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THE HOLY EUCHARIST ~ RITE II Eighteenth Sunday After Pentecost September 27, 2026 - 10:30 AM

WELCOME

We are so glad you have joined us today! You are loved by God and loved by us. No matter who you are or where you are in your faith journey, you are welcome here. Please let us know if we can minister to you in any specific ways.

-Fr. Michael Engfer
& the All Saints Family

Flower & Candle Dedication Openings

Each week flowers for the Altar, Narthex, and Columbarium, along with the Sanctuary Candle, are given to the Glory of God by individuals. A dedication in memory or thanksgiving is included in the weekly bulletin, e-blast, and website.

To make a dedication, visit our website at <https://allsaintsfl.org/flower-dedications>

Available dates for October are below. See the website for more dates ahead.

Altar Flowers	Narthex Flowers	Columbarium Flowers	Sanctuary Candle
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Bulletins & Announcements

We ask that you recycle this bulletin before leaving today by placing it in the designated bins in the Narthex. Thank you for helping us care for God's creation and reduce waste.

Keep the announcements and take them home with you as a reminder of upcoming worship services, events, ministries, and opportunities to connect at All Saints.

To receive the weekly [All Saints Newsletter](#) via email, scan the Realm QR code to create an account. Please add in your birthday and anniversary so we can celebrate with you.



CALL TO WORSHIP ~ 13 BELLS

VOLUNTARY

Allein zu dir, Herr Jesu Christ
"In Thee alone, O Christ, my Lord"

Johann Pachelbel

PROCESSIONAL HYMN 450

All hail the power of Jesus' Name!

Coronation

1 All hail the power of Je - sus' Name! Let an - gels pros-trate
2 Crown him, ye mar - tyrs of our God, who from his al - tar
3 Hail him, the Heir of Da - vid's line, whom Da - vid Lord did
* 4 Ye heirs of Is - rael's cho - sen race, ye ran - somed of the
* 5 Sin - ners, whose love can ne'er for - get the worm-wood and the

1 fall; bring forth the roy - al di - a - dem, and
2 call: praise him whose way of pain ye trod, and
3 call, the God in - car - nate, Man di - vine, and
4 fall, hail him who saves you by his grace, and
5 gall, go, spread your tro - phies at his feet, and

1 crown him Lord of all! bring forth the roy - al
2 crown him Lord of all! praise him whose way of
3 crown him Lord of all! the God in - car - nate,
4 crown him Lord of all! hail him who saves you
5 crown him Lord of all! go, spread your tro - phies

1 di - a - dem, and crown him Lord of all!
2 pain ye trod, and crown him Lord of all!
3 Man di - vine, and crown him Lord of all!
4 by his grace, and crown him Lord of all!
5 at his feet, and crown him Lord of all!

6. Let every kindred, every tribe, on this terrestrial ball,
To him all majesty ascribe, and crown him Lord of all!

The Liturgy of the Word

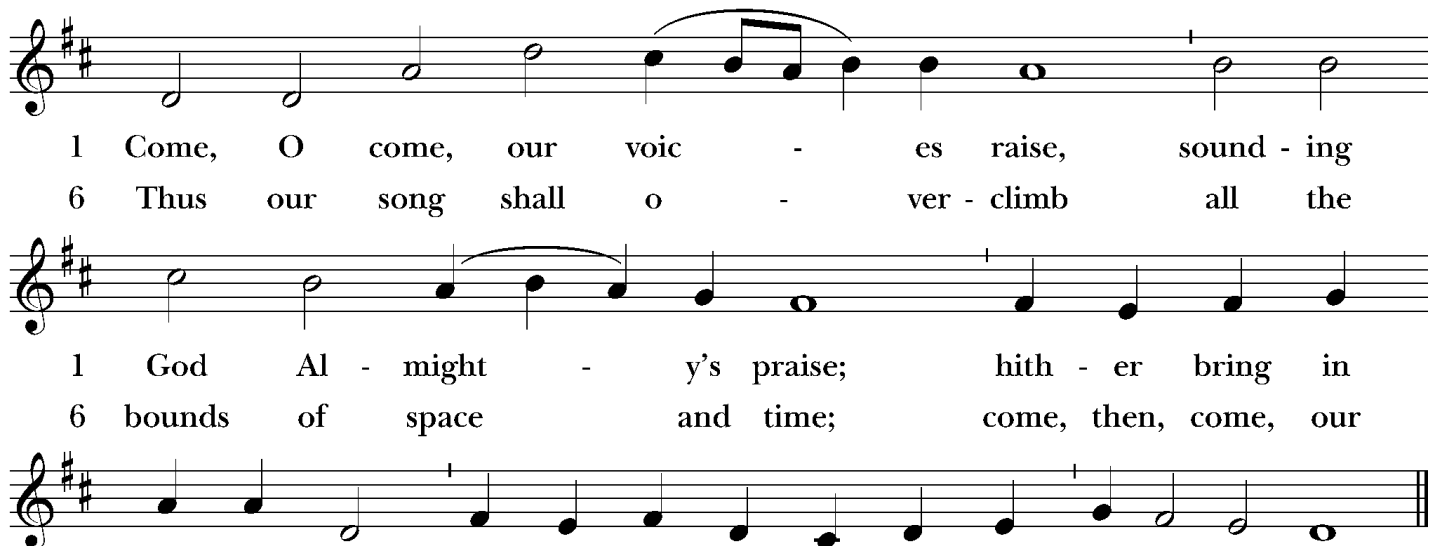
Presider Blessed be the one, holy, and living God.

People **Glory to God for ever and ever.**

COLLECT FOR PURITY

Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hid: 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.**

HYMN OF PRAISE 430 **Come, O come, our voices raise** *Sonne der Gerechtigkeit*



1 Come, O come, our voic - es raise, sound - ing
6 Thus our song shall o - ver - climb all the

1 God Al - might - y's praise; hith - er bring in
6 bounds of space and time; come, then, come, our

1 one con - sent heart, and voice, and in - stru - ment. Al - le - lu - ia!
6 voic - es raise, sound - ing God Al - might - y's praise. Al - le - lu - ia!

THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

Presider God be with you.

People **And also with you.**

Presider Let us pray.

Silence

O God, you declare your almighty power chiefly in showing mercy and pity: Grant us the fullness of your grace, that we, running to obtain your promises, may become partakers of your heavenly treasure; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

FIRST READING: Exodus 17:1-7

A reading from the book of Exodus.

From the wilderness of Sin the whole congregation of the Israelites journeyed by stages, as the Lord commanded. They camped at Rephidim, but there was no water for the people to drink. The people quarreled with Moses, and said, "Give us water to drink." Moses said to them, "Why do you quarrel with me? Why do you test the Lord?" But the people thirsted there for water; and the people complained against Moses and said, "Why did you bring us out of Egypt, to kill us and our children and livestock with thirst?" So Moses cried out to the Lord, "What shall I do with this people? They are almost ready to stone me." The Lord said to Moses, "Go on ahead of the people, and take some of the elders of Israel with you; take in your hand the staff with which you struck the Nile, and go. I will be standing there in front of you on the rock at Horeb. Strike the rock, and water will come out of it, so that the people may drink." Moses did so, in the sight of the elders of Israel. He called the place Massah and Meribah, because the Israelites quarreled and tested the Lord, saying, "Is the Lord among us or not?"

Reader Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's people.

People Thanks be to God.

PSALM 78:1-4, 12-16



- 1 Hear my teaching, O my people; *
incline your ears to the words of my mouth.
- 2 I will open my mouth in a parable; *
I will declare the mysteries of ancient times.
- 3 That which we have heard and known,
and what our forefathers have told us, *
we will not hide from their children.
- 4 We will recount to generations to come
the praiseworthy deeds and the power of the LORD, *
and the wonderful works he has done.

- 12 He worked marvels in the ¹sight of their ¹forefathers, *
in the land of ¹Egypt, in the ¹field of ¹Zoan.
- 13 He split open the sea and ¹let them pass ¹through; *
he made the ¹waters stand ¹up like ¹walls.
- 14 He led them with a ¹cloud by ¹day, *
and all the night ¹through with a ¹glow of ¹fire.
- 15 He split the hard ¹rocks in the ¹wilderness *
and gave them drink as ¹from the ¹grät ¹deep.
- 16 He brought streams ¹out of the ¹cliff, *
and the ¹waters gushed ¹out like ¹rivers.

SECOND READING: Philippians 2:1-13

A Reading from Paul's letter to the Church in Philippi.

If then there is any encouragement in Christ, any consolation from love, any sharing in the Spirit, any compassion and sympathy, make my joy complete: be of the same mind, having the same love, being in full accord and of one mind. Do nothing from selfish ambition or conceit, but in humility regard others as better than yourselves. Let each of you look not to your own interests, but to the interests of others. Let the same mind be in you that was in Christ Jesus, who, though he was in the form of God, did not regard equality with God as something to be exploited, but emptied himself, taking the form of a slave, being born in human likeness.

And being found in human form, he humbled himself and became obedient to the point of death--even death on a cross. Therefore God also highly exalted him and gave him the name that is above every name, so that at the name of Jesus every knee should bend, in heaven and on earth and under the earth, and every tongue should confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

Therefore, my beloved, just as you have always obeyed me, not only in my presence, but much more now in my absence, work out your own salvation with fear and trembling; for it is God who is at work in you, enabling you both to will and to work for his good pleasure.

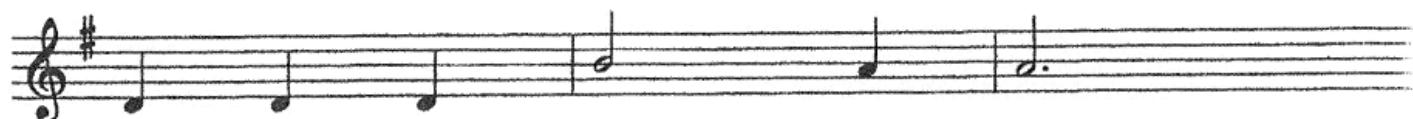
<i>Reader</i>	Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's people.
<i>People</i>	Thanks be to God.

SEQUENCE HYMN 343 Shepherd of Souls/A Tu Rebano, Buen Pastor St. Agnes

Choir and People sing stanza 1 in English, stanza 2 in Spanish during the Gospel procession, then stanza 3 in English and stanza 4 in Spanish after the Gospel is read



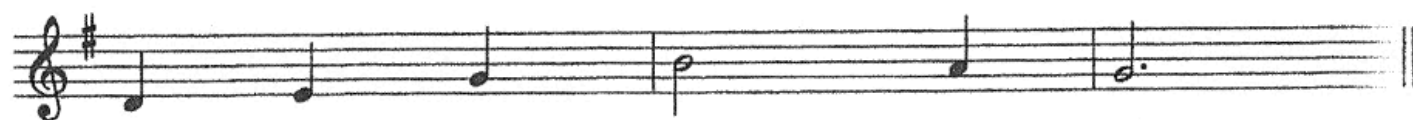
1. Shep - herd of souls, re - fresh and bless
 2. No so - lo pan nos sos - ten - drá,
 3. Be known to us in break - ing bread,
 4. Ven a ce - nar, oh buen Se - ñor,



Your cho - sen pil - grim flock
 Mas tu Pa - la - bra fiel;
 But do not then de - part;
 Tu Cuer - po y San - gre a dar;



With man - na in the wil - der - ness,
 Vi - gor y fuer - zas nos da - rá,
 Sav - ior, a - bide with us, and spread
 Que el pan y vi - no de tu a - mor



With wa - ter from the rock.
 Y es dul - ce más que miel.
 Your ta - ble in our heart.
 Sean ce - les - tial man - jar.

GOSPEL: Matthew 21:23-32

Gospeler The Holy Gospel of our Savior Jesus Christ according to Matthew.
People **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

When Jesus entered the temple, the chief priests and the elders of the people came to him as he was teaching, and said, "By what authority are you doing these things, and who gave you this authority?" Jesus said to them, "I will also ask you one question; if you tell me the answer, then I will also tell you by what authority I do these things. Did the baptism of John

come from heaven, or was it of human origin?" And they argued with one another, "If we say, 'From heaven,' he will say to us, 'Why then did you not believe him?' But if we say, 'Of human origin,' we are afraid of the crowd; for all regard John as a prophet." So they answered Jesus, "We do not know." And he said to them, "Neither will I tell you by what authority I am doing these things.

"What do you think? A man had two sons; he went to the first and said, 'Son, go and work in the vineyard today.' He answered, 'I will not'; but later he changed his mind and went. The father went to the second and said the same; and he answered, 'I go, sir'; but he did not go. Which of the two did the will of his father?" They said, "The first." Jesus said to them, "Truly I tell you, the tax collectors and the prostitutes are going into the kingdom of God ahead of you. For John came to you in the way of righteousness and you did not believe him, but the tax collectors and the prostitutes believed him; and even after you saw it, you did not change your minds and believe him."

Gospeler

The Gospel of the Lord.

People

Praise to you, Lord Christ.

THE SERMON

The Rev. Michael Engfer

A quiet time for reflection follows the sermon

THE 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:

by the power of the Holy Spirit

**he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary,
and was made man.**

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.
With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified.
He 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.

COMMISSIONING OF ANN THOMAS, LAY EUCHARIST VISITOR

Presider

Friends in Christ, we are all baptized by the one Spirit into one Body, and given gifts for a variety of ministries for the common good.

Representatives of the congregation

Fr. Michael, we present Ann Thomas, who has by the Holy Spirit been called to the ministry of Lay Eucharistic Visitor and has completed training.

People Praise be to God, who has called you to this service.

Presider Let us pray.

Silence

Almighty and everlasting God, by whose Spirit the whole body of your faithful people is governed and sanctified: Receive our supplications and prayers, which we offer before you for all members of your holy Church, that in their vocation and ministry they may truly and devoutly serve you; through our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

In the Name of God, we recognize you, Ann, as Lay Eucharistic Visitor and give you this Communion Kit and Name Badge as symbols of your ministry.

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Leader Almighty God, hear the prayers of your people. Grant your church wisdom to bring about the beloved community through our commitment to individual and communal transformation and redemption.

Silence

God of love and mercy,

People *hear our prayer.*

Leader Grant our nation strength and forbearance to peacefully resolve our differences and to live in amity with our neighbors.

Silence

God of love and mercy,

***People* hear our prayer.**

Leader Creator God, help us to care for all your creatures with compassion and respect. Bless farmers of land and livestock, ranchers, and fishermen as they feed your people. Help us steward your bountiful provision wisely.

Silence

God of love and mercy,

***People* hear our prayer.**

Leader Guiding God, thank you for calling and leading your people into service. Bless Ann Thomas as she ministers to those she visits. Use her to bring comfort and Christ's love to those in need. Raise up more workers for your Church.

Silence

God of love and mercy,

***People* hear our prayer.**

Leader Give us clarity, that we might perceive and comprehend the gravity of the global issues which we face, and a determination to work together to implement sustainable and equitable solutions.

Silence

God of love and mercy,

***People* hear our prayer.**

Leader Lift the burdens of those who are ill, those who face overwhelming challenges, and those who are fearful. Bring them healing and peace. We pray especially for those we now name either silently or aloud.

Silence

God of love and mercy,

***People* hear our prayer.**

Leader Grant peace and a welcome into your eternal grace to those who have died; and bring us to that place where with them we may all live again in your glorious kingdom. We remember silently or aloud those who are fully in your presence.

Silence

God of love and mercy,

***People* hear our prayer.**

Presider God of power and might, your eternal essence is love. Guide us as we seek to live fully into our belovedness and grant us an answer to our prayers that fulfills our deepest longings and reflects your glory into the darkness of our lives and world. All this we ask through your Son, our Lord, who with you and the Holy Spirit reigns supreme, One God, indivisible, forever and ever.

***People* Amen.**

Adapted from Hear Our Prayer: Prayers of the People for the RCL by John White & Lisa Graves, Church Pub. 2024

CONFESSION OF SIN

Presider Let us confess our sins against God.

Presider and People

**God of all mercy,
we confess that we have sinned against you
opposing your will in our lives.
We have denied your goodness in each other,
in ourselves, and in the world you have created.
We repent of the evil that enslaves us,
the evil we have done,
and the evil done on our behalf.
Forgive, restore, and strengthen us
through our Savior Jesus Christ,
that we may abide in your love
and serve only your will. Amen.**

ABSOLUTION

The Presider stands and says

Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through the grace of Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life.
Amen.

THE PEACE

All stand

Presider The peace of Christ be always with you.

***People* And also with you.**

The peace is then exchanged

The Holy Communion

THE OFFERTORY

We invite your offerings for All Saints' ministry of sharing God's love with the world. You may place your offering in the plates passed by the ushers or scan our QR code to give online.



OFFERTORY ANTHEM

Turn Thee again, O Lord

Thomas Attwood

Turn Thee again, O Lord, at the last, and be gracious unto Thy servants.

DOXOLOGY

Lasst uns erfreuen

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;

Praise God, all creatures here below;

Alleluia! Alleluia!

Praise God, the source of all our gifts!

Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts!

Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit, Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

Enriching our Worship - *Eucharistic Prayer A*

Presider The Lord be with you.

People **And also with you.**

Presider Lift up your hearts.

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

Presider Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People **It is right to give God thanks and praise.**

Presider

It is truly right, and good and joyful, to give you thanks, all-holy God, source of life and fountain of mercy.

You have filled us and all creation with your blessing and fed us with your constant love; you have redeemed us in Jesus Christ and knit us into one body. Through your Spirit you replenish us and call us to fullness of life.

Therefore, joining with Angels and Archangels and with the faithful of every generation, we lift our voices with all creation as we sing:

SANTO, SANTO, SANTO

arr. Pablo D. Sosa

San - to, san - to, san - to, mi cor - a - zon te a - do - ra! Mi
Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly, my heart, my heart a - dores you! My

cor - a - zon te sa - be de - cir: san - to e - res Se - ñor.
heart is glad to say the words: you are ho - ly, Lord.

The People sit, stand or kneel

The Presider continues

Blessed are you, gracious God, creator of the universe and giver of life. You formed us in your own image and called us to dwell in your infinite love.

You gave the world into our care that we might be your faithful stewards and show forth your bountiful grace.

But we failed to honor your image in one another and in ourselves; we would not see your goodness in the world around us; and so we violated your creation, abused one another, and rejected your love. Yet you never ceased to care for us, and prepared the way of salvation for all people.

Through Abraham and Sarah you called us into covenant with you. You delivered us from slavery, sustained us in the wilderness, and raised up prophets to renew your promise of salvation. Then, in the fullness of time, you sent your eternal Word, made mortal flesh in Jesus. Born into the human family, and dwelling among us, he revealed your glory. Giving himself freely to death on the cross, he triumphed over evil, opening the way of freedom and life.

On the night before he died for us, Our Savior Jesus Christ took bread, and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his friends, and said:

"Take, eat: This is my Body which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

As supper was ending, Jesus 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 poured out for you and for all for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me.”

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

Presider and People

Christ has died.

Christ is risen.

Christ will come again.

Remembering his death and resurrection, we now present to you from your creation this bread and this wine. By your Holy Spirit may they be for us the Body and Blood of our Savior Jesus Christ. Grant that we who share these gifts may be filled with the Holy Spirit and live as Christ's Body in the world. Bring us into the everlasting heritage of your daughters and sons, that with all your saints, past, present, and yet to come, we may praise your Name for ever.

Through Christ and with Christ and in Christ, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, to you be honor, glory, and praise, for ever and ever. **AMEN.**

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Presider And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say,

Presider and 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 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.

THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD

Presider We break this bread to share in the Body of Christ.

People **We who are many are one body, for we all share in the one bread.**

FRACTION ANTHEM S 155



Presider

The Gifts of God for the People of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.

COMMUNION DUET

Ave Verum

Karl Jenkins

Susan Sloan, Soprano and Gary Arnold, Baritone

*Hail, true Body, born of the Virgin Mary, who has truly suffered,
was sacrificed on the cross for mortals, whose side was pierced, whence flowed water and blood:
Be for us a foretaste of heaven during our final examining.
O Jesu sweet, O Jesu pure, O Jesu, Son of Mary, have mercy upon me. Amen.*

A PRAYER FOR SPIRITUAL COMMUNION

Said by the Presider and intended for use by those watching our livestream

Holy One, though I am unable to be physically present today with the worshipping community at All Saints Church, I have prayed with them as the Holy Eucharist has been celebrated. In my heart I feel connected to those worshipping at All Saints and to all Christians throughout the world. Though I am unable to receive you sacramentally today, I know you are always spiritually present in my heart, in my soul, and in my every breath. For this I give you thanks and praise. **Amen.**

SENDING FORTH OF THE EUCHARISTIC VISITORS

Presider [N.N.], we send you out to share Communion this week with [N.N.].

***People* May you carry the prayers of all of us as you take this sacrament of Christ's presence.**

Presider May they who receive it from you be strengthened and encouraged in that community which we have together in Christ.

***People* Amen.**

POST-COMMUNION PRAYER

Presider Let us pray.

Presider and People

God of abundance, you have fed us with the bread of life and cup of salvation; you have united us with Christ and one another; and you have made us one with all your people in heaven and on earth. Now send us forth in the power of your Spirit, that we may proclaim your redeeming love to the world and continue forever in the risen life of Christ our Savior. Amen.

THE BLESSING

RECESSIONAL HYMN 410 Praise, my soul, the King of heaven *Lauda anima*

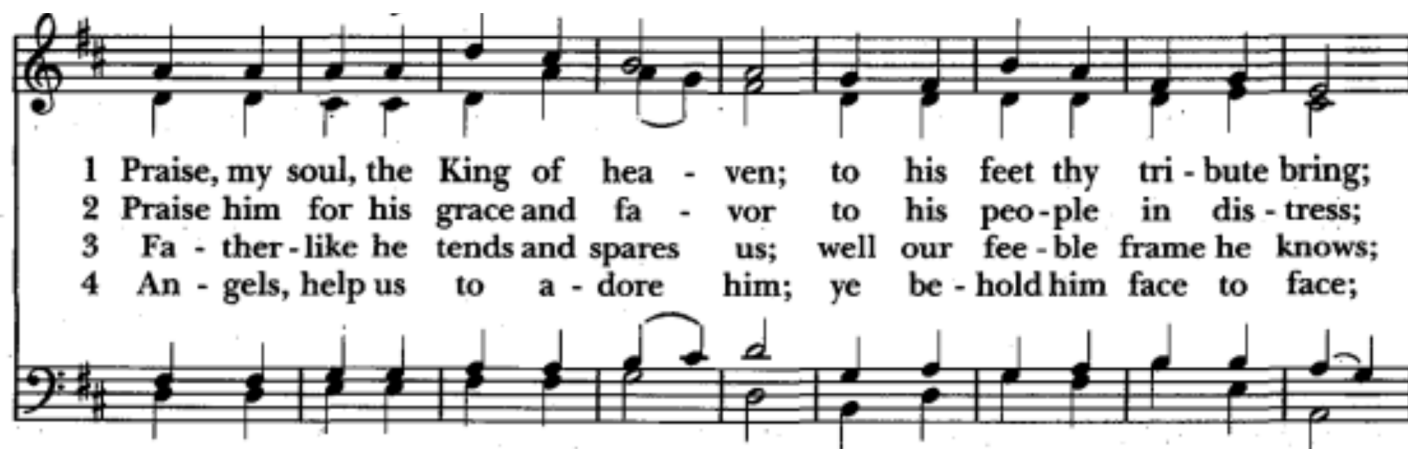
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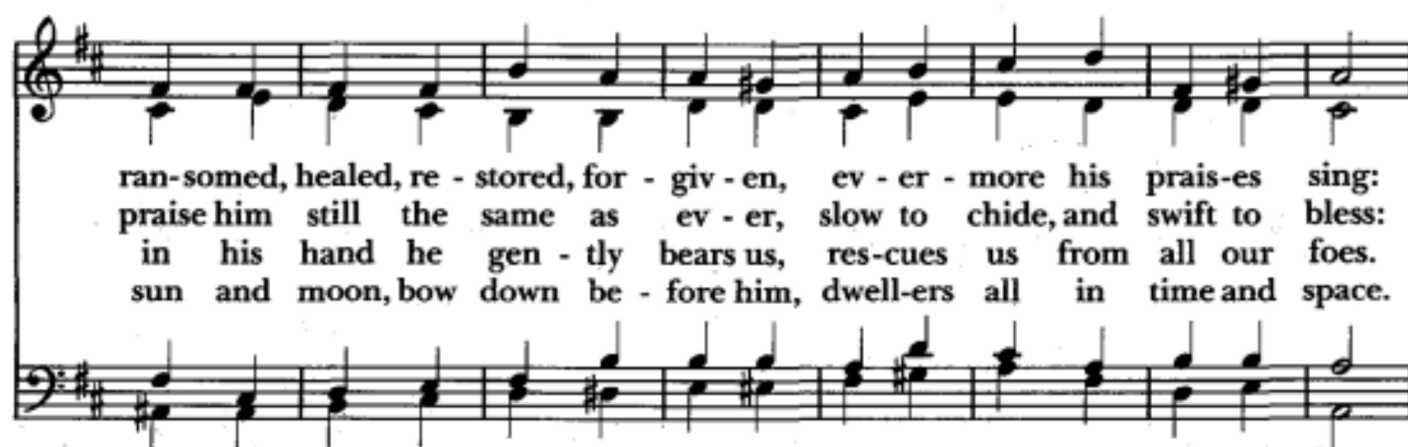
Presider Let us go forth in the name of Christ. Alleluia, Alleluia.

***People* Thanks be to God. Alleluia, Alleluia.**

VOLUNTARY Fugue on A Mighty Fortress is Our God *James Denton*



1 Praise, my soul, the King of hea - ven; to his feet thy tri - bute bring;
2 Praise him for his grace and fa - vor to his peo - ple in dis - tress;
3 Fa - ther - like he tends and spares us; well our fee - ble frame he knows;
4 An - gels, help us to a - dore him; ye be - hold him face to face;



ran-somed, healed, re - stored, for - giv - en, ev - er - more his prais-es sing:
praise him still the same as ev - er, slow to chide, and swift to bless:
in his hand he gen - tly bears us, res-cues us from all our foes.
sun and moon, bow down be - fore him, dwell-ers all in time and space.



Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia! Praise the ev - er - last - ing King.
Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia! Glo - rious in his faith - ful - ness.
Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia! Wide - ly yet his mer - cy flows.
Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia! Praise with us the God of grace.