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**MISSION STATEMENT**

***"WALKING WITH JESUS TO BRING NEW LIFE AND HOPE TO EVERY PERSON"***

**WE ARE A STEPHEN MINISTRY CONGREGATION**

**FIFTH SUNDAY IN LENT**

**SATURDAY, MARCH 21, 2026 4: 00 P.M.  
SUNDAY, MARCH 22 , 2026 8:30 & 10:15 A.M.**



**We welcome you to the worship of this community of faith.  
As we sing, pray and study God's word together may we strengthen each other's  
faith in the saving power of Jesus Christ. It is difficult to be a Christian by yourself!**

*When you enter this church, it may be possible that you hear “the call of God”. However, it is unlikely that He will call you on your cell phone. Thank you for turning off your phones. If you want to talk to God, enter, choose a quiet place and talk to Him. If you want to see God, send Him a text while driving.*

**VISITORS..** Welcome! Please sign our Guest Book located in the Narthex. We would love to meet you!

**PLEASE REMEMBER...** to contact the church office if you or a loved one are hospitalized, in rehab facility, or facility other than your home. Vicars and Stephen Ministers will make a visit.

**DID YOU KNOW..** Perfume and cologne can trigger life-threatening breathing emergencies in persons with asthma, allergies and chronic obstructive pulmonary disease (COPD) Hospitals and schools are becoming ‘scent-free’ due to this increasing health hazard. Please be sensitive to this concern when coming to church. Thank You.

**LITTLE FOLKS..** Parents... please remember that there are ‘busy bags’ hanging on the coat tree in the Narthex to occupy the little ones during worship. Simply return the bags to the tree on your way out of church. Thank you.

**BE COMFORTABLE..** There are shawls in the Narthex that you can use if chilled during worship. Just ask one of the ushers and they will get you one. Simply return the shawl to the narthex on your way out of the church.

**Hearing Devices:** *The older hearing devices have been moved to the Narthex. They are located next to the far right entrance door to the sanctuary.*

*We now offer the T-Coil hearing device with the new sound system. Individuals will need to contact their provider to find out if their hearing aid is telecoil-equipped. If so, they need to ask how to turn on the T-Coil or if it is automatically linked once the loop is around their neck.*

**FLOWERS** for the altar today are given by Jim & Linda Bryant in celebration of their 62<sup>nd</sup> wedding anniversary AND Virgil & Donna Ford in memory of son David and daughter-in-law Val.

**PRAYERS:** Harry Taylor, Donna Watkins, Bill Haney, Marilyn Davis, Georgia Crawford (friend of Michelle Cegon), Danya (daughter of Niki Duffy's friend), Karen Huggins (friend of Gary Raasch), Steve Rodeffer (friend of Gary Raasch), Jacky Patte, Donna (sister of Lisa Crayne), Mason Fletcher (Grandson of Lisa Crayne), Forrest Marsh, Rita (sister of Marlene Miller)

***PLEASE NOTE that we'll be using the Nicene Creed & the Traditional version of the Lord's Prayer for the month of March. God blesses our prayers.***

*Is Your Phone Turned Off?*

**Name Tags:** If you would like to have a name tag, please make note on your green communion slip. It will be hanging on the wall to the right of the door as you leave the next weekend. You need not be a member to wear one.

**PRELUDE**

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

V God Is Good!  
C **All the time**  
V All the time  
C **God Is Good!**

## CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

V Blessed be the Holy Trinity, ✝ one God, full of compassion and mercy, abounding in steadfast love.

C **Amen.**

V We confess our sins before God and one another.

*Pause for silence and reflection.*

V Most holy God,

C **We come to you in need of grace. Time and again we have forgotten your simple and loving call – to love you, our neighbors, and ourselves. We have forgotten your promise to care for us, and in our fear, we have made choices that hurt us, those around us, and even those we don't know. Remind us who we are and whose we are, and show us the way to amend our wrongs, for the sake of Jesus Christ, our savior and friend.**

V Have no fear; little flock, for God loves you exactly as you are, and desires nothing more than to restore you to wholeness. Know that you are freed from sin and death now and forever.

C **Amen.**

# When I Survey the Wondrous Cross 803

1 When I sur - ve y the won - drous cross on which the  
 2 For - bid it, Lord, that I should boast save in the  
 3 See, from his head, his hands, his feet, sor - row and  
 4 Were the whole realm of na - ture mine, that were a

prince of glo - ry died, my rich - est gain I  
 death of Christ, my God; all the vain things that  
 love flow min - gled down. Did e'er such love and  
 pres - ent far too small; love so a - maz - ing,

count but loss and pour con - tempt on all my pride.  
 charm me most, I sac - ri - fice them to his blood.  
 sor - row meet, or thorns com - pose so rich a crown?  
 so di - vine, de - mands my soul, my life, my all.

Text: Isaac Watts, 1674-1748  
 Music: Lowell Mason, 1792-1872

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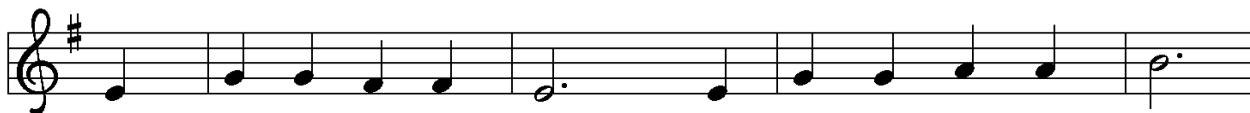
*Alternate tune:* ROCKINGHAM OLD

## GREETING

**V** The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

**C** **And also with you.**

## KYRIE



- 1 Have mer - cy on us, Lord, and hear our sol - emn prayer.
- 2 Have mer - cy on us, Christ, and wash a - way our sin.
- 3 Have mer - cy on us, Lord; make sin and shame de - part.



We come to hear your liv - ing word; it saves us from de - spair.  
Pour out your grace and make us whole that new life may be - gin.  
Re - new us with your sav - ing pow'r; cre - ate in us new hearts!

## SONG OF PRAISE



- 1 Glo-ry be to God in heav-en; peace, good-will to all the earth.
- 2 Glo-ry be to Christ for - ev - er, Lamb of God and Lord of love.
- 3 Ho - ly One we now ac-claim you; Lord a - lone, to you we call;



Might-y God of all cre - a - tion, Fa - ther of sur - pass - ing worth:  
Son of God and gra - cious Sav - ior, you have come from heav'n a - bove;  
Ho - ly One in faith we name you, God most high, yet near to all:



we ex - alt you, we a - dore you, we lift high our thanks and praise.  
on the cross you died to save us; now you reign at God's right hand.  
Je - sus Christ, with God the Spir - it, in the Fa - ther's splen - dor bright.



Saints and an - gels bow be - fore you; here on earth our songs we raise.  
Hear our prayer; re - store, for - give us; in your prom - ise firm we stand.  
For the peace that we in - her - it, glo - ry be to God on high!

**PRAYER OF THE DAY**     *together we pray:*

V   God of love.

**C**   **In this season of Lent, we remember how you walked willingly into the arms of death on a cross. Help us to put our entire lives into your hands in complete surrender, trusting that you will carry us through whatever trials we face. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen**

**PASSING OF THE PEACE**

P     May the peace of the Lord be with you always!

**C**     **And also with you**

P     Please generously share God's peace all around!

**WORSHIP CAROL**

**CHOIR (4:00 )**     *"And Can It Be that I Should Gain "*

**GUITAR ENSEMBLE (8:30)**     *"Amazing Grace"*

**BELLS OF GLORY (10:15)**     *"Shall We Gather at the River"*

PSALM

Psalm 146

R Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord, O my soul!

C **<sup>2</sup> I will praise the Lord as long as I live; I will sing praises to my God all my life long.**

R <sup>3</sup> Do not put your trust in princes, in mortals, in whom there is no help.

C **<sup>4</sup> When their breath departs, they return to the earth; on that very day their plans perish.**

R <sup>5</sup> Happy are those whose help is the God of Jacob, whose hope is in the Lord their God,

C **<sup>6</sup> who made heaven and earth, the sea, and all that is in them; who keeps faith forever;**

R <sup>7</sup> who executes justice for the oppressed; who gives food to the hungry.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

*During Lent:*



We are turn - ing, Lord, to hear you; you are mer - ci - ful and kind -



slow to an - ger, rich in bless - ing, and with love to us in - clined.

**GOSPEL****John 19:1-16**

Then Pilate took Jesus and had him flogged. <sup>2</sup> And the soldiers wove a crown of thorns and put it on his head, and they dressed him in a purple robe. <sup>3</sup> They kept coming up to him, saying, "Hail, King of the Jews!" and striking him on the face. <sup>4</sup> Pilate went out again and said to them, "Look, I am bringing him out to you to let you know that I find no case against him." <sup>5</sup> So Jesus came out wearing the crown of thorns and the purple robe. Pilate<sup>[a]</sup> said to them, "Behold the man!" <sup>6</sup> When the chief priests and the police saw him, they shouted, "Crucify him! Crucify him!" Pilate said to them, "Take him yourselves and crucify him; I find no case against him." <sup>7</sup> The Jews answered him, "We have a law, and according to that law he ought to die because he has claimed to be the Son of God." <sup>8</sup> Now when Pilate heard this, he was more afraid than ever. <sup>9</sup> He entered his headquarters again and asked Jesus, "Where are you from?" But Jesus gave him no answer. <sup>10</sup> Pilate therefore said to him, "Do you refuse to speak to me? Do you not know that I have power to release you and power to crucify you?" <sup>11</sup> Jesus answered him, "You would have no power over me unless it had been given you from above; therefore the one who handed me over to you is guilty of a greater sin." <sup>12</sup> From then on Pilate tried to release him, but the Jews cried out, "If you release this man, you are no friend of Caesar. Everyone who claims to be a king sets himself against Caesar." <sup>13</sup> When Pilate heard these words, he brought Jesus outside and sat<sup>[b]</sup> on the judge's bench at a place called The Stone Pavement, or in Hebrew<sup>[c]</sup> Gabbatha. <sup>14</sup> Now it was the day of Preparation for the Passover, and it was about noon. He said to the Jews, "Here is your King!" <sup>15</sup> They cried out, "Away with him! Away with him! Crucify him!" Pilate asked them,

“Shall I crucify your King?” The chief priests answered, “We have no king but Caesar.” <sup>16</sup> Then he handed him over to them to be crucified.

P The Gospel of the Lord

C Praise to the Lord

TEACHING: “Innocent/Condemnation” Vicar Char Schomisch

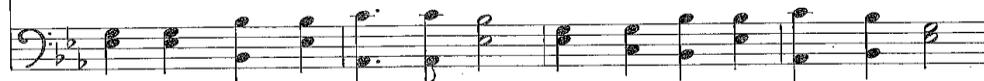
HYMN OF THE DAY: “Go To Dark Gethsemane” ELW 347

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## Go to Dark Gethsemane



1 Go to dark Geth-sem - a - ne, all who feel the tempt-er's pow'r;  
2 Fol-low to the judg-ment hall, view the Lord of life ar-raigned;  
3 Cal-v'ry's mourn-ful moun-tain climb; there, a - dor-ing at his feet,  
4 Ear-ly has - ten to the tomb where they laid his breath-less clay;



your Re-deem-er's con-flict see. Watch with him one bit - ter hour;  
oh, the worm-wood and the gall! Oh, the pangs his soul sus-tained!  
mark that mir - a - cle of time, God's own sac - ri - fice com-plete.  
all is sol - i - tude and gloom. Who has tak - en him a - way?



turn not from his griefs a - way; learn from Je - sus Christ to pray.  
Shun not suf-f'ring, shame, or loss; learn from him to bear the cross.  
“It is fin-ished!” hear him cry; learn from Je - sus Christ to die.  
Christ is ris'n! He meets our eyes. Sav - ior, teach us so to rise.



## NICENE CREED

**We believe in one God,  
the Father, the Almighty,  
maker of heaven and earth,  
of all that is, seen and unseen.**

**We believe in one Lord Jesus Christ,  
the only Son of God,  
eternally begotten of the Father,  
God from God, Light from Light,  
true God from true God,  
begotten, not made,  
of one Being with the Father;  
through him all things were made.  
For us and for our salvation  
he came down from heaven,  
was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the virgin Mary  
and became truly human.  
For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;  
he suffered death and was buried.**

**On the third day he rose again  
in accordance with the scriptures;  
he ascended into heaven  
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.  
He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead,  
and his kingdom will have no end.**

**We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,  
who proceeds from the Father and the Son;  
who with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified,  
who has spoken through the prophets.  
We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic church.  
We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.  
We look for the resurrection of the dead,  
and the life of the world to come. Amen.**

## **PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION**

V With hope in your promised redemption, we pray for the church, the world, and all in need.

*A brief silence.*

V God, we would sooner argue to justify ourselves than surrender and discover what treasures there may be in yielding to your will. Make Jesus our model of unwavering faithfulness in the face of threats to our status and safety. God of mercy and grace,

**C We lift our prayers to you.**

V Our natural world is in crisis, ravaged by the inevitable outcome of our thoughtless exploitation of what you have made. Give us the hope and motivation to take action to change our society's ways that we might create a brighter future for our children's children. God of mercy and grace,

**C We lift our prayers to you.**

*Here other petitions may be offered. Together we pray*

**C Bless Your Church. Bless Your Vicars in our church. Purify, preserve & provide through your Holy Spirit. We pray for each of our mission congregations, the Grand Canyon Synod, local partners, and care ministries. We also pray for the congregation’s vision and call process. May we continue to work toward our mission and uphold our values while we support the call committee in moving toward a pastoral transition.**

**We also pray for that pastor whom God calls to Gloria de Cristo to work with us to move this congregation forward in mission. Enlarge our hearts toward people far from God while we “Walk with Jesus to bring new life and hope to every person.”**

**V Inspire all who lead to work tirelessly for just laws that ensure that all people enjoy basic human rights. Sustain the work of those who labor to change systems here and around the world. God of mercy and grace,**

**C We lift our prayers to you.**

**V For all with no voice, make us advocates, O God. For those who are lonely or feel abandoned, make us companions. And for all who suffer any illness or trial, make us bringers of a healing word and a steadying hand. God of mercy and grace.**

**C We lift our prayers to you.**

**V For all those who stood trials on behalf of your Gospel, and all who gave their lives in service, we give thanks. Join us to saints of old and those among us still, and number us among your redeemed. God of mercy and grace,**

**C We lift our prayers to you.**

V Into your hands we place our prayers, spoken and unspoken, and entrust all things to your eternal care. In Jesus' name we pray.

C Amen.

**THE OFFERING** (For those watching there is a link for online giving in the description of the video. We are thankful for all the support from both in-person giving as well as online giving.)

**OFFERING RESPONSE** *(please stand)*

## We Give Thee but Thine Own

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We give thee but thine own, what - e'er the gift may  
May we thy boun - ties thus as stew - ards true re -

be - All that we have is thine a - lone, A trust, O Lord, from thee.  
ceive - And glad - ly as thou bless - est us, to thee our first - fruit give.

The musical score is written in G major (one sharp) and 4/4 time. It consists of two staves. The first staff begins with a treble clef, a key signature of one sharp (F#), and a 4/4 time signature. The melody starts with a quarter rest, followed by a quarter note G, a quarter note A, a quarter note B, a quarter note C, a half note D, a quarter note E, a quarter note F#, and a quarter note G. The second staff begins with a treble clef, a key signature of one sharp (F#), and a 4/4 time signature. The melody starts with a quarter note G, a quarter note A, a quarter note B, a quarter note C, a quarter note D, a quarter note E, a quarter note F#, and a quarter note G. The lyrics are written below the notes.

## THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

V The Lord be with you.

C **And also with you.**

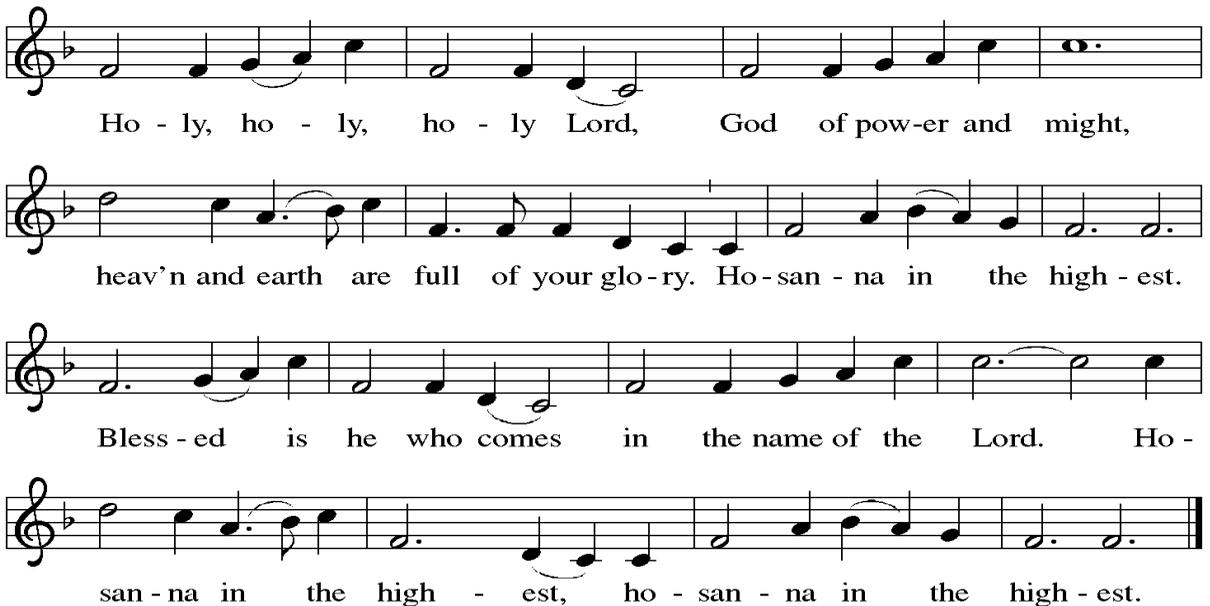
V Lift up your hearts.

C **We lift them to the Lord.**

V Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

C **It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

## CONGREGATIONAL SUNG RESPONSE



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.

V Blessed are you, Lord of heaven and earth. In mercy for our fallen world, you gave your only Son, that all those who believe in him should not perish, but have eternal life.

We give thanks to you for the salvation you have prepared for us through Jesus Christ.

Send now your Holy Spirit into our hearts, that we may receive our Lord with a living faith as he comes to us in his holy supper.

C **Amen. Come, Lord Jesus.**

## THE SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

### WORDS OF INSTITUTION

Communion is open to all believers who know Jesus as Savior and seek to live with him as Lord of all areas of life. You receive the wafer in your hand and choose from the individual cup of wine or white grape juice. **Those who are not communing as well as children may come forward for a blessing. Simply cross your arms in front of your chest to receive a blessing.** Everyone should complete a slip found in the pew rack and place it in the offering plate. Consider the options on reverse side as to how you may serve this congregation.

### THE LORD'S PRAYER

C **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 those who 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, forever and ever. Amen.**

- V Even as the events of Good Friday approach, we are reminded in this moment that Jesus lives forever and invites you now to feast in his name. Come to where he meets us in bread and wine, and be nourished on the promise of eternal life. This promise is for you.

## HYMNS DURING COMMUNION

### Lamb of God Your Only Son



Your on-ly Son, no sin to hide, but you have sent him from your side to walk up - on this guilt-y  
 Your gift of love we cru - ci - fied. We laughed and scorned him as he died. The hum-ble king we named a  
 I was so lost, I should have died, but you have brought me to your side to be led by your staff and



sod and to be - come the Lamb of God. O Lamb of God, sweet lamb of God, I love the  
 fraud and sac - ri - ficed the Lamb of God.  
 rod and to be called a Lamb of God.



ho - ly Lamb of God. Oh, wash me in your pre-cious blood, my Je-sus Christ, the Lamb of God.

# "Day By Day"

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## Day by Day

Capo 1: *D*  
*E♭*

*Em/G*  
*Fm/A♭*

*A*  
*B♭*

1 Day by day, your mer-cies, Lord, at - tend me, bring - ing com - fort  
2 Day by day, I know you will pro - vide me strength to serve and  
3 Oh, what joy to know that you are near me when my bur - dens

*D*  
*E♭*

*Em/G*  
*Fm/A♭*

to my anx-ious soul. Day by day, the bless-ings, Lord, you send me  
wis - dom to o - bey; I will seek your lov - ing will to guide me  
grow too great to bear; oh, what joy to know that you will hear me

*A*  
*B♭*

*D*  
*E♭*

draw me near - er to my heav'n-ly goal. Love di - vine, be - yond all  
o'er the paths I strug - gle day by day. I will fear no e - vil  
when I come, O Lord, to you in prayer. Day by day, no mat - ter

*G*  
*A♭*

*A7*  
*B♭7*

*D*  
*E♭*

mor - tal mea - sure, brings to naught the bur - dens of my quest; Sav - ior,  
of the mor - row, I will trust in your en - dur - ing grace. Sav - ior,  
what be - tide me, you will hold me ev - er in your hand. Sav - ior,

*Em/G*  
*Fm/A♭*

*A*  
*B♭*

*D*  
*E♭*

lead me to the home I trea - sure, where at last I'll find e - ter - nal rest.  
help me bear life's pain and sor - row till in glo - ry I be - hold your face.  
with your pres - ence here to guide me, I will reach at last the prom - ised land.

# 800 Spirit of God, Descend upon My Heart

1 Spir - it of God, de - scend up - on my heart;  
 2 I ask no dream, no proph - et ec - sta - sies;  
 3 Have you not bid me love you, God and King;  
 4 Teach me to love you as your an - gels love,

wear it from earth, through all its puls - es move;  
 no sud - den rend - ing of the veil of clay,  
 all, all your own, soul, heart, and strength, and mind?  
 one ho - ly pas - sion fill - ing all my frame:

stoop to my weak - ness, strength to me im - part,  
 no an - gel vis - i - tant, no op - 'ning skies;  
 I see your cross; there teach my heart to cling.  
 the bap - tism of the heav'n de - scend - ed dove,

and make me love you as I ought to love.  
 but take the dim - ness of my soul a - way.  
 Oh, let me seek you and, oh, let me find!  
 my heart an al - tar, and your love the flame.

Text: George Croly, 1780–1860  
 Music: Frederick C. Atkinson, 1841–1897

# My Faith Looks Up to Thee

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1 My faith looks up to thee, thou Lamb of Cal - va - ry,  
 2 May thy rich grace im - part strength to my faint - ing heart,  
 3 While life's dark maze I tread and griefs a - round me spread,  
 4 When ends life's tran - sient dream, when death's cold, sul - len stream

Sav - ior di - vine! Now hear me while I pray, take all my  
 my zeal in - spire; as thou hast died for me, oh, may my  
 be thou my guide; bid dark - ness turn to day, wipe sor - row's  
 shall o'er me roll; blest Sav - ior, then, in love fear and dis -

guilt a - way, oh, let me from this day be whol - ly thine!  
 love to thee pure, warm, and change - less be, a liv - ing fire!  
 tears a - way, nor let me ev - er stray from thee a - side.  
 trust re - move; oh, bear me safe a - bove, a ran - somed soul!

Text: Ray Palmer, 1808-1887  
 Music: Lowell Mason, 1792-1872

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**POST COMMUNION BLESSING** *(please stand)*

**V** The Body and Blood of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ strengthen you and keep you safe in His Grace until everlasting life.

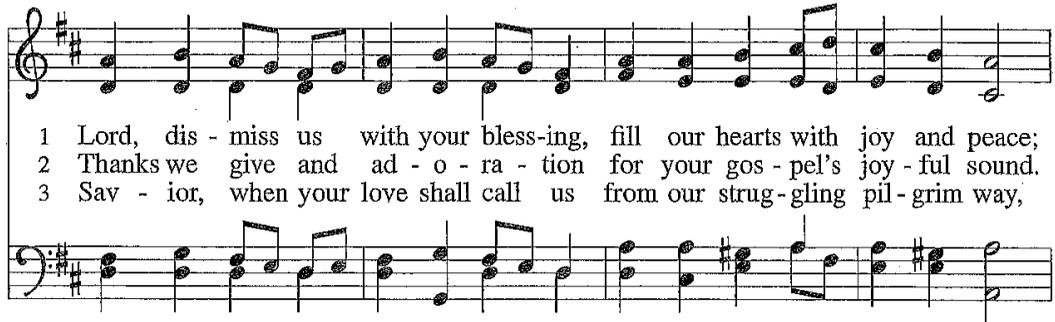
**C** **Amen.**

**PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION** *(together we pray)*

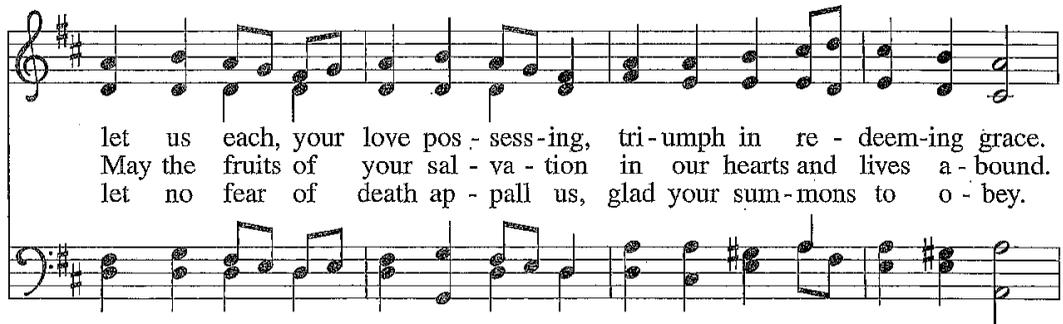
**C** **God of steadfast love, at this table you gather your people into one body for the sake of the world. Send us in the power of your Spirit, that our lives bear witness to the love that has made us new in Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.**

## 545

## Lord, Dismiss Us with Your Blessing



1 Lord, dis - miss us with your bless - ing, fill our hearts with joy and peace;  
 2 Thanks we give and ad - o - ra - tion for your gos - pel's joy - ful sound.  
 3 Sav - ior, when your love shall call us from our strug - gling pil - grim way,



let us each, your love pos - sess - ing, tri - umph in re - deem - ing grace.  
 May the fruits of your sal - va - tion in our hearts and lives a - bound.  
 let no fear of death ap - pall us, glad your sum - mons to o - bey.



Oh, re - fresh us; oh, re - fresh us, trav - 'ling through this wil - der - ness.  
 Ev - er faith - ful, ev - er faith - ful to your truth may we be found.  
 May we ev - er, may we ev - er reign with you in end - less day.

Text: attr. John Fawcett, 1740–1817, sts. 1–2, alt.; Godfrey Thring, 1823–1903, st. 3, alt.  
 Music: Sicilian, 18th cent.

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V The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord make His face shine upon you with grace and mercy. The Lord look upon you with favor and + give you peace.

C Amen.

## DISMISSAL

V Christ is sending you!

C **Thanks be to God. Amen!**

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## **Announcements**

**Lenten Worship:** Our Lenten series entitled “Return from Exile” will continue each Wednesday at 6 pm. The title for next week is “Death to Resurrection: The Wilderness to the Promised Land”.

**Lent Soup Supper and Service:** Wednesday, March 25, 4:30 PM until about 5:30 PM, in Fellowship Hall, the “**soup supper**”. There will also be bread and butter and cookies. This is hosted by the Men of the congregation.

**Easter Breakfast:** will be held Sunday, April 5<sup>th</sup> @ 8:30 am, hosted by the women of the church (WELCA). There is a slip in the bulletin to be completed by those planning to attend. Place your completed form in the offering plate please.

**Next Sunday is Commissioning Day:** at the 8:30 service we will commission our new Stephen Ministers. These gifted people will follow in Jesus' footsteps by helping our congregation provide the gift of caring ministry to those who are going through a variety of life difficulties. Let us celebrate the completion of their training for this ministry and thank God for their generous response to his call, keeping the success of their ministry in our prayers.

**Gloria de Cristo Health/ Wellness Fair:** The Health and Wellness Committee is hosting a Health Fair at Gloria de Cristo on Saturday, March 28, 2026, from 10:00 AM to 2:00 PM in the courtyard and the Fellowship Hall. There will be Representatives from the Health Department, TOPS (Taking Off Pounds Sensibly), Healthy Eating Demonstration, Blood Pressure screenings, Grief Care, Stephen Ministry, Strength/Balance techniques, GDC Table, Community Health Associates, Stress Management, Alzheimer's Association and Humane Society (puppies!!) Door Prizes

We are excited to have this Health Fair for our GDC Family! Mark your calendar.

**Support their Cause:** A few members of the Territorial Young Marines, a non-profit youth organization (age 8 -high school)focusing on leadership, community service and a drug-free lifestyle, helped unload the yard sale containers for us. They are 'taking over' Lutes Casino on Tuesday, March 31<sup>st</sup> from 4-8 pm. Consider going there for dinner to support their fundraiser.

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***PLEASE NOTE:*** *If you have a key to any of the rooms at GDC, please stop and register the # in the office..  
Thank You!!*

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## **ON-GOING ACTIVITIES**

### ***Service***

**Food Bank:** 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of each month we collect food for the local Food Pantry. When doing your shopping consider picking up a couple of items to bring and donate. If it's more convenient, you can make a monetary donation. Simply make check payable to Gloria de Cristo, place in pew envelope marked Food Bank, drop in the offering during worship. We will send one check to the Food Bank

**Men's Breakfast** the 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday of each month, 8 am at Izzies on Foothills Blvd. All gentlemen of the congregation are invited to come.

**Women's Breakfast Club** 1<sup>st</sup> Saturday of each month, 8 am at Izzies on Foothills Blvd. All ladies of the congregation are welcome to attend.

**Days for Girls:** will meet the 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Saturdays of each month @ 9 am in Fellowship Hall. Come join us for fellowship and fun

**GriefShare:** Every Sunday at 12:15 pm in the Fellowship Hall.

**Craft Fellowship** 1<sup>st</sup> Thursday, 9 am, Fellowship Hall

### ***Reading and Learning***

**Monday's Bible Study:** 1 pm in Fellowship Classroom

**Coffee With Jesus:** Tuesday's, 9 am in Fellowship Hall

**Old Testament Bible Study:** Thursday's @ 4 pm in Fellowship Hall.

**Prayer Fellowship:** 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Thursday's @ 10 am, in the Sanctuary.

## ***Fun and Fellowship***

**Line Dance Exercise:** every Wednesday in Fellowship Hall. Teaching at 9 am and Dancing at 9:30 am.

**Chair Aerobics :** Classes are held every Wednesday at 1 pm in Fellowship Hall. A donation of \$5/session is appreciated to offset the cost of the instructor. Everyone is welcome.



## **CALENDAR FOR THE COMING WEEK**

DATE	TIME	ACTIVITY	LOCATION
Monday 3/23	9 am	Glorious Quilters	Fellowship Hall
Monday 3/23	11 am	Alanon	Fellowship Classroom
Monday 3/23	1 pm	Bible Study on John	Fellowship Classroom
Tuesday 3/24	7 am	TOPS	Fellowship Classroom
Tuesday 3/24	9 am	Coffee With Jesus	Fellowship Hall
Tuesday 3/24	11 am	Coffee Club	Fellowship Hall
Tuesday 3/24	6:30 pm	Fireside Group	Fellowship Hall
Wed. 3/25	9 am	Line dance exercise	Fellowship Hall
Wed. 3/25	1 pm	Chair Aerobics	Fellowship Hall
Wed. 3/25	3:45 pm	Bells of Glory	Sanctuary
<b>Wed. 3/25</b>	<b>4:30 pm</b>	<b>Soup Supper/Men</b>	<b>Fellowship Hall</b>
<b>Wed. 3/25</b>	<b>6 pm</b>	<b>Lenten Worship</b>	<b>Sanctuary</b>
Wed. 3/25	7 pm	Choir Rehearsal	Sanctuary
Thur. 3/26	7 am	TOPS	Fellowship Classroom
Thurs. 3/26	10 am	Prayer Fellowship	Sanctuary
Thurs. 3/26	4 pm	Old Testament Bible Study	Classroom #3
Thurs. 3/26	6:15 pm	Guitar & Things	Sanctuary
Thurs. 3/26	6:30 pm	Fireside Group	Fellowship Hall
Friday 3/27	8 am	TOPS	Fellowship Hall
Friday 3/27	10:30 am	Spanish/English Conversation	Fellowship Classroom
Friday 3/27	5:00 pm	Women's AA	Fellowship Classroom
Saturday 3/28	9 am	TOPS	Classroom #2
<b>Sat. 3/28</b>	<b>10am-2pm</b>	<b>Health/Wellness Fair</b>	Fellowship Hall
<b>Sat. 3/28</b>	<b>4:00 pm</b>	<b>Worship/Communion</b>	Sanctuary
<b>Sunday 3/29</b>	<b>8:30 am</b>	<b>Worship/Communion</b>	Sanctuary
<b>Sunday 3/29</b>	<b>10:15 am</b>	<b>Worship/Communion</b>	Sanctuary
Sunday 3/29	12:15 am	GriefShare	Fellowship Hall
Sunday 3/29	1:00 pm	Foothills Social Group	Fellowship Classroom

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