Welcome to The Parish of Holy Trinity St. Stephens



2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday after the Epiphany



I've got that Joy, Joy, Joy Down in my heart, Down in my heart, Down in my heart. I've got that Joy, Joy, Joy **Down in my heart** Down in my heart to stay.

# **Chorus**

And I'm so happy, so very happy I've got the love of Jesus In my heart. And I'm so happy, so very happy I've got the love of Jesus In my heart.

I've got the love of Jesus, Love of Jesus Down in my heart, Down in my heart, Down in my heart. I've got the love of Jesus, **Love of Jesus** Down in my heart, Down in my heart to stay. Joy,

# **Chorus**

And I'm so happy, so very happy I've got the love of Jesus In my heart. And I'm so happy, so very happy I've got the love of Jesus In my heart.

I've got the peace That passes understanding Down in my heart, Down in my heart, Down in my heart. I've got the peace That passes understanding Down in my heart, Down in my heart to stay, Joy, Joy, Joy 5/6

# **Chorus**

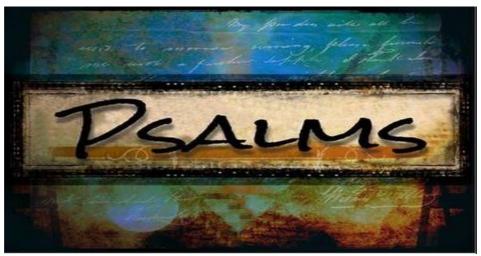
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Psalm 139(George Black Psalter)

# **Refrain:**

"Whenever I walk or rest, you know where I have been."

# He touched me

Shackled by a heavy burden,
'Neath a load of guilt and shame.
Then the hand of Jesus touched me.
And now I am no longer the same.



Blest Are The Pure In Heart Book of Common Praise 439

Blest are the pure in heart,
For they shall see our God;
The secret of the Lord is theirs,
Their soul is Christ's abode.

The Lord, who left the heavens
Our life and peace to bring,
To dwell in lowliness with men,
Our Pattern and our King;

# Still to the lowly soul His presence doth impart And for a dwelling and a throne Chooseth the pure in heart.

Lord, we thy presence seek;
May ours this blessing be;
Give us a pure and lowly heart,
A temple meet for thee.



# 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.

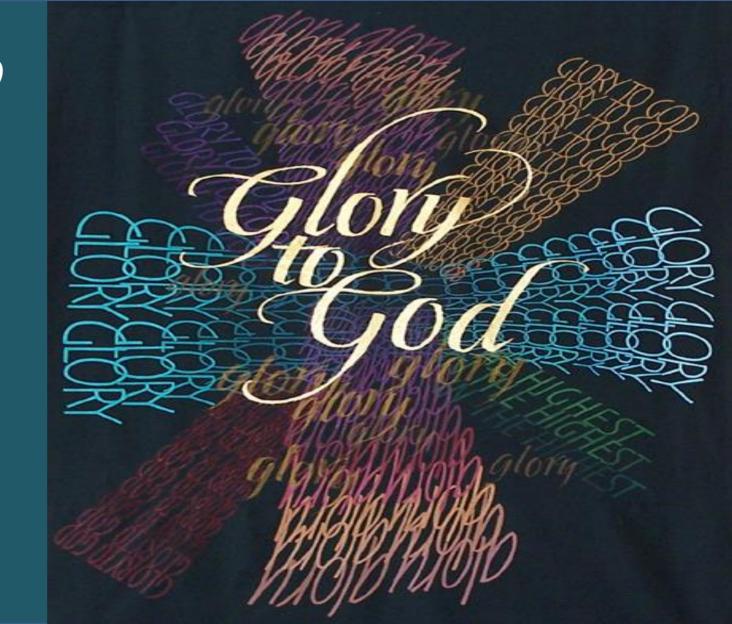
Celebrant: Almighty God,

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 on High

Book of Common Praíse 365



Glory to God on high, And peace to all on earth. We worship you, we give you thanks, Our heavenly King. We give you praise, **Almighty God and Father** Blessed in glory bright.

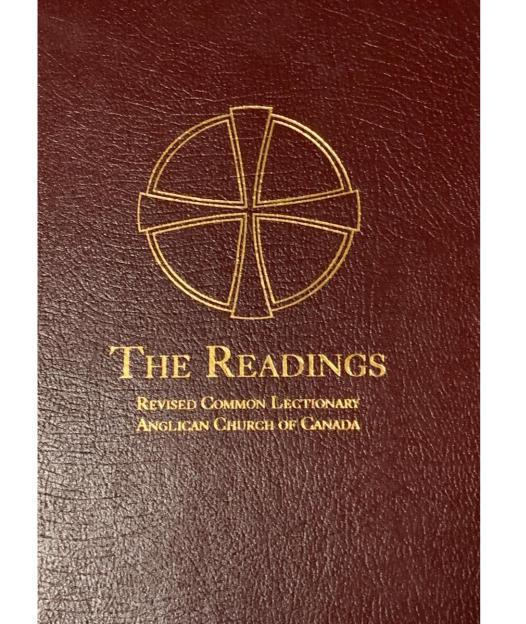
Our Saviour, Jesus Christ, The Father's only Son, The sacrificial Lamb, Who saves the world from sin, **Have mercy Lord.** Beside the Father's hand enthroned, Now hear our prayer.

You only are the Lord. You only are most high. You only are the holy one, **Lord Jesus Christ.** And now you reign With Father and with Spirit One in glorious light.

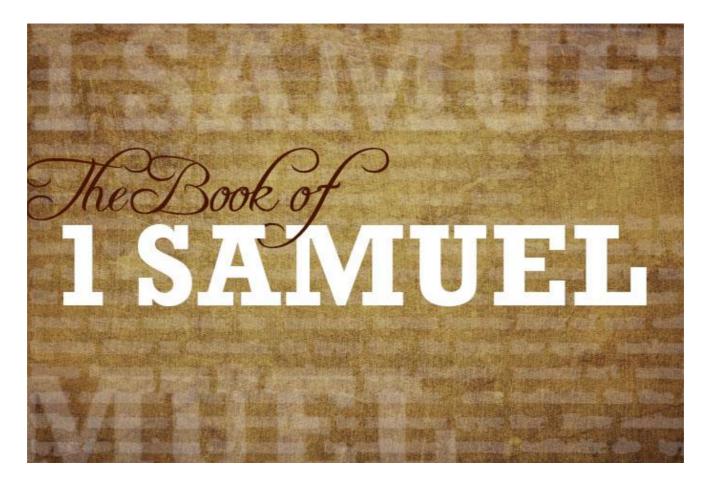
# We say together the Collect for today:

Almighty God, your Son our Saviour Jesus Christ is the light of the world. May your people, illumined by your word and sacraments, shine with the radiance of his glory, that he may be known, worshipped, and obeyed to the ends of the earth;

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 First Book of Samuel (3:1-10)

# 1 Samuel 3:1-10

Now the boy Samuel was ministering to the LORD under Eli. The word of the LORD was rare in those days; visions were not widespread. At that time Eli, whose eyesight had begun to grow dim so that he could not see, was lying down in his room; the lamp of God had not yet gone out,

and Samuel was lying down in the temple of the LORD, where the ark of God was. Then the LORD called, "Samuel! Samuel!" and he said, "Here I am!" and ran to Eli, and said, "Here I am, for you called me." But he said, "I did not call; lie down again." So he went and lay down.

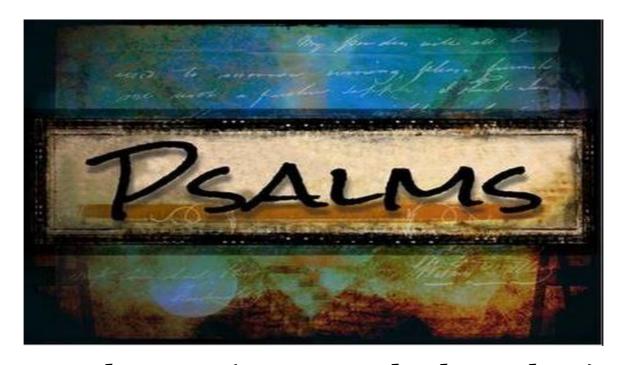
The LORD called again, "Samuel!" Samuel got up and went to Eli, and said, "Here I am, for you called me." But he said, "I did not call, my son; lie down again." Now Samuel did not yet know the LORD, and the word of the LORD had not yet been revealed to him.

The LORD called Samuel again, a third time. And he got up and went to Eli, and said, "Here I am, for you called me." Then Eli perceived that the LORD was calling the boy. Therefore Eli said to Samuel, "Go, lie down; and if he calls you, you shall say,

'Speak, LORD, for your servant is listening." So Samuel went and lay down in his place. Now the LORD came and stood there, calling as before, "Samuel! Samuel!" And Samuel said, "Speak, for your servant is listening."

Reader: The word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.



Psalm 139 (George Black Psalter) **Refrain:** 

# "Whenever I walk or rest, you know where I have been."

# Psalm 139 (George Black Psalter)

- Lord, you have searched me out and known me; you know my sitting down and my rising up; You discern my thoughts from afar. You trace my journeys and my resting places
- And are acquainted with all my ways. Whenever I walk or rest, you know where I have been.

# Psalm 139 (George Black Psalter)

Indeed, there is not a word on my lips, but you, O Lord, know it altogether. You press upon me behind and before and lay your hand upon me. Such knowledge is too wonderful for me;

It is so high that I cannot attain to it.

Whenever I walk or rest, you know where I have been.

#### Psalm 139 (George Black Psalter)

My body was not hidden from you, while I was being made in secret. Your eyes beheld my limbs, yet unfinished in the womb; they were fashioned day by day, when as yet there was none of them.

Whenever I walk or rest, you know where I have been.





### **Chorus**

Halle Halle - lujah Halle Halle Halle - lujah Halle Halle Halle - lujah Hallelujah, Hallelujah!

## 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 John.

People: Glory to you,

**Lord Jesus Christ.** 

#### John 1:43-51

The next day Jesus decided to go to Galilee. He found Philip and said to him, "Follow me." Now Philip was from Bethsaida, the city of Andrew and Peter. Philip found Nathanael and said to him, "We have found him about whom Moses in the law and also the prophets wrote, Jesus son of Joseph from Nazareth."

Nathanael said to him, "Can anything good come out of Nazareth?" Philip said to him, "Come and see." When Jesus saw Nathanael coming toward him, he said of him, "Here is truly an Israelite in whom there is no deceit!" Nathanael asked him, "Where did you get to know me?" Jesus answered, "I saw you under the fig tree before Philip called you."

Nathanael replied, "Rabbi, you are the Son of God! You are the King of Israel!" Jesus answered, "Do you believe because I told you that I saw you under the fig tree? You will see greater things than these." And he said to him, "Very truly, I tell you, you will see heaven opened and the angels of God ascending and descending upon the Son of Man."

Reader: The Gospel of Christ.

People: Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

#### **Chorus**

Halle Halle - lujah Halle Halle Halle - lujah Halle Halle Halle - lujah Hallelujah, Hallelujah!





The Homily by: Rev. Rob Henderson

## The Apostles' Creed

Celebrant: Let us confess the faith of our baptism, as we say,

People: 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

#### 2nd Sunday after Epiphany – Year B

Called together as a family of faith, God invites us to bring our mutual concerns for our lives and the lives of others. Let us now accept God's invitation with one voice saying: Hear our prayer.

Let us pray for the world and all the leaders of the nations, that wisdom and integrity might prevail. For regions torn by conflict; Ukraine and the Middle East; that peace be found. Lord in your mercy.

Let us pray for the church; the unity of the body of Christ. For Todd our Bishop, our clergy and for all ministry that nurtures our life as the voice of Jesus in our communities. That the body may be strengthened and our common life enriched. Lord in your mercy.

Hear our prayer.

Let us pray for our parish community of Holy Trinity St Stephens Memorial. For our presence in this community, that persons may find here the means of a deeper relationship with God and a new commitment to follow in the way of Jesus. Lord in your mercy.

Hear our prayer.

Let us pray for those in need. The sick, the isolated, the lonely, those who are vulnerable. We ask Gods blessing for those on our parish prayer list today remembering: Terry, Cavell, Karen C., Dan, Philip W., and Raymie D. Lord in your mercy.

Hear our prayer.

By your power dear God, you raised Christ Jesus and in him we too will be raised. Receive our prayers and those of all your saints, that trusting in you all the days of our lives, we may know the fullness of your love and the power of your resurrection, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

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.

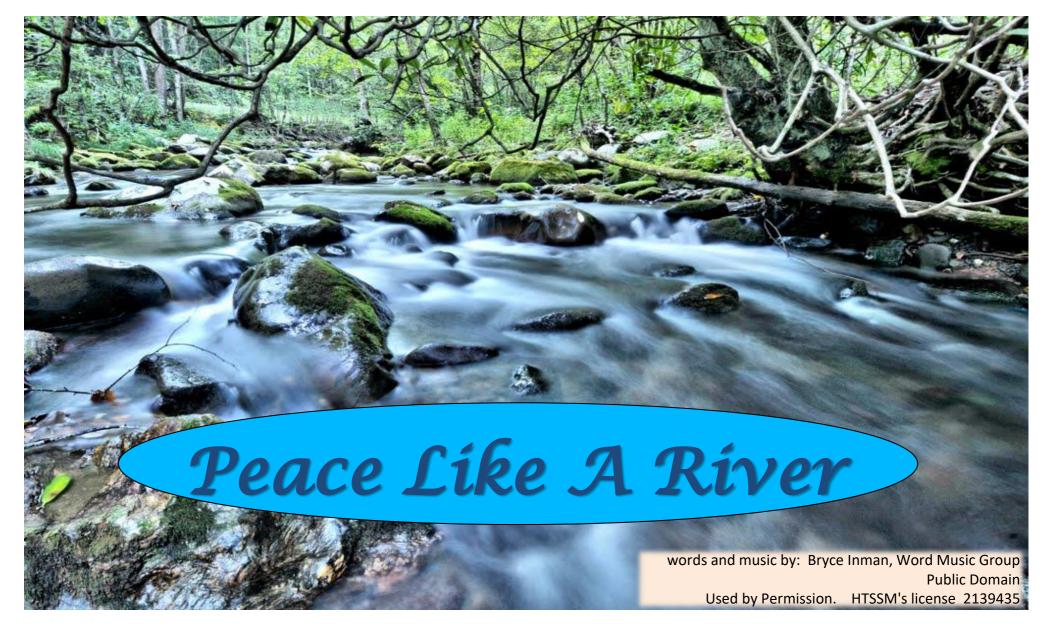
We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, Have mercy on us and forgive us, that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your name. Amen.

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.



#### Verse 1

I've got peace like a river, I've got peace like a river, I've got peace like a river in my soul. I've got peace like a river, I've got peace like a river, I've got peace like a river in my soul.

**Other Verses** 

I've got love like an ocean...
I've got joy like a fountain...
I will sing Alleluia...

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

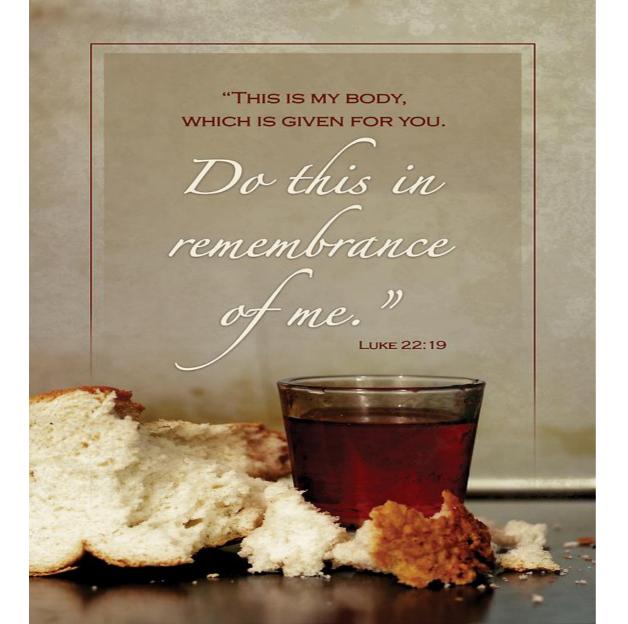




The flowers for the Altar today are given to the Glory of God by Colin & Carol Shutt in memory of their parents Don & Kay Shutt, and Al & Laura Adie.

# **Prayer Over The Gifts**

Living God, you have revealed your Son as the Messiah. May we hear his word and follow it and live as children of light. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ the Lord. Amen.



# Eucharistic Prayer # 5

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: We give you thanks and praise, almighty God, for the gift of a world full of wonder, and for our life which comes from you. By your power you sustain the universe.

People: Glory to you for ever and ever.

**Eucharistic Prayer 5-2/16** 

#### Celebrant:

You created us to love you with all our heart, and to love each other as ourselves, but we rebel against you by the evil that we do.

In Jesus, your Son, you bring healing to our world and gather us into one great family.

Therefore, with all who serve you on earth and in heaven, we praise your wonderful name, as we sing, Hymn 732 Holy Holy Holy (Eucharist)

Holy, Holy, Lord God of power and might, Heaven and earth are full of your glory Hosanna in the highest, Hosanna in the highest.

Blest, the One who comes in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna in the highest, Hosanna in the highest.

#### Celebrant:

We give you thanks and praise, loving Father, because in sending Jesus, your Son, to us you showed us how much you love us.

He cares for the poor and the hungry.
He suffers with the sick and the rejected.

Betrayed and forsaken, he did not strike back but overcame hatred with love. On the cross, he defeated the power of sin and death.

By raising him from the dead you show us the power of your love to bring new life to all your people.

People: Glory to you for ever and ever.

#### Celebrant:

On the night before he gave up his life for us, Jesus, at supper with his friends, took bread, gave thanks to you, broke it,

and gave it to them, saying, "Take this, all of you, and eat it:

this is my body which is given for you."

After supper,
Jesus took the cup of wine,
said the blessing,
gave it to his friends, and said,

"Drink this, all of you: this is the cup of my blood, the blood of the new and eternal covenant, which is shed for you and for many, so that sins may be forgiven. Do this in memory of me."

People: Glory to you for ever and ever.

**Eucharistic Prayer 5-12/16** 

#### Celebrant:

**Gracious God,** with this bread and wine we celebrate the death and resurrection of Jesus, and we offer ourselves to you in him.

Send your Holy Spirit on us and on these gifts, that we may know the presence of Jesus in the breaking of bread, and share in the life of the family of your children.

People: Glory to you for ever and ever.

**Eucharistic Prayer 5-14/16** 

#### Celebrant:

Father, you call us to be your servants; fill us with the courage and love of Jesus, that all the world may gather in joy at the table of your kingdom.

We sing your praise, almighty Father, through Jesus, our Lord, in the power of the Holy Spirit, now and for ever.

People: Glory to you for ever and ever. 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 sins of the World,
have mercy on us.

All: Lamb of God,
You take away
the sins of the World,
have mercy on us.

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# 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





Shackled by a heavy burden,
'Neath a load of guilt and shame.
Then the hand of Jesus touched me.
And now I am no longer the same.

#### **Chorus**

He touched me, oh He touched me. And oh, the joy that floods my soul!! Something happened, And now I know! He touched me and made me whole.

Since I met this blessed Savior, Since He cleansed And made me whole, I will never cease to praise Him, And shout it while eternity rolls.

#### **Chorus**

He touched me, oh He touched me. And oh, the joy that floods my soul!! Something happened, And now I know! He touched me and made me whole.



We Say Together the Prayer After Communion: God of glory, you nourish us with bread from heaven. Fill us with your Holy Spirit, that through us your light may shine in all the world. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ.

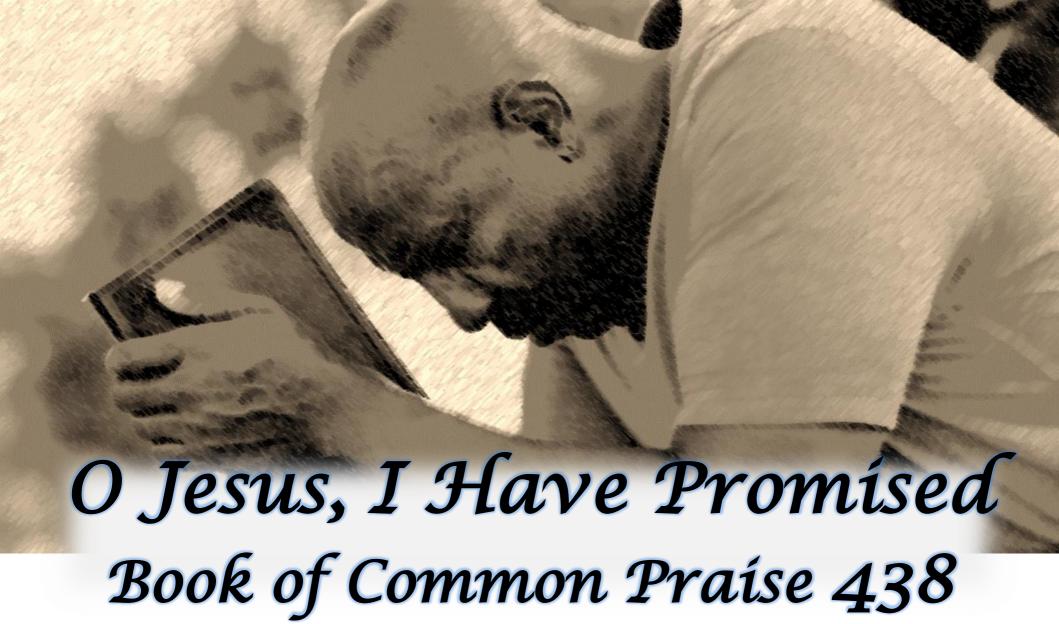
Amen.

## 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.





O Jesus, I have promised To serve thee to the end: Be thou forever near me, My Master and my Friend; I shall not fear the battle If thou art by my side, Nor wander from the pathway If thou wilt be my guide.

O let me feel thee near me! The world is ever near; I see the sights that dazzle, The tempting sounds I hear; My foes are ever near me, **Around me and within;** But Jesus, draw thou nearer, And shield my soul from sin.

O Jesus, thou hast promised To all who follow thee, That where thou art in glory There shall thy servant be; And, Jesus I have promised To serve thee to the end; O give me grace to follow, My Master and my friend.

O let me see thy footmarks, And in them plant mine own; My hope to follow duly Is in thy strength alone. O guide me, call me, draw me, Uphold me to the end; And then in heaven receive me, My Savior and my Friend.



# GOD BLESS YOU HAVE A GOOD WEEK!

The Dismissal



You are the River, Running through my soul. You are the River, Makes my body whole You are the River, My source and my supply You are the River That never will run dry.

#### **Chorus**

Flow River, flow through me. Flow River, flow to the sea. Flow River, flow through me. Flow River, flow to the sea.

You are the River, From the mountain flows You are the River To the ocean goes You are the River, Coming from God's throne. You are the River, Carry me back home.

#### **Chorus**

Flow River, flow through me.
Flow River, flow to the sea.
Flow River, flow through me.
Flow River, flow to the sea.

You are the River, Giving life to all. You are the River, The answer to my call. You are the River, The path for us to see You are the River, Showing love to me.

#### **Chorus**

Flow River, flow through me. Flow River, flow to the sea. Flow River, flow through me. Flow River, flow to the sea.

