

THE SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

May 29, 2022

Worship Focus

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Order of Service for THE SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

ORDER OF SERVICE

Morning Praise

✠ Gathering ✠

OPENING HYMN

910- Lord Jesus Christ, the Children's Friend



1 Lord Je - sus Christ, the chil - dren's friend, to each of
2 In Chris - tian homes, Lord, let them be your bless - ing
3 That car - ing par - ents, gra - cious Lord, and faith - ful
4 For by your Word we clear - ly see that we have



them your pres - ence send; call them by name and
to their fam - i - ly; let Chris - tian schools your
teach - ers find re - ward in lead - ing these, to
sinned con - tin - ual - ly; but show us, too, for -



keep them true in lov - ing faith, dear Lord, to you.
work ex - tend in liv - ing truth as you in - tend,
whom you call, to find in Christ their all in all.
giv - ing Lord, your sav - ing gos - pel's great re - ward,

5 That all of us, your children dear,
by Christ redeemed, may Christ revere.
Lead us in joy that all we do
will witness to our love for you.

6 Then guard and keep us to the end,
secure in you, our gracious friend,
that in your heav'nly family
we sing your praise eternally.

STAND

INVOCATION AND PRAYER



O Lord, o - pen my lips,



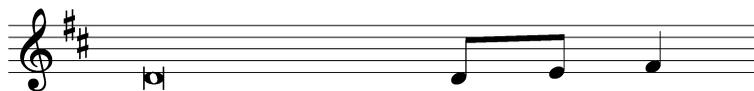
and my mouth shall de - clare your praise.



Has - ten to save me, O God;



O Lord, come quick - ly to help me.

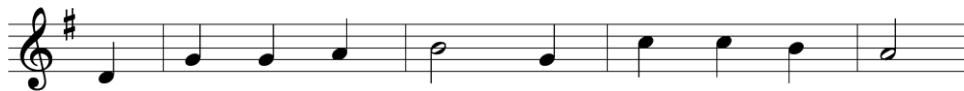


Easter Christ is risen from the dead:

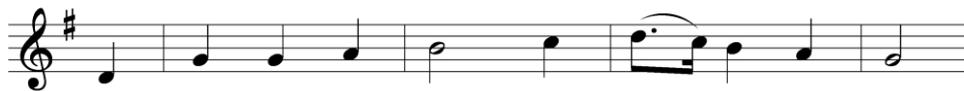


praise and thanks to God!

SONG OF PRAISE



1 O wor - ship the King, all - glo - rious a - bove,
5 Frail chil - dren of dust, and fee - ble as frail,



O grate - ful - ly sing his pow'r and his love,
in you do we trust nor find you to fail;

our shield and de - fend - er, the An - cient of Days,
 your mer - cies, how ten - der, how firm to the end,
 pa - vil - ioned in splen - dor and gird - ed with praise.
 our mak - er, de - fend - er, re - deem - er, and friend!

BE SEATED

✠ The Word ✠

FIRST LESSON

Acts 16:6-10

The ascended Lord directs Paul to leave Asia and preach the gospel for the first time in a territory that today we call Europe.

ACTS 16:6 Paul and his companions traveled throughout the region of Phrygia and Galatia, having been kept by the Holy Spirit from preaching the word in the province of Asia. ⁷When they came to the border of Mysia, they tried to enter Bithynia, but the Spirit of Jesus would not allow them to. ⁸So they passed by Mysia and went down to Troas. ⁹During the night Paul had a vision of a man of Macedonia standing and begging him, “Come over to Macedonia and help us.” ¹⁰After Paul had seen the vision, we got ready at once to leave for Macedonia, concluding that God had called us to preach the gospel to them.

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Junior Choir

Where Shall I Go from Your Spirit

Patterson

Refrain

Where shall I go from your spirit? Where can I flee from your presence?

If I go up to the heav'ns, you are there, and if I lie down in the depths, you are there.

Refrain

And if I rise on the wings of the dawn, if I go to the ends of the earth,

Even there you will guide me, Your hand will hold me fast.

Refrain

You are there, you are with me.

Wherever I may be, you are there.

SECOND LESSON

Revelation 22:12-17,20

St. John sees individuals of every nation, tribe, language, and people in heaven. They are perfectly united in the fact that all are wearing the robe of Christ's righteousness.

REVELATION 22:12 “Look, I am coming soon! My reward is with me, and I will give to each person according to what they have done. ¹³I am the Alpha and the Omega, the First and the Last, the Beginning and the End.

¹⁴“Blessed are those who wash their robes, that they may have the right to the tree of life and may go through the gates into the city. ¹⁵Outside are the dogs, those who practice magic arts, the sexually immoral, the murderers, the idolaters and everyone who loves and practices falsehood.

¹⁶“I, Jesus, have sent my angel to give you this testimony for the churches. I am the Root and the Offspring of David, and the bright Morning Star.”

¹⁷The Spirit and the bride say, “Come!” And let the one who hears say, “Come!” Let the one who is thirsty come; and let the one who wishes take the free gift of the water of life...

...²⁰He who testifies to these things says, “Yes, I am coming soon.”

Amen. Come, Lord Jesus.

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

STAND FOR THE READING OF THE GOSPEL

GOSPEL

John 17:20-26

Jesus prays that all his followers might be one, just as he and the Father are one.

JOHN 17:20 “My prayer is not for them alone. I pray also for those who will believe in me through their message, ²¹that all of them may be one, Father, just as you are in me and I am in you. May they also be in us so that the world may believe that you have sent me. ²²I have given them the glory that you gave me, that they may be one as we are one— ²³I in them and you in me—so that they may be brought to complete unity. Then the world will know that you sent me and have loved them even as you have loved me.

²⁴“Father, I want those you have given me to be with me where I am, and to see my glory, the glory you have given me because you loved me before the creation of the world.

²⁵“Righteous Father, though the world does not know you, I know you, and they know that you have sent me. ²⁶I have made you known to them, and will continue to make you known in order that the love you have for me may be in them and that I myself may be in them.”

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise by to you, O Christ.

BE SEATED

HYMN OF THE DAY

900 – Lift High the Cross



Lift high the cross; the love of Christ pro - claim till



all the world a - dore his sa - cred name.



- 1 Come, Chris - tians, fol - low where our cap - tain trod,
- 2 All new - born sol - diers of the Cru - ci - fied
- 3 Let ev - 'ry race and ev - 'ry lan - guage tell
- 4 So shall our song of tri - umph ev - er be:



our King vic - to - rious, Christ, the Son of God.
bear on their brows the seal of him who died.
of him who saves our souls from death and hell.
praise to the Cru - ci - fied for vic - to - ry!

✠ Sermon ✠

John 17:20-26

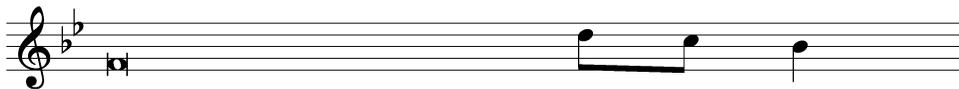
When Jesus Says, "I'll Pray for You!" – What Does He Say?

Sermon notes:

STAND

RESPONSE TO THE WORD

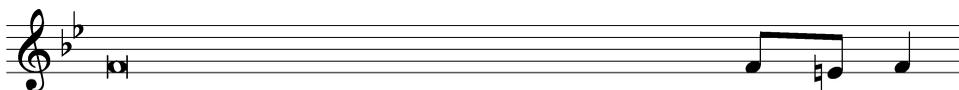
We Praise You, O God (*Te Deum Laudamus*)



- 1 We praise you, O God, we acclaim you as Lord;
- 2 Holy, holy, holy, Lord God of heav'n - ly hosts,
- 3 The white-robed army of martyrs praise — you.



- 1 all creation worships you, Fa - ther ev - er - last - ing.
- 2 heaven and earth are full — of your glo - ry.
- 3 Throughout the world the ho - ly Church ac - claims you:



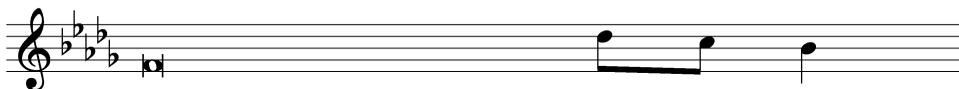
- 1 To you all angels, all the pow'rs of heav'n,
- 2 The glorious company of apostles praise — you.
- 3 Father of majesty unbounded; your glorious, true, and on - ly Son;



- 1 cherubim and seraphim, sing in end - less praise:
- 2 The noble fellowship of proph - ets praise — you.
- 3 and the Holy Spirit, ad - vo - cate and guide.



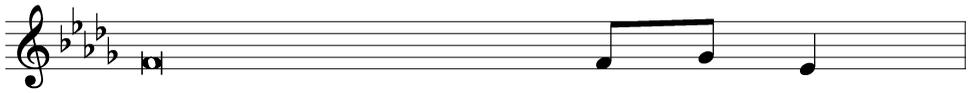
- 4 You, Christ, are the King of glo - ry, the eternal Son of the Fa - ther.



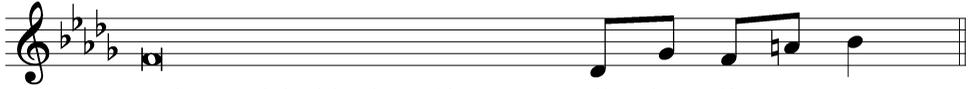
- 5 When you became man to set us free,
- 6 You sit at the right hand of God



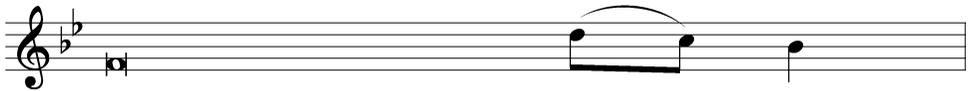
- 5 you humbled yourself to be born of a vir - gin.
- 6 in the glory of the Fa - ther.



5 You overcame the sting of death
 6 We believe that you will come



5 and opened the kingdom of heaven to all be - liev - ers.
 6 to be our judge.



7 Come then, Lord, and help your peo - ple,



7 bought with the price of your own blood,



7 and bring us with your saints to glory ev - er - last - ing.

BE SEATED

ANNOUNCEMENTS AND MUSICAL OFFERING

We appreciate the offerings given to support the work of God's Kingdom here and throughout the world.

Offerings can be given in any of four ways:

1. Set in the offering plate at the back of the sanctuary
2. On the Calvary website: <https://calvarydallas.org/give/>
3. On your phone with the Give+ app (a Vanco product)
4. Scan the QR code to the right...



Give us a record of your visit through our online Connection Card, or by filling out the card in the pew and placing it in the offering plate as you leave. The Connection Card tab can be found at the bottom right of any page of the Calvary website, <https://calvarydallas.org> or by scanning the code to the left...

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

YOU MAY REMAIN SEATED FOR PRAYER

O righteous Father, Your Son obeyed Your holy will for the sake of our salvation. Through Your Spirit, give Your Church on earth unity of faith, that the world may know that You sent Your Son to rescue us from sin, death and the power of the devil. Lord, in Your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Heavenly Father, You have instituted Baptism as a saving flood, a washing of rebirth and renewal. Grant that many would be washed in the river that flows from the heavenly city and be brought through her gates into the communion of Your Church. Lord, in Your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Lord of the Church, You have sustained Your people through the ages by the apostles' witness to the death and resurrection of Your Son. Raise up among us faithful called workers in every age. Keep all in the ministry faithful to You in all things. Lord, in Your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Gracious Lord, we thank You for the many blessings You have bestowed upon this nation. Grant us a long memory to recall those who gave the full measure of devotion to our country's peace and security. Bring to mind the sacrifices of those who served faithfully until death in the protection of our freedom and in the defense of our land. Lord, in Your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Eternal Lord, You have seated Christ at Your right hand for our deliverance. Remember all who are afflicted with illness and injury [*including _____*]. Give them health and strength according to Your will. Sustain them in faith, knowing that, for Jesus' sake, You will raise them in glory on the Last Day. Lord, in Your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Merciful God, we praise You and remember the faithful who went before us and now rest from their labors. Grant that we may follow in faith where they have led the way and at length be brought with them into Your everlasting light and life to see You face to face. Lord, in Your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

All these things and whatever else You know that we need, grant us, Father, for the sake of Him who died and rose again and now lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God forever. **Amen.**

THE 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 today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins, as we forgive those who sin against us. Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours now and forever. Amen.

SERMON HYMN

732 – In Unity and Peace

Refrain

How good it is and how pleas-ant to live in u-ni-ty and peace.

How good it is and how pleas-ant to live to-geth-er in one Lord.

(Last time only)

to live to - geth - er in one Lord.

1 In the name of our Lord— Je - sus Christ, a -
 2 Live a life that is wor - thy of your call, be
 3 Share the love that has joined— us as one, u -

gree in ev - 'ry-thing you say. — May there — be no di-
 hum - ble, gen - tle, and pa-tient. Bear with each oth - er in
 nite in spir - it and i - deals. — Nev - er be ri - vals, do

vi - sions a-mong you, but be u - nit-ed in one mind.
 ways that are lov - ing, pre - serve the u - ni - ty of faith.
 not be con-ceil - ed, but look to oth-ers in their need.

Refrain

For there is one Lord, one faith, one God of us all.
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STAND

CLOSING HYMN

510 – In Christ Alone

11:00am – The school children will sing verses 1-3. The congregation is invited to join in singing verse 4.



1 In Christ a - lone my hope is found; he is my
2 In Christ a - lone, who took on flesh, full - ness of
3 There in the ground his bod - y lay, light of the
4 No guilt in life, no fear in death, this is the



light, my strength, my song; this cor - ner-stone, this sol - id
God in help - less babe; this gift of love and right-eous-
world by dark - ness slain; then burst - ing forth in glo - rious
pow'r of Christ in me; from life's first cry to fi - nal



ground, firm through the fierc - est drought and storm.
ness, scorned by the ones he came to save.
day, up from the grave he rose a - gain!
breath, Je - sus com - mands my des - ti - ny.



What heights of love, what depths of peace, when fears are
Till on that cross as Je - sus died, the wrath of
And as he stands in vic - to - ry, sin's curse has
No pow'r of hell, no scheme of man can ev - er



stilled, when striv - ings cease! My com - fort - er, my all in
God was sat - is - fied; for ev - 'ry sin on him was
lost its grip on me; for I am his and he is
pluck me from his hand; till he re - turns or calls me



all; here in the love of Christ I stand.
laid; here in the death of Christ I live.
mine, bought with the pre - cious blood of Christ.
home, here in the pow'r of Christ I'll stand.

✠ Graduation (11:00 service only) ✠

The graduation of our students is a reflection of our ministry at Calvary.
As such, this ceremony remains a part of our worship.
Please REFRAIN from clapping or taking pictures during the ceremony.
Time will be given for pictures after worship.

PRINCIPAL'S ADDRESS

DIPLOMA CEREMONY

Eighth Grade Class of 2022

Keuwe Sophia Emoghene

Leah Clara Frum

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Calvary Lutheran School – Kindergarten Class of 2022



Lorena Allison, Rigby Park, Abigya Solomon, Adam Wilkins

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Ami Asdesach, Noah Awi, Rahbot Dawit, Victoria Fadairo, Maraki Henok



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910 – Lord Jesus Christ, the Children’s Friend

Text: Henry L. Lettermann, 1932–1996
Tune: William Knapp, 1698–1786; setting: The Lutheran Hymnal, 1941, alt.
Scripture references: Mk 10:13-16; Ps 128; Ps 78:1-7; 1 Pe 3:15,16; 1 Co 1:8-9
Text: © 1982 Concordia Publishing House
Music: Public domain

620 – O Worship the King

Text: Robert Grant, 1779–1838, abr., alt
Tune: attr. Johann Michael Haydn, 1737–1806, alt.; Joseph M. Kraus, 1756–1792
Text and tune: Public domain

Hymn 900 – Lift High the Cross

Text: George W. Kitchin, 1827-1912; rev. Michael R. Newbolt, 1874-1956, alt.
Music: Sydney H. Nicholson, 1875-1947
Scripture references: Isa 11:10,12; Jn 12:32; Ro 10:14,15; 2 Co 2:14
Text and music: © 1974 Hope Publishing Company

Hymn 732 – In Unity and Peace

Text and music: James J. Chepponis, b. 1956
Scripture references: Ps 133; Eph 4:4-6; 1 Co 1:10; Eph 4:1-3; Ro 12:9-18
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Hymn 510 – In Christ Alone

Text and music: Keith Getty, b.1974; Stuart Townend, b. 1963
Scripture references: Php 3:8-9; Isa 53:5,6; Ro 5:9; Gal 3:13; 1 Pe 1:18,19; Jn 10:28
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