KING OF GLORY LUTHERAN CHURCH
October 25, 2026
Reformation Sunday



PRELUDE

Chiming of the Hours - Bell Choir

Welcome/Bonjour Bienvenue

Welcome Info

-Remind online congregation members to gather items for worship

- candle, -celebratory (communion) food (cracker, bread, juice, water, whatever you have) - bulletin from our website: koglutheran.org

-Let us know you worshipped with us! Leave a comment on our social media, or email our church office at kglory@koglutheran.org

Please find the Red folder in your pews, write your name and pass it down the row. If you are a visitor please indicate that on the form and for those who would like more information please let us know on the form.

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Land Acknowledgement *(Pastor)*

We, the congregation of King of Glory, acknowledge and honor the Shoshone-Bannock, Cayuse, Umatilla, Walla Walla and Northern Paiute peoples upon whose ancestral homelands we gather for worship this morning, as well as all our Indigenous siblings who have and continue to care for this place – this land – and call it their home.

GATHERING

Confession & Forgiveness: *(ACS Setting 12)* *(Pastor)*

Blessed be the holy Trinity + one God, who looks upon us in compassion, forgives our sin, and heals our lives.

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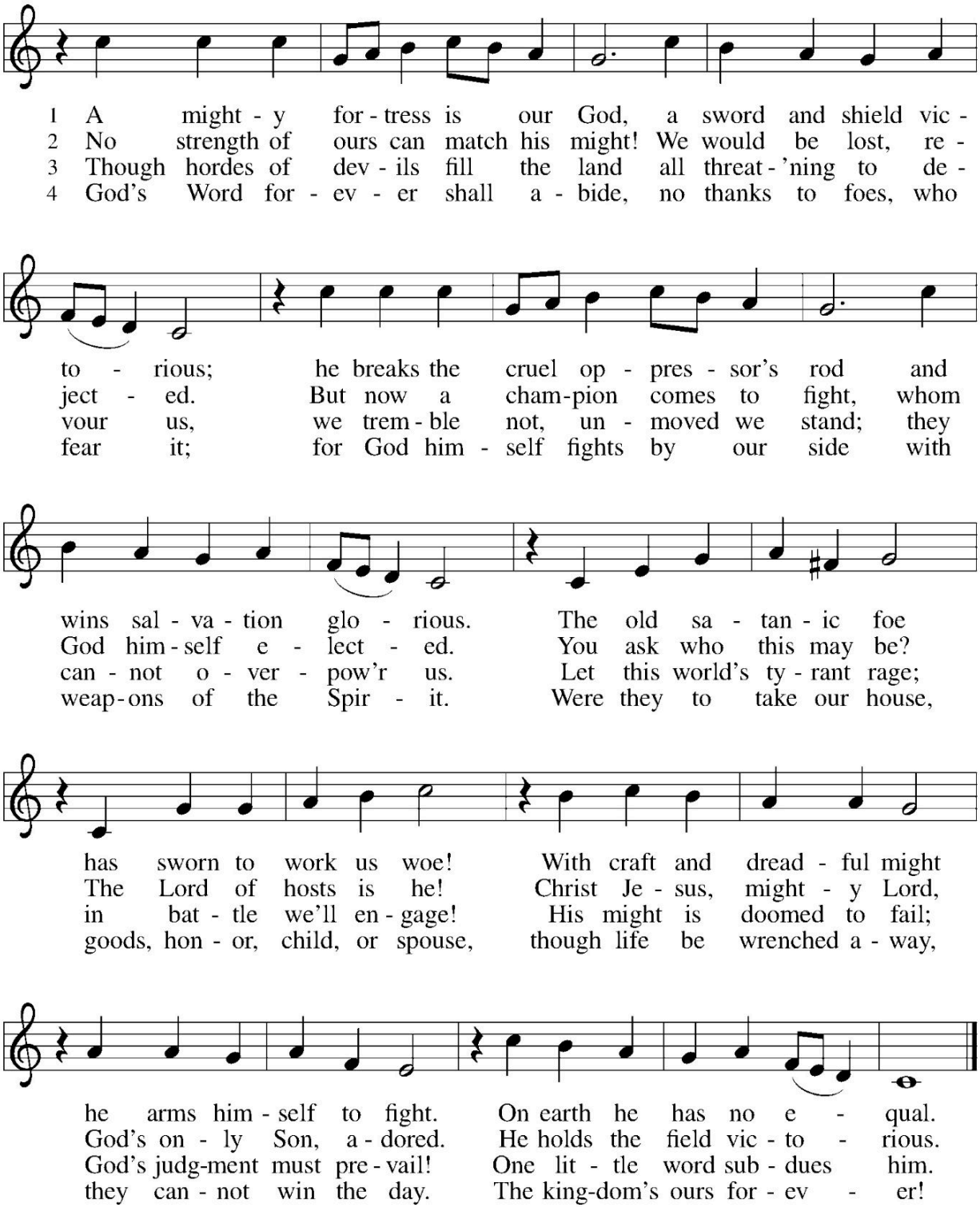
Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and one another

Have Mercy, O God,
Against you, you alone, we have sinned.
In your compassion, cleanse us from our sin and take away our guilt.
Create in us a new heart and give us a steadfast spirit.
Do not cast us away, but fill us with your Holy Spirit and restore your joy within us. Amen

As tender as a parent to a child, so deep is God's compassion for you.
As high as heaven is above earth, so vast is God's love for you.
As far as east is from west, so far God removes your sin from you,
Renewing your life through Jesus Christ.
Blessed be God who crowns us with mercy and love.
Blessed be God forever.

Gathering Hymn A Mighty Fortress ELW #504

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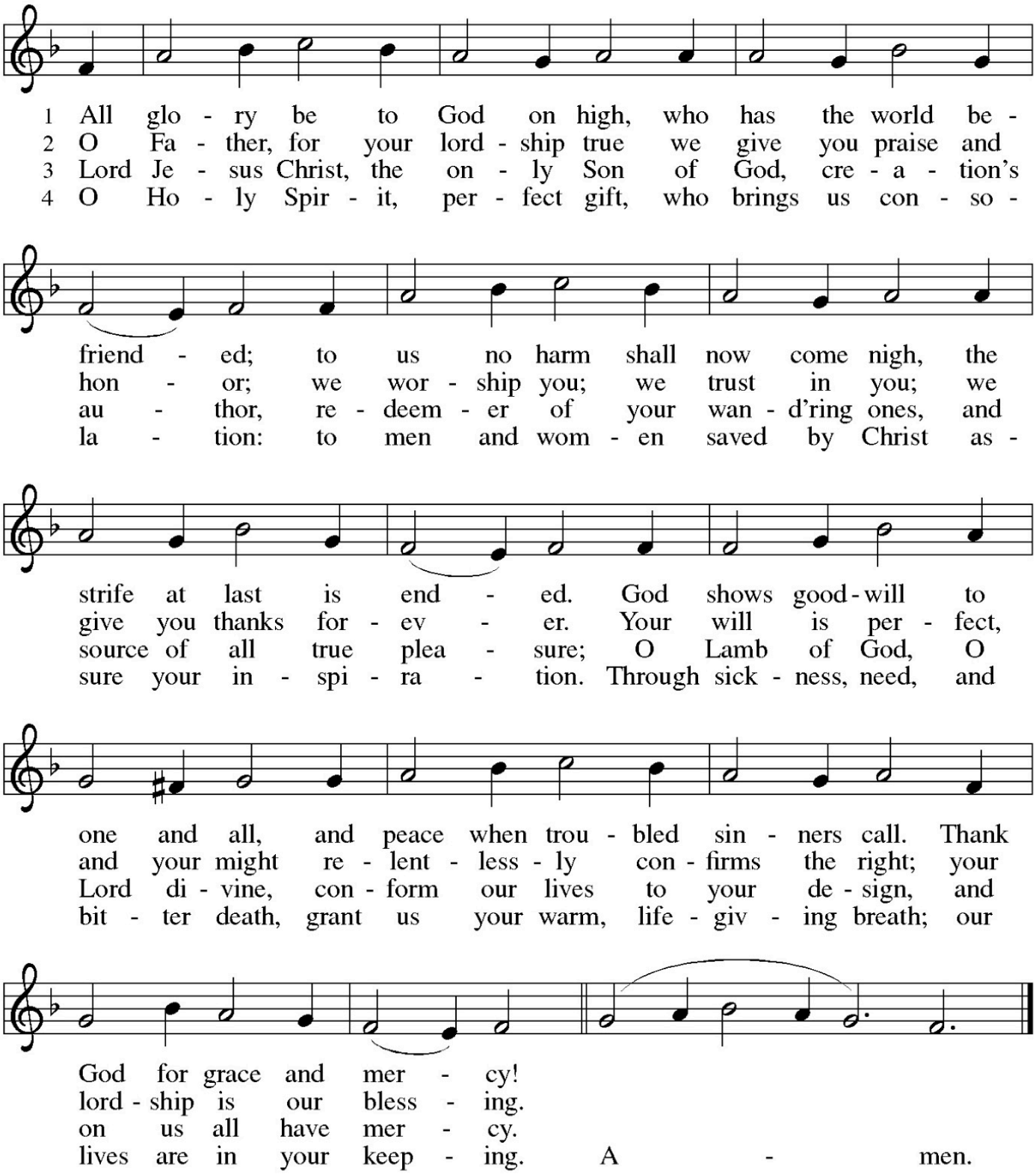


Pastoral Greeting *(Pastor)*

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.**

Hymn of Praise **All Glory Be to God on High** **ELW 410**

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Prayer of the Day *(Asst Minister)*

God of all people, remind us today that holiness isn't about being perfect, or being set apart from the world. It's about how we treat each other right here in the middle of daily life. Help us practice fairness in everything we do today. Keep us from playing favorites, making snap judgments, or letting status and appearance dictate who gets our respect. Give us the strength to speak with honesty instead of passing along gossip, and help us stand up for the safety and dignity of those around us. Walk with us today as we try to build a community where everyone is valued, seen, and held. **Amen.**

WORD

Jeremiah 31:31-34 **(NRSVUE)** *(Lector)*

L: The first reading is from the 31st chapter of Jeremiah
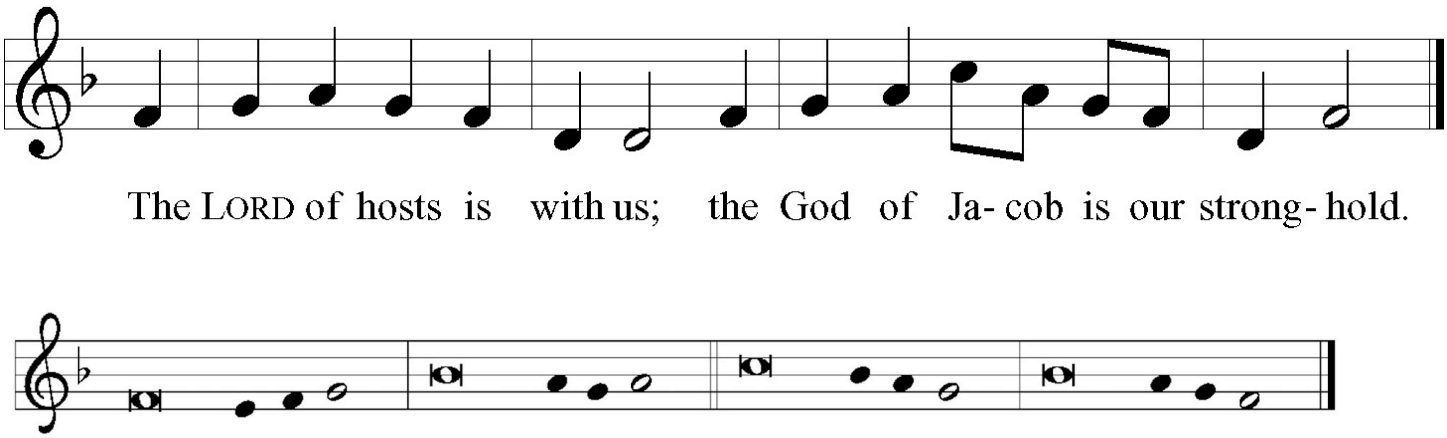
31 The days are surely coming, says the Lord, when I will make a new covenant with
the house of Israel and the house of Judah. 32 It will not be like the covenant that I
made with their ancestors when I took them by the hand to bring them out of the
land of Egypt—a covenant that they broke, though I was their husband, says the
Lord. 33 But this is the covenant that I will make with the house of Israel after those
days, says the Lord: I will put my law within them, and I will write it on their hearts,
and I will be their God, and they shall be my people. 34 No longer shall they teach
one another or say to each other, "Know the Lord," for they shall all know me, from
the least of them to the greatest, says the Lord, for I will forgive their iniquity and
remember their sin no more.

L: Word of God, Word of Life

C: Thanks be to God

Psalm 46 *(Choir Leader)*

Refrain



L: [1] *God is our ref- | uge and strength,*
a very present | help in trouble.
C: [2] **Therefore we will not fear, though the | earth be moved,**
and though the mountains shake in the depths | of the sea;
L: [3] *though its waters | rage and foam,*
and though the mountains tremble | with its tumult.
C: [4] **There is a river whose streams make glad the cit- | y of God,**
the holy habitation of | the Most High.
L: [5] *God is in the midst of the city; it shall | not be shaken;*
God shall help it at the | break of day.
C: [6] **The nations rage, and the | kingdoms shake;**
God speaks, and the earth | melts away. R
L: [7] *The LORD of | hosts is with us;*
the God of Jacob | is our stronghold.
C: [8] **Come now, regard the works | of the LORD,**
what desolations God has brought up- | on the earth;
L: [9] *behold the one who makes war to cease in | all the world;*
who breaks the bow, and shatters the spear, and burns the | shields with fire.
C: [10] **"Be still, then, and know that | I am God;**
I will be exalted among the nations; I will be exalted | in the earth."
L: [11] *The LORD of | hosts is with us;*
the God of Jacob | is our stronghold. ***R***

<u>Romans 3:19-28</u> **(NRSVUE)** *(Asst Minister)*

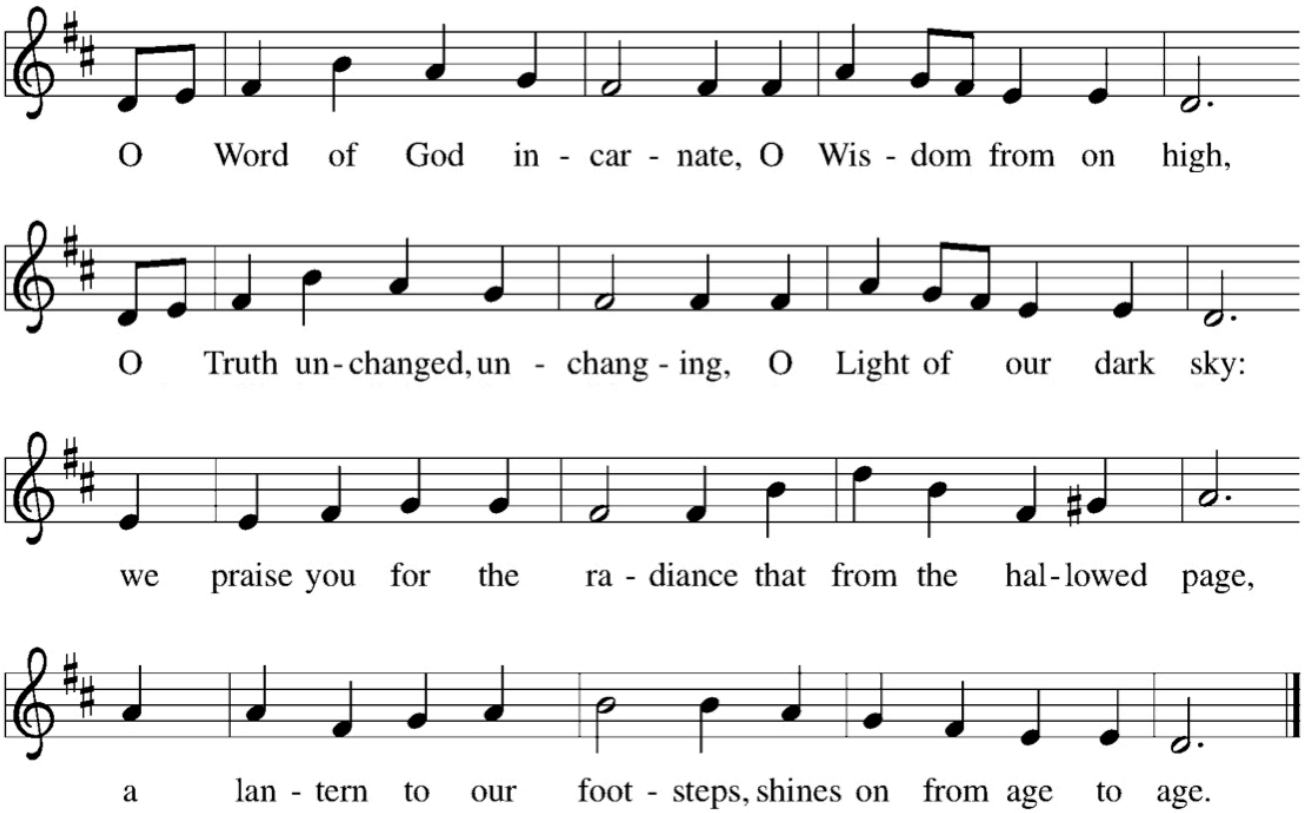
L: The second reading is from the first chapter of First Thessalonians

19 Now we know that, whatever the law says, it speaks to those who are under the
law, so that every mouth may be silenced and the whole world may be held
accountable to God. 20 For no human will be justified before him by deeds
prescribed by the law, for through the law comes the knowledge of sin.
21 But now, apart from the law, the righteousness of God has been disclosed and is
attested by the Law and the Prophets, 22 the righteousness of God through the
faith of Jesus Christ for all who believe. For there is no distinction, 23 since all have
sinned and fall short of the glory of God; 24 they are now justified by his grace as a
gift, through the redemption that is in Christ Jesus, 25 whom God put forward as a
sacrifice of atonement by his blood, effective through faith. He did this to
demonstrate his righteousness, because in his divine forbearance he had passed
over the sins previously committed; 26 it was to demonstrate at the present time
his own righteousness, so that he is righteous and he justifies the one who has the
faith of Jesus. 27 Then what becomes of boasting? It is excluded. Through what kind
of law? That of works? No, rather through the law of faith. 28 For we hold that a
person is justified by faith apart from works prescribed by the law.

L: Word of God, Word of Life
C: Thanks be to God

Gospel Acclamation **O Word of God Incarnate v 1** **ELW 514**

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Gospel: John 8:31-36 **(NRSVUE)**

L: The Holy Gospel according to John the eighth chapter

C: Glory to you, O Lord.

31 Then Jesus said to the Jews who had believed in him, “If you continue in my
word, you are truly my disciples, 32 and you will know the truth, and the truth will
make you free.” 33 They answered him, “We are descendants of Abraham and have
never been slaves to anyone. What do you mean by saying, ‘You will be made
free’?” 34 Jesus answered them, “Very truly, I tell you, everyone who commits sin is
a slave to sin. 35 The slave does not have a permanent place in the household; the
son has a place there forever. 36 So if the Son makes you free, you will be free
indeed

L: This is the Holy Gospel

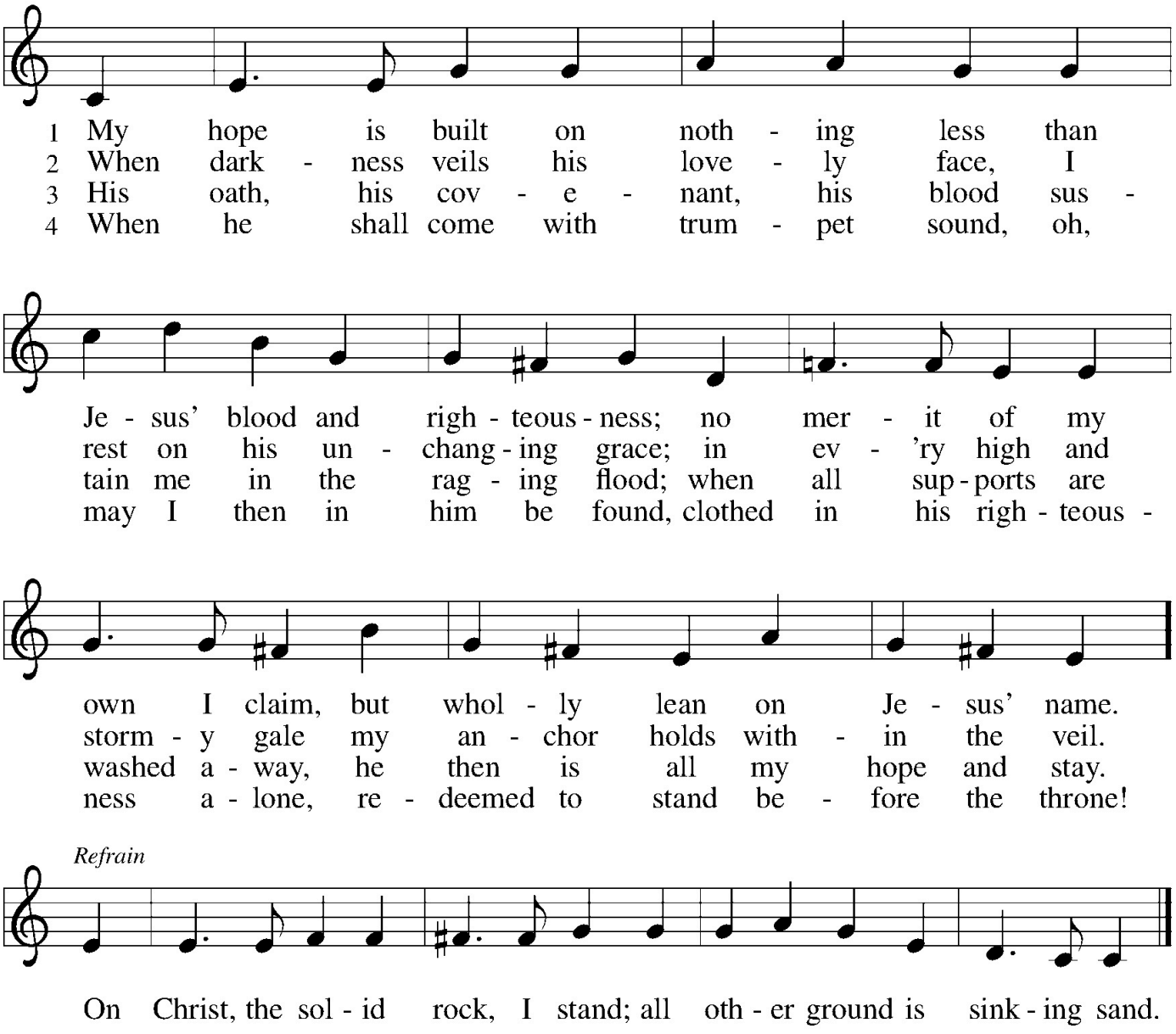
C: Alleluia! Praise be to God! Alleluia!

Kids Message

Sermon

Hymn of the Day My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less ELW 597

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Apostles Creed *(Pastor)*

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.
I believe in Jesus Christ, God's 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 to the dead.
On the third day he rose again, He ascended into heaven,
He is seated at the right hand of the Father,
And he will come again to judge the living and the dead.
I believe in the Holy Spirit,
The holy catholic church, the communion of saints,
The forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body,
And the life everlasting. Amen.

Prayers of Intercession *(Asst Minister)*

Let us Pray:
God of all, teach us what it really means to love our neighbor as ourselves, with patience, radical equity, and grounded compassion. Be with us, in this time and place, as we lift these prayers to you.

(A brief silence.)

God of Love, we pray for our global and local communities. Teach us to live out the truth that loving you is inseparable from loving our neighbors. Where there is division, help us build bridges. Where people are marginalized or ignored, give us the courage to advocate for equity, fairness, and care, ensuring that everyone in our neighborhoods feels seen, valued, and supported.
Congregation respond to *"Lord, you are our refuge and strength,"*
with **"draw near and hear our prayer"**

Faithful God, we lift up all leaders, decision-makers, and those who guide others. Guard their minds against cynical counsel, greed, or self-serving motives. Plant them deeply in integrity and truth so that their actions yield good fruit for the common good. Give them the humility to listen to those they serve and the courage to act with justice and compassion.
Lord, you are our refuge and strength,
draw near and hear our prayer.

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Healing God, we pray for anyone going through times of grief, illness, exhaustion, or uncertainty. Be a steady stream of living water for them when life feels overwhelming. Refresh their spirits, sustain their hope, and send compassionate people to walk alongside them so they never have to carry their burdens alone.
Lord, you are our refuge and strength,
draw near and hear our prayer.

Spirit of the Living God, we pray for our faith communities and all who seek a deeper path. Keep us from getting caught up in endless debates and help us to open our minds to one another, and see differing points of view. Give us a new viewing point. Remind us that the heart of our calling is simple and radical: to love with all our heart, soul, and mind, and to extend that same unconditional love outward into the world.
Lord, you are our refuge and strength,
draw near and hear our prayer.

You walk beside us, showing us the way and leading us in our daily lives. We lift all these prayers to you, spoken and unspoken, and we look for your grace, harmony and peace in all those we meet and interact with. In your holy and gracious name, we pray. **AMEN**

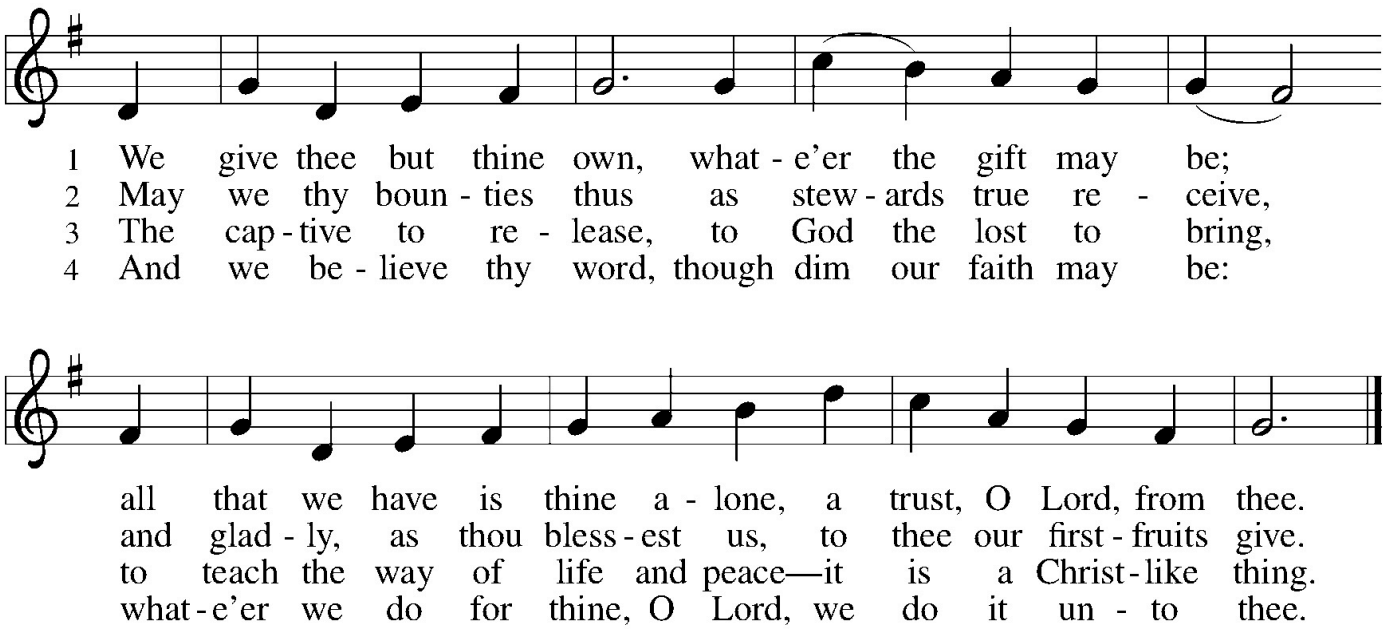
Sharing of the Peace *(Pastor)*
The peace of the Lord be with you all **And Also with you.**

MEAL

Offering

Offertory Song **We Give Thee But Thine Own vv 1 & 2 ELW 686**

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Offering Prayer *(Asst Minister)*

Generous God, we are reminded that giving is about so much more than routine duty or outward appearance—it is about sharing not just the good news, but our very selves with one another. We offer these gifts today with open hands and transparent hearts. Let what we bring today reflect the gentle, authentic care we hold for our community and our world.
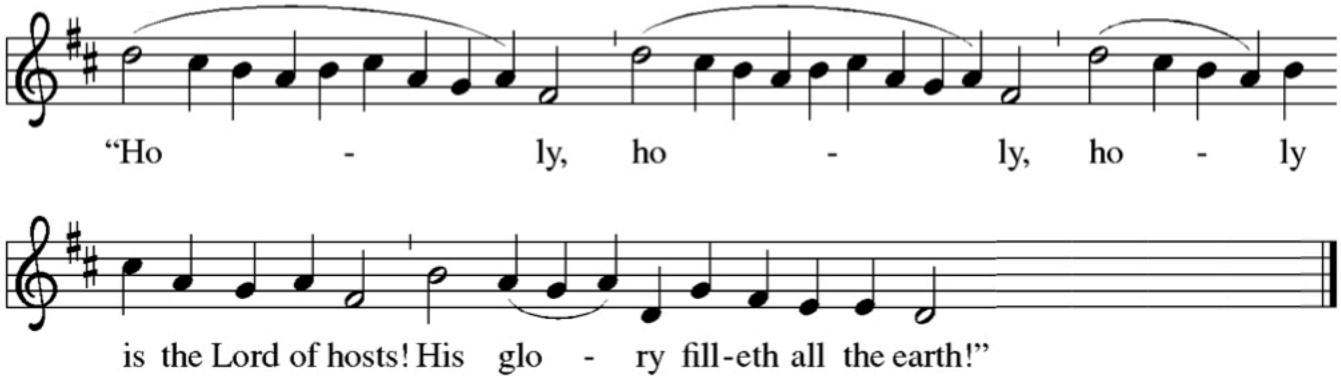
As we give of our treasure, continue to teach us how to share our lives, our time, and our hearts just as freely.

Amen.

Great Thanksgiving *(Pastor)*

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

Sanctus (Holy Holy Holy) **from Isaiah in a Vision Did of Old** **ELW 868**



Thanksgiving at the Table *(Pastor)*

O God triune, how majestic is your name in all the earth.
Over the eons your merciful might evolved our home, a fragile tree of life.
Here by your wisdom are both life and death, growth and decay,
the nest and the hunt, sunshine and storm, darkness and light.
Sustained by these wonders, we creatures of dust join in the ancient song:
The earth is full of your glory. ***The earth is full of your glory.***
O God triune, you took on our flesh in Jesus our healer.
In Christ you bring life from death; we remember his cross, we laud his resurrection. Broken like bread, he enlivens our body.
Outpoured like wine, he fills the earth with goodness.
Receiving this mystery, we mortals sing our song:
The earth is full of your glory. **The earth is full of your glory.**
We praise you for the heart of Jesus, so filled with your love for this earth.
On the night in which he was betrayed, our Lord Jesus took bread, and gave thanks; broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying:

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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.
Gathered around this table, we your children unite in this song:
The earth is full of your glory. **The earth is full of your glory.**
O God triune, you create the worlds, you uphold the living, you embrace the dead.
Send forth your Spirit and renew the face of the earth.
Strengthen us for our journey with this meal, the body and blood of Christ.
Give us a future that trusts in you and cares for your earth.
Empowered by your promises, we rise from our deaths to praise you again:
The earth is full of your glory. **The earth is full of your glory.**
Amen, and Amen. **Amen, and Amen.**

(Pastor) Gathered into one by the Holy Spirit, let us pray as Jesus taught us:

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 this day 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 and the power and the glory are yours,
now and forever. AMEN

Notre Pere
Notre Père, qui es aux cieux,
Que ton nom soit sanctifié,
Que ton règne vienne,
Que ta volonté soit faite sur la terre comme au ciel.
Donne-nous aujourd'hui notre pain de ce jour.
Pardonne-nous nos offences
Comme nous pardonnons aussi à ceux qui nous ont offensés.
Et ne nous laisses pas entrer en tentation,
mais délivre-nous du mal.
Car c'est à toi qu'appartiennent le règne, la puissance et la gloire, aux siècles des siècles. Amen

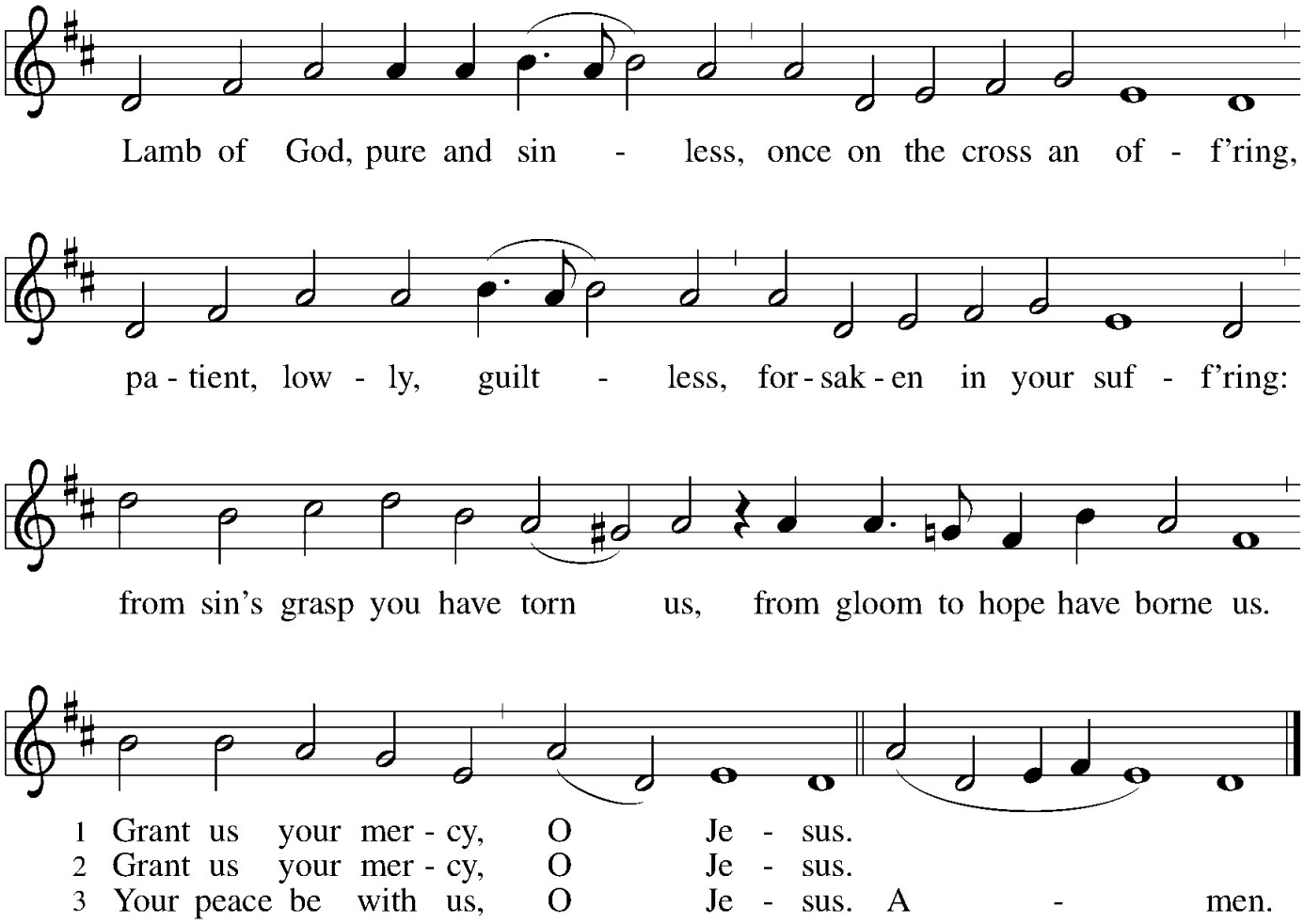
Invitation to the Table

Pastor: Come, take your place. Taste and see that goodness is here, and be refreshed for the week ahead. All are welcome.

There are two communion stations for bread and wine. If gluten free, please ask for a GF wafer. Dip your bread into the wine (red) or grape juice (white), whatever makes you most comfortable. All are welcome to participate in Communion.

Lamb of God — Lamb of God, Pure and Sinless — ELW 357

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Post Communion Blessing *(this or something of your choice) (Pastor)*
Living God, as the disciples ate and drank with their risen LOrd, we have been nourished with the very presence of Christ. Through this meal may we be strengthened to keep your word to proclaim the power of your love in Jesus, our savior. ***Amen***

Prayer after Communion *(Asst Minister)*

God of Living Streams, thank you for nourishing us at this table. Through this bread and cup, you have watered our roots and refreshed our spirits. As we step back out into the world, keep us planted deeply in your grace. Help us bear good fruit in every season—extending the peace, justice, and kindness we have received here to everyone we encounter. May our lives become places of shade, strength, and life for our neighbors. **Amen.**

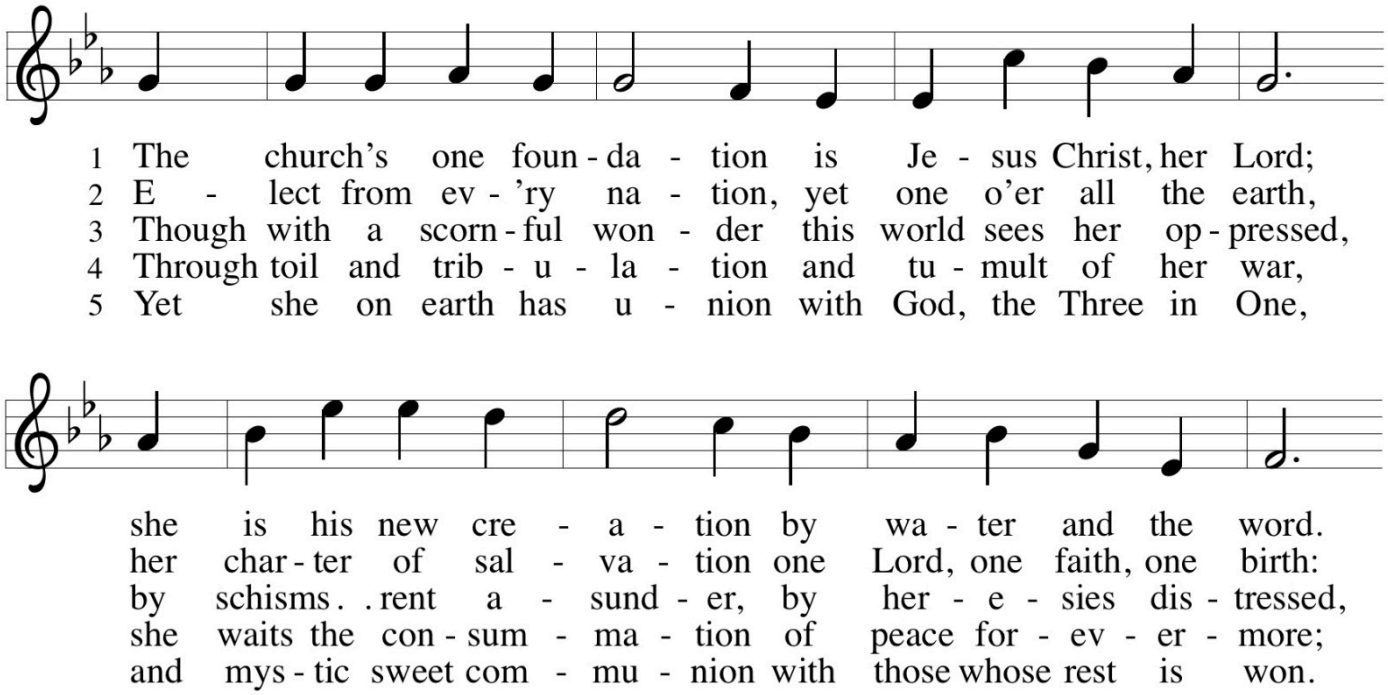
Announcements *(Pastor)*

Benediction (Sending Blessing) *(Pastor)*

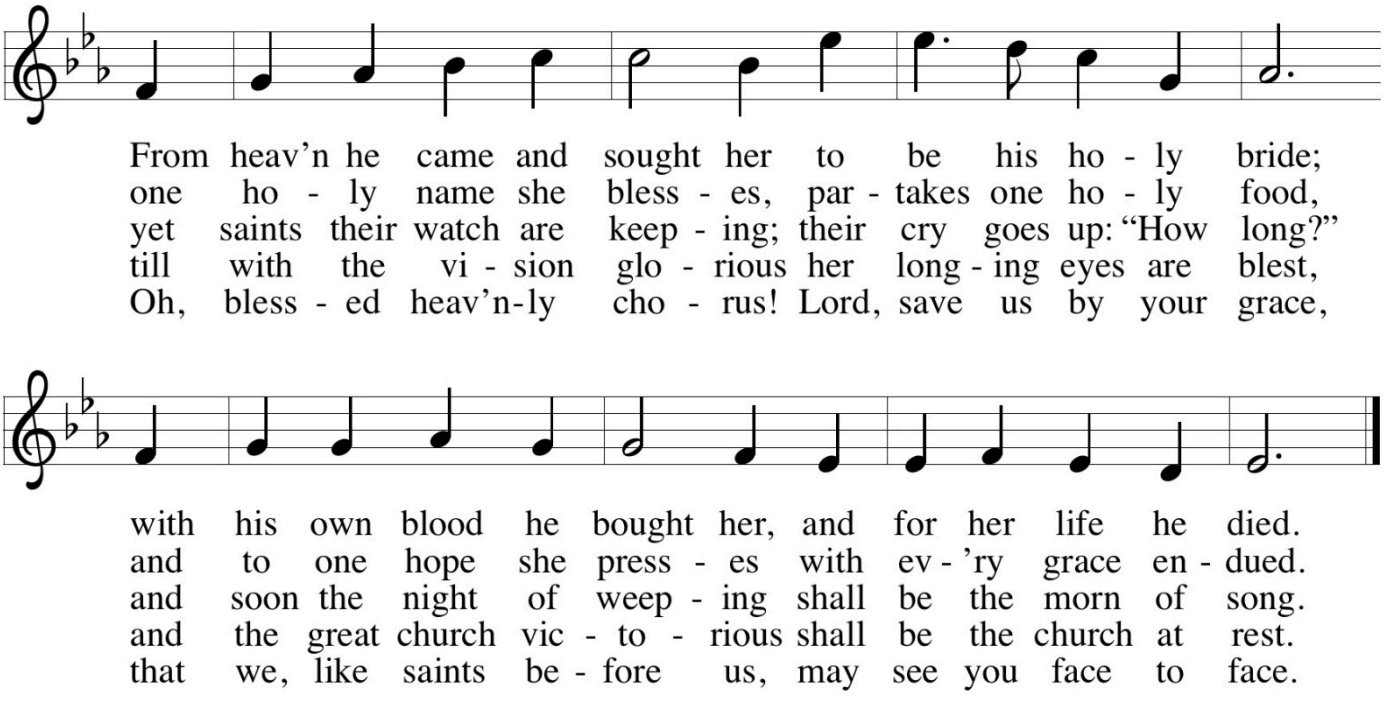
Creator, Redeemer, Sustainer,
☩ one God, bless, heal, and hold you
today and always. AMEN
AMEN

Sending Hymn **The Church's One Foundation vv. 1,2 & 4** **ELW 654**

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Dismissal

Go in Peace, Live by the Spirit.
Thanks be to God!

Allez en paix, vivez par l'Esprit.
Dieu soit loué

Postlude

Worship Volunteers:

Greeters: Sue & Stan Fornander
Ushers: Jim Cambron & Ian Tompkins
Lector:Mary Kay Tinker
Assisting Minister: Joel Tompkins

Children's Message: Phyllis Bradburn
Prayers: Dawn Lewis
AV Pilots: Joel Tompkins, Lisa Kraft
Band: Philip Miller, KJ Miller, Sam Alessi, Jorgen Vaage

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Announcements

Sunday, October 25th, 2026

ELCA Youth Gathering GATHERING for Parents & Youth- TODAY (No, that's not a typo!) Sunday, October 25th our church cluster will meet at King of Glory from noon-1:30. We will start with lunch and talk to all attendees about the Youth Gathering happening in Minneapolis, Minnesota June 28th - July 2nd, 2027. Details on cost, fundraising and future preparation meetings will be covered. Parents/caregivers will be excused, then we will do some get to know you games and start exploring the themes of the Gathering - IMAGINE MORE!

Call Committee Presentation – AFTER CHURCH TODAY Today, following worship, the Call Committee will give a presentation about the candidate they have selected, and the council has approved. We will take a brief pause for you to get refreshments, but please return to the sanctuary after to hear more about our candidate! We will have an official congregational meeting November 8th to vote on calling our next pastor.

Adult Ed update Today, October 25th there will be no Adult Ed to allow for the presentation from the Call Committee. November Adult education will feature the book of Isaiah. Who wrote it? When? What are its major themes? And what words of hope and judgment from the prophet speak to us today? Come and see! No experience necessary!

Bazaar Craft update Ed We will be accepting your Craft donations starting Sunday, November 8th after congregation vote till Thursday, November 12 by noon. Please make sure to put your name on all your donations so we can match to your craft donation form. If you didn't turn in the form make sure it's with your crafts when you bring them in! Thank you! Nancy Severson

All Saints Name Submissions November 1 is All Saints Sunday. We have done our best to gather names of those who we want to remember, especially those who have passed in the last year. Please submit names of your loved ones that you want remembered to the church office no later than Tuesday October 27. You can email the church office at kglory@koglutheran.org, or put a note in the Admin mailbox.

November 15 KOG2 The next KOG2 will take place on Sunday, November 15th from 11:15 to noon. It will be abbreviated because the bazaar will be cleaning up their event in the Fellowship Hall. There will be NO MEAL this time. Phyllis Bradburn and Doneta Stephensen will be leading the group on "GIVING THANKS"!

Tanzania Solar Kitchen Gift Matching Gift Matching Opportunity!! Your donation towards the much-needed SOLAR KITCHEN at Tumaini Lutheran Seminary in Tanzania will be matched dollar-for-dollar by an anonymous donor up to a cumulative total of $20,000 through November 15, 2026! This will allow our synod to reach the funding goal of $75,000 well ahead of schedule! Donations can be made either online at www.nwimsynod.org (specify "Global Mission, UKD Solar Kitchen") or by check to KOG's office noting "UKD Solar Kitchen." Thanks to all who have donated to this project!

Mary is a Chaplain! Friends at King of Glory - I am happy to share with you that I have taken on a new responsibility as a PRN (as needed) Chaplain at Saint Alphonsus. ***This does not mean I will be leaving you any sooner than already planned.*** However, it does mean that my office hours may vary slightly week to week going forward. I will work hard to communicate in advance when I know that I will not be in the office. If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to reach out.

UPCOMING MONTHLY EVENTS

Food on the Fourth – October 25th Thanks to the generosity of our congregation and our Life Ahead group! Many people benefit from this program! Thanks to all of you for your help!

Monthly Free Meal, October 31st Menu: Parmesan Chicken and lots of other good things! To help serve and clean up please come at 11:30am. All are invited to enjoy this meal served from 12:00pm-1:30pm!

Sandwich Sunday November 8th We need lots of cheese and some meats, but we have plenty of butter. Any questions contact Carol Belangee.

OWLS, November 17th 11:30 AM Location TBD – We'd love for you to join us!



MORE ANNOUNCEMENTS… can be found at our website or in the weekly email *Church Office In-Person Hours: Mon-Thurs 9AM – 3PM. .Fridays email only*