

Holy Eucharist,

Kenyan rite

Opening Hymn *The People Stand*

Holy God, We Praise Thy Name

Words: Ignace Franz (based on the Te Deum), 1744; trans. Clarence Walworth, 1858

Music: Allgemeines Katholisches Gesangbuch, 1774

Holy God, we praise thy name; Lord of all, we bow before thee.
Saints on earth thy rule acclaim; All in heaven above adore thee.
Infinite thy vast domain; Everlasting is thy reign.

Hark, the loud celestial hymn Angel choirs above are raising;
Cherubim and seraphim, In unceasing chorus praising,
Fill the heavens with sweet accord: "Holy, holy, holy Lord!"

Lo, the apostolic train Joins thy sacred name to hallow;
Prophets swell the loud refrain, And the white-robed martyrs follow;
And from morn to set of sun, Through the Church the song goes on.

Opening Sentences *The People Stand*

CELEBRANT The Lord is here:

PEOPLE *And his Spirit is with us.*

CELEBRANT The earth is the Lord's and all that is in it:

PEOPLE *Let the heavens rejoice and the earth be glad.*

CELEBRANT I was glad when they said to me:

PEOPLE *Let us go to the house of the Lord.*

CELEBRANT Praise the Lord:

PEOPLE *The name of the Lord be praised.*

CELEBRANT Let us pray:

PEOPLE *Almighty God, you bring to light things hidden in darkness, and know the shadows of our hearts: Cleanse and renew us by your Spirit, that we may walk in the light and glorify your name, through Jesus Christ, the Light of the world, Amen.*

CELEBRANT Please kneel or stand as we prepare our hearts for confession.

Confession of Sin *The People Kneel or Stand*

CELEBRANT Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

PEOPLE *Almighty God, Creator of all, you marvelously made us in your image; but we have corrupted ourselves and damaged your likeness by rejecting your love and hurting our neighbors. We have done wrong and neglected to do right. We are sincerely sorry and heartily repent of our sins. Cleanse us and forgive us by the sacrifice of your Son; remake us and lead us by your Spirit, the Comforter. We ask this through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.*

CELEBRANT: Almighty God, whose steadfast love is as great as the heavens are high above the earth, remove your sins from you, as far as the east is from the west, strengthen your life in his kingdom and keep you upright to the last day; through Jesus Christ, our merciful High Priest. Amen.

[The people remain kneeling.]

PEOPLE *Thank you, Father, for forgiveness. We come to your table as your children, not presuming but assured, not trusting ourselves but your Word. We hunger and thirst for righteousness, and ask for our hearts to be satisfied with the body and blood of your Son, Jesus Christ the righteous. Amen.*

[Have people stand.]

Gloria *The People Stand*

CELEBRANT Glory to the Father:
PEOPLE ***Glory to the Son.***
CELEBRANT Glory to the Spirit:
PEOPLE ***For ever three in One.***
CELEBRANT Be glorified in the United States:
PEOPLE ***Be glorified in Austin.***
CELEBRANT Be glorified at home:
PEOPLE ***Be glorified in the Church.***
CELEBRANT Be glorified on earth:
PEOPLE ***Be glorified in heaven.***
CELEBRANT Glory to the Father:
PEOPLE ***Glory to the Son.***
CELEBRANT Glory to the Spirit:
PEOPLE ***For ever three in One.***
CELEBRANT Hallelujah!
PEOPLE ***Amen!***

Songs of Worship

The Christ, Our Light

Marty Reardon

When all was dark and without Dawn
You gave us light, you sent your Son
The Christ, the Christ, he shines, he shines
The Christ, the Christ, he shines, he shines
And drives all dark away, away
You drive all dark away, away

When we were enemies of the cross
When we were dead in sin, so lost
The Christ, the Christ, he died, he died
The Christ, the Christ, he died, he died
To drive our sin away, away
Come and take our sin away, away
Come and take our sin away, away
Come and take our sin away, away

Holy

Jason Ingram, Jonas Myrin, and Matt Redman, 2011

What heart could hold the weight of your love,
And know the heights of your great worth?
What eyes could look on your glorious face,
Shining like the sun?

*You are Holy, Holy, Holy
God most high and God most worthy
You are Holy, Holy, Holy
Jesus, you are; Jesus, you are*

Your name alone has power to raise us
Your light will shine when all else fades
Our eyes will look on your glorious face
Shining like the sun—who is like you, God?

Who shall we say you are? You're the living God.
Who shall we say you are? You're the great I Am.
The highest name of all; you're all you say you are.

And you will come again in glory
To judge the living and the dead
All eyes will look on your glorious face
Shining like the sun—who is like you, God?

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 *Almighty God, whose Son our Savior Jesus Christ is the light of the world: Grant that your people, illumined by your Word and Sacraments, may shine with the radiance of Christ's glory, that he may be known, worshiped, and obeyed to the ends of the earth; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who with you and the Holy Spirit lives and reigns, one God, now and for ever. Amen.*

Children's Dismissal

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 *The People Sit*

Isaiah 62:1-5 (NIV)

LECTOR A reading from Isaiah 62.

^{62:1} For Zion's sake I will not keep silent,
for Jerusalem's sake I will not remain quiet,
till her vindication shines out like the dawn,
her salvation like a blazing torch.

² The nations will see your vindication,
and all kings your glory;

you will be called by a new name
that the mouth of the Lord will bestow.
³ You will be a crown of splendor in the Lord's hand,
a royal diadem in the hand of your God.
⁴ No longer will they call you Deserted,
or name your land Desolate.
But you will be called Hephzibah,
and your land Beulah;
for the Lord will take delight in you,
and your land will be married.
⁵ As a young man marries a young woman,
so will your Builder marry you;
as a bridegroom rejoices over his bride,
so will your God rejoice over you.

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

Psalter *The People Stand*

Psalms 96

LECTOR Let us pray **Psalms 96** antiphonally by whole verse,
beginning with the east side of the room.

- 1 Sing to the LORD a new song; *
sing to the LORD, all the whole earth.
- 2 *Sing to the LORD and bless his Name; **
proclaim the good news of his salvation from day to day.
- 3 Declare his glory among the nations *
and his wonders among all peoples.
- 4 *For great is the LORD and greatly to be praised; **
he is more to be feared than all gods.
- 5 As for all the gods of the nations, they are but idols; *
but it is the LORD who made the heavens.
- 6 *Oh, the majesty and magnificence of his presence! **
Oh, the power and the splendor of his sanctuary!

- 7 Ascribe to the LORD, you families of the peoples; *
ascribe to the LORD honor and power.
- 8 *Ascribe to the LORD the honor due his Name; *
bring offerings and come into his courts.*
- 9 Worship the LORD in the beauty of holiness; *
let the whole earth tremble before him.
- 10 *Tell it out among the nations: "The LORD is King! *
he has made the world so firm that it cannot be moved;
he will judge the peoples with equity."*
- 11 Let the heavens rejoice, and let the earth be glad;
let the sea thunder and all that is in it; *
let the field be joyful and all that is therein.
- 12 *Then shall all the trees of the wood shout for joy
before the LORD when he comes, *
when he comes to judge the earth.*
- 13 He will judge the world with righteousness *
and the peoples with his truth.

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.*

Second Reading *The People Sit*

1 Corinthians 12:1–11 (NIV)

LECTOR A reading from 1 Corinthians 12.

^{12:1} Now about the gifts of the Spirit, brothers and sisters, I do not want you to be uninformed. ² You know that when you were pagans, somehow or other you were influenced and led astray to mute idols. ³ Therefore I want you to know that no one who is speaking by the Spirit of God says, "Jesus be cursed," and no one can say, "Jesus is Lord," except by the Holy Spirit.

⁴ There are different kinds of gifts, but the same Spirit distributes them.

⁵ There are different kinds of service, but the same Lord. ⁶ There are

different kinds of working, but in all of them and in everyone it is the same God at work.

⁷ Now to each one the manifestation of the Spirit is given for the common good. ⁸ To one there is given through the Spirit a message of wisdom, to another a message of knowledge by means of the same Spirit, ⁹ to another faith by the same Spirit, to another gifts of healing by that one Spirit, ¹⁰ to another miraculous powers, to another prophecy, to another distinguishing between spirits, to another speaking in different kinds of tongues, and to still another the interpretation of tongues. ¹¹ All these are the work of one and the same Spirit, and he distributes them to each one, just as he determines.

LECTOR The Word of the Lord.

PEOPLE *Thanks be to God.*

The Gospel Song

Fill Me Up, O Christ

Mark Beazley, 2016

Fill me up, O Christ, with you
Let my life be wholly true
Love flowing through all I think, and feel, and do
Fill me up, O Christ, with you

The Gospel

Matthew 20:17–28

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

PEOPLE *Glory to you, Lord Christ*

^{20:17} Now Jesus was going up to Jerusalem. On the way, he took the Twelve aside and said to them, ¹⁸ “We are going up to Jerusalem, and the Son of Man will be delivered over to the chief priests and the teachers of the law. They will condemn him to death ¹⁹ and will hand him over to

the Gentiles to be mocked and flogged and crucified. On the third day he will be raised to life!”

²⁰ Then the mother of Zebedee’s sons came to Jesus with her sons and, kneeling down, asked a favor of him.

²¹ “What is it you want?” he asked.

She said, “Grant that one of these two sons of mine may sit at your right and the other at your left in your kingdom.”

²² “You don’t know what you are asking,” Jesus said to them. “Can you drink the cup I am going to drink?”

“We can,” they answered.

²³ Jesus said to them, “You will indeed drink from my cup, but to sit at my right or left is not for me to grant. These places belong to those for whom they have been prepared by my Father.”

²⁴ When the ten heard about this, they were indignant with the two brothers. ²⁵ Jesus called them together and said, “You know that the rulers of the Gentiles lord it over them, and their high officials exercise authority over them. ²⁶ Not so with you. Instead, whoever wants to become great among you must be your servant, ²⁷ and whoever wants to be first must be your slave— ²⁸ just as the Son of Man did not come 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*

Fill Me Up, O Christ

Fill me up, O Christ, with you
Let my life be wholly true
Love flowing through all I think, and feel, and do
Fill me up, O Christ, with you

The Nicene Creed

LEADER Let us confess our faith in the words of the Nicene Creed:

LEADER AND PEOPLE

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.
We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God,
eternally begotten of the Father,
God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God,
Begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father.
Through him all things were made.
For us and for our salvation, he came down from heaven:
By the power of the Holy Spirit
he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary, and was made man.
For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;
He suffered death and was buried.
On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures;
He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father.
He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead,
and his kingdom will have no end.
We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,
who proceeds from the Father and the Son.
With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified.
He has spoken through the Prophets.
We believe in one holy catholic* and apostolic Church.
We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.
We look for the resurrection of the dead,
and the life of the world to come. Amen.

* Universal

The Prayers of the People

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

Grant, Almighty God, that all who confess your Name may be united in your truth, live together in your love, and reveal your glory in the world.

Silence is kept.

❧ Lord, in your mercy; ***Hear our prayer.***

Guide the people of this land, and of all the nations, in the ways of justice and peace; that we may honor one another and serve the common good.

Silence is kept.

❧ Lord, in your mercy; ***Hear our prayer.***

Give us all a reverence for the earth as your own creation, that we may use its resources rightly in the service of others and to your honor and glory.

Silence is kept.

❧ Lord, in your mercy; ***Hear our prayer.***

Bless all whose lives are closely linked with ours, and grant that we may serve Christ in them, and love one another as he loves us.

Silence is kept.

❧ Lord, in your mercy; ***Hear our prayer.***

Comfort and heal all those who suffer in body, mind, or spirit; give them courage and hope in their troubles, and bring them the joy of your salvation. We pray especially those who are not well: Bill [BEE-cham] Beauchamp, Gail Blanchard, Diana Bridgeman, Rachel Chisolm, Matson Duncan, Nate [GAB-rish] Gabrysch, Jan Garven, Jim Garven, Eric Kaufman, Samantha [Le-SAHN] Lesan, Amanda McCamant, Diane Thompson, Christine Warner, and others you have laid upon our hearts.

Silence is kept.

❧ Lord, in your mercy; ***Hear our prayer.***

We remember before you Lord, all your servants departed this life in faith and fear, especially Harold Perry and Dixie Ann Hood Warner: and we bless your holy Name for all who in life and death have glorified you; praying that you will give us grace that, rejoicing in their fellowship,

we may follow their good examples, and with them be partakers of your heavenly kingdom.

Silence is kept.

✂ Lord, in your mercy; **Hear our prayer.**

CELEBRANT

Almighty God, to whom our needs are known before we ask: Help us to ask only what accords with your will; and those good things which we dare not, or in our blindness cannot ask, grant us for the sake of your Son Jesus Christ our Lord. **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

Christ Whose Glory Fills the Skies

Charles Wesley, 1740

Christ, whose glory fills the skies,
Christ, the true, the only Light,
Sun of Righteousness, arise,
triumph o'er the shades of night;
Dayspring from on high, be near;
Daystar, in my heart appear.

Dark and cheerless is the morn
unaccompanied by thee;
joyless is the day's return
'til thy mercy's beams I see;
'til they inward light impart,
glad my eyes, and warm my heart.

Visit, then, this soul of mine;
pierce the gloom of sin and grief;
fill me, Radiancy divine;
scatter all my unbelief;
more and more thyself display,
shining to the perfect day.

The Liturgy of the Table *The People Stand*

CELEBRANT Is the Father with us?

PEOPLE *He is.*

CELEBRANT Is Christ among us?

PEOPLE *He is.*

CELEBRANT Is the Spirit here?

PEOPLE *He is.*

CELEBRANT This is our God:

PEOPLE *Father, Son and Holy Spirit.*

CELEBRANT We are his people:

PEOPLE *We are redeemed.*

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 our delight to give you thanks and praise, Holy Father, living God, supreme over the world, Creator, Provider, Saviour and Giver. From a wandering nomad you created your family; for a burdened people you raised up a leader; for a confused nation you chose a king; for a rebellious crowd you sent your prophets. In these last days you have sent us your Son, your perfect image, bringing your kingdom, revealing your will, dying, rising, reigning, remaking your people for yourself. Through him you have poured out your Holy Spirit, filling us with light and life. Therefore with angels, archangels, and all in heaven, we proclaim your great and glorious name, forever praising you and saying:

CELEBRANT and 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 Almighty God, Owner of all things, we thank you for giving up your only Son to die on the cross for us who owe you everything. Pour your refreshing Spirit on us as we remember him in the way he commanded through these gifts of your creation.

On the same night that he was betrayed he took bread and gave you thanks; he broke it and gave it to his disciples saying, "Take, eat; this is my body which is given for you. Do this in remembrance of me."

PEOPLE *Amen. His body was broken for us.*

CELEBRANT In the same way, after supper he took the cup and gave you thanks; he gave it to them, saying, "Drink this, all of you; this is my blood of the new covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Do this as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me."

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

PEOPLE *Christ has died.
Christ is risen.
Christ will come again.*

CELEBRANT We are brothers and sisters through his blood.

PEOPLE *We have died together.
We will rise together.
We will live together.*

CELEBRANT Therefore, heavenly Father, hear us as we celebrate this covenant with joy, and await the coming of our Savior, Jesus Christ. He died in our place, making a full atonement for the sins of the whole world, the perfect sacrifice, once and for all. You accepted his offering by raising him from death, and granting him great honor at your right hand on high.

PEOPLE *Amen. Jesus is Lord.*

CELEBRANT This is the feast of victory.

PEOPLE *The Lamb who was slain has begun his reign.
Hallelujah!*

CELEBRANT As Jesus taught us, so we pray:

[say]

*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 Christ is alive for ever:

PEOPLE *We are because he is.*

CELEBRANT We are one body:

PEOPLE *We share one bread.*

CELEBRANT Draw near with faith:

PEOPLE *Christ is the host and we are his guests.*

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.

Ancient of Days

Jesse Reeves, Jonny Robinson, Michael Farren, Rich Thompson, 2018

Though the nations rage, kingdoms rise and fall
There is still one King reigning over all
So I will not fear, for this truth remains
That my God is the Ancient of Days

*None above him, none before him, all of time in his hands
For his throne, it shall remain and ever stand
All the power, all the glory; I will trust in his name
For my God is the Ancient of days*

Though the dread of night overwhelms my soul
He is here with me; I am not alone
O his love is sure, and he knows my name
For my God is the Ancient of Days

Though I may not see what the future brings
I will watch and wait for the Savior king
Then my joy complete, standing face to face
In the presence of the Ancient of Days

The General Thanksgiving

Ryan Flanigan, 2016

Almighty God, Father of all mercies,
Here we your unworthy servants give you humble thanks,
For you are good and full of loving-kindness,
Pouring out your love to us and all whom you have made.

We bless you, Lord,
For our creation, preservation, and the blessings of this life;
But most of all for your immeasurable love,
The redemption of the world by Jesus Christ;
For the means of grace, and the hope of glory.

And give us such awareness of your mercies,
That with truly thankful hearts we may show forth your praise,
Not only with our lips, but in our whole lives,
Giving up our selves to serve you, walking in your ways,
In holiness and righteousness all of our days;
And now through Jesus Christ our Lord,
To whom, with you and with the Holy Spirit raise
All the honor and the praise forevermore. Amen. Amen.

Post-communion Prayer

CELEBRANT & PEOPLE:

Almighty God, Holy Father, we have sat at your feet, learned from your word, and eaten from your table. We give you thanks and praise for accepting us into your family. Send us out with your blessing, to live and to witness for you in the power of your Spirit, through Jesus Christ, the first born from the dead. Amen.

The Blessing

CELEBRANT All our problems:
PEOPLE *We send to the cross of Christ.*
CELEBRANT All our difficulties:
PEOPLE *We send to the cross of Christ.*
CELEBRANT All the devil's works:
PEOPLE *We send to the cross of Christ.*
CELEBRANT All our hopes:
PEOPLE *We set on the risen Christ.*

CELEBRANT Christ the Sun of Righteousness shine upon you and scatter the darkness from before your path: and the blessing of God Almighty, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, be among you, and remain with you, always.

PEOPLE *Amen.*

Procession into the World *The People Stand*

Holy God, We Praise Thy Name

Holy Father, holy Son, Holy Spirit, three we name thee;
While in essence only One, Undivided God, we claim thee;
Then, adoring, bend the knee And confess the mystery.

Christ, thou art our glorious King, Son of God enthroned in splendor;
But, deliverance to bring, Thou all honors didst surrender,
And wast of a virgin born, Humbly on that blessed morn.

Thou didst take the sting from death, Son of God, as Savior given;
On the cross thy dying breath Opened wide the realm of heaven.
In the glory of that land Thou art set at God's right hand.

As our judge thou wilt appear, Savior, who hast died to win us.
Help thy servants drawing near. Lord, renew our hearts within us.
Grant that with thy saints we may Dwell in everlasting day.

The Dismissal

DEACON Go out into the world, rejoicing in the power of the Spirit. Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

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



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