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SERVICE WITH HOLY COMMUNION

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HYMNS: 528, 197, 152, 287, 822

“Be Alive in Christ and make Him known”

We do this by growing spiritually in God’s Word, allowing God to use us to grow His Church, by being Christ focused, being community focused and being inclusive.

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Welcome Visitors! Please join us for a cuppa and fellowship after service.



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Welcome

P: From the cloud, a voice said, 'This is my Son, the Beloved;


C: **with him I am well pleased; listen to him!**

(Matt 17:5 NRSV)

Invocation

♪P: In the name of the Father and of the Son † and of the Holy Spirit.

♪C: Amen.

 Hymn No: 528 Christ, whose glory fills the skies

Confession of Sins and Absolution

P: Dear friends in Christ: let us draw near to God our Father with a true heart to confess our sins, and ask him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to forgive us.

♪P: Our help is in the name of the Lord.

♪C: He made heaven and earth.

♪P: I said, I will confess my sins to the Lord.

♪C: Then he forgave the guilt of my sin.

C: Almighty God, merciful Father, I, a poor helpless sinner, confess to you all my sins, and repent of all the evil I have done. I have deeply displeased you and deserve your punishment in time and in eternity. But I am sorry for my sins, and I ask you, for the sake of the holy innocent sufferings and death of your dear Son Jesus Christ, to be gracious and merciful to me. Amen.

P: I ask each of you in the presence of God who searches the heart: Do you confess that you have sinned, and do you repent of your sins? **I do.**

P: Do you believe that Jesus Christ has redeemed you from all your sins, and do you desire forgiveness in his name? **I do.**

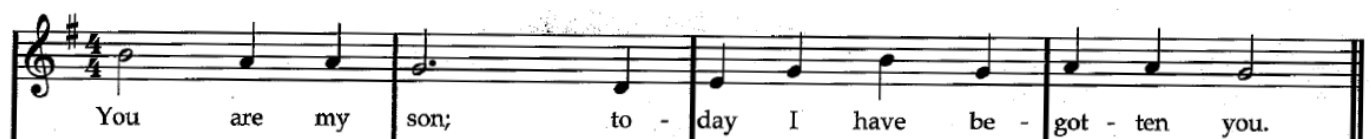
P: Do you intend with the help of the Holy Spirit to live as in God's presence, and to strive daily to lead a holy life, even as Christ has made you holy? **I do.**

P: Christ gave to his church the authority to forgive the sins of those who repent, and to declare to those who do not repent that their sins are not forgiven. Therefore, upon your confession, I, as a called and ordained servant of the word, announce the grace of God to all of you, and on behalf of my Lord Jesus Christ I forgive you all your sins, in the name of the Father and of the Son † and of the Holy Spirit.

P: Peace be with you.

C: Amen.

Psalm No: 2



Cantor: You are my son; today I have begotten you.

ANTIPHON: You are my son; today I have begotten you.

Cantor: Why do the nations conspire, and the peoples plot in vain? The kings of the earth set themselves, and the rulers take counsel together, against the Lord and his anointed, saying, "Let us burst their bonds asunder, and cast their cords from us."

ANTIPHON: You are my son; today I have begotten you.

Cantor: He who sits in the heavens laughs; the Lord has them in derision. Then he will speak to them in his wrath, and terrify them in his fury, saying, "I have set my king on Zion, my holy hill."

ANTIPHON: You are my son; today I have begotten you.

Cantor: I will tell of the decree of the Lord: He said to me, "You are my son; today I have begotten you. Ask of me, and I will make the nations your heritage, and the ends of the earth your possession. You shall break them with a rod of iron, and dash them in pieces like a potter's vessel."

ANTIPHON: You are my son; today I have begotten you.

Cantor: Now therefore, O kings, be wise; be warned, O rulers of the earth. Serve the Lord with fear, with trembling kiss his feet, or he will be angry, and you will perish in the way; for his wrath is quickly kindled. Happy are all who take refuge in him.

ANTIPHON: You are my son; today I have begotten you.

✪C: Glory to the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit; as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for evermore. Amen.

 **Kyrie**

✪ALL: Lord, have mercy, Christ, have mercy, Lord, have mercy.

Doxology

✪P: Glory to God in the highest

✪C: and on earth peace, among those with whom he is pleased. We praise you, we bless you, we worship you, we glorify you, we give thanks to you for your great glory. O Lord God, heavenly king, God, the Father Almighty. O Lord, the only begotten Son, Jesus Christ, O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father: You take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us. You take away the sin of the world; receive our prayer. You are seated at the right hand of God the Father; have mercy on us. For you alone are holy, you alone are Lord, you alone, O Christ, with the Holy Spirit, are most high in the glory of God the Father. Amen.


✪P: The Lord be with you.

✪C: And also with you.

Prayer of the Day – (Collect)

P: Let us pray that we become like Christ.

C: Almighty and loving God, we thank you for revealing your Son Jesus in glory before he suffered and died. Give us faith to recognise him as your dear Son, and strengthen us to suffer with him, until we come to share his glory. For he lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.



 **First Reading:** Exodus 24:12-18 Moses on the mountain with God

After the reading: This is the Word of the Lord

Please respond: Thanks be to God.

Second Reading: 2 Peter 1:16-21 Listen to us – we saw Christ's glory

After the reading: This is the word of the Lord.

  Hallelujah! Hallelujah! Hallelujah!

Gospel Reading: Matthew 17:1-9 The Transfiguration of Jesus

Before the reading  C Glory be to you, O Lord.

After the reading  C Praise be to you, O Christ.

C: Thank you, Lord Jesus Christ, for revealing your glory as God's Son.
Lead us to follow you in faith. Amen.

The Nicene Creed


All: I believe in one God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth,
and of all things visible and invisible.

And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, begotten
of his Father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light, very God of
very God, begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father,
by whom all things were made; who for us men and for our salvation
came down from heaven, and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the
Virgin Mary, and was made man, and was crucified also for us under
Pontius Pilate. He suffered and was buried, and the third day he rose
again according to the Scriptures, and ascended into heaven, and sits
at the right hand of the Father. He will come again with glory to judge
the living and the dead; whose kingdom will have no end.

And I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord and giver of life, who proceeds
from the Father and the Son, who together with the Father and the Son
is worshipped and glorified, who spoke by the prophets. And I believe
in one holy Christian and apostolic Church; I acknowledge one
baptism for the forgiveness of sins, and I look for the resurrection of
the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.

  Hymn No: 197 Lord, keep us steadfast in Thy Word

Sermon

 Hymn No: 152 Fairest Lord Jesus

 Offertory Prayer

♫C: Create in me a clean heart, O God, and put a new and right spirit within me. Cast me not away from your presence, and take not your Holy Spirit from me. Restore to me the joy of your salvation, and uphold me with a willing spirit.

P: Our great and glorious God, we thank you for sending your dear Son Jesus. Teach us to follow his example of self-giving service, and to offer ourselves and all we have in love to you and to others.

C: Amen.

 Prayer of the Church

The response to each petition:

P: Lord, in your mercy

C: hear our prayer.

♫Hymn No: 287 Deck thyself, my soul, with gladness

 The Preface

♫P: The Lord be with you.

♫C: And also with you.

♫P: Lift up your hearts.

♫C: We lift them up to the Lord.

♫P: Let us give thanks to the Lord. ♫C: For that is fitting and right.

♫P: It is truly fitting and right, and for our lasting good, that we should at all times, and in all places, give thanks to you, O Lord holy Father, almighty and eternal God, through Jesus Christ our Lord. And so now we praise you, that you have sent to us your only-begotten Son, and that in him, being found in human form, you have revealed the fullness of your glory. Therefore with angels and archangels, and with all the company of heaven, we adore and magnify your glorious name, evermore praising you and saying:

♫C: Holy, holy, holy, Lord God of hosts;
heaven and earth are full of your glory.
Hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna in the highest.

The Lord's Prayer

All: Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name; your kingdom come;
your will be done on earth, as it is in heaven; give us this day our
daily bread; and forgive us our sins, as we forgive those who sin
against us; and lead us not into temptation; but deliver us from evil.
For the kingdom, the power, and the glory, are yours, now and
forever. Amen.

♫The Words of Institution

The Peace

♫P: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

♫C: Amen.

Lamb of God

♫C: O Christ, Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; have
mercy on us. O Christ, Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the
world; have mercy on us. O Christ, Lamb of God, you take away the
sin of the world; grant us your peace. Amen.



The Distribution

Gluten Free wafers and non-alcoholic wine are available upon request.

Dismissal

P: The body of our Lord Jesus Christ and his precious blood strengthen
and preserve you in body and soul to life eternal. Go in peace † and
with joy.

C: Amen.



The Song of Simeon

♫C: Lord, now let your servant depart in peace according to your word. For my eyes have seen your salvation which you have prepared in the presence of all people; A light to reveal you to the nations and the glory of your people Israel. Glory to the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit, As it was in the beginning is now and will be for evermore. Amen.

♫P: The Lord be with you.

♫C: And also with you.

♫P: O give thanks to the Lord for he is good! Hallelujah!

♫C: For his love endures for ever! Hallelujah!

Prayer after Communion

♫P: Let us pray. We give you thanks, almighty God, that you have refreshed us through this healing gift; and we pray that through it you would graciously strengthen us in faith toward you and in love toward one another; through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever

♫C: Amen.

♫P: Let us bless the Lord.

♫C: God be praised for evermore.

The Blessing

♫P: The Lord bless you and keep you.

The Lord make his face shine on you and be gracious to you.

The Lord look upon you with favour † and give you peace.

♫C: Amen. Amen. Amen.



♫ Hymn No: 822 God has spoken by his prophets