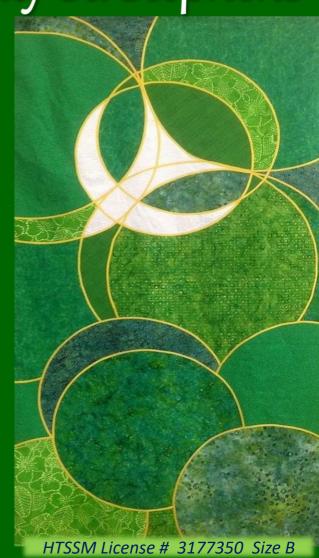
Welcome to The Parish of Holy Trinity St. Stephens



The 2nd Sunday After Pentecost

SUNDAY JUNE 11TH, 2023





<u>Refrain</u>

Majesty, worship His Majesty, Unto Jesus be glory, **Honour and praise.** Majesty, Kingdom, authority Flow from his throne unto his own, His anthem raise !!

Repeat Refrain

So exalt, lift up on high The name of Jesus. Magnify, come glorify Christ Jesus the King.

Majesty, worship his Majesty. Jesus who died, now glorified, King of all Kings!

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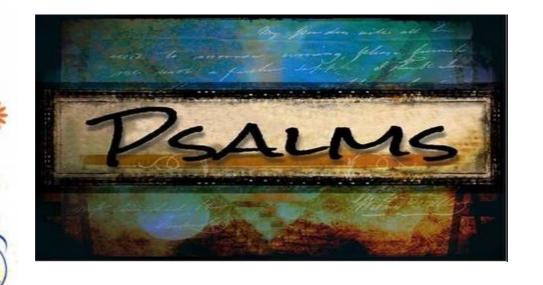
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Greetings and Announcements:

Rev. Rob Henderson





Psalm 33:1-12 (George Black Psalter)

Refrain:

"Happy the people, happy the people happy the people who are God's own."

O Master, Let Me Walk With Thee

O Master let me walk with Thee; In lowly paths of service free. Teach me thy secret, help me bear The strain of toil the fret of care.



Refrain

Sing a new song unto the Lord; Let your song be sung From mountains high. Sing a new song unto the Lord, Singing alleluia.

Yahweh's people dance for joy.

Oh come before the Lord.

And play for him on glad tambourines,

And let your trumpet sound.

Refrain

Sing a new song unto the Lord; Let your song be sung From mountains high. Sing a new song unto the Lord, Singing alleluia.

Rise oh children from your sleep.
Your Savior now has come.
He has turned your sorrow to joy,
And filled your soul with song.

Refrain

Sing a new song unto the Lord; Let your song be sung From mountains high. Sing a new song unto the Lord, Singing alleluia.

Glad my soul, for I have seen The Glory of the Lord. The trumpet sounds; The dead shall be raised. I know my Saviour lives

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THE GATHERING OF THE COMMUNITY

Celebrant:

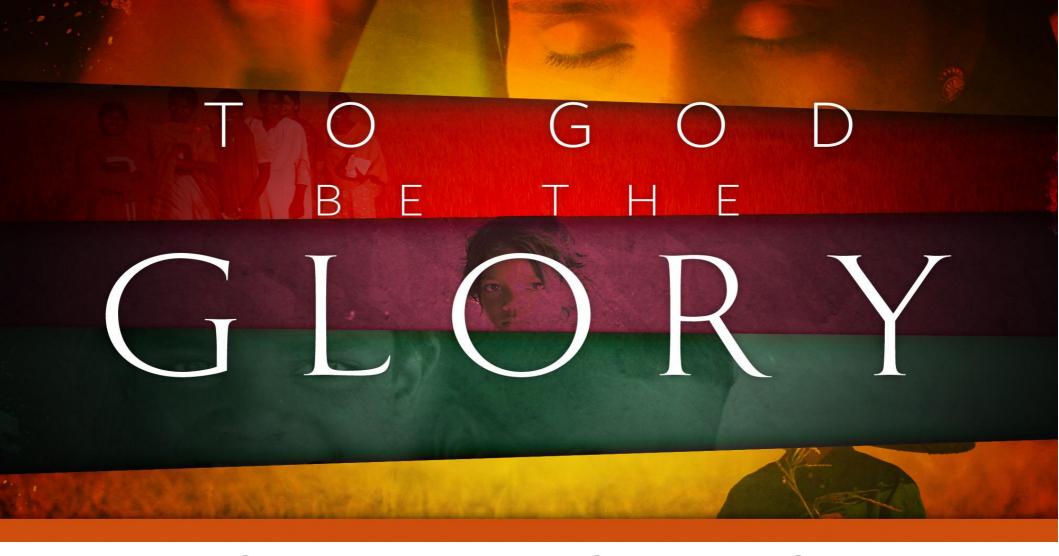
The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, And the love of God, And the fellowship of the Holy Spirit, Be with you all.

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 Be to the Father

Chorus

Glory be to the Father, Glory be to the Son, Glory be to the Spirit, All Glory to our God.

We praise you, we bless you, We give you thanks. We praise you for your Glory. We praise you, we bless you, We worship you, O Lord, our God!

Chorus

Glory be to the Father, Glory be to the Son, Glory be to the Spirit, All Glory to our God.

Lord Jesus Christ,
Only Son of God.
You are One with the Father,
Receive our prayer.

Chorus

Glory be to the Father, Glory be to the Son, Glory be to the Spirit, All Glory to our God.

You alone are the holy One,
You alone are the Lord.
With the Holy Spirit,
in the glory of God.

Chorus

Glory be to the Father, Glory be to the Son, Glory be to the Spirit, All Glory to our God.

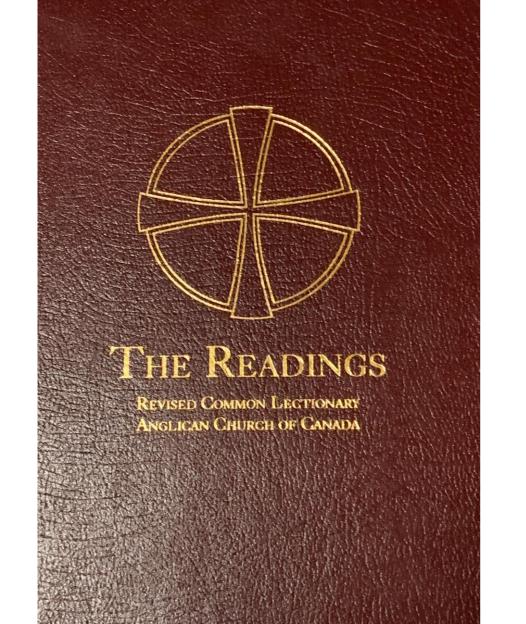
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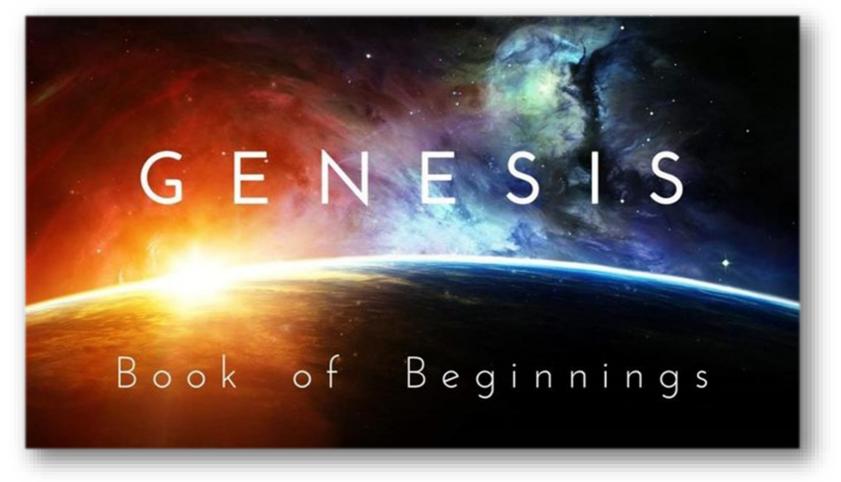


We say together the Collect for today:

O God, you have assured the human family of eternal life through Jesus Christ our Saviour. Deliver us from the death of sin and raise us to new life in him, 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 Book of Genesis (12:1-9)

Genesis 12:1-9

Now the Lord said to Abram, "Go from your country and your kindred and your father's house to the land that I will show you. I will make of you a great nation, and I will bless you, and make your name great, so that you will be a blessing. I will bless those who bless you,

and the one who curses you I will curse; and in you all the families of the earth shall be blessed." So Abram went, as the Lord had told him; and Lot went with him. Abram was seventy-five years old when he departed from Haran. Abram took his wife Sarai and his brother's son Lot,

and all the possessions that they had gathered, and the persons whom they had acquired in Haran; and they set forth to go to the land of Canaan. When they had come to the land of Canaan, Abram passed through the land to the place at Shechem, to the oak of Moreh. At that time the Canaanites were in the land.

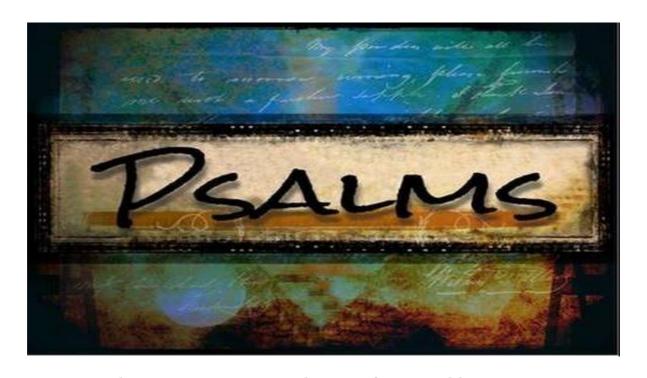
Genesis 12:1-9-3/5

Then the Lord appeared to Abram, and said, "To your offspring I will give this land." So he built there an altar to the Lord, who had appeared to him. From there he moved on to the hill country on the east of Bethel, and pitched his tent, with Bethel on the west and Ai on the east;

and there he built an altar to the Lord and invoked the name of the Lord. And Abram journeyed on by stages toward the Negeb.

Reader: The word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.



Psalm 33 – Psalms for All Seasons

"Happy the people, happy the people happy the people who are God's own."

Psalm 33 – Psalms for All Seasons

Rejoice in the Lord, you righteous; praise is fitting for the upright.

Praise the Lord with the lyre; Make music for God with 10-stringed harp.

Happy the people, happy the people happy the people who are God's own,

Psalm 33 – Psalms for All Seasons

Sing for the Lord a new song; play your instrument with joyful sounds. Your Word, O Lord is right, and faithful are all your works.

Happy the people, happy the people happy the people who are God's own,





Chorus

Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia.

(Cantor) Verse 7

Even if you have to die,
Close to my Word, keep faithful.
For your faithfulness, I will
Give you the crown of life.

Chorus

Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia.

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 Matthew.

People: Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Matthew 9:9-13, 18-26

As Jesus was walking along, he saw a man called Matthew sitting at the tax booth; and he said to him, "Follow me." And he got up and followed him. And as he sat at dinner in the house, many tax collectors and sinners came and were sitting with him and his disciples. When the Pharisees saw this,

they said to his disciples, "Why does your teacher eat with tax collectors and sinners?" But when he heard this, he said, "Those who are well have no need of a physician, but those who are sick. Go and learn what this means, 'I desire mercy, not sacrifice.' For I have come to call not the righteous but sinners."

While he was saying these things to them, suddenly a leader of the synagogue came in and knelt before him, saying, "My daughter has just died; but come and lay your hand on her, and she will live." And Jesus got up and followed him, with his disciples. Then suddenly a woman who had been suffering from hemorrhages for twelve years came up behind him

and touched the fringe of his cloak, for she said to herself, "If I only touch his cloak, I will be made well." Jesus turned, and seeing her he said, "Take heart, daughter; your faith has made you well." and instantly the woman was made well. When Jesus came to the leader's house and saw the flute players

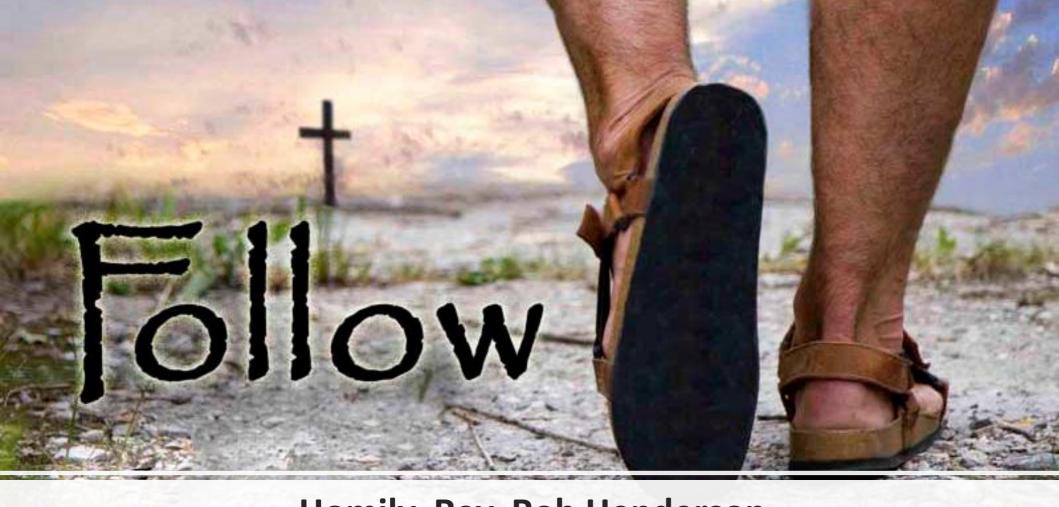
and the crowd making a commotion, he said, "Go away; for the girl is not dead but sleeping." And they laughed at him. But when the crowd had been put outside, he went in and took her by the hand, and the girl got up. And the report of this spread throughout that district.

Reader: The Gospel of Christ.

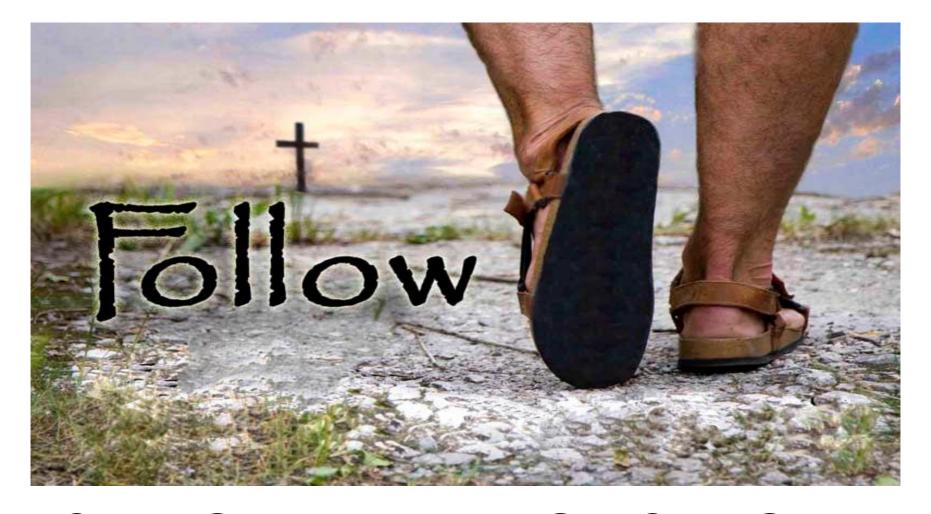
People: Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Chorus

Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia.



Homily, Rev. Rob Henderson



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Prayers of the People

<u>Second Sunday after Pentecost – Year A</u>

In Jesus' life of healing ad compassion, we see God's desire that all are loved and valuable children of God. Let us come to the God who loves us saying:

Hear Our Prayer.

God of truth, we pray for your church. That we may be led into the way of truth and an ever-deepening understanding of your nature and will for us. We pray for those who guide us and help form us into the disciples you want.

God who loves us.

God of power, we pray for those with authority, influence and power. We pray for a re-awaking of mutual respect and trust. God who loves us

God of loving kindness, watch over our homes and families, our friends and neighbors. We pray for those on our parish prayer list remembering today: Marilyn A., Molly Rose, Al & Yvonne, Sandy M., and Linda R. God who loves us

God of glory, you reveal yourself in all creation. Help us to hear and see you in sun and stars, land, sea and sky al in all hat grows and moves. God who loves us.

God of compassion, we bring to you the needs and concerns of all who suffer. May we strive to address their cries for release and be part of the salvation you promise. God who loves us.

Merciful Father, accept these prayers for the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ the Lord.



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: Amen.



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

People: And also with you.



Verse 1

My peace I leave you, My peace I give you, Trouble not your heart. My peace I leave you, My peace I give you, Be not afraid.

Verse 2

My love is for you, My love I give you, **Keep love in your hearts.** My love is for you, My love I give you, Never be afraid.

Verse 3

My peace I leave you, My heart I give you, Be not afraid. My peace is for you, My peace be with you, Peace unto you.



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



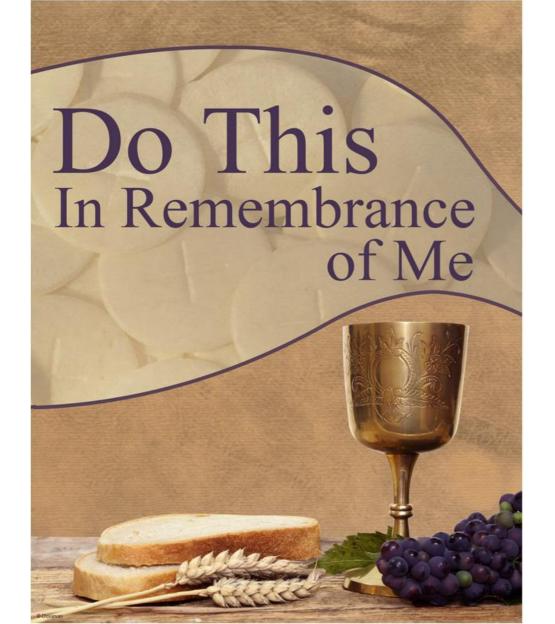


The flowers for the Altar today are given to the Glory of God by David & Carolyn Keegan in loving memory of their parents Buckie & Bonnie Graham, and Margaret & Ken Keegan.

Prayer Over The Gifts

Merciful God and Father, in Adam's fall we were born to death; in the new Adam we are reborn to life. In all we offer you this day may we share a taste of your eternal kingdom. We ask this in the name of **Jesus Christ the Lord.**

Amen.



Eucharistic Prayer # 1

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Celebrant: Lift up your hearts.

People:

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.

It is indeed right Celebrant: that we should praise you, gracious God, for you created all things. You formed us in your own image: male and female 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.

Holy, Holy, Holy (Dufford)
Holy, Holy, Holy Lord.
God of Power and Might
Heaven and Earth are full of your Glory.
Hosanna, Hosanna on high.

Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord Hosanna in the Highest, Hosanna in the Highest, Hosanna, Hosanna on High.

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.



The Lord's Prayer (Landry)

Cantor: Let us pray to God our Father in the way Jesus taught us to pray:

All: 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.

The Lord's Prayer-1/2

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 Yours is the kingdom, And the power, and the glory, Now and for ever. Amen



The Breaking of The Bread #2

Celebrant: We break this bread to share in the

body of Christ.

All: We, being many, are one body, for we all share

in the one bread.







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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Cantor: Lamb of God,
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ALL ARE WELCOME AT THE TABLE, IT IS JESUS WHO INVITES YOU.

Please stay physically distanced when approaching to receive the bread.

After receiving your wafer, please step to the side and remove your mask before consuming the bread and wine.

Gluten free wafers are available.

Communion Hymn





O Master let me walk with Thee; In lowly paths of service free. Teach me thy secret, help me bear The strain of toil the fret of care.

Help me the slow of heart to move
With some clear, winning word of love.
Teach me the wayward feet
To stay and guide them
In the homeward way.

Teach me thy patience, still with thee,
In closer, dearer company
In work that keeps faith sweet and
strong
In trust that triumphs over wrong.

In hope that sends a shining ray
Far down the future's broadening way.
In peace that only thou canst give
With Thee O master let me live.



We Say Together the Prayer After Communion:

God of love, we have shared in the mysteries of the body and blood of Christ. Nourish us by this feast, that we may live the risen life and serve you faithfully in the world. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ the Lord. 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.





All people that on earth do dwell, Sing to the Lord with cheerful voice: Him serve with mirth, his praise forth tell, Come ye before him and rejoice.

Know that the Lord is God indeed; Without our aid he did us make: We are his folk, he doth us feed, And for his sheep he doth us take.

O enter then his gates with praise, Approach with joy his courts unto; Praise, laud, and bless his Name always, For it is seemly so to do.

For why, the Lord our God is good,
His mercy is for ever sure;
His truth at all times firmly stood,
And shall from age to age endure.



The Dismissal





Some glad morning when this life is o'er, I'll fly away To a home on God's celestial shore, I'll fly away.

Chorus

I'll fly away, O Glory, I'll fly away. When I die, Hallelujah, by and by, I'll fly away.

When the shadows of this life are grown, I'll fly away.

Like a bird from prison bars has flown, I'll fly away.

Chorus

I'll fly away, O Glory, I'll fly away. When I die, Hallelujah, by and by, I'll fly away.

Just a few more weary days and then, I'll fly away.

To a land where joys shall never end, I'll fly away.

Chorus

I'll fly away, O Glory, I'll fly away. When I die, Hallelujah, by and by, I'll fly away.

Chorus

I'll fly away, O Glory, I'll fly away. When I die, Hallelujah, by and by, I'll fly away.

Tag
I'll fly away





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