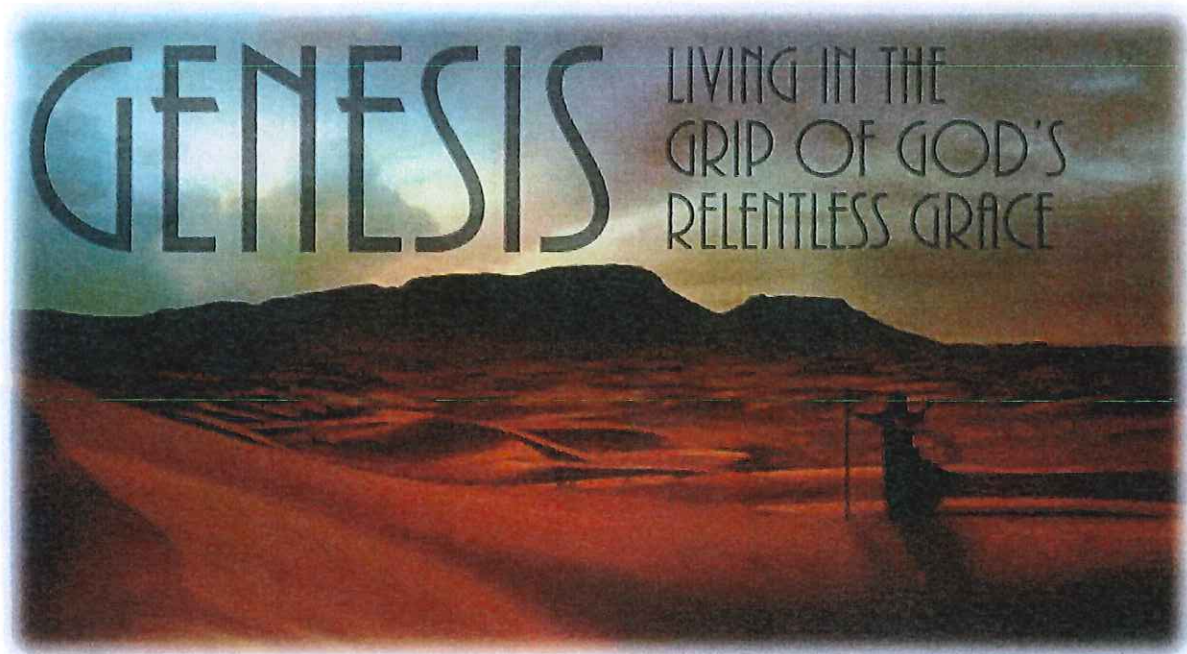


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*As disciples of Jesus Christ, we come together in love,
welcome all people into His grace, proclaim His Word,
and serve others in His name.*



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September 27, 2020 WORSHIP 10:00am

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Prelude

ANNOUNCEMENTS

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

Blessed be the holy Trinity, † one God, who creates, redeems, and sustains us and all of creation.

Amen.

Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another.

Faithful God,

have mercy on us. We confess that we are captive to sin and cannot free ourselves.

We turn from your loving embrace and go our own ways. We pass judgment on one another before examining ourselves. We place our own needs before those of our neighbors. We keep your gift of salvation to ourselves. Make us humble, cast away our transgressions, and turn us again to life in you through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Amen.

God hears the cries of all who call out in need, and through his death and resurrection, Christ has made us his own. Hear the truth that God proclaims: Your sins are forgiven in the name of † Jesus Christ. Led by the Holy Spirit, live in freedom and newness to do God's work in the world.

Amen

GREETING

OPENING DIALOGUE



☐ Je - sus Christ, Light of life, shine in your peo - ple here.



☑ Je - sus Christ, Light of life, shine in your peo - ple here.



☐ Stay with us now; put fear to flight as morn - ing ush - ers in the light .



☑ Warm the day - break with your love and light, Je - sus Christ.



☐ Je - sus Christ, ☑ Je - sus Christ, ☐ Light of life, ☑ Light of life,



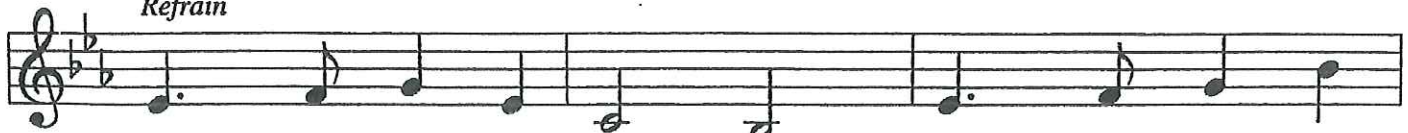
shine in your peo - ple here. ☐ Je - sus Christ, ☑ Je - sus Christ, ☐ Light of



life, ☑ Light of life, shine in your peo - ple here.

HYMN OF LIGHT

Refrain



☐ Joy - ous Light of glo - ry, sa - cred Word made



hu - man sto - ry, bless - ed Je - sus Christ,



of the Fa - ther giv - en, Light to earth from



Light of heav - en: ho - ly, end - less source of life.



☐ As we come to the ris - ing of the sun,
☐ As we sing, O ho - ly Three in One,



and we look to the gold of morn - ing light,
fount of life and love and fire di - vine,



☐ we will raise our songs in praise of your glo - ry
☐ we re - joice in you with the pure voice of glad - ness

Refrain



and with all the u - ni - verse u - nite.
as we let your light with - in us shine.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Let us pray...**God of love, giver of life, you know our frailties and failings. Give us your grace to overcome them, keep us from those things that harm us, and guide us in the way of salvation, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.**

Amen.

FIRST GOSPEL Genesis 37: 3-8, 17b-22

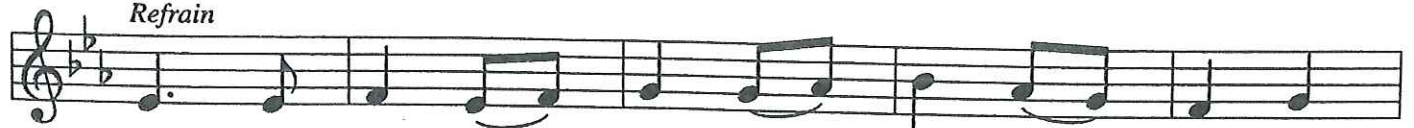
³Now Israel loved Joseph more than any other of his children, because he was the son of his old age; and he had made him a long robe with sleeves. ⁴But when his brothers saw that their father loved him more than all his brothers, they hated him, and could not speak peaceably to him.

⁵Once Joseph had a dream, and when he told it to his brothers, they hated him even more. ⁶He said to them, "Listen to this dream that I dreamed. ⁷There we were, binding sheaves in the field. Suddenly my sheaf rose and stood upright; then your sheaves gathered around it, and bowed down to my sheaf." ⁸His brothers said to him, "Are you indeed to reign over us? Are you indeed to have dominion over us?" So they hated him even more because of his dreams and his words.


¹⁷The man said, "They have gone away, for I heard them say, 'Let us go to Dothan.'" So Joseph went after his brothers, and found them at Dothan. ¹⁸They saw him from a distance, and before he came near to them, they conspired to kill him. ¹⁹They said to one another, "Here comes this dreamer. ²⁰Come now, let us kill him and throw him into one of the pits; then we shall say that a wild animal has devoured him, and we shall see what will become of his dreams." ²¹But when Reuben heard it, he delivered him out of their hands, saying, "Let us not take his life." ²²Reuben said to them, "Shed no blood; throw him into this pit here in the wilderness, but lay no hand on him" — that he might rescue him out of their hand and restore him to his father.

PSALM 62 Rest In God Alone

Refrain




Rest in God a - lone, my soul; oh, rest in



God, my soul. Rest in God a -




lone, my soul; oh, rest in God, my soul.



1 On - ly in God is my soul at rest. From
 2 On - ly in God be at rest, my soul; from
 3 God is my safe - ty and God my glo - ry. God



God comes my sal - va - tion. God
 God comes hope for each - day. God
 is the source of my strength. Trust



on - ly is my rock, my strong - hold.
 on - ly is my rock, my strong - hold,
 God in ev - 'ry time, O peo - ple;



Refrain

I shall not be dis - turbed.
 the love for ev - 'ry way.
 pour out your hearts to God.

GOSPEL CANTICLE

Magnificat

Refrain



My soul pro - claims your great-ness, O God,



my spir-it re - joic - es in the love of my Sav - ior.



You have looked with fa - vor on my sim - ple ways,



and I will praise you all of my days.



1 You have called me bless - ed, done great things for me.
2 You have hum-bled the might - y, scat-tered earth-ly pride.



You have shown your mer - cy, set my spir-it free.
You have strength-ened your ser-vants, kept us by your side.



You have lift - ed the low - ly, sent the rich a - way.
You have hon-ored your prom - ise made so long a - go.



You have filled the hun - gry, and ho - ly is your name.
You have blessed your chil - dren from age to age, and so:

Refrain

GOSPEL Genesis 37: 26-34; 50: 15-21

The holy gospel according to Genesis.

Glory to you, O Lord.

²⁶Then Judah said to his brothers, "What profit is it if we kill our brother and conceal his blood? ²⁷Come, let us sell him to the Ishmaelites, and not lay our hands on him, for he is our brother, our own flesh." And his brothers agreed. ²⁸When some Midianite traders passed by, they drew Joseph up, lifting him out of the pit, and sold him to the Ishmaelites for twenty pieces of silver. And they took Joseph to Egypt. ²⁹When Reuben returned to the pit and saw that Joseph was not in the pit, he tore his clothes. ³⁰He returned to his brothers, and said, "The boy is gone; and I, where can I turn?" ³¹Then they took Joseph's robe, slaughtered a goat, and dipped the robe in the blood. ³²They had the long robe with sleeves taken to their father, and they said, "This we have found; see now whether it is your son's robe or not." ³³He recognized it, and said, "It is my son's robe! A wild animal has devoured him; Joseph is without doubt torn to pieces." ³⁴Then Jacob tore his garments, and put sackcloth on his loins, and mourned for his son many days.

¹⁵Realizing that their father was dead, Joseph's brothers said, "What if Joseph still bears a grudge against us and pays us back in full for all the wrong that we did to him?" ¹⁶So they approached Joseph, saying, "Your father gave this instruction before he died, ¹⁷Say to Joseph: I beg you, forgive the crime of your brothers and the wrong they did in harming you.' Now therefore please forgive the crime of the servants of the God of your father." Joseph wept when they spoke to him. ¹⁸Then his brothers also wept, fell down before him, and said, "We are here as your slaves." ¹⁹But Joseph said to them, "Do not be afraid! Am I in the place of God? ²⁰Even though you intended to do harm to me, God intended it for good, in order to preserve a numerous people, as he is doing today. ²¹So have no fear; I myself will provide for you and your little ones." In this way he reassured them, speaking kindly to them.

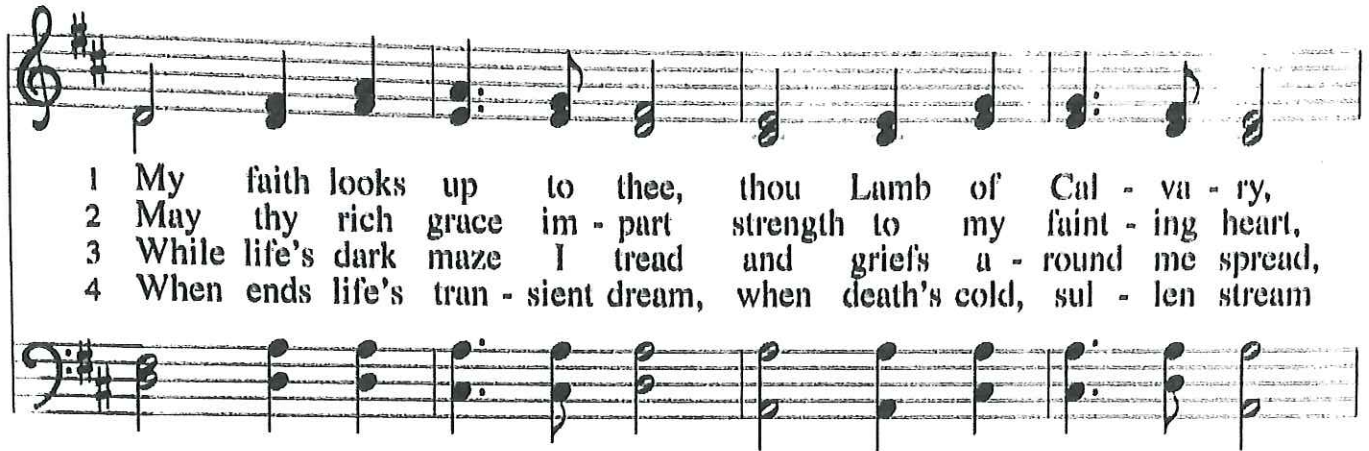
The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, O Christ.

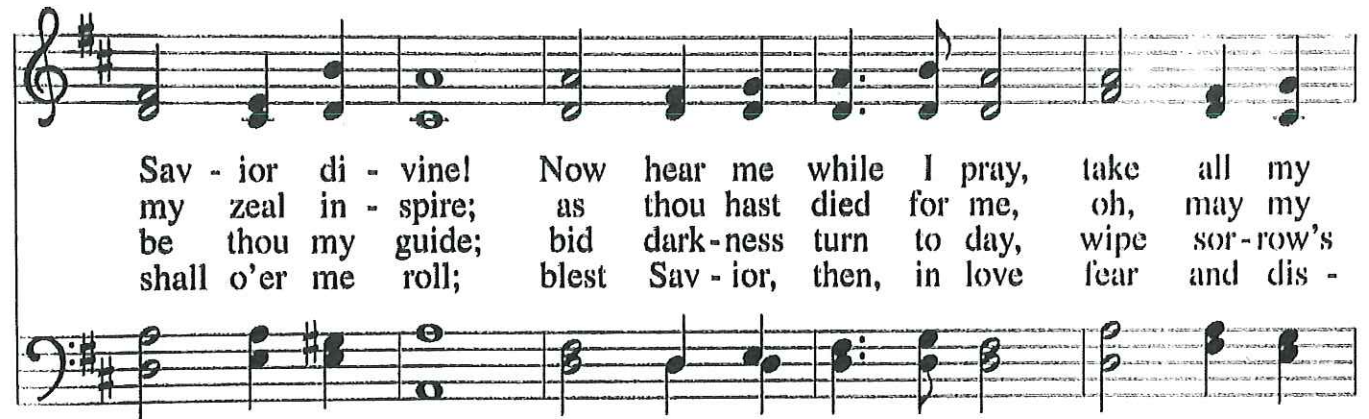
SERMON

My Faith Looks Up to Thee

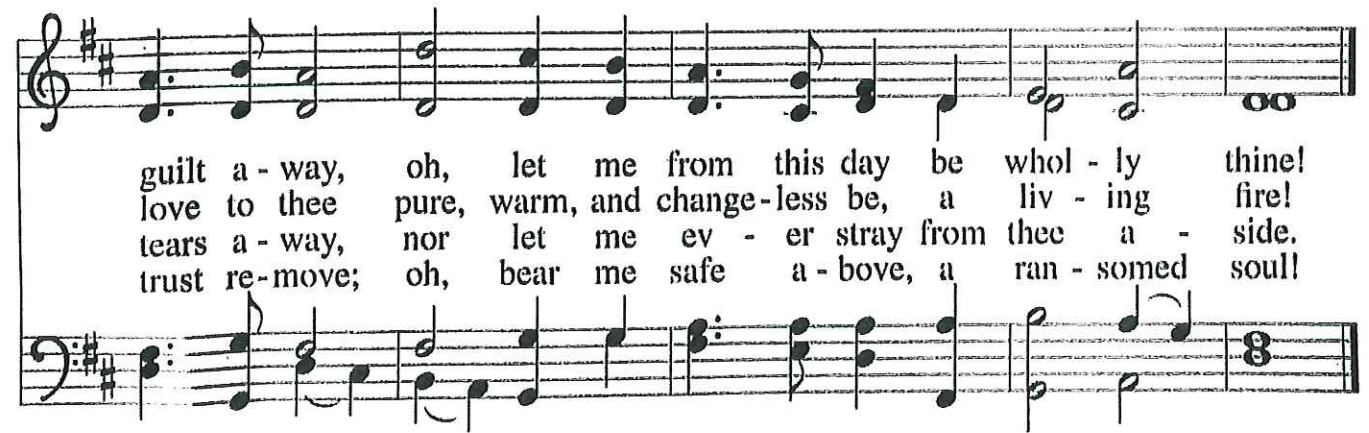
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1 My faith looks up to thee, thou Lamb of Cal - va - ry,
 2 May thy rich grace im - part strength to my faint - ing heart,
 3 While life's dark maze I tread and griefs a - round me spread,
 4 When ends life's tran - sient dream, when death's cold,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

ALBERT

PRAYERS AND BLESSING

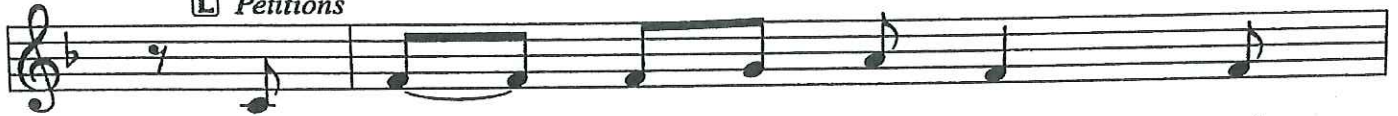
Litany

Refrain



☐ God of love, have mer - cy, and lis - ten to our prayer.
(God.)

☐ Petitions

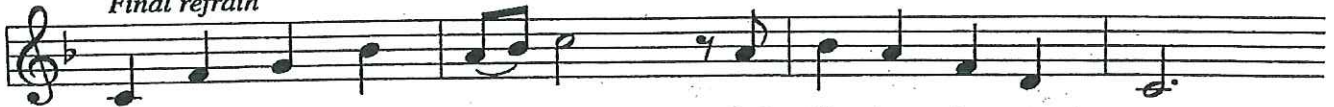


1 For	peace	born	of	heav - en,	and
2 For	peace	in	the	whole world,	and
3 For	all	those	who	gov - ern:	give
4 For	all	who	work	for jus - tice	and
5 For	rain,	sun,	and	har - vest,	and
6 For	all	who	know	af - flic - tion,	des -



for our sal - va - tion, we pray to you, O
 peace a - mong all peo - ples,
 wis - dom and com - pas - sion;
 free - dom from op - pres - sion,
 food to fill the hun - gry,
 pair, wrath, and dan - ger,

Final refrain



☐ God of love, have mer - cy, and lis - ten to our prayer,
(God.)



God of love, hear our prayer. A - men

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

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 our thanks and praise.

It is indeed right...their unending hymn:

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow'r and might,
heav-en and earth are full of your glo - ry, full of your glo-ry. Ho -
san - na, ho - san - na, ho - san - na in the high -
est. Bless-ed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho -
san - na, ho - san - na, ho - san - na in the high - est.

..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...

LORD'S PRAYER

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.

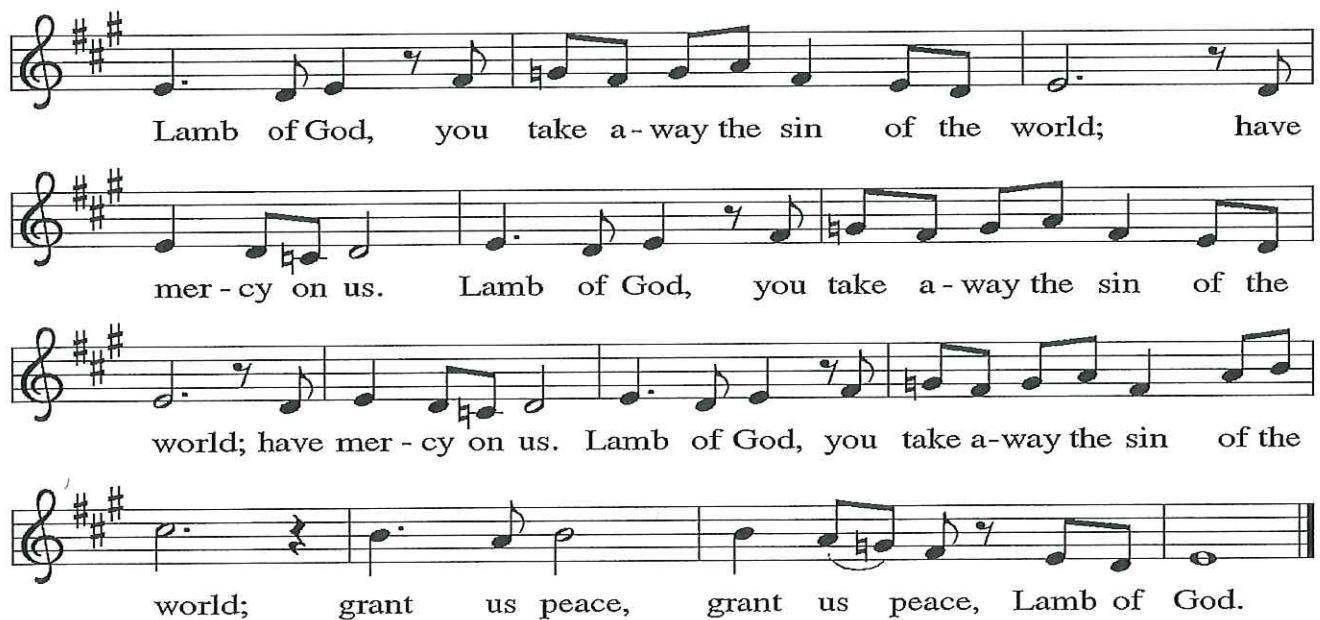
COMMUNION *(at the communion rail)*

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Faithful God, you have kept your promise to us in this meal, nourishing us with the gift of salvation. Now send your servants forth in peace, that we may testify to your goodness and share the hope that is ours in Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Amen.

LAMB OF GOD




Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the world; have
mer-cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the
world; have mer-cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the
world; grant us peace, grant us peace, Lamb of God.

BLESSING



Let us bless the Ho-ly One. To God our thanks we raise. May



God Al-might-y bless us, guide us and de-fend us, and lead us in - to



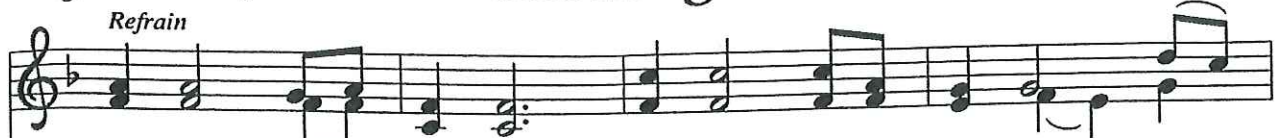
life. A - men, a - men, a - men.

SENDING HYMN


My Lord, What a Morning

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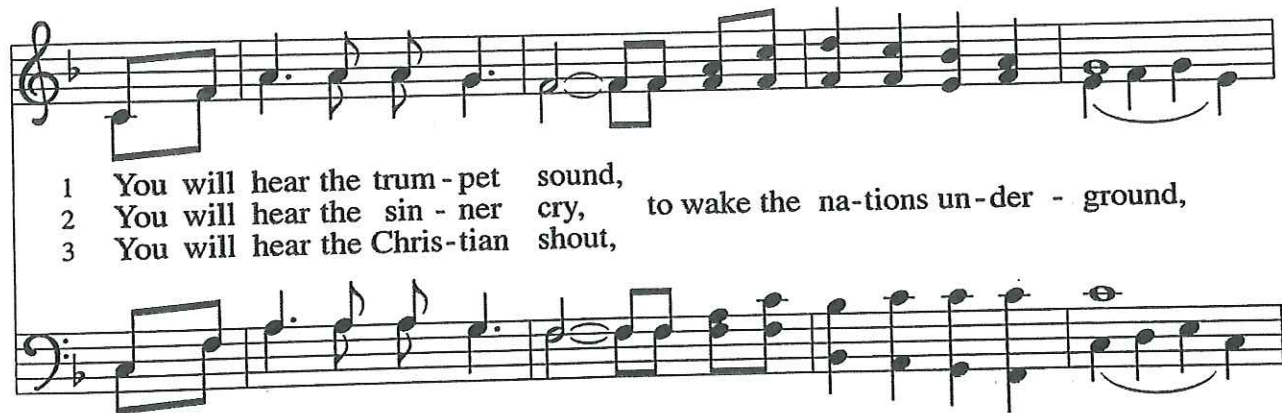
Refrain



My Lord, what a morn-ing; my Lord, what a morn-ing; oh,



my Lord, what a morn-ing, when the stars be-gin to fall.



1 You will hear the trum - pet sound,
 2 You will hear the sin - ner cry, to wake the na - tions un - der - ground,
 3 You will hear the Chris - tian shout,



Refrain

look - ing to my God's right hand, when the stars be - gin to fall.

DISMISSAL

Go in peace. Serve the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Postlude

Prelude

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One Bread, One Body



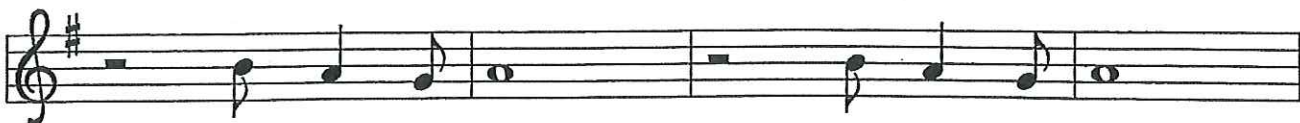
One bread, one bod-y, one Lord of all; one cup of



bless-ing which we bless, and we, though man-y



through-out the earth, we are one bod - y in this one Lord.



1	Gen - tile	or	Jew,	ser - vant	or	free,
2	Man - y	the	gifts,	man - y	the	works,
3	Grain	for	the	scat-tered	and	grown,



wom-an	or	man,	no	more.
one	in	the	of	all.
gath-ered	to	one	for	all.