

October 4, 2020

Presiding Minister & Preacher - Pastor Sara Wirth
Assisting Minister / Lector – Jeanette Anderson-Smith
Liturgy - Now the Feast and Celebration

Gathering

Prelude: Come, Christians Join to Sing - arr. Hayes

Confession and Forgiveness

Reconciling God,

we confess that we do not trust your abundance, and we deny your presence in our lives. We place our hope in ourselves and rely on our own efforts. We fail to believe that you provide enough for all. We abuse your good creation for our own benefit. We fear difference and do not welcome others as you have welcomed us. We sin in thought, word, and deed. By your grace, forgive us; through your love, renew us; and in your Spirit, lead us; so that we may live and serve you in newness of life. Amen.

Greeting

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.

Song of Praise (Now the Feast and Celebration)

Now the feast and celebration, all of creation sings for joy
To the God of life and love and freedom: praise and glory forever more!

- 1. Now is the feast of the Lamb once slain, whose blood has freed and united us, to be one great people of God. [R]
- 2. Power and riches, wisdom and might, all honor and glory to Christ forever. [R]
- 3. For God has come to dwell with us, to make us people of God; to make all things new! [R]

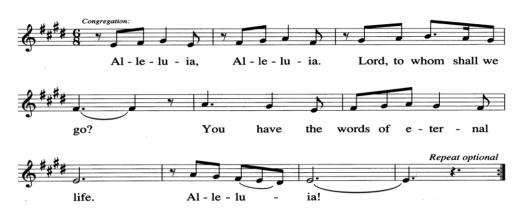
Prayer of the Day

Reading: Isaiah 5:1-7

Word of God. Word of Life.

Thanks be to God.

Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia! (Now the Feast and Celebration)



Gospel Reading: Matthew 21:33-46

The Holy Gospel according to Matthew. Glory to you, O Lord.

The Gospel of God. Praise to you, O Christ.

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Message

Song of the Day: ELW #645 Christ Is Made the Sure Foundation



Text: Latin hymn, c. 7th cent.; tr. John Mason Neale, 1818–1866, alt. Music: WESTMINSTER ABBEY, Henry Purcell, 1659–1695; arr. Ernest Hawkins, 1802–1868



Baptism (name)

Prayers of the People Lord, in your mercy, hear our prayer.

Peace

The peace of Christ be with you always. **And also with you.**

Offering Acknowledgement

Offering Prayer

Blessed are you, O God, maker of all things.
You have set before us these gifts of your good creation.
Prepare us for your heavenly banquet,
nourish us with this rich food and drink,
and send us forth to set tables in the midst of a suffering world,
through the bread of life, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

The Great Thanksgiving (Now the Feast and Celebration)

The Lord be with you.

And also 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 God thanks and praise.

Holy, Holy, Holy (Now the Feast and Celebration)



In the night in which he was betrayed,
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.

Pour out upon us the Spirit of your love, O God, and unite the wills of all who share this heavenly food, the body and blood of Jesus Christ, to whom, with you and the Holy Spirit, be all honor and glory, now and forever. **Amen.**

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 (Now the Feast and Celebration)



Communion

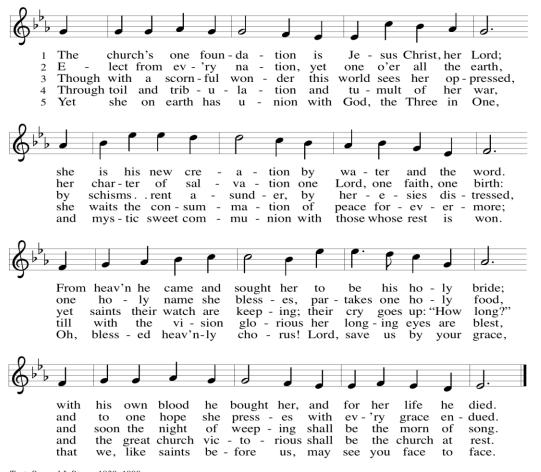
Prayer after Communion

Opportunities for Service

Blessing

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Sending Song: ELW #654 The Church's One Foundation



Text: Samuel J. Stone, 1839–1900 Music: AURELIA, Samuel S. Wesley, 1810–1876

Dismissal

Go in peace. Remember the poor. Thanks be to God.

Postlude: Shine, Jesus, Shine - arr. Kendrick

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