

The Season of Pentecost
All Saints' Sunday and Commitment Sunday
November 7, 2021 8:45 am

LITURGY OF THE WORD

Prelude *Saints Go Marching In* spiritual / Armstrong

Opening Hymn *My Life for You* YANCY

Verse 1: When the sun goes down and the stars shine, they fill up the sky with their night light.
By Your design they all have a place. Their light shines to serve the world You made.
Just like the moon in the midnight sky, help me, Lord, to shine You bright.

Chorus: I want to serve, I want to give, I want to live my life for You.
So here I am; Take all of me. I want to live my life for You.

Verse 2: When the evening comes at the end of the day, and the lightning bugs come out to play,
I'm reminded once again, that You have made me and You have a plan.
All creation sings Your praise. So from the start to the end of the day,
I want to serve, I want to give, I want to live my life for You.

Acclamation pg. 355 in Book of Common Prayer

Collect for Purity

Collect of the Day

Celebrant The Lord be with you.
People **And also with you.**
Celebrant Let us pray.

O God, whose blessed Son came into the world that he might destroy the works of the devil and make us children of God and heirs of eternal life: Grant that, having this hope, we may purify ourselves as he is pure; that, when he comes again with power and great glory, we may be made like him in his eternal and glorious kingdom; where he lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

The Lessons

THE EPISTLE: *Revelation 21:1-6a*

I saw a new heaven and a new earth; for the first heaven and the first earth had passed away, and the sea was no more. And I saw the holy city, the new Jerusalem, coming down out of heaven from God, prepared as a bride adorned for her husband. And I heard a loud voice from the throne saying, "See, the home of God is among mortals. He will dwell with them as their God; they will be his peoples, and God himself will be with them; he will wipe every tear from their eyes. Death will be no more; mourning and crying and pain will be no more, for the first things have passed away." And the one who was seated on the throne said, "See, I am making all things new." Also he said, "Write this, for these words are trustworthy and true." Then he said to me, "It is done! I am the Alpha and the Omega, the beginning and the end."

PSALM 24

1 *The earth is the LORD's and all that is in it, * the world and all who dwell therein.*

2 *For it is he who founded it upon the seas * and made it firm upon the rivers of the deep.*

3 *"Who can ascend the hill of the LORD? " * and who can stand in his holy place?"*

- 4 *"Those who have clean hands and a pure heart, *
who have not pledged themselves to falsehood, nor sworn by what is a fraud.*
- 5 *They shall receive a blessing from the LORD *
and a just reward from the God of their salvation."*
- 6 *Such is the generation of those who seek him, *
of those who seek your face, O God of Jacob.*
- 7 *Lift up your heads, O gates; lift them high, O everlasting doors; *
and the King of glory shall come in.*
- 8 *"Who is this King of glory?" *
"The LORD, strong and mighty, the LORD, mighty in battle."*
- 9 *Lift up your heads, O gates; lift them high, O everlasting doors; *
and the King of glory shall come in.*
- 10 *"Who is he, this King of glory?" *
"The LORD of hosts, he is the King of glory."*

THE GOSPEL: *John 11:32-44*

When Mary came where Jesus was and saw him, she knelt at his feet and said to him, "Lord, if you had been here, my brother would not have died." When Jesus saw her weeping, and the Jews who came with her also weeping, he was greatly disturbed in spirit and deeply moved. He said, "Where have you laid him?" They said to him, "Lord, come and see." Jesus began to weep. So the Jews said, "See how he loved him!" But some of them said, "Could not he who opened the eyes of the blind man have kept this man from dying?" Then Jesus, again greatly disturbed, came to the tomb. It was a cave, and a stone was lying against it. Jesus said, "Take away the stone." Martha, the sister of the dead man, said to him, "Lord, already there is a stench because he has been dead four days." Jesus said to her, "Did I not tell you that if you believed, you would see the glory of God?" So they took away the stone. And Jesus looked upward and said, "Father, I thank you for having heard me. I knew that you always hear me, but I have said this for the sake of the crowd standing here, so that they may believe that you sent me." When he had said this, he cried with a loud voice, "Lazarus, come out!" The dead man came out, his hands and feet bound with strips of cloth, and his face wrapped in a cloth. Jesus said to them, "Unbind him, and let him go."

The Sermon

Nicene Creed

pg. 358 in Book of Common Prayer

Prayers of the People

Confession of Sin

pg. 360 in BCP

The Peace

HOLY COMMUNION

Offertory Music

I Sing a Song of the Saints of God

Children's Chapel Choir

I sing a song of the saints of God, patient and brave and true,
who toiled and fought and lived and died for the Lord they loved and knew.
And one was a doctor, and one was a queen, and one was a shepherdess on the green:
they were all of them saints of God and I mean, God helping, to be one too.

They loved their Lord so dear, so dear, and his love made them strong;
and they followed the right, for Jesus' sake, the whole of their good lives long.
And one was a soldier, and one was a priest, and one was slain by a fierce wild beast;
and there's not any reason no, not the least, why I shouldn't be one too.

They lived not only in ages past, there are hundreds of thousands still,
the world is bright with the joyous saints who love to do Jesus' will.
You can meet them in school, or in lanes, or at sea, in church, or in trains, or in shops,
or at tea, for the saints of God are just folk like me,
and I mean to be one too.

Lesbia Scott (1898-1986), alt

Offertory

Celebrant All things come of thee, O Lord.

People ***And of thine own have we given thee.***

The Great Thanksgiving - Eucharistic Prayer A

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

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

Celebrant Lift up your hearts.

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

Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

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

Celebrant It is right, and a good and joyful thing . . . to proclaim the glory of your Name:

Sanctus

People ***Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of your glory.
Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna in the highest.***

Celebrant Holy and gracious Father. . . . Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

Celebrant and People ***Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.***

Celebrant We celebrate the memorial of our redemption. . .
. . . Almighty Father, now and for ever. ***AMEN.***

As our Savior Christ has taught us, we now pray,

The 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, for ever and ever. Amen.***

The Breaking of the Bread

Fraction Anthem

Celebrant Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us.

People ***Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.***

Celebrant The Gifts of God for the People of God.

Communion Music

I Will Follow

Chris Tomlin, Jason Ingram, Reuben Morgan

Misc 1: (Intro) Where You go I'll go. Where You stay I'll stay.
When You move I'll move. I will follow. Oh oh oh

Verse 1: All Your ways are good, All Your ways are sure. I will trust in You alone,
Higher than my sight; High above my life. I will trust in You alone

Chorus 1: Where You go I'll go. Where You stay I'll stay. When You move I'll move. I will follow You.
Whom You love I'll love. How You serve I'll serve. If this life I lose. I will follow (You)

Misc 2: (Interlude) Yeah I will follow You yeah

Verse 2: Light into the world. Light into my life. I will live for You alone. You're the One I seek.
Knowing I will find, All I need in You alone, In You alone.

Misc 3: (Bridge) In You there's life everlasting. In You there's freedom for my soul. In You there's joy
unending joy. And I will follow.

Misc 4: (Ending) Yeah I will follow You yeah. I will follow You yeah. I will follow You yeah.

Here is Bread, Here is Wine

Graham Kendrick

Chorus: In this bread there is healing. In this cup there's life forever.
In this moment by the Spirit Christ is with us here.

Verse 1: Here is bread here is wine. Christ is with us He is with us.
Break the bread drink the wine Christ is with us here. Chorus

Verse 2: Here is grace here is peace. Christ is with us He is with us.
Know His grace find His peace. Feast on Jesus here. Chorus

Verse 3: Here we are joined in One. Christ is with us He is with us.
We'll proclaim 'til He comes. Jesus crucified. Chorus

Postcommunion Prayer

Eternal God, heavenly Father, you have graciously accepted us as living members of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ, and you have fed us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood. Send us now into the world in peace, and grant us strength and courage to love and serve you with gladness and singleness of heart; through Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

The Collection of Pledge Cards

Blessing

Closing Hymn

Here I Am Lord (verse 1, 2)

Dan Schutte

Verse 1: I, the Lord of sea and sky, I have heard my people cry.
All who dwell in dark and sin, My hand will save.
I who made the stars of night, I will make their darkness bright.
Who will bear my light to them? Whom shall I send?

Refrain: Here I am, Lord. Is it I, Lord? I have heard you calling in the night.
I will go, Lord, if you lead me. I will hold your people in my heart.

Verse 2: I, the Lord of snow and rain, I have borne my people's pain.
I have wept for love of them. They turn away.
I will break their hearts of stone, give them hearts for love alone.
I will speak my word to them. Whom shall I send? (Refrain)

Dismissal

Postlude

Here I Am, Lord (verse 3)

Verse 3: I, the Lord of wind and flame, I will tend the poor and lame.
I will set a feast for them. My hand will save.
Finest bread I will provide till their hearts be satisfied.
I will give my life to them. Whom shall I send? (Refrain)

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