

The Holy Eucharist

Opening Hymn *The People Stand*

Fairest Lord Jesus

Words: Anonymous; Music: Schlesische Volkslieder, 1842

Fairest Lord Jesus, Ruler of all nature,
O Thou of God and man the Son,
Thee will I cherish, Thee will I honor,
Thou, my soul's glory, joy and crown.

Fair are the meadows, fairer still the woodlands,
Robed in the blooming garb of spring;
Jesus is fairer, Jesus is purer,
Who makes the woeful heart to sing.

Opening Sentences

LEADER Blessed be God: the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit.

PEOPLE *And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.*

The 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.*

The Confession and Absolution of Sin

LEADER Let us humbly confess our sins to Almighty God.

LEADER & PEOPLE

*Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you
in thought, word and deed,
by what we have done, and by what we have left undone.
We have not loved you with our whole heart;
we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves.
We are truly sorry and we humbly repent.
For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us;
that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways,
to the glory of your Name. Amen.*

CELEBRANT

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

Songs of Worship

Invitacion Fountain

Michael Pritzl

All who are weak, all who are weary
Come to the Rock, come to the Fountain
All who have sailed on rivers of heartache
Come to the Sea, come on be set free

*If you lead me, Lord I will follow
Where you lead me, Lord, I will go
Come and heal me, Lord, I will follow*

*Where you lead me, Lord, I will go
I will go...*

All who are weak, all who are weary
Come to the rock, come to the Fountain
All who have climbed on mountains of heartache
Reach to the stars come on give your life

All who are weak, all who are weary,
All who are tired, all who are thirsty,
All who have failed, all who have broken,
Come to the rock, come to the fountain.

Build My Life

Brett Younker, Karl Martin, Kirby Kable, Matt Redman, and Pat Barrett

Worthy of every song we could ever sing
Worthy of all the praise we could ever bring
Worthy of every breath we could ever breathe
We live for you

Jesus, a name above every other name
Jesus, the only one who could ever save
Worthy of every breath we could ever breathe
We live for you, we live for you

*Holy, there is no one like you, there is none beside you
Open up my eyes in wonder
Show me who You are, and fill me with your heart
And lead me in Your love to those around me*

I will build my life, upon your love, it is a firm foundation
I will put my trust, in you alone, and I will not be shaken

The Collect of the Day *The People Stand*

LEADER The Lord is here.

PEOPLE *And his Spirit is with us.*

LEADER Let us pray.

ALL *Set us free, loving Father, from the bondage of our sins, and in your goodness and mercy give us the liberty of that abundant life which you have made known to us in our Savior Jesus Christ; who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.*

Children's Dismissal (9am only)

Let the Flame Burn Brighter

Let the flame burn brighter
In the heart of the darkness
Turning night to glorious day
Let the song grow louder
As our love grows stronger
Let it shine, let it shine, let it shine

First Reading

Job 38:1–7, 34–41

^{38:1} Then the Lord answered Job out of the whirlwind and said:

²“Who is this that darkens counsel by words without knowledge?”

³ Dress for action like a man;

I will question you, and you make it known to me.

⁴“Where were you when I laid the foundation of the earth?”

Tell me, if you have understanding.

⁵ Who determined its measurements—surely you know!

Or who stretched the line upon it?
6 On what were its bases sunk,
or who laid its cornerstone,
7 when the morning stars sang together
and all the sons of God shouted for joy?

34 “Can you lift up your voice to the clouds,
that a flood of waters may cover you?
35 Can you send forth lightnings, that they may go
and say to you, ‘Here we are’?
36 Who has put wisdom in the inward parts
or given understanding to the mind?
37 Who can number the clouds by wisdom?
Or who can tilt the waterskins of the heavens,
38 when the dust runs into a mass
and the clods stick fast together?

39 “Can you hunt the prey for the lion,
or satisfy the appetite of the young lions,
40 when they crouch in their dens
or lie in wait in their thicket?
41 Who provides for the raven its prey,
when its young ones cry to God for help,
and wander about for lack of food?

LECTOR The Word of the Lord.
PEOPLE *Thanks be to God.*

Psalter *The People Stand*

Psalms 104:1–9, 25, 37b

LECTOR Let us pray **Psalm 104** responsively by half verse.

1 Bless the Lord, O my soul; *
O Lord my God, how excellent is your greatness!
you are clothed with majesty and splendor.

- 2 You wrap yourself with light as with a cloak *
and spread out the heavens like a curtain.
- 3 You lay the beams of your chambers in the waters above; *
you make the clouds your chariot;
you ride on the wings of the wind.
- 4 You make the winds your messengers *
and flames of fire your servants.
- 5 You have set the earth upon its foundations, *
so that it never shall move at any time.
- 6 You covered it with the Deep as with a mantle; *
the waters stood higher than the mountains.
- 7 At your rebuke they fled; *
at the voice of your thunder they hastened away.
- 8 They went up into the hills and down to the valleys beneath, *
to the places you had appointed for them.
- 9 You set the limits that they should not pass; *
they shall not again cover the earth.
- 25 O Lord, how manifold are your works! *
in wisdom you have made them all;
the earth is full of your creatures.
- 37 Hallelujah!
- ALL *Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit,*
as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen.

The Gospel Song

Be unto Your Name

Lynn DeShazo and Gary Sadler, 1998

We are a moment, you are forever
Lord of the ages, God before time
We are a vapor, you are eternal
Love everlasting, reigning on high

*Holy, holy Lord God Almighty
Worthy is the Lamb who was slain
Highest praises, honor, and glory
Be unto your name, be unto your name*

The Gospel

Mark 10:35–45

DEACON The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to St. Mark.

PEOPLE *Glory to you, Lord Christ*

^{10:35} And James and John, the sons of Zebedee, came up to him and said to him, “Teacher, we want you to do for us whatever we ask of you.”

³⁶ And he said to them, “What do you want me to do for you?” ³⁷ And they said to him, “Grant us to sit, one at your right hand and one at your left, in your glory.” ³⁸ Jesus said to them, “You do not know what you are asking. Are you able to drink the cup that I drink, or to be baptized with the baptism with which I am baptized?” ³⁹ And they said to him, “We are able.” And Jesus said to them, “The cup that I drink you will drink, and with the baptism with which I am baptized, you will be baptized, ⁴⁰ but to sit at my right hand or at my left is not mine to grant, but it is for those for whom it has been prepared.” ⁴¹ And when the ten heard it, they began to be indignant at James and John. ⁴² And Jesus called them to him and said to them, “You know that those who are considered rulers of the Gentiles lord it over them, and their great ones exercise authority over them. ⁴³ But it shall not be so among you. But whoever would be great among you must be your servant, ⁴⁴ and whoever would

be first among you must be slave of all. ⁴⁵ For even the Son of Man came not to be served but to serve, and to give his life as a ransom for many.”

DEACON The Gospel of the Lord
PEOPLE *Praise to you, Lord Christ*

Be unto Your Name

We are the broken, you are the Healer
Jesus, Redeemer, mighty to save
You are the love song we'll sing forever
Bowing before you, blessing your name

*Holy, holy Lord God Almighty
Worthy is the Lamb who was slain
Highest praises, honor, and glory
Be unto your name, be unto your name*

The Sermon *The People Sit*

The Prayers of the People

LECTOR Let us pray for the Church and for the world.

LECTOR I ask your prayers for God's people throughout the world; for our Archbishop Foley, for our Bishop Todd; for this gathering; and for all ministers and people. Pray for the Church.

Silence is kept for 5 seconds.

LECTOR I ask your prayers for peace; for goodwill among nations; and for the well-being of all people. Pray for justice and peace.

Silence is kept for 5 seconds.

LECTOR I ask your prayers for the poor, the sick, the hungry, the oppressed, and those in prison. Pray for those in any need or trouble, especially those who are not well...

Silence is kept for 5 seconds.

LECTOR I ask your prayers for all who seek God, or a deeper knowledge of him. Pray that they may find and be found by him.

Silence is kept for 5 seconds.

CELEBRANT Hasten, O Father, the coming of thy kingdom; and grant that we thy servants, who now live by faith, may with joy behold thy Son at his coming in glorious majesty; even Jesus Christ, our only Mediator and Advocate. ***Amen.***

The Peace *The People Stand*

CELEBRANT The peace of the Lord be always with you.

PEOPLE ***And also with you.***

The people sit.

Announcements

PRAYER FOR BIRTHDAYS

Watch over thy children, O Lord, as their days increase; bless and guide them wherever they may be. Strengthen them when they stand; comfort them when discouraged or sorrowful; raise them up if they fall; and in their hearts may thy peace which passes all understanding abide all the days of their lives; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

PRAYER FOR ANNIVERSARIES

O God, you have so blessed the covenant of marriage that in it is represented the spiritual unity between Christ and his Church: Send your blessing upon these your children, that their lives together may continue to reflect your love and forgiveness and that their home may be a haven of blessing and peace; we pray in Christ's name. Amen.

CELEBRANT Walk in love, as Christ loved us and gave himself for us,
 an offering and sacrifice to God.

Offering & Congregational Song

Graves into Gardens

I searched the world but it couldn't fill me
Man's empty praise and treasures that fade
Are never enough
Then you came along and put me back together
And every desire is now satisfied here in your love

*Oh there's nothing better than you
There's nothing better than you
Lord there's nothing
Nothing is better than you*

I'm not afraid to show you my weakness
My failures and flaws, Lord, you've seen them all
And you still call me friend
'Cause the God of the mountain is the God of the valley
And there's not a place your mercy and grace won't find me again

You turn mourning to dancing
You give beauty for ashes

You turn shame into glory
You're the only one who can

You turn graves into gardens
You turn bones into armies
You turn seas into highways
You're the only one who can

Doxology

Praise God from whom all blessings flow
Praise him, all creatures here below
Praise him above, ye heavenly host
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost
Amen

Holy Communion *The People Stand*

CELEBRANT The Lord is here.

PEOPLE *And his Spirit is with us.*

CELEBRANT Lift up your hearts.

PEOPLE *We lift them up to the Lord.*

CELEBRANT Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

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

It is right, our duty and joy, always and everywhere to give thanks to you,
Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth.

We especially praise you because in your tender mercy you sent your
Son Jesus Christ to suffer death upon the cross for our redemption.
There he made, by his once and for all offering of himself, a full, perfect,
and sufficient sacrifice for the sins of the whole world. Through him you
have freed us from the slavery of sin.

Therefore with angels and archangels, and with the whole company of heaven, we praise and magnify your glorious name, evermore praising you, and saying:

*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.*

The People Kneel or Stand

Hear us, merciful Father, we humbly pray, and grant that we who eat this bread and drink this wine according to your Son Jesus Christ's holy institution, in remembrance of his death and passion, may be partakers of his most +blessed body and blood.

For on the night that he was betrayed he took bread and, when he had given thanks, he broke it and said, This is my body, which is given for you; do this in remembrance of me.

In the same way, after supper, he took the cup, saying, This cup is the new covenant in my blood; do this, whenever you drink it, in remembrance of me.

And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to pray..

*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

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. Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.

Communion Music

We Do Not Presume

Music by Andy Piercy & David Clifton

We do not presume to come to your table
Trusting in our own righteousness
For we are not worthy so much as to gather
The crumbs from under your table

But trusting, O Lord, in your great and manifold mercies
For you are the same Lord, whose nature is always to have mercy
So cleanse us and feed us with the body and blood of your Son
That we may live in him and that he may live in us
For ever and ever. Amen.

Christ Is the Life of the World

Words & music by Sandra McCracken, 2019

In Christ we offer all that he has offered
The perfect offering

*Christ is the life of the world
Christ is the life of the world*

So we remember all that he remembered
The whole of life returned

Let us lift up, lift our hearts
Let us lift up, lift our hearts
It is good to lift our hearts to the Lord

Sent forth in beauty, reconciling all things
Radiant in holiness

All Things Rise

Sam Yoder

God, how beautiful your Holy Word
That formed the worlds in such goodness
O, the shame that we would spurn it all
To turn and fall into darkness

God, we'll sing how through your Son you turned
This loss and hurt into glory
How when scorned in death you raised him up
His gain's become the whole world's story

*Let all things rise and bless your name
All things made right and new again
O Lord our God, your goodness is free and boundless
Is reaching endless through it all*

And on this road with every step we take
Your faithfulness is our portion
You've prepared a city bright and fair
Whose gates forever stay open

Son of God, in you we've taken up
The way of love's occupation
O, the joy to share in your reward

The stunning turn of new creation

*Let all things rise and bless your name
All things made right and new again
Let all things rise and bless your name
All things made right and new again
O Lord our God, your goodness is free and boundless
Is reaching endless through it all*

Just as you promised, God, your Son was raised up
In him, we'll follow, in him we'll all be raised up

O Lord, you've made yourself a home
Heaven and earth forever one
All things once sown in weakness you raise in promise
Your beauty arches above it all

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Your beauty arches above it all

Prayer for Mission

ALL

Heavenly Father, we thank you for feeding us with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ; and for assuring us in these holy mysteries that we are living members of the body of your Son, and heirs of your eternal Kingdom. And now, Father, send us out to do the work you have given us to do, to love and serve you as faithful witnesses of Christ our Lord. To him, to you, and to the Holy Spirit, be honor and glory, now and for ever. Amen.

The Blessing

CELEBRANT

The peace of God, which passes all understanding, keep your hearts and minds in the knowledge and love of God, and of his Son Jesus Christ

our Lord; and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you, and remain with you always. *Amen.*

Procession into the World *The People Stand*

Fairest Lord Jesus

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Fair is the sunshine, fairer still the moonlight,
And all the tinkling starry host;
Jesus shines brighter, Jesus shines purer
Than all the angels heaven can boast.

All fairest beauty, heavenly and earthly,
Wondrously, Jesus, is found in thee;
None can be nearer, fairer, or dearer,
Than thou, my Savior, art to me.

Beautiful Savior! Lord of all the nations!
Son of God and Son of Man!
Glory and honor, praise, adoration,
Now and forevermore be thine.

The Dismissal

DEACON Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

PEOPLE *Thanks be to God. Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!*

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