Welcome to The Parish of Holy Trinity St. Stephens Anglican Memorial Church

TRANSFIGURATION

Eucharist #1

February 11th, 2024



Refrain

Come, now is the time to worship Come, now is the Time to give your heart Come, just as you are to worship Come, just as you are before your God

Come!

One day every tongue Will confess you are God One day every knee will bow Still the greatest treasure Remains for those Who gladly choose you now

Refrain

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Come!

Willingly we choose to surrender our lives.

Willingly our knees will bow.
With all our heart, soul,
Mind, and strength,
We gladly choose you now.

Refrain

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Come! (Repeat x2)

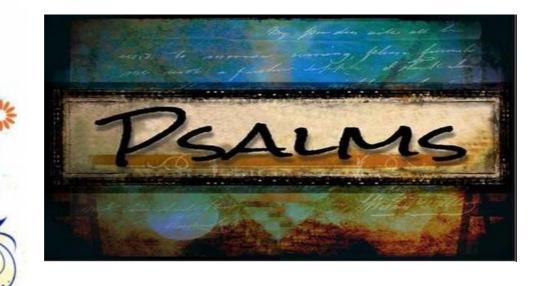




Greetings and Announcements:

Rev. Rob Henderson





Refrain:

"God makes light shine from Zion, Beauty beyond compare."

Be still for the presence of the Lord

Be still for the presence of the Lord The Holy One is here. Come bow before Him now With reverence and fear In Him no sin is found, We stand on Holy ground. Be Still for the Presence of the Lord, The Holy one is here.

Crown Him With Many Crowns

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Crown Him with many crowns, The Lamb upon His throne; Hark! how the heavenly anthem drowns All music but its own: Awake, my soul, and sing Of Him who died for thee, And hail Him as thy matchless King Through all eternity.

Crown Him the Lord of life, Who triumphed o'er the grave, And rose victorious in the strife, For those He came to save: His glories now we sing, Who died and rose on high, Who died eternal life to bring, And lives that death may die.

Crown Him the Lord of peace, Whose power a sceptre sways From pole to pole, that wars may cease, Absorbed in prayer and praise. His reign shall know no end, and round His piercèd feet Fair flowers of paradise extend their fragrance ever sweet.

Crown Him the Lord of Love. Behold His hands and side, Rich wounds, yet visible above, In beauty glorified. All hail, Redeemer, hail! For Thou has died for me; Thy praise shall never, never fail, Throughout eternity.



THE GATHERING OF THE COMMUNITY

Celebrant:

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, And the love of God, And the fellowship of the Holy Spirit, Be with you all.

People: And also with you.

Celebrant: Almighty God,

People: to you all hearts are open, all desires known,

and from you no secrets are hidden. 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.



Glory to God in the highest, and peace to his people on earth. Lord God, heavenly king, almighty God and Father, we worship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glory.

Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father, Lord God, Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world: have mercy on us. You are seated at the right hand of the Father: receive our prayer.

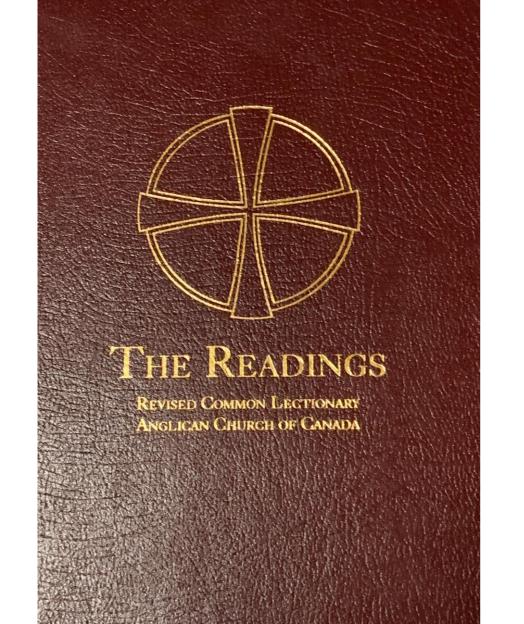
For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father.

Glory to God in the highest And peace to his people on earth Amen

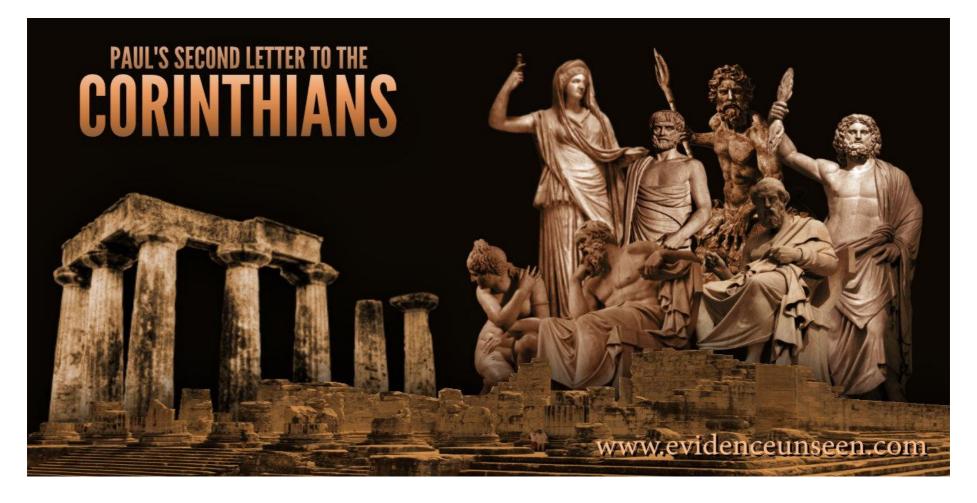
We say together the Collect for today:

Almighty God, on the holy mount you revealed to chosen witnesses your well-beloved Son, wonderfully transfigured: mercifully deliver us from the darkness of this world, and change us into his likeness from glory to glory;

through Jesus Christ our Lord who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen



The Proclamation of the Word



A Reading From The Second Letter Of Paul To The Corinthians (4:3-6)

2 Corinthians 4:3-6

Even if our gospel is veiled, it is veiled to those who are perishing. In their case the god of this world has blinded the minds of the unbelievers, to keep them from seeing the light of the gospel of the glory of Christ, who is the image of God.

For we do not proclaim ourselves; we proclaim Jesus Christ as Lord and ourselves as your slaves for Jesus' sake. For it is the God who said, "Let light shine out of darkness," who has shone in our hearts to give the light of the knowledge of the glory of God in the face of Jesus Christ.

Reader: The word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.



Psalm 50 (George Black Psalter)

Refrain: "God makes light shine from Zion, Beauty beyond compare."

The Lord, the God of gods, has spoken;

he has called the earth from the rising of the sun to its setting.

Out of Zion, perfect in its beauty, God reveals himself in glory.

God makes light shine from Zion, Beauty beyond compare.

Our God will come and will not keep silence;

before him there is a consuming flame, and round about him a raging storm.

He calls the heavens and the earth

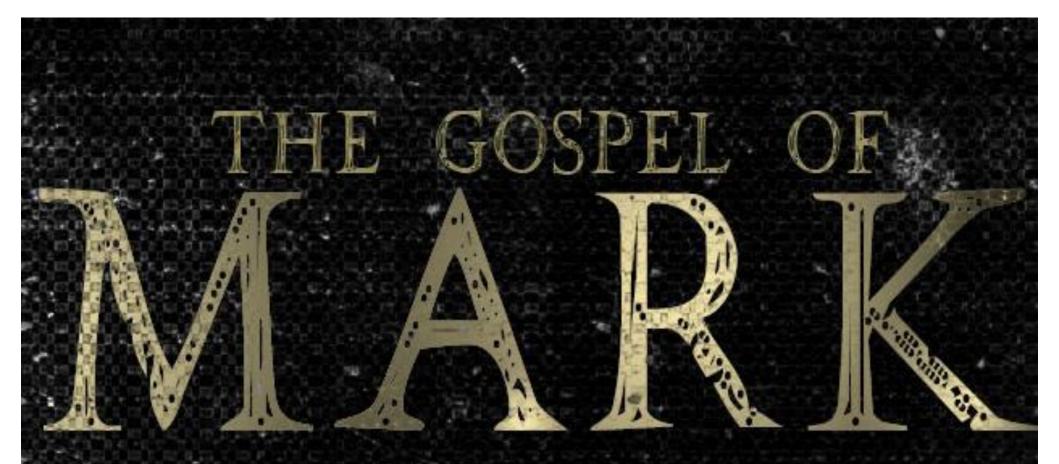
from above

to witness the judgement of his people.

God makes light shine from Zion, Beauty beyond compare.

"Gather before me my loyal followers, those who have made a covenant with me and sealed it with sacrifice." Let the heavens declare the rightness of his cause; for God himself is judge.

God makes light shine from Zion, Beauty beyond compare.



BE Amazed, BE Transformed, BE Christ to the World



Verse 1

Santo Santo Santo Mi corazon te adora! Mi corazon te sabe decir Santo eres Senor

Verse 2

Holy Holy Holy My heart, my heart adores you! My heart is glad to hear Your word; You are Holy Lord.



All stand for the Gospel

Reader: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Reader: The Holy Gospel

of our Lord Jesus

Christ according to Mark.

People: Glory to you,

Lord Jesus Christ.

Mark 9:2-9

Six days later, Jesus took with him Peter and James and John, and led them up a high mountain apart, by themselves. And he was transfigured before them, and his clothes became dazzling white, such as no one on earth could bleach them. And there appeared to them Elijah with Moses,

who were talking with Jesus. Then Peter said to Jesus, "Rabbi, it is good for us to be here; let us make three dwellings, one for you, one for Moses, and one for Elijah." He did not know what to say, for they were terrified. Then a cloud overshadowed them, and from the cloud there came a voice,

"This is my Son, the Beloved; listen to him!" Suddenly when they looked around, they saw no one with them any more, but only Jesus. As they were coming down the mountain, he ordered them to tell no one about what they had seen, until after the Son of Man had risen from the dead.

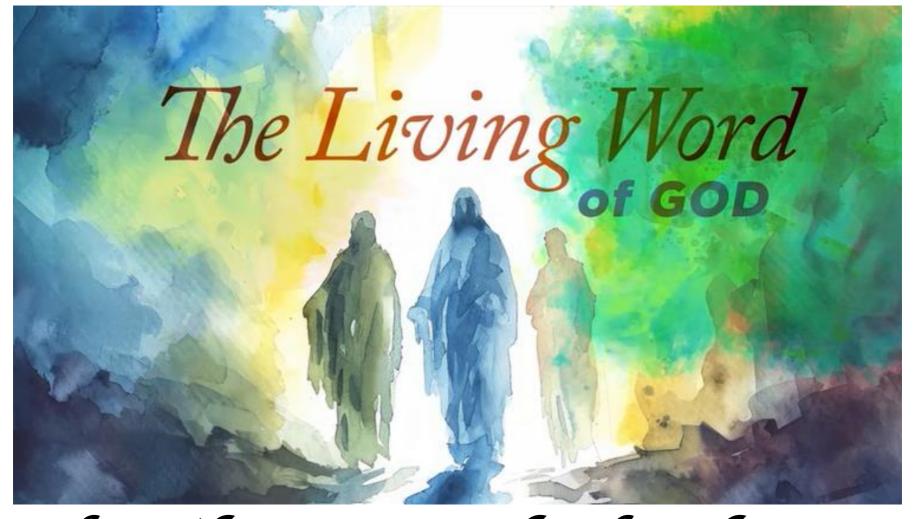
Reader: The Gospel of Christ.

People: Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Verse 2

Holy Holy Holy My heart, my heart adores you! My heart is glad to hear Your word; You are Holy Lord.





Homíly Rev. Rob Henderson



Prayers of the People

<u>Transfiguration Sunday – Year B</u>

With all our heart and all our mind, let us pray to the Lord saying: Lord in your mercy: Hear our prayer.

Ignite the spirits of all who lead us in your church, that they may be a beacon to guide us across life's troubled waters toward the wholeness of life in you. We pray especially for Todd our Bishop and the Diocese of Huron. Lord in your mercy.

Hear our prayer.

Illuminate the halls of governments across this world with your saving wisdom and grace. Guide our voices to speak only with love and compassion on behalf of all your people. We pray especially for Justin our Prime Minister, Doug our Premier, and Josh our mayor. Lord in your mercy.

Hear our prayer.

Fill us with the power of your love and guide us to the unity of spirit that you long for. We pray especially for a spirit to love those we disagree with. Lord in your mercy.

Enable those troubled by illness or difficult life circumstance, to feel your healing love within and to know the comfort of your enduring, eternal Presence.

Lord in your mercy.

We pray for the sick, the suffering, the isolated. We pray for those on our parish prayer list, especially today we hold up: Evelyn, Dave, Leona, Junia, Gloria, Joanie T., and Bob. Lord in your mercy.

Hear our prayer.

God of love, infuse us with greater strength and purpose faithfully to reaffirm our covenant with you. May our lives and souls be purified through the dazzling brilliance of the Transfigured Christ and the mystical breath of the Holy Spirit who, together with You, reign as One God, now and forever. Amen.

Confession and Absolution

Celebrant: Dear friends in Christ, God is steadfast in love and infinite in mercy; **God welcomes sinners** and invites them to this table. Let us confess our sins, confident in God's forgiveness.

Celebrant: Most merciful God,

People: 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 neighbours 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.

Celebrant: Almighty God have mercy upon you, pardon and deliver you from all your sins, confirm and strengthen you in all goodness, and keep you in eternal life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. People:



Celebrant: The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People: And also with you.



The Peace of the Earth Be With You

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Verse 1

The peace of the earth be with you The peace of the heavens too. The peace of the rivers be with you The peace of the oceans too. Deep peace falling over you. God's peace growing in you.



Receiving the gifts of money and other gifts for the needs and responsibilities of the Church.



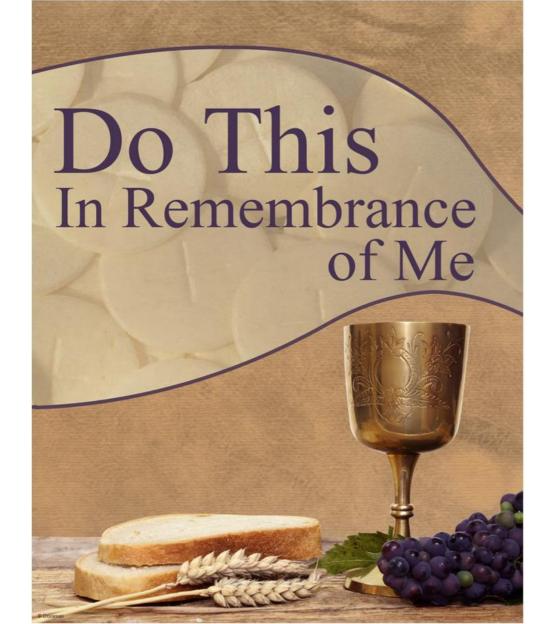


The flowers for the Altar today are given to the Glory of God by Marge Waller in memory of Loved Ones.

Prayer Over The Gifts

Holy God, receive all we offer you this day, and bring us to that radiant glory which we see in the transfigured face of Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.



Eucharistic Prayer # 1

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Celebrant: Lift up your hearts.

People: We lift them to the Lord.

Celebrant: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People: It is right to give our thanks and praise.

Celebrant: It is indeed right that we should praise you, gracious God, for you created all things. You formed us in your own image: wonderfully you created us. When we turned away from you in sin, you did not cease to care for us,

but opened a path of salvation for all people.

You made a covenant with Israel, and through your servants **Abraham and Sarah** gave the promise of a blessing to all nations.

Through Moses you led your people from bondage into freedom; through the prophets you renewed your promise of salvation.

Therefore, with them, and with all your saints who have served you in every age, we give thanks and raise our voices to proclaim the glory of your name.

Hymn 722 Holy Holy (Eucharist) Holy, Holy Holy, Lord God of power and might, heaven and earth are full, full of your glory Hosanna, Hosanna, Hosanna, Hosanna in the highest, **Blessed is the One who comes** in the name of the Lord, Hosanna, Hosanna, Hosanna Hosanna in the highest.

Holy God, source of life Celebrant: and goodness, all creation rightly gives you praise. In the fullness of time, you sent your Son Jesus Christ, to share our human nature, to live and die as one of us, to reconcile us to you, the God and Father of all.

He healed the sick and ate and drank with outcasts and sinners; he opened the eyes of the blind and proclaimed the good news of your kingdom to the poor and to those in need. In all things he fulfilled your gracious will.

On the night he freely gave himself to 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."

Gracious God, his perfect sacrifice destroys the power of sin and death;

By raising him to life you give us life forever more.

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

All: Christ has died.

Christ is risen.

Christ will come again.

Recalling his death, Celebrant: proclaiming his resurrection, and looking for his coming again in glory, we offer you, Father, this bread and this cup.

Send your Holy Spirit upon us and upon these gifts, that all who eat and drink at this table may be one body and one holy people, a living sacrifice in Jesus Christ, our Lord.

Through Christ, with Christ, and in Christ, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all glory is yours, almighty Father, now and for ever.

People: Amen.



Lord's Prayer

(Songs of a Gospel People)

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 them,
that 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

Breaking of The Bread #1

Celebrant: "I am the bread of life," says the Lord. "Whoever comes to me will never be hungry; whoever believes in me will never thirst."

People: Taste and see that the Lord is good; happy are they who trust in him!





Cantor: Lamb of God,
you take away
the sin of the world,
have mercy on us.

All: Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world, have mercy on us.

<u>Verse 2</u>

Cantor: Lamb of God,
you take away
the sin of the world,
have mercy on us.

All: Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world, have mercy on us.

Cantor: Lamb of God,
you take away
the sin of the world
grant us grant us peace.

All: Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world, grant us grant us peace.





ALL ARE WELCOME AT THE TABLE, IT IS JESUS WHO INVITES YOU.

Please allow personal distance when approaching to receive the sacrament.

If you do not wish to receive the wafer, please cross your arms in front of your chest to receive God's blessing.

Gluten free wafers are available.

Communion Hymn



Be Still For the Presence of The Lord



Be still for the presence of the Lord The Holy One is here. Come bow before Him now With reverence and fear In Him no sin is found, We stand on Holy ground. Be Still for the Presence of the Lord, The Holy one is here.

Be still for the Glory of the Lord Is shining all around. He burns with Holy fire, With splendour He is crowned. How awesome is the sight Our radiant King of light. Be Still for the Glory of the Lord Is shining all around.

Interlude (Music-Verse)

Bridge

No work too hard for Him In Faith receive from Him; Be still for the power of the Lord Is moving in this place.

We Say Together the Prayer After Communion:

Holy God, we see your glory in the face of Jesus Christ. May we who are partakers of his table reflect his life in word and deed, that all the world may know his power to change and save. We ask this in his name. Amen.

The Doxology

Celebrant: Glory to God,

People: whose power, working in us, can do infinitely more than we can ask or imagine. Glory to God from generation to generation, in the Church and in Christ Jesus, for ever and ever. Amen.



SHINE, JESUS, SHINE

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Shine, Jesus, Shine Fill this land with the Father's glory; **Blaze, Spirit, Blaze** Set our hearts on fire. Flow, River, Flow Flood the nations With grace and mercy; Send forth your word, Lord And let there be light.

Lord the light Of Your love is shining In the midst Of the darkness, shining; Jesus, Light of the world, Shine upon us, Set us free by the truth You now bring us, Shine on me, Shine on me.

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Lord, I come to Your awesome presence, From the shadows Into Your radiance; By the blood I may enter Your brightness; Search me, try me, Consume all my darkness, Shine on me, shine on me.

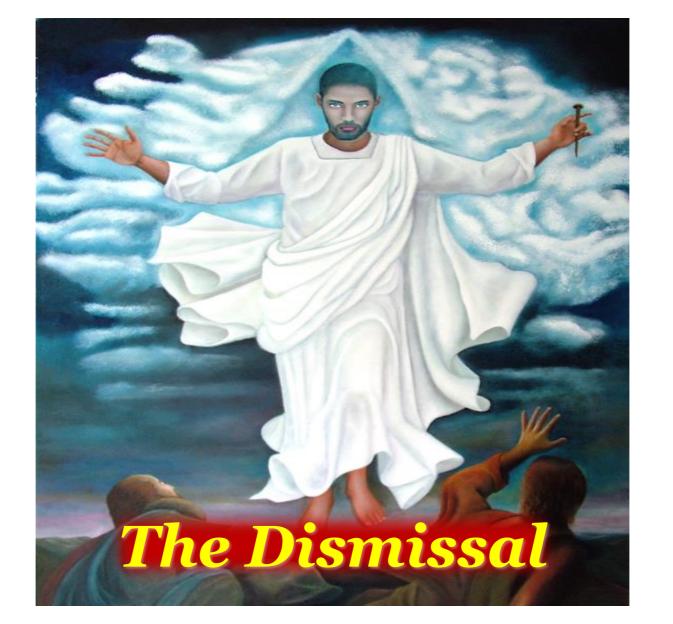
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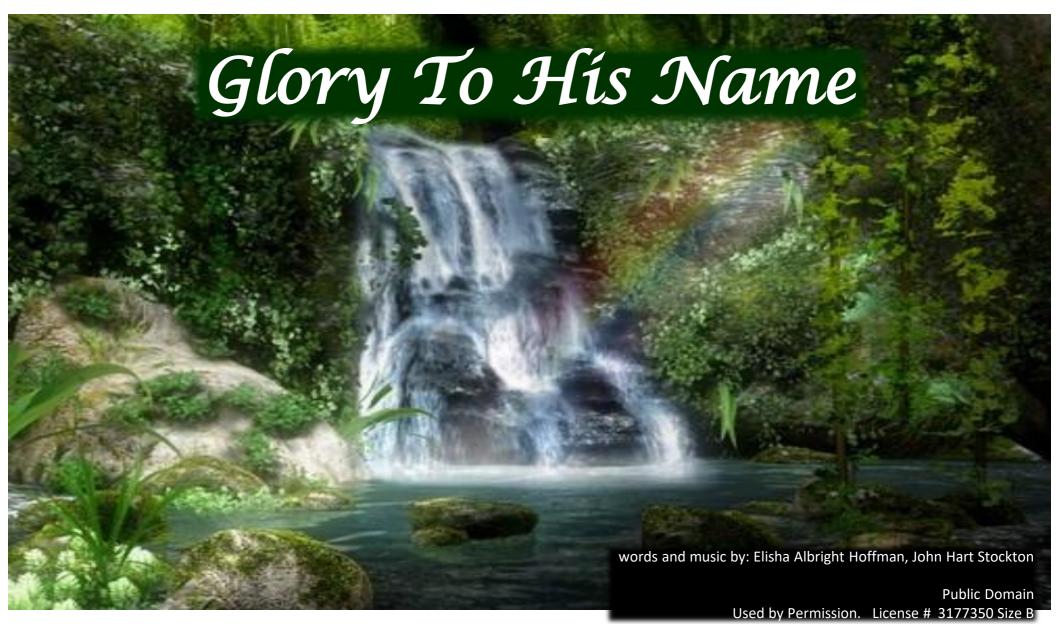
As we gaze on Your kingly brightness So our faces display Your likeness; Ever changing from glory to glory, Mirrored here may our lives Tell Your story, Shine on me, shine on me.

Shine, Jesus, Shine Fill this land with the Father's glory; **Blaze, Spirit, Blaze** Set our hearts on fire. Flow, River, Flow Flood the nations With grace and mercy; Send forth your word, Lord And let there be light.

Tag Send forth Your word, Lord And let there be light







Down at the cross where my Savior died, Down where for cleansing from sin I cried, There to my heart was the blood applied; **Glory to His Name!**

Glory to His Name, Glory to His Name: There to my heart was the blood applied; Glory to His Name!

I am so wondrously saved from sin, Jesus so sweetly abides within, There at the cross where He took me in; **Glory to His Name!**

Glory to His Name, Glory to His Name: There to my heart was the blood applied; Glory to His Name!

Oh, precious fountain that saves from sin, I am so glad I have entered in; There Jesus saves me And keeps me clean; **Glory to His Name!**

Glory to His Name, Glory to His Name: There to my heart was the blood applied; Glory to His Name!

Come to this fountain so rich and sweet, Cast thy poor soul at the Saviour's feet; Plunge in today, and be made complete; **Glory to His Name!**

Glory to His Name,
Glory to His Name:
There to my heart
was the blood applied;
Glory to His Name!

(Repeat Chorus) (Tag)

Glory to His Name!



Thank you for Worshipping with us!

GOD BLESS
have a great week