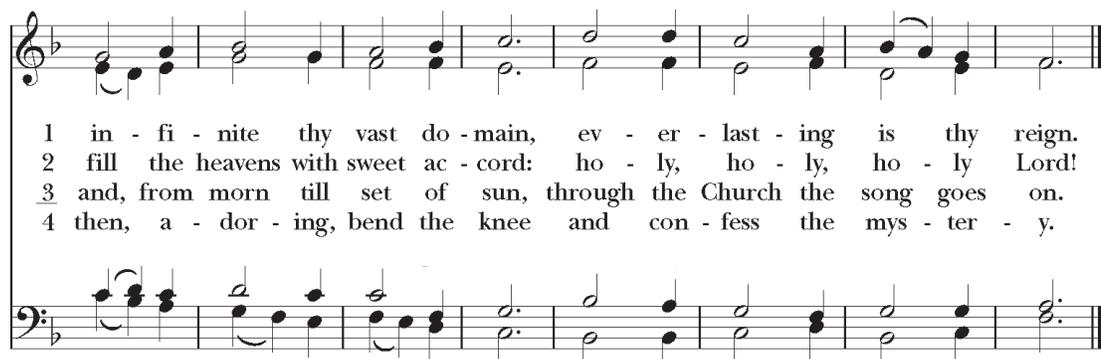
When the bell rings, please stand as able and sing:



1 Ho - ly God, we praise thy Name, Lord of all, we bow be - fore thee;
2 Hark, the loud ce - les - tial hymn an - gel choirs a - bove are rais - ing;
3 Lo, the a - po - sto - lic train join, thy sa - cred Name to hal - low;
4 Ho - ly Fa - ther, ho - ly Son, Ho - ly Spi - rit, Three we name thee,



1 all on earth thy scap - ter claim, all in heaven a - bove a - dore thee;
2 cher - u - bim and ser - a - phim, in un - ceas - ing cho - rus prais - ing,
3 pro - phets swell the loud re - frain, and the white-robed mar - tyrs fol - low;
4 while in es - sence on - ly One, un - di - vi - ded God we claim thee;



1 in - fi - nite thy vast do - main, ev - er - last - ing is thy reign.
2 fill the heavens with sweet ac - cord: ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord!
3 and, from morn till set of sun, through the Church the song goes on.
4 then, a - dor - ing, bend the knee and con - fess the mys - ter - y.

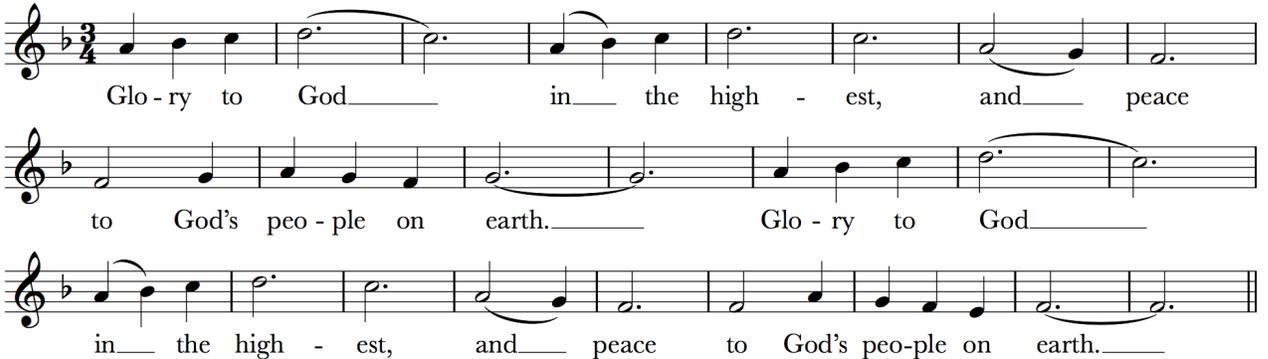
Words: Para. the *Te Deum*, Sts. 1-4, Ignaz Franz (1719-1790), tr. Clarence Walworth (1820-1900)

Music: *Grosser Gott*, 78. 78. 77, melody from *Katholisches Gesangbuch*, 1686; alt. *Cantante*, 1851; harm. Charles Winfred Douglas (1867-1944), after Conrad Kocher (1786-1872)

Presider: + Blessed be the one, holy, and living God.
People: **Glory to God, for ever and ever.**

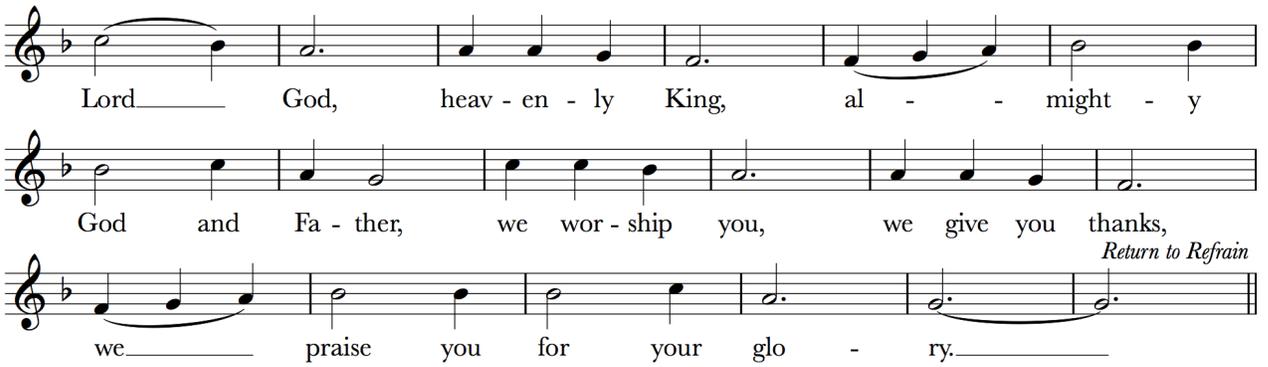
All sing:

Refrain



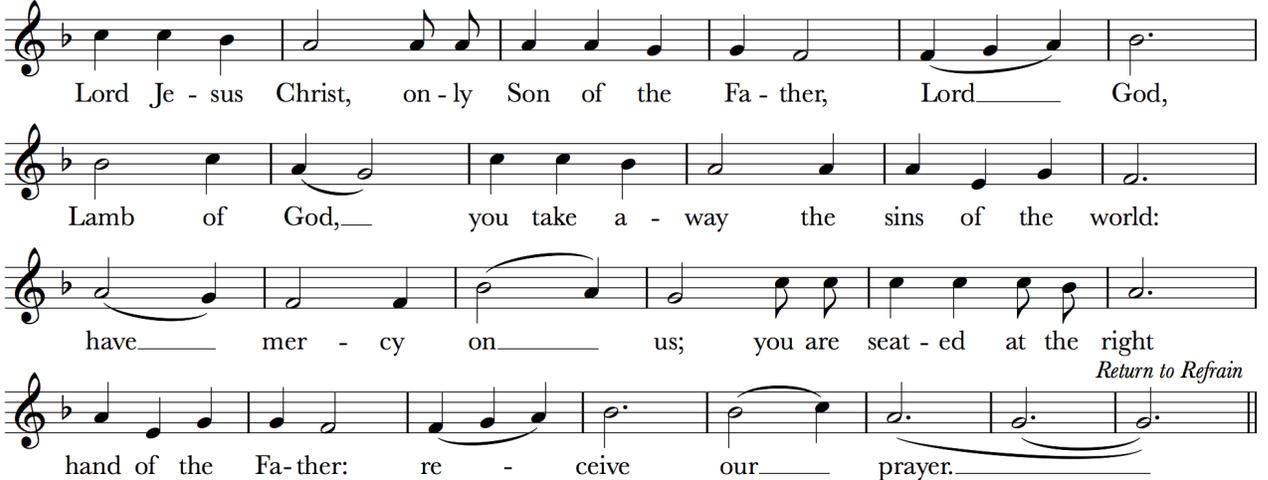
Glo - ry to God in the high - est, and peace
to God's peo - ple on earth. Glo - ry to God
in the high - est, and peace to God's peo - ple on earth.

Verse 1



Lord God, heav - en - ly King, al - - might - y
God and Fa - ther, we wor - ship you, we give you thanks,
we praise you for your glo - ry.

Verse 2



Lord Je - sus Christ, on - ly Son of the Fa - ther, Lord God,
Lamb of God, you take a - way the sins of the world:
have mer - cy on us; you are seat - ed at the right
hand of the Fa - ther: re - ceive our prayer.



Verse 3

For 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.

Continue to the ending

Ending

Glo - ry to God in the high - est,
 A - men, a - - - - men.

Music: James Capers (b. 1948)
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Presider: God be with you.
 People: **And also with you.**

Presider: Let us pray.
 People: **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.**

Please be seated.

The Lessons

Lector:

A reading from the prophet Jeremiah.

Am I a God near by, says the Lord, and not a God far off? Who can hide in secret places so that I cannot see them? says the Lord. Do I not fill heaven and earth? says the Lord. I have heard what the prophets have said who prophesy lies in my name, saying, "I have dreamed, I have dreamed!" How long? Will the hearts of the prophets ever turn back – those who prophesy lies, and who prophesy the deceit of their own heart? They plan to make my people forget my name by their dreams that they tell one another, just as their ancestors forgot my name for Baal. Let the prophet who has a dream tell the dream, but let the one who has my word speak my word faithfully. What has straw in common with wheat? says the Lord. Is not my word like fire, says the Lord, and like a hammer that breaks a rock in pieces?

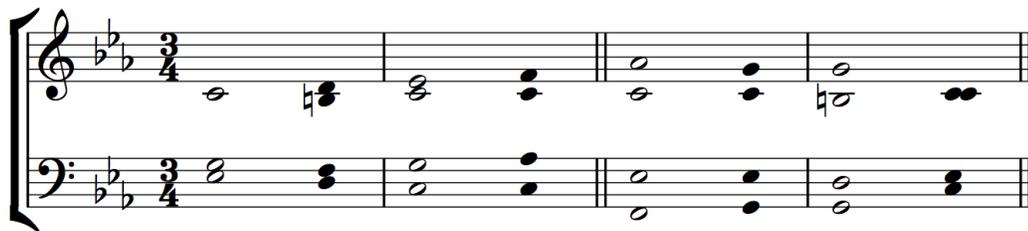
Jeremiah 23:23-29

Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's people.

People:

Thanks be to God.

All sing:



God takes his stand in the / **council of heaven**; *
he gives judgment in the / **midst of the gods**:
"How long will you judge un/**justly**, *
and show favor to the / **wicked**?

Save the / **weak and the orphan**; *
defend the / **humble and needy**;
Rescue the / **weak and the poor**; *
deliver them from the / **power of the wicked**.

They do not know, neither do they understand; they go about in / **darkness**; *
all the foundations of the / **earth are shaken**.
Now I say to you, / **'You are gods**, *
and all of you / **children of the Most High**;

Nevertheless, you shall / **die like mortals**, *
and / **fall like any prince**."
Arise, O God, and / **rule the earth**, *
for you shall take / **all nations for your own**.

Psalm 82

Music: Simplified Anglican chant by Robert Knox Kennedy (b. 1945)

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Lector:

A reading from the letter to the Hebrews.

By faith the people passed through the Red Sea as if it were dry land, but when the Egyptians attempted to do so they were drowned. By faith the walls of Jericho fell after they had been encircled for seven days. By faith Rahab the prostitute did not perish with those who were disobedient, because she had received the spies in peace. And what more should I say? For time would fail me to tell of Gideon, Barak, Samson, Jephthah, of David and Samuel and the prophets – who through faith conquered kingdoms, administered justice, obtained promises, shut the mouths of lions, quenched raging fire, escaped the edge of the sword, won strength out of weakness, became mighty in war, put foreign armies to flight. Women received their dead by resurrection. Others were tortured, refusing to accept release, in order to obtain a better resurrection. Others suffered mocking and flogging, and even chains and imprisonment. They were stoned to death, they were sawn in two, they were killed by the sword; they went about in skins of sheep and goats, destitute, persecuted, tormented – of whom the world was not worthy. They wandered in deserts and mountains, and in caves and holes in the ground. Yet all these, though they were commended for their faith, did not receive what was promised, since God had provided something better so that they would not, apart from us, be made perfect. Therefore, since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses, let us also lay aside every weight and the sin that clings so closely, and let us run with perseverance the race that is set before us, looking to Jesus the pioneer and perfecter of our faith, who for the sake of the joy that was set before him endured the cross, disregarding its shame, and has taken his seat at the right hand of the throne of God.

Hebrews 11:29-12:2

People:

Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's people.

Thanks be to God.

All stand as able and sing.

The Refrain is sung twice, followed by the first verse and the final Refrain.

Hal - le - lu - jah! We sing your prai - ses! All our hearts are filled with glad - ness!
Ha - le - lu - ya! Pe - lo tsa ro - na, di tha - bi - le ka - o - fe - la.

Fine

Hal - le - lu - jah! We sing your prai - ses! All our hearts are filled with glad - ness!
Ha - le - lu - ya! Pe - lo tsa ro - na, di tha - bi - le ka - o - fe - la.

Christ the Lord to us said: "I am wine, I am bread, I am
Je - sus says to us still: "All who do the Lord's will, all who

wine, I am bread, give to all who thirst and hun - ger!"
do the Lord's will are my sis - ters and my bro - thers." **D.C.**

Words: South Africa

Music: *Haleluya! Palo tso rona*, Irr., South Africa

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At the + below, you are invited to trace a cross over your forehead, your mouth, and over your heart.

Deacon: + The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke.

People: **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

Deacon: Jesus said, "I came to bring fire to the earth, and how I wish it were already kindled! I have a baptism with which to be baptized, and what stress I am under until it is completed! Do you think that I have come to bring peace to the earth? No, I tell you, but rather division! From now on five in one household will be divided, three against two and two against three; they will be divided: father against son and son against father, mother against daughter and daughter against mother, mother-in-law against her daughter-in-law and daughter-in-law against mother-in-law."

He also said to the crowds, "When you see a cloud rising in the west, you immediately say, 'It is going to rain'; and so it happens. And when you see the south wind blowing, you say, 'There will be scorching heat'; and it happens. You hypocrites! You know how to interpret the appearance of earth and sky, but why do you not know how to interpret the present time?"

Luke 12:49-56

The Gospel of the Lord.

People: **Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

Children's Chapel

Children in preschool to second grade are invited to their own liturgy in the Chapel. They will return at the Peace.

The Sermon

Today's Preacher: The Rev'd Dan Puchalla, Associate Rector.

We ask that parents take crying infants to the Narthex or Nursery.

The Prayers of the People

- Leader: In peace, we pray to you, Lord God.
- Leader: For all people in their daily life and work;
People: **For our families, friends, and neighbors, and for those who are alone.**
- Leader: For this community, the nation, and the world;
People: **For all who work for justice, freedom, and peace.**
- Leader: For the just and proper use of your creation;
People: **For the victims of hunger, fear, injustice, and oppression.**
- Leader: For all who are in danger, sorrow, or any kind of trouble;
People: **For those who minister to them, to the sick, to the friendless, and to the needy.**
- Leader: For the peace and unity of the Church of God;
People: **For all who proclaim the Gospel, and all who seek the Truth.**
- Leader: For **Michael** Curry, Presiding Bishop of the Episcopal Church; for **Jeffrey** Lee, Bishop of Chicago; and for all bishops and other ministers;
People: **For all who serve God in the Church.**
- Leader: For the special needs and concerns of this congregation. We pray for **Mike** Clough (father of Christian Clough), **Mary Ann** Becklenberg and her husband **John, George & Olive** Whitley, and **Alexis** Okoroh, as well as for their caregivers.
Hear us, Lord;
People: **For your mercy is great.**
- Leader: We pray for all who have died, that they may have a place in your eternal kingdom, including **George** Pachuta (8/16).
Lord, let your loving-kindness be upon them;
People: **Who put their trust in you.**
- Leader: We thank you, Lord, for all the blessings of this life: for those celebrating birthdays, including **Pat** Flax-Hatch (8/14), **Elias** Evans (8/15), **Steve** Heyman (8/15), **Carol** Moseley Braun (8/16), **Elyse** Hain (8/17), **Michael** McKee (8/17), **Martha** Pruitt (8/17), and **Dexter** Smith (8/19) and those celebrating anniversaries, including **Hannah & Tayo** Adegoke (8/14), **Amanda** Ruch & **Jason** Evans (8/14), and **Kimberly & Travis** Cook (8/16).
We will exalt you, O God,
People: **And praise your Name for ever and ever.**
- Leader: I invite you to offer your own prayers and thanksgivings, ending each with "Lord, in your mercy."
- Presider: O Lord our God, accept the fervent prayers of your people; in the multitude of your mercies, look with compassion upon us and all who turn to you for help; for you are gracious, O lover of souls, and to you we give glory, one holy and undivided Trinity, for ever and ever.
- People: **Amen.**

Form VI, *Book of Common Prayer*, 392-393.

Collect: *Book of Common Prayer*, 394.

The Peace

Presider: The peace of God be always with you.

People: **And also with you.**

All greet one another and return to their seats.

Some announcements will be given, but there's much more to find out in the back pages of this bulletin.

THE HOLY COMMUNION

Offertory

The Choir sings:

1

Zion, praise thy Savior, singing
hymns with exultation ringing,
praise thy King and Shepherd true.
Honor Christ, thy voice upraising,
who surpasseth all thy praising;
never canst thou reach his due.

2

Let the Bread, life-giving, living,
be our theme of glad thanksgiving,
now in truth before thee set;
as of old the Lord provided
when the twelve, divinely guided,
at the holy table met.

3

What he did, at supper seated,
Christ ordained to be repeated,
his memorial ne'er to cease;
his command for guidance taking,
bread and wine we hallow, making
thus our sacrifice of peace.

4

Full and clear sing out thy praising,
gracious hymns of joy upraising
in thy heart and soul today;
for today the new oblation
of the new King's revelation
bids us feast in glad array.

5

Very Bread, good Shepherd, tend us,
Jesus, of thy love befriend us,
Lord, refresh us and defend us,
thine eternal goodness send us
in the land of life to see:

6

thou, who all things canst and knowest,
who on earth such food bestowest,
grant us, with thy saints, though lowest,
where the heavenly feast thou showest,
fellow-heirs and guests to be.

Words: Att. St. Thomas Aquinas (1225?-1274); tr. *Hymnal 1940*; rev. *Hymnal 1982*

Music: *Lauda Sion Salvatorem*, plainsong, Mode 7, 12th cent.; acc. David Hurd (b. 1950)

The Great Thanksgiving

Please stand as able when the clergy go to the altar.

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.**

Presider: It is right...

All sing:

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord God of hosts. Heav-en and earth are full of your glo -

- ry. Ho - san - na in the high - est. Blessed is the one who

comes in the name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

Music: from *Unity Mass*, Norah Duncan, IV
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Presider: We give thanks to you ...

Presider: ... Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

People: **Christ has died.
Christ is risen.
Christ will come again.**

Presider: And we offer ...

Presider: ... Through Christ and with Christ and in Christ, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all honor and glory is yours, Almighty God, now and for ever.

People: **AMEN.**

The Book of Common Prayer (1979), Eucharistic Prayer B

Presider: As our Savior Christ has taught us, we now pray,

People: **Our Father in heaven,
hallowed be your Name,
your kingdom come,
your will be done,
on earth as in heaven.
Give us today our daily bread.
Forgive us our sins,
as we forgive those who sin against us.
Save us from the time of trial,
and deliver us from evil.
For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours,
now and for ever. Amen.**

The Breaking of the Bread

All sing:

Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the world; have mer - cy on us.

Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the world; have mer - cy on us.

Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the world; grant us peace, grant us peace.

The musical score consists of three staves of music in a single system. Each staff begins with a treble clef and a key signature of two flats (B-flat and E-flat). The first two staves have lyrics underneath them, and the third staff has lyrics underneath it. The music features a mix of quarter, eighth, and sixteenth notes, with some triplets indicated by a '3' over a bracket. The piece concludes with a double bar line.

Music: James Capers (b. 1948)

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Presider: The gifts of God for the people of God.

All, without exception, are invited to receive Communion. If you want gluten-free bread, tell the priest. If you would like a blessing in place of Communion, cross your arms over your chest.

The ushers will help each section up to the altar. But don't worry; all will be fed.

All sing:

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.

rit.

a tempo

Shine in my heart, Lord Je - sus.

Words: Kathleen Thomerson (b. 1934)
 Music: *Houston, Irr.* with Refrain, Kathleen Thomerson (b. 1934)
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All sing:

Je - sus, you're the cen - ter of my joy.

All that's good and per - fect comes from you.

You're the heart of my con - tent - ment, hope for all I do.

1. Je - sus, you're the cen - ter of my joy.

2. Je - sus, you are the cen - ter of my joy! Je - sus, you are

the cen - ter of my joy! You're the cen - ter of my joy!

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Sending Forth

Presider: Let us pray.

Please stand as able.

People: **God of abundance,
you have fed us with the bread of life and cup of salvation,
you have united us with Christ and one another;
and you have made us one
with all your people in heaven and on earth.
Now send us forth in the power of your Spirit,
that we may proclaim your redeeming love to the world
and continue for ever in the risen life of Christ our Savior. Amen.**

The Presider blesses the People. You are invited to + cross yourself as the Presider traces a cross over the congregation.

All sing:



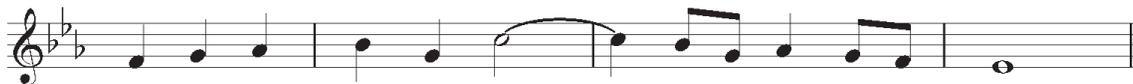
1 Go forth for God; go _____ to the world in peace;
2 Go forth for God; go _____ to the world in love;
3 Go forth for God; go _____ to the world in strength;
4 Go forth for God; go _____ to the world in joy,



be of good cour - age, armed with heaven - ly grace,
strength - en the faint, give cour - age to the weak;
hold fast the good, be ur - gent for the right;
to serve God's peo - ple ev - ery day and hour,



in God's good Spi - rit dai - ly to in - crease,
help the af - flict - ed; rich - ly from a - bove
ren - der to no one e - vil; Christ at length
and ser - ving Christ, our ev - ery gift em - ploy,



till in his king - dom we _____ be - hold his face.
his love sup - plies the grace _____ and power we seek.
shall o - ver - come all dark - ness with his light.
re - joic - ing in the Ho - ly Spi - rit's power.

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(1896-1971) and *English
Praise*, 1975, alt.
Music: *Litton*, 10 10. 10
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Deacon: Let us go forth into the world, rejoicing in the power of the Spirit.

People: **Thanks be to God.**



HAITI SUNDAY

SEPTEMBER 11
8:00 | 9:15 | 11:15

**In 2014, the people of St. Paul & the Redeemer raised \$17,000 to start a school lunch program for the children at St. Patrick's School in Tom Gateau, Haiti.
In 2015, we raised over \$21,000 and added another day of lunch.**

Let's keep it going.

Come for a Sunday of great music, great food, and generous giving.



A 6-week small group opportunity to learning both from and about the bible!

1 Sign Up for a Group

Sign up on the table in the Sanctuary or online at sp-r.org/luke

Sundays at 11:15a
Leader: Brenda Kilpatrick

Sundays at 12:30p
Leader: Kenji Kuramitsu

Mondays at 7:30p
Leader: Dan Puchalla

Tuesdays at 6:00a
Leader: Peter Lane

Tuesdays at 7:30p
Leader: Robin Charleston

Wednesdays at 7:30p
Leader: David Larsen

Thursdays at 10:00a (Bible Study)
Leader: Dan Puchalla

Thursdays at 7:30p
Leader: Twila Jones

Saturdays at 10:00a
Leader: Barnabus Pusnur

2 Get the Guide

Pick up the Participant Guide on the sign-up table or download at sp-r.org/luke

3 Hear Sermons & Lectures

Sep 25 | Encountering the Gospel of Luke

Preacher: Peter Lane

Lecturer: Ben Stewart, Professor at Lutheran School of Theology at Chicago

OCT 2 | "Blessed Among Women": The Women in Luke

Preacher: Dan Puchalla

Lecturer: Ben Stewart, Professor at Lutheran School of Theology at Chicago

OCT 9 | Who Then Is My Neighbor?

Preacher: Cynthia Lindner

Lecturer: Mike Hogue, Professor at Meadville-Lombard Seminary

OCT 16 | God's Economy

Preacher: Peter Lane

Lecturer: Padma Pusnur, Ph.D. Student at LSTC

OCT 23 | Capital Campaign Kick-off

OCT 30 | Encountering Jesus Anew

Preacher: Rachel Watson

Lecturer: Roger Ferlo, President of Bexley-Seabury

COMING UP

SUNDAY FORMATION CLASSES

All Formation Classes are on break for the summer. They will resume on Sunday, Sep 11.

Godly Play

Children are spiritual. They have incredible capacity to listen, wonder, and make meaning out of the biblical stories they hear. This is the foundation for Godly Play, our Christian formation program for children on Sundays.

Youth Formation

All middle and high school youth are invited for conversations about things that matter and to eat donuts.

Adult Formation

On Sundays we host speakers and discussions about matters of faith and topics relevant to current events.

REGULAR GATHERINGS

Youth Group

Regularly scheduled youth group is over for the program year, but check back here for info on periodic outings throughout the summer.

Women's Group

We'll resume on Saturday, Sep 17, 3:00–5:00 in the Byllesby Room. All women are welcome to come for a few munchies and good conversation about why we are a women's group, whether we are serving the purposes we want to serve, and how we can be sure we are welcoming everyone who would like to attend. Contact Anne Harlan, harlanferlo@gmail.com, for more information.

Fiber Arts Group

Everyone interested in knitting, sewing, or other fiber arts is invited to be part of this group. The group is on break until September. Stay tuned for updates.

Arts Committee

Join other creative minds in planning art shows for our Chapel. Next meeting is Sunday, Aug 14, right after the 10:00 service, in the Chapel.

Yoga Classes – Changed for the Summer!

Integrate spirit and body on Fridays, 9:00-10:00a, Chapel. (Mondays will resume in the fall.) Contact Sharla Stewart: sharla.a.stewart@gmail.com

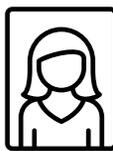


Welcome Monte & Lydia

This week we announced that Monte Tugwete has been hired as our new Director of Children's Formation. A few weeks ago we announced that Lydia Gajdel will be our new Administrative Assistant. A full letter about both these great hires and other staffing changes is at sp-r.org/hires and in hardcopy in the Narthex.

ACT NOW: Parish Directory

Every fall we publish a Photo Directory of everyone at SPR. It's an invaluable tool for connecting with others in this community. Help us have an up-to-date one:



TAKE YOUR PHOTO TODAY

If you haven't submitted a photo of yourself or of everyone in your household yet – or if you want to update your old one:

1. Pull out our phone right now and take your pictures of your faces.
2. Email them to Dan Puchalla at dap@sp-r.org



INFO

In the past year, has any of this changed for you: Mailing Address? Email Address? Phone Number? Email any changes to Dan Puchalla at dap@sp-r.org

PLEASE SEND BEFORE TOMORROW, MONDAY, AUG 15

Pick a Saturday to Serve Your Neighbor

Pick a Saturday morning this summer to come to SPR to help tend and harvest our Food Garden.

- **SLEEP IN:** come *any time* between 9:00 and 11:00 every Saturday.
- **YOU CAN DO IT:** all skill levels welcome, from absolute beginners to expert gardeners
- **FEEL GOOD:** all the food we produce goes to the St. Martin de Porres House of Hope shelter for women in Woodlawn.

If you have a question, ask George Chlipala (chlige@yahoo.com). Otherwise, we'll see you there!

Women's Retreat

Make time this fall to come to the 5th annual SPR Women's Weekend Retreat November 11–13! In a beautiful setting in Woodstock, Illinois, you will make new friends, deepen existing friendships, and have the opportunity to reflect on your life. There are only 30 openings to participate in this year's Women's Retreat. We encourage you to register early to secure your participation for this weekend designed especially for SPR women. Registration forms are available on the table in the Narthex. Ask around – there are many women you can talk with to find out how they liked past retreats! Please join us! If you have any questions, please contact one of the SPR Women's Retreat Leadership Team: Kim Hart: kimahart@att.net | Val Cavin: cavin.val@gmail.com | Mary Naftzger: maryandbob.n@sbcglobal.net

Volunteer Chaplain Training

In partnership with Bishop Anderson House, SPR is hosting a course for laypersons to learn the basics of how to provide pastoral care to others, while also cultivating self-reflection and spiritual growth. The course runs Sep 10–Dec 3, including a 2-hour class each Saturday morning and 2 hours of supervised ministry at a field placement site each week. Applications are now open. To get started, contact Tommy Rogers: (312) 563-4824 | thomas_rogers@rush.edu

Looking for a room? Find a map on the Welcome Table at the east entrance of the church.



PUT THESE ON YOUR CALENDAR

There's a lot of terrific stuff coming up this fall at SPR. Here are a few big dates for you:

**SEP
11**

Haiti Sunday & Start of Program Year

- Return of 3 Service Schedule: 8:00, 9:15, 11:15
- Return of Choirs
- Return of Children's and Youth Formation
- Great music and raising money for the lunch program at St. Patrick's in Haiti

**SEP
18**

Capital Campaign Update

- Meetings after each service.
- Get the latest look at the architectural plans and other updates.

**SEP
25**

Reading Luke Together Begins

- First sermon and lecture of this six-week series.
- Small Groups begin meeting..

**OCT
1**

St. Francis Pet Blessings

- At 2:00p, come by to have your animal friends blessed.

**OCT
22**

PARTY!

- Come for good food and good music to kick-off the Capital Campaign and the 2017 Annual Giving Campaign.
- RSVP at sp-r.org/party

**NOV
6**

All Saints Sunday

- A day to give thanks for all who have gone before us.
- Our excellent choirs perform a classical mass to be announced.
- Pancake breakfast cooked up by our Youth Group.

**NOV
11-13**

Women's Retreat

- All women welcome, but registration required.
- See previous page to the left for details

**NOV
23**

Pledges Due

- Please make your pledges to the 2017 Annual Giving Campaign and the Capital Campaign by this day.

**DEC
18**

Capital Campaign Celebration

- We'll wrap up the campaign by celebrating the generosity of our community and looking toward the work of the next year.

THE SPR CHOIRS

Summer Choir

Sing in the choir on any Sunday you wish during the summer. Just show up in the church at 9:15 for a quick rehearsal. Questions? Talk to Christian Clough: cmc@sp-r.org

All regular choirs will be on break through the summer. You're very welcome to sign up for a choir for the fall. Just contact the staff person listed under the choir you're interested in:

St. Nicholas Choir (K-2nd Grade)

Contact: Gretchen Eng: gre@sp-r.org

Choristers (3rd Grade and Up)

Contact: Christian Clough: cmc@sp-r.org

9:15 Adult Choir

Contact: Christian Clough: cmc@sp-r.org

11:15 Adult Choir

Contact: Christian Clough: cmc@sp-r.org

FEEDING MINISTRIES

The Food Garden

We grow fresh organic produce for the St. Martin de Porres Woman's Shelter in Woodlawn. Come on Saturdays any time 9:00-11:00a to help. Questions? email George Chlipala (chlige@yahoo.com).

Harvested Last Week: 45 lbs of carrots, cucumbers, beans, snow peas, broccoli, swiss chard, eggplant, and beets

Harvested So Far this Season: 196.61 lbs

The Food Pantry

Donations: Bring an item or fill a bag.

Needed this Week: corn, peas, pasta, cereal, chili, soup

Distribution: Wednesdays, 3:30-5:30p, Narthex

Impact:	Last Week	Last Month	2016
Individuals Served	48	381	2,780

Open Kitchen

Cook monthly hot, nutritious lunch for our hungry neighbors. No skills necessary!

Next: TODAY, 11:30a, Kitchen

Impact:

Served Per Month (Average)	75-100
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Haiti Lunch Program

Support a thrice-a-week lunch program at St. Patrick's School in Haiti. Donate at our annual fundraiser and/or visit St. Patrick's with a team from SPR. Contact Peter Lane: pcl@sp-r.org

Impact:

Lunches Served Last School Year:	17,205
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Today's Ministers

Presiders

Peter Lane, Dan Puchalla

Deacon

Jack Seymour

Preacher

Dan Puchalla

Music Leader

Christian Clough

Acolytes

Valencia Hearon, Andrew Rostan

Lectors

Victoria Jenkins, Vinita Wright

Children's Chapel Leaders

Christian Clough, Gretchen Eg

Prayer Reader

Rahsaan Morris

Chalice Ministers

John Adewoye, Tayo Adegoke, Conor Mather-Licht, William Jackson

Ushers

Charlie Berry, David Larsen

Vestry Greeter

Tayo Adegoke

Altar Guild

Pam Anderson

Linen Washer

Janet Underwood

Communion Bread Baker

Carolyn Pereira

Money Counters

Gayle Diggs, Mel Parks

Hospitality

Staff

Vestry

Wardens

Harold Olivey
Romonda McKinney
Bumpus

Treasurer

Doug Hoffman

Clerk

Twila Jones

Vestry Class of 2017

Mel Parks
Sally Wolcott
Vinita Wright

Vestry Class of 2018

Adetayo Adegoke
Allison Clark
Will Greenland

Vestry Class of 2019

Thomas Christensen
Maureen Jesuthasan
Jane McCamant

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The Rev'd Jack Seymour
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The Rev'd Jennifer Baskerville-Burrows
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Priest Associate

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Lukasz Jedrzejewski

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Jessica Steele, Virginia Woodard

Staff Singers

Bridget Skaggs, Emma Cox, Samuel Weiser



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