



PRINCE OF PEACE

LUTHERAN CHURCH

Fifteenth Sunday after Pentecost



“They were astounded beyond measure”

MARK 7:37

WELCOME TO PRINCE OF PEACE



Prince of Peace Lutheran Church has been serving the Dublin, Ohio community for 35 years, ministering to its members and friends and supporting local ministries such as the Dublin Food Pantry, Lutheran Social Services, the Faith Mission, and Habitat for Humanity.

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Please visit our website, www.princeofpeacedublin.org, for more information about Prince of Peace.

Joining Prince of Peace

If you are interested in becoming a member of Prince of Peace, please email the church office, office@princeofpeacedublin.org, for more information.

Please note that Sunday's 11:00 AM worship service will be broadcast live on YouTube, recorded and made publicly available. If you have any questions about the recording or broadcast of our worship services, please contact the church office at office@princeofpeacedublin.org.

*Proclaiming the good news of Jesus Christ
and welcoming all to grow with us in God's love through
worship, learning, service, and fellowship.*

GATHERING

Bolded text indicates Congregational response. This symbol ✠ invites you to make the sign of the cross in remembrance of your baptism. All hymns can be found in ELW (red) hymnal in the pew.

PRELUDE

(5:30 PM)

“Praise to the Lord”

David Lasky

(8:15, 9:30 & 11:00 AM) “Praise to the Lord, the Almighty”

Jeremy Bankson

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

Presider: In the name of the Father, and of the ✠ Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

All: Amen.

Presider: God of all mercy and consolation, come to the help of your people, turning us from our sin to live for you alone. Give us the power of your Holy Spirit that we may confess our sin, receive your forgiveness, and grow into the fullness of Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

All: Amen.

Presider: Most merciful God,

All: we confess that we are captive to sin and cannot free ourselves. 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 neighbors as ourselves. For the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the glory of your holy name. Amen.

Presider: In the mercy of almighty God, Jesus Christ was given to die for us, and for his sake God forgives us all our sins. As a called and ordained minister of the church of Christ, and by his authority, I therefore declare to you the entire forgiveness of all your sins, in the name of the Father, and of the ✠ Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

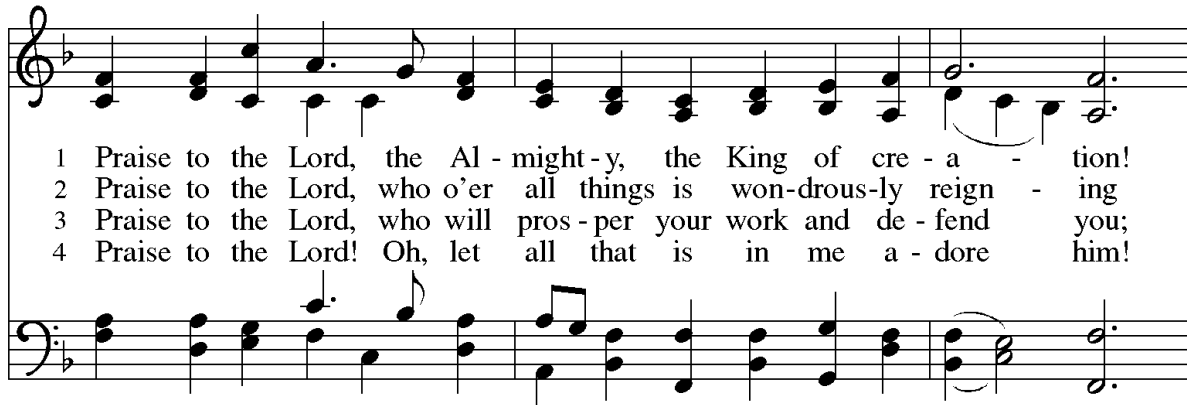
All: Amen.

ENTRANCE HYMN

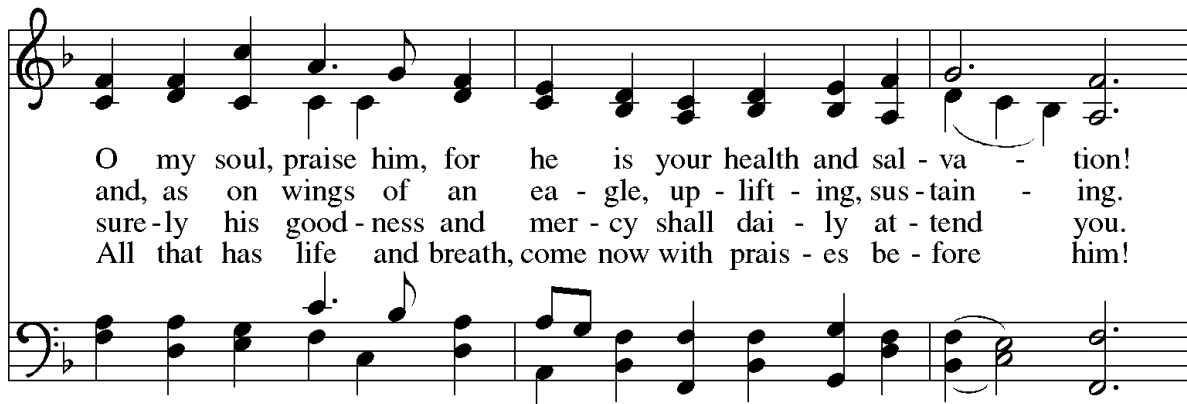
“Praise to the Lord, Almighty”

ELW #858

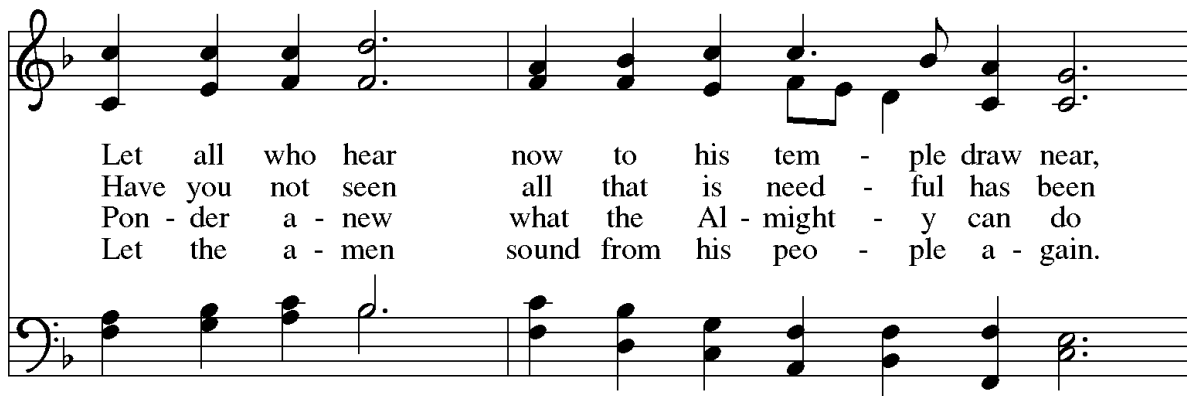
LOBE DEN HERREN



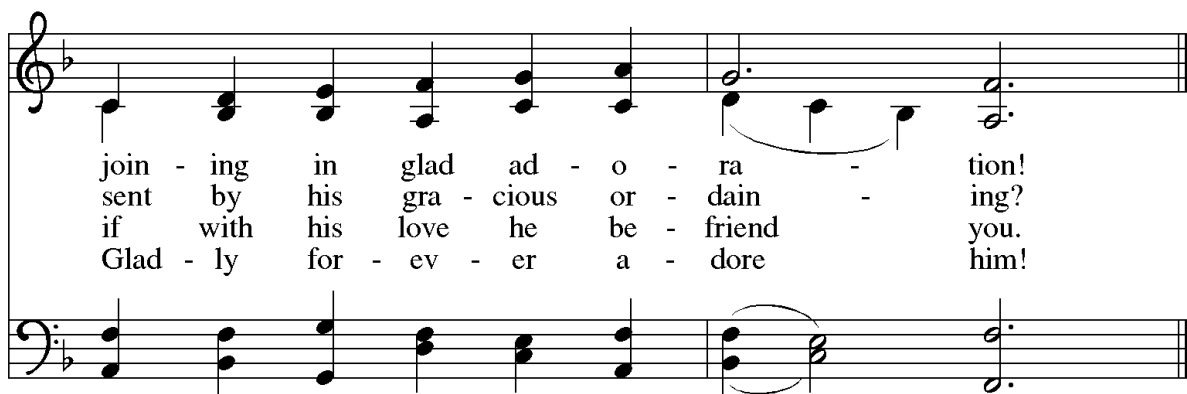
1 Praise to the Lord, the Al - might - y, the King of cre - a - tion!
2 Praise to the Lord, who o'er all things is won-drous-ly reign - ing
3 Praise to the Lord, who will pros - per your work and de - fend you;
4 Praise to the Lord! Oh, let all that is in me a - dore him!



O my soul, praise him, for he is your health and sal - va - tion!
and, as on wings of an ea - gle, up - lift - ing, sus - tain - ing.
sure - ly his good - ness and mer - cy shall dai - ly at - tend you.
All that has life and breath, come now with prais - es be - fore him!



Let all who hear now to his tem - ple draw near,
Have you not seen all that is need - ful has been
Pon - der a - new what the Al - might - y can do
Let the a - men sound from his peo - ple a - gain.



join - ing in glad ad - o - ra - tion!
sent by his gra - cious or - dain - ing?
if with his love he be - friend you.
Glad - ly for - ev - er a - dore him!

THE APOSTOLIC GREETING

Presider: The grace of our Lord, Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you.

All: And also with you.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Presider: Gracious God, throughout the ages you transform sickness into health and death into life. Open us to the power of your presence, and make us a people ready to proclaim your promises to the whole world, through Jesus Christ, our healer and Lord.

All: Amen.

FIRST LESSON

Isaiah 35:4-7a

⁴Say to those who are of a fearful heart, “Be strong, do not fear! Here is your God. He will come with vengeance, with terrible recompense. He will come and save you.” ⁵Then the eyes of the blind shall be opened, and the ears of the deaf unstopped; ⁶then the lame shall leap like a deer, and the tongue of the speechless sing for joy. For waters shall break forth in the wilderness, and streams in the desert; ^{7a}the burning sand shall become a pool, and the thirsty ground springs of water.

Lector: The Word of the Lord.

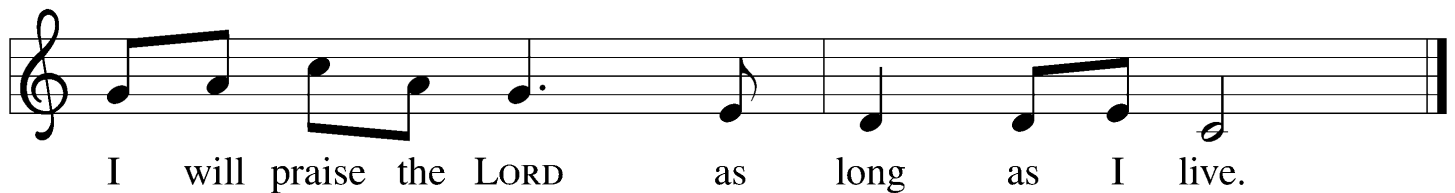
All: Thanks be to God.

PSALMODY

Psalm 146

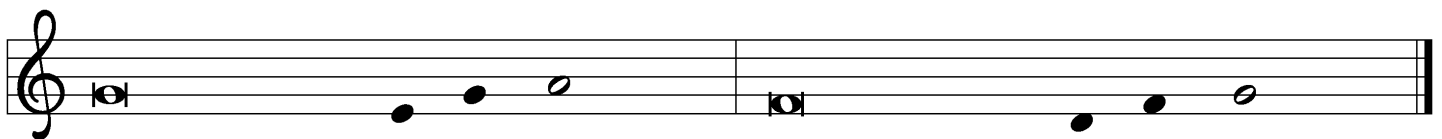
The Cantor sings the Refrain; the Congregation repeats the Refrain and sings the bolded verses.

REFRAIN



I will praise the LORD as long as I live.

PSALM TONE



¹Hal-¹ lelujah!
Praise the Lord,¹ O my soul!

²I will praise the Lord as long¹ as I live;
I will sing praises to my God while I¹ have my being.

³Put not your¹ trust in rulers,
in mortals in whom there¹ is no help.

⁴When they breathe their last, they re-¹ turn to earth,
and in that day¹ their thoughts perish. *Refrain*

⁵Happy are they who have the God of Jacob¹ for their help,
whose hope is in the¹ Lord their God;
⁶who made heaven and earth, the seas, and all that¹ is in them;
who keeps promis-¹ es forever;

⁷who gives justice to those who are oppressed, and food to¹ those who hunger.
The Lord sets the¹ captive free.

⁸The Lord opens the eyes of the blind; the Lord lifts up those who¹ are
bowed down;
the Lord¹ loves the righteous. *Refrain*

⁹The Lord cares¹ for the stranger;
the Lord sustains the orphan and widow, but frustrates the way¹ of the wicked.

¹⁰The Lord shall¹ reign forever,
your God, O Zion, throughout all generations.¹ Hallelujah! *Refrain*

SECOND LESSON

James 2:1-17

¹My brothers and sisters, do you with your acts of favoritism really believe in our glorious Lord Jesus Christ? ²For if a person with gold rings and in fine clothes comes into your assembly, and if a poor person in dirty clothes also comes in, ³and if you take notice of the one wearing the fine clothes and say, “Have a seat here, please,” while to the one who is poor you say, “Stand there,” or, “Sit at my feet,” ⁴have you not made distinctions among yourselves, and become judges with evil thoughts? ⁵Listen, my beloved brothers and sisters. Has not God chosen the poor in the world to be rich in faith and to be heirs of the kingdom that he has promised to those who love him? ⁶But you have dishonored the poor. Is it not the rich who oppress you? Is it not they who drag you into court? ⁷Is it not they who blaspheme the excellent name that was invoked over you?

⁸You do well if you really fulfill the royal law according to the scripture, “You shall love your neighbor as yourself.” ⁹But if you show partiality, you commit sin and are convicted by the law as transgressors. ¹⁰For whoever keeps the whole law but fails in one point has become accountable for all of it. ¹¹For the one who said, “You shall not commit adultery,” also said, “You shall not murder.” Now if you do not commit adultery but if you murder, you have become a transgressor of the law. ¹²So speak and so act as those who are to be judged by the law of liberty. ¹³For judgment will be without mercy to anyone who has shown no mercy; mercy triumphs over judgment.

¹⁴What good is it, my brothers and sisters, if you say you have faith but do not have works? Can faith save you? ¹⁵If a brother or sister is naked and lacks daily food, ¹⁶and one of you says to them, “Go in peace; keep warm and eat your fill,” and yet you do not supply their bodily needs, what is the good of that? ¹⁷So faith by itself, if it has no works, is dead.

Lector: The Word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

“Open Your Ears, O Faithful People”

ELW #519

YISRAEL V'ORAITA

Stanza 1



1 O - pen your ears, O faith-ful peo - ple, o - pen your ears and hear God's word.



O - pen your hearts, O roy - al priest-hood, God has come to you.

Refrain



To - rah o - ra, To - rah o - ra, hal - le - lu - jah!
God has spo - ken to the peo - ple, hal - le - lu - jah!



To - rah o - ra, To - rah o - ra, hal - le - lu - jah!
God has spo - ken words of wis - dom, hal - le - lu - jah!



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Preacher: The Holy Gospel according to Mark.

All: Glory to you, O Lord.

²⁴[Jesus] set out and went away to the region of Tyre. He entered a house and did not want anyone to know he was there. Yet he could not escape notice,²⁵ but a woman whose little daughter had an unclean spirit immediately heard about him, and she came and bowed down at his feet. ²⁶Now the woman was a Gentile, of Syrophenician origin. She begged him to cast the demon out of her daughter. ²⁷He said to her, “Let the children be fed first, for it is not fair to take the children’s food and throw it to the dogs.” ²⁸But she answered him, “Sir, even the dogs under the table eat the children’s crumbs.” ²⁹Then he said to her, “For saying that, you may go—the demon has left your daughter.” ³⁰So she went home, found the child lying on the bed, and the demon gone.

³¹Then he returned from the region of Tyre, and went by way of Sidon towards the Sea of Galilee, in the region of the Decapolis. ³²They brought to him a deaf man who had an impediment in his speech; and they begged him to lay his hand on him. ³³He took him aside in private, away from the crowd, and put his fingers into his ears, and he spat and touched his tongue. ³⁴Then looking up to heaven, he sighed and said to him, “Ephphatha,” that is, “Be opened.” ³⁵And immediately his ears were opened, his tongue was released, and he spoke plainly. ³⁶Then Jesus ordered them to tell no one; but the more he ordered them, the more zealously they proclaimed it. ³⁷They were astounded beyond measure, saying, “He has done everything well; he even makes the deaf to hear and the mute to speak.”

Preacher: The Gospel of the Lord.

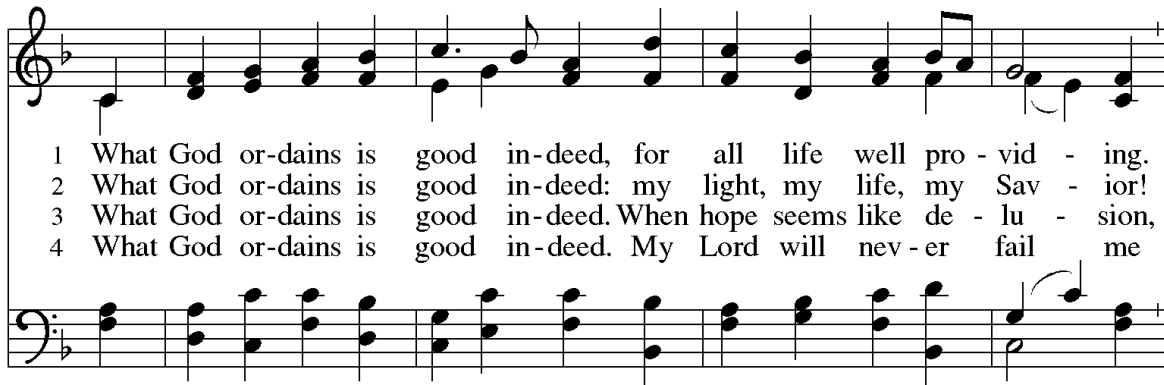
All: Praise to you, O Christ.

HYMN OF THE DAY

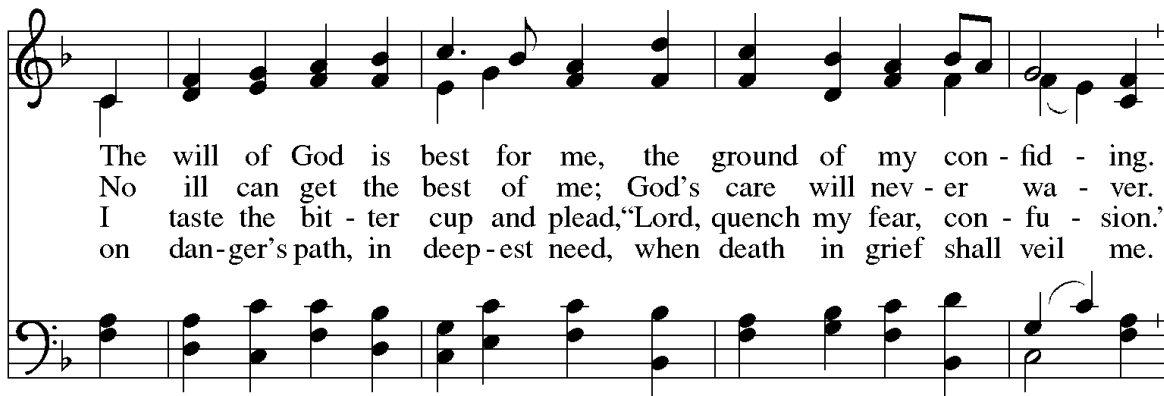
“What God Ordains is Good Indeed”

ELW #776

WAS GOTT TUT



1 What God or-dains is good in-deed, for all life well pro - vid - ing.
2 What God or-dains is good in-deed: my light, my life, my Sav - ior!
3 What God or-dains is good in-deed. When hope seems like de - lu - sion,
4 What God or-dains is good in-deed. My Lord will nev - er fail me



The will of God is best for me, the ground of my con - fid - ing.
No ill can get the best of me; God's care will nev - er wa - ver.
I taste the bit - ter cup and plead, "Lord, quench my fear, con - fu - sion."
on dan-ger's path, in deep-est need, when death in grief shall veil me.



My faith - ful God, on ev - 'ry road you know the way un -
Through joy and pain I shall at - tain the dawn dis - clos - ing
God ends the night, re - stores de - light; by faith I face to -
My God so dear will draw me near, in lov - ing arms will



fold - ing and my hand you are hold - ing.
clear - ly that God has loved me dear - ly.
mor - row and yield to God all sor - row.
hold me, at last in light en - fold me.

APOSTLES' CREED

I believe in God, the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the virgin Mary,
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,
he is seated at the right hand of the Father,
and he will come 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 INTERCESSION

Assisting

Minister: With all those who come together to praise the Father, Son and Holy Spirit, let us pray for the church, those in need and all of God's creation.

Heavenly Father, we ask that you be with the families and friends of the 13 U.S service members killed in Afghanistan. Bring them peace and comfort, and protect our servicemen and women throughout the world.

Lord in your mercy. **Hear our prayer.**

Heal those battling Covid-19 and prevent the spread of the virus.

Lord in your mercy. **Hear our prayer.**

Be with communities ravaged by rain, hurricanes, and wildfires. Give them resources to rebuild and protect everyone in the path of destruction.

Lord in your mercy. **Hear our prayer.**

We ask that you wrap your arms around people that are battling anxiety, depression, or other mental health trauma. Give them strength and guidance to find help and a healthy, happy path in life.

Lord in your mercy. **Hear our prayer.**

Bring support and healing to those that are ill. We especially ask for help for those we name now.

Lord in your mercy. **Hear our prayer.**

Into your loving hands, O God, we place all for whom we pray, trusting in your great mercy and love through the one who walks with us, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

All: Amen.

PEACE

Presider: The peace of the Lord be with you.

All: And also with you.

Please share the peace of the Lord with your neighbor by nodding or waving or greeting with a bow.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

BLESSING OF THE PEW BIBLES

Presider: Sisters and brothers, today we give thanks to God and we seek God's blessing as we set apart these Bibles to the glory of God.

Let us pray.

We give you thanks, O God, creator of the universe, for you have enriched our lives with every good and perfect gift;

You have commanded us to show your splendor to our children;

And you have invited us to praise you with lives of love, justice, and joy.

Send your blessing on these Pew Bibles, which we set apart today; may our hearts burn within us as you open to us the scriptures, and may your holy wisdom lead us to salvation.

To you, O God, be all glory and honor through your Son, Jesus Christ, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, now and forever.

All: Amen.

MEAL

OFFERING

At Prince of Peace, we rely on our members to support the financial needs of our congregation. As a visitor, please know that your offerings will go to support Habitat for Humanity.

Today's flowers are given by Eric and Pam Reisch family, in memory of Jan and Ken Reisch.

OFFERTORY MUSIC

“And Jesus Said”

Tony Alonso

(5:30 PM)

Evan Lloyd and Karen Lintala

(815 AM)

Karen Lintala and Jeremy Bankson

(9:30 & 11:00 AM)

Jon Schade and Samantha Stiner

OFFERTORY RESPONSE

“Now Thank We All Our God”

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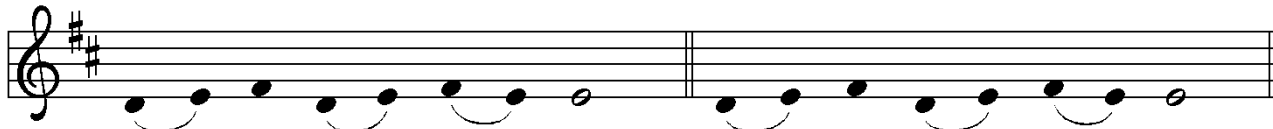
Stanza 3

NUN DANKET ALLE GOTT

All praise and thanks to God the Fa - ther now be giv - en,
the Son, and Spir - it blest, who reigns in high - est heav - en.
the one e - ter - nal God, whom earth and heav'n a - dore;
for thus it was, is now, and shall be ev - er - more.

GREAT THANKSGIVING

ELW S 107



The Lord be with you. And al - so with you.



Lift up your hearts. We lift them to the Lord.



Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.



It is right to give our thanks and praise.

It is indeed right, our du - ty and our joy,

that we should at all times and in all places give thanks and praise to you,

al-mighty and merciful God, through our Sav - ior Je - sus Christ;

who on this day overcame death and the grave,

and by his glorious resur - rec - tion

opened to us the way of ev - er - last - ing life.

And so, with all the choirs of an - gels,

with the church on earth and the hosts of heav - en,

we praise your name and join their un - end - ing hymn:

HOLY, HOLY, HOLY

ELW S 207



Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow-er and might,



heav'n and earth are full of your glo-ry. Ho-san - na in the high - est.



Bless - ed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho -



san - na in the high - est, ho - san - na in the high - est.

EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER

Presider: Holy God,
Our Maker, Redeemer, and Healer, in the harmonious world of your creation the plants and animals, the seas and stars were whole and well in your praise.

When sin had scarred the world, you sent your Son to heal our ills and to form us again into one.

In the night in which he was betrayed, our Lord Jesus took bread, and gave thanks; broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying: Take and eat; this is my body, given for you.

Do this for the remembrance of me.

Again, after supper, he took the cup, gave thanks, and gave it for all to drink, saying: This cup is the new covenant in my blood, shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin.

Do this for the remembrance of me.

Remembering, therefore, his acts of healing, his body given up, and his victory over death, we await that day when all the peoples of the earth will come to the river to enjoy the tree of life.

Send your Spirit upon us and this meal; as grains scattered on the hillside become one bread, so let your Church be gathered from the ends of the earth, that all may be fed with the Bread of life, your Son.

Through him all glory and honors is yours, Almighty Father, with the Holy Spirit, in your holy Church, both now and forever.

All: Amen.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

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 forever. Amen.

LAMB OF GOD

ST. AGNES

1. O Lamb of God, you bear the sin of all the world a - way;
2. O Lamb of God, you bear the sin of all the world a - way;
3. O Lamb of God, you bear the sin of all the world a - way;

The first system of music consists of a treble and bass staff in G major. The treble staff contains the vocal melody with lyrics underneath. The bass staff provides a harmonic accompaniment. The lyrics are: "1. O Lamb of God, you bear the sin of all the world a - way; 2. O Lamb of God, you bear the sin of all the world a - way; 3. O Lamb of God, you bear the sin of all the world a - way;"

you suf-fered death our lives to save: have mer - cy now, we pray.
you set us free from guilt and grave: have mer - cy now, we pray.
e - ter - nal peace with God you made: give us your peace, we pray.

The second system of music continues the melody and accompaniment. The treble staff contains the vocal melody with lyrics underneath. The bass staff provides a harmonic accompaniment. The lyrics are: "you suf-fered death our lives to save: have mer - cy now, we pray. you set us free from guilt and grave: have mer - cy now, we pray. e - ter - nal peace with God you made: give us your peace, we pray."

Text: Agnus Dei, paraphrase
Music: John B. Dykes, 1823-1876

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THE DISTRIBUTION

*All are welcome to receive Holy Communion.
Gluten-free wafers are available upon request.*

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Assisting

Minister: Lord of life,
in the gift of your body and blood you turn the crumbs of our faith into a feast of salvation. Send us forth into the world with shouts of joy, bearing witness to the abundance of your love in Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

All: Amen.

SENDING

THE BENEDICTION

Presider: May our glorious God grant you a spirit of wisdom to know and to love the risen Lord Jesus. The God of life, Father, ✠ Son, and Holy Spirit, bless you now and forever.

All: Amen.

CLOSING HYMN

“Earth and All Stars!”

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EARTH AND ALL STARS



1 Earth and all stars! Loud rush - ing plan - ets!
2 Trum - pet and pipes! Loud clash - ing cym - bals!
3 En - gines and steel! Loud pound - ing ham - mers!
4 Class - rooms and labs! Loud boil - ing test tubes!
5 Knowl - edge and truth! Loud sound - ing wis - dom!



Sing to the Lord a new song!
Sing to the Lord a new song!
Sing to the Lord a new song!
Sing to the Lord a new song!
Sing to the Lord a new song!



Hail, wind, and rain! Loud blow - ing snow - storm!
Harp, lute, and lyre! Loud hum - ming cel - los!
Lime - stone and beams! Loud build - ing work - ers!
Ath - lete and band! Loud cheer - ing peo - ple!
Daugh - ter and son! Loud pray - ing mem - bers!



Sing to the Lord a new song!
Sing to the Lord a new song!
Sing to the Lord a new song!
Sing to the Lord a new song!
Sing to the Lord a new song!



Refrain
God has done mar - vel - ous things.



I too sing prais - es with a new song!

DISMISSAL

Assisting

Minister: Go in peace. Share the good news.

All: Thanks be to God.

CLOSING VOLUNTARY

(5:30 PM)

“Earth and All Stars”

Wayne Wold

(8:15, 9:30 & 11:00 AM) Improvisation on “Earth and All Stars”

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WELCOME

to those worshipping with us today

COMMUNION

All are welcome to receive Holy Communion. Our ushers will direct you. If you are unable to come forward, please notify one of the ushers and the bread and wine will be brought to you. Gluten-free wafers are available. All cups are filled with wine. There is no grape juice. If you do not commune, please come forward. You may fold your hands to receive a blessing.

CHILDREN

All ages are welcome in worship. A nursery is available for parents to be with their children during any of our worship services. The nursery is cleaned every Sunday afternoon.

SUNDAY SCHOOL

9:30 - 10:30 am during the school year. For visitors and members! For all ages 3 years through adult. A nursery is available. Check at the Welcome Center for details.

DURING THE MORNING

Please join us for coffee/breakfast and conversation in the Fellowship Hall 9 - 11 am.

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ASSISTING WITH WORSHIP

Fifteenth Sunday After Pentecost

September 4 - 5, 2021 at 5:30 PM, 8:15 & 9:30 AM

	5:30 PM	8:15 AM	9:30 AM	11:00 AM
Front Door Greeter			Erich Darr	Lois Gentry
Back Door Greeter			Andrea Bruns Jay Burns	Bob Pfeifer Karen Pfeifer
Assisting Minister	Mark Russell	Jim Balogh	Nancy Prakel	Brent McCoy
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A/V Producer				Brendan Harrell
Offering Dep	Ken King Ron Snodgrass			
Prayer Writer	Shawnda Vega			
Welcome Cntr	Jon Baker			

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LUTHERAN CHURCH

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