

Thanksgiving 2025

Confession and Absolution

**Please Rise*

Stand

***The Invocation** Page 184

The sign of the cross is made by all in remembrance of their Baptism.

P In the name of the Father and of the ✝ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C Amen.

P Beloved in the Lord! Let us draw near with a true heart and confess our sins unto God our Father, beseeching Him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to grant us forgiveness.

P Our help is in the name of the Lord,

C who made heaven and earth.

P I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the Lord,

C and You forgave the iniquity of my sin.

Kneel/Stand

***The Confession of Sins** Page 184

Silence for reflection on God's Word and for self-examination.

P Almighty God, our maker and redeemer, we poor sinners confess unto You that we are by nature sinful and unclean and that we have sinned against You by thought, word, and deed. Wherefore we flee for refuge to Your infinite mercy, seeking and imploring Your grace for the sake of our Lord Jesus Christ.

C **O most merciful God, who has given Your only-begotten Son to die for us, have mercy upon us and for His sake grant us remission of all our sins; and by Your Holy Spirit increase in us true knowledge of You and of Your will and true obedience to Your Word, to the end that by Your grace we may come to everlasting life; through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.**

***Declaration of Grace**

P Almighty God, our heavenly Father, has had mercy upon us and has given His only Son to die for us and for His sake forgives us all our sins. To those who believe on His name He gives power to become the children of God and has promised them His Holy Spirit. He that believes and is baptized shall be saved. Grant this, Lord, unto us all.

C Amen

Stand

*892 Come, Ye Thankful People, Come



1 Come, ye thank-ful peo - ple, come; Raise the song of har-vest home.
2 All the world is God's own field, Fruit un - to His praise to yield;
3 For the Lord, our God, shall come And shall take His har-vest home,
4 E - ven so, Lord, quick - ly come To Thy fi - nal har-vest home;



All be safe - ly gath - ered in Ere the win - ter storms be - gin;
Wheat and tares to - geth - er sown, Un - to joy or sor - row grown.
From His field shall in that day All of - fens - es purge a - way,
Gath - er Thou Thy peo - ple in, Free from sor-row, free from sin,



God, our mak - er, doth pro-vide For our wants to be sup-plied.
First the blade and then the ear, Then the full corn shall ap - pear.
Give His an - gels charge at last In the fire the tares to cast,
There, for - ev - er pu - ri - fied, In Thy gar - ner to a - bide:



Come to God's own tem - ple, come; Raise the song of har-vest home.
Lord of har - vest, grant that we Whole-some grain and pure may be.
But the fruit - ful ears to store In His gar - ner ev - er - more.
Come with all Thine an - gels, come, Raise the glo - rious har-vest home.

Service of the Word

*Introit (Psalm 104:24, 27-28,30)

P: I will sing to the LORD as long | as I live;*

I will sing praise to my God while I have | being.

C: O LORD, how manifold are your works! In wisdom have you | made them all; *the earth is full of your | creatures.

K: These all | look to you, *

to give them their food in due | season.

C: When you give it to them, they gath- | er it up; *

when you open your hand, they are filled with | good things.

K: When you send forth your Spirit, they are cre- | ated,*
and you renew the face | of the ground.

**All: Glory be to the Father and | to the Son*
and to the Holy | Spirit;
as it was in the be- | ginning,*
is now, and will be forever. | Amen.**

P: I will sing to the LORD as long | as I live;*
I will sing praise to my God while I have | being.

*Kyrie



Lord, have mer - cy up - on us. Christ, have mer - cy up -
on us. Lord, have mer - cy up - on us.

*Gloria in Excelsis



Glory be to God on high: and on earth peace, good - will toward
men. We praise Thee, we bless Thee, we wor - ship Thee,
we glorify Thee, we give thanks to Thee, for Thy great glory.
O Lord God, heav'n-ly King, God the Fa-ther Al - mighty.
O Lord, the only begotten Son, Je - sus Christ;

O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,
 that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy up-on us.
 Thou that takest away the sin of the world, re-ceive our prayer.
 Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father, have mercy up-
 on us. For Thou only art holy; Thou on-ly art the Lord.
 Thou only, O Christ, with the Ho-ly Ghost,
 art most high in the glory of God the Father. A-men.

*Salutation and Collect of the Day

[P] The Lord be with you.

[C] And with thy spir - it.

[P] Let us pray.

[P] ... one God, now and forever.



Sit

Old Testament Lesson Deuteronomy 8:1-10

After the reading is said:

A This is the Word of the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

C We praise you, O God, our Redeemer, Creator; In grateful devotion, our tribute we bring. We lay it before you; we kneel and adore you; We bless your holy name; glad praises we sing.

Epistle Philippians 4:6-20

After the reading is said:

A This is the Word of the Lord.

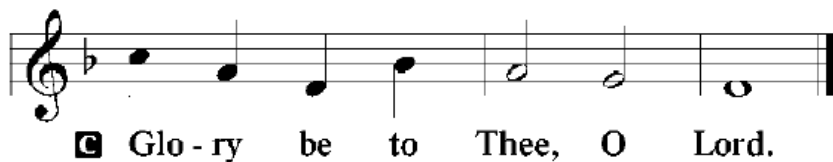
C Thanks be to God.

Stand

* **C** We worship you, God of our fathers, we bless you; Through trial and tempest our guide you have been. When perils o'ertake us, you will not forsake us, And with your help, O Lord, our struggles we win.

*Holy Gospel..... Luke 17: 11-19

P The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke, the 17th chapter.



P This is the Gospel of the Lord.



*** C With voices united our praises we offer And gladly our songs of thanksgiving we raise. With you, Lord, beside us, your strong arm will guide us. To you, our great Redeemer, forever be praise!**

***Apostles' Creed**

**C I believe in God, the Father Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth.**

**And in Jesus Christ, His 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 into hell.
The third day He rose again from the dead.
He ascended into heaven
and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty.
From thence He will come to judge the living and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy Christian Church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life T everlasting. Amen.**

Sit

Hymn of the Day #895..... Now Thank We All Our God



1 Now thank we all our God With hearts and hands and voices,
 2 Oh, may this bounteous God Through all our life be near us,
 3 All praise and thanks to God The Father now be given,



Who wondrous things has done, In whom His world rejoices;
 With ever joyful hearts And blessed peace to cheer us
 The Son, and Him who reigns With them in highest heaven,



Who from our mothers' arms Has blest us on our way
 And keep us in His grace And guide us when perplexed
 The one eternal God, Whom earth and heav'n adore;

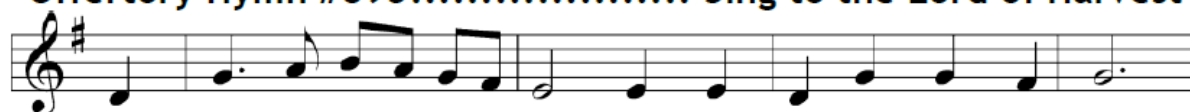


With countless gifts of love And still is ours to-day.
 And free us from all ills In this world and the next!
 For thus it was, is now, And shall be ever more.

Sermon

Stand

*Offertory Hymn #893..... Sing to the Lord of Harvest



1 Sing to the Lord of harvest, Sing songs of love and praise;
 2 God makes the clouds rain goodness, The deserts bloom and spring,
 3 Bring to this sacred altar The gifts His goodness gave,



With joyful hearts and voices Your alleluias raise.
 The hills leap up in gladness, The valleys laugh and sing.
 The golden sheaves of harvest, The souls Christ died to save.



By Him the rolling seasons In fruitful order move;
 God fills them with His fullness, All things with large increase;
 Your hearts lay down before Him When at His feet you fall,



Sing to the Lord of har - vest A joy - ous song of love.
He crowns the year with bless - ing, With plen - ty and with peace.
And with your lives a - dore Him Who gave His life for all.

Offering (Please give online following the service)

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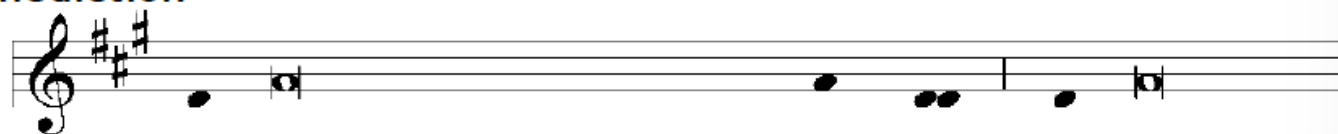
*Prayer of the Church

P Oh Give thanks unto the Lord for He is good,
C and His mercy endures forever.

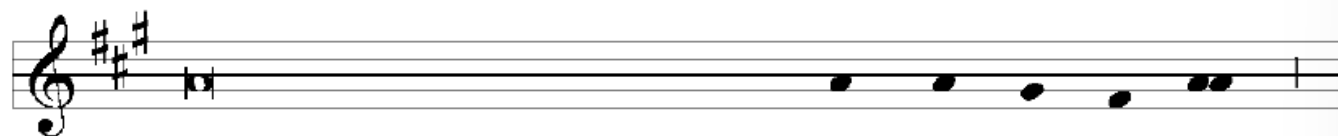
*Lord's Prayer

*Collect for the Church

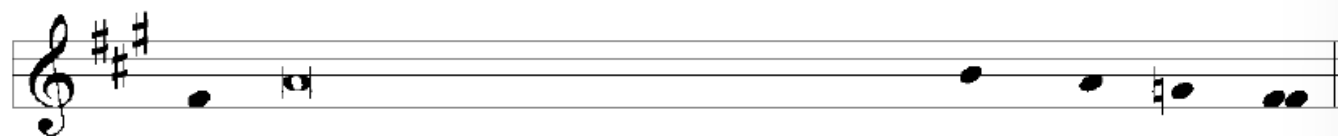
*Benediction



P The Lord bless you and keep you, The Lord make



His face shine upon you and be gra - cious un - to you.

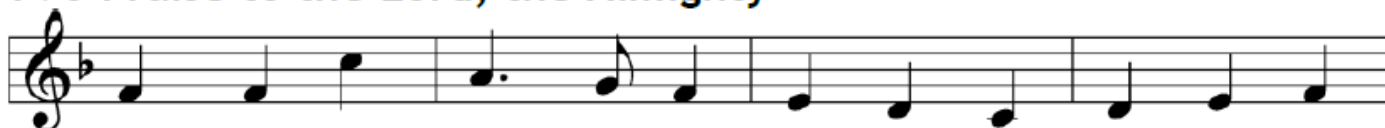


The Lord lift up His countenance upon you and ☩ give you peace.



C A-men, a-men, a - men.

790 Praise to the Lord, the Almighty



1 Praise to the Lord, the Al - might - y, the King of cre -
 2 Praise to the Lord, who o'er all things is won - drous - ly
 3 Praise to the Lord, who has fear - ful - ly, won - drous - ly,
 4 Praise to the Lord, who will pros - per your work and de -
 5 Praise to the Lord! O let all that is in me a -



a - tion! O my soul, praise Him, for He is your
 reign - ing And, as on wings of an ea - gle, up -
 made you, Health has be - stowed and, when heed - less - ly
 fend you; Sure - ly His good - ness and mer - cy shall
 dore Him! All that has life and breath, come now with



health and sal - va - tion! Let all who hear Now to His
 lift - ing, sus - tain - ing. Have you not seen All that is
 fall - ing, has stayed you. What need or grief Ev - er has
 dai - ly at - tend you. Pon - der a - new What the Al -
 prais - es be - fore Him! Let the A - men Sound from His



tem - ple draw near, Join - ing in glad ad - o - ra - tion!
 need - ful has been Sent by His gra - cious or - dain - ing?
 failed of re - lief? Wings of His mer - cy did shade you.
 might - y can do As with His love He be - friends you.
 peo - ple a - gain; Glad - ly for - ev - er a - dore Him!