WELCOME!
Trinity Lutheran Church
October 25, 2026



REFORMATION SUNDAY

* = Please stand if able

• = Please be seated

- Prelude by Roxanne Groff
- Office of the Acolyte
- Ringing of the Bell
- Welcome

* CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

All may make the sign of the cross, the sign marked at baptism…

L: We confess our sins before God and one another.

Pause for silence and reflection.

L: Loving God,

* CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

C: We have rebelled against your life-giving reign and raised up worldly kings for ourselves—people, possessions, fame. You have sent us prophets to declare to us the error of our ways and we have despised them, choosing instead to follow false prophets who tell us what we want to hear.

* CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

C: We have failed to heed your persistent call to lives of simplicity, love, self-sacrificial service, and commitment to the flourishing of all creation. Forgive us our short-sightedness and self-focus. Draw us back to you, that we might center our lives on our relationship with you, and turn outward in love for all that you have made.

* CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

L: Our God still reigns over all that is, and cherishes each an every one of us as beloved children. Know that your sins are forgiven, and go forth in that knowledge to serve and do justice in all the earth. ☩ In Jesus' holy name we pray.

C: **Amen.**

* Gathering Song

“Jesus Shall Reign”

LBW 530



* “Jesus Shall reign” LBW 530

1 Jesus shall reign
where'er the sun
does its successive
journeys run;
his kingdom stretch
from shore to shore,
till moons shall wax
and wane no more.

* “Jesus Shall reign” LBW 530

2 To him shall endless
prayer be made,
and praises throng to
crown his head;
his name like sweet
perfume shall rise
with ev'ry morning
sacrifice.

* “Jesus Shall reign” LBW 530

3 People and realms
of ev'ry tongue
dwell on his love
with sweetest song;
and infant voices
shall proclaim
their early blessings
on his name.

* “Jesus Shall reign” LBW 530

4 Blessings abound
where’er he reigns:
the pris'ners leap to
lose their chains,
the weary find
eternal rest,
and all who suffer
want are blest.

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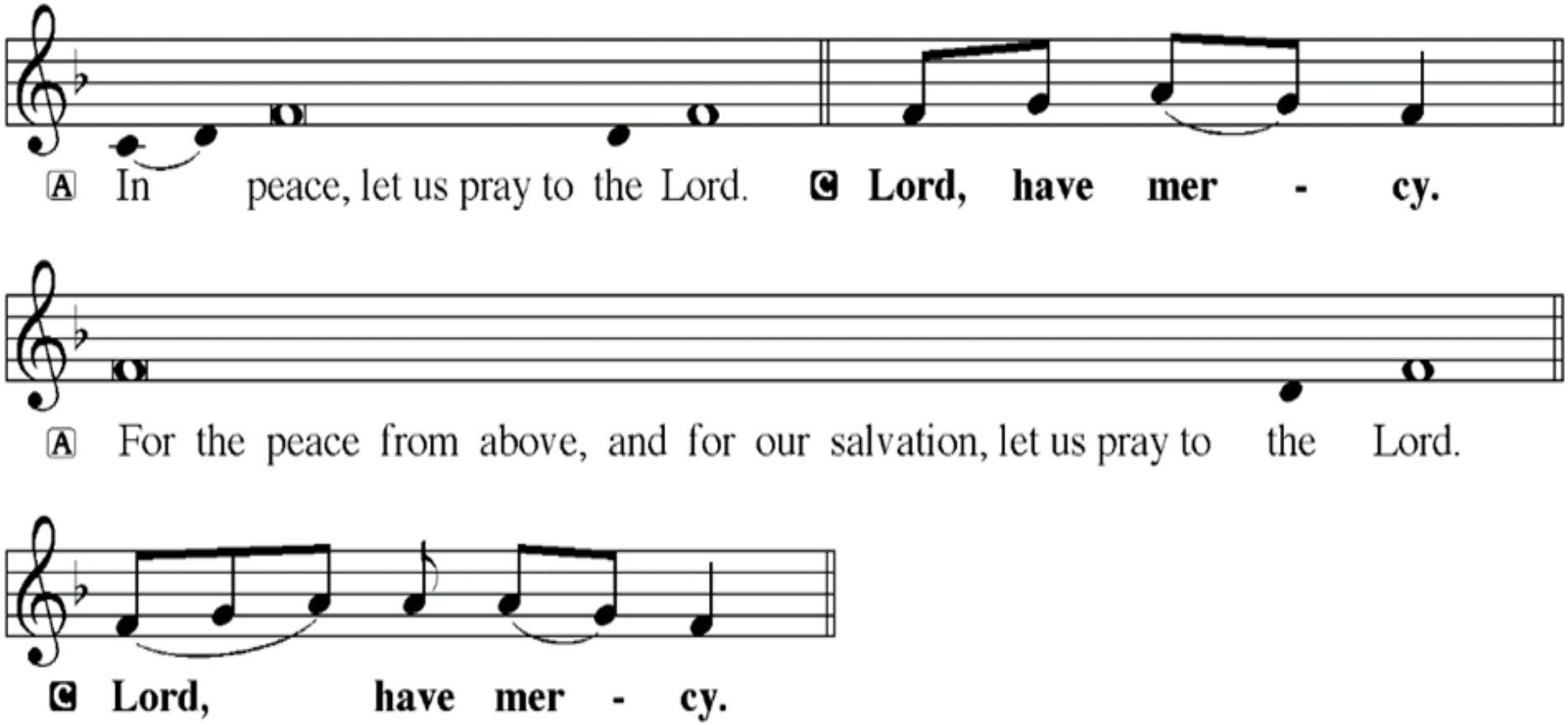
5 Let ev'ry creature
rise and bring
peculiar honors
to our king;
angels descend
with songs again,
and earth repeat
the loud amen.

* APOSTOLIC GREETING

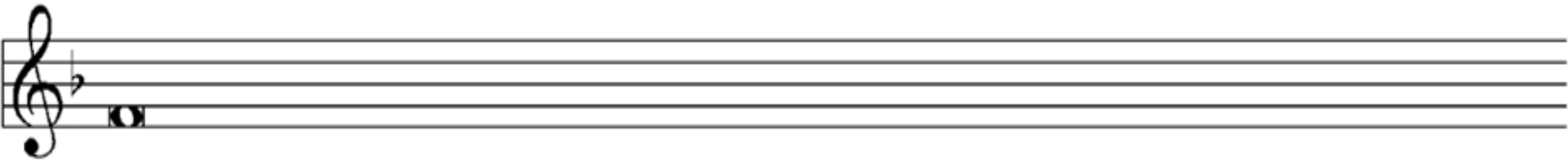
P: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

C: And also with you.
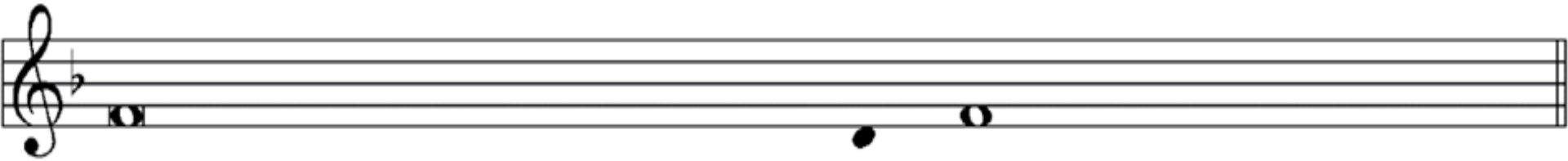
* KYRIE


A In peace, let us pray to the Lord.
C Lord, have mer - cy.
A For the peace from above, and for our salvation, let us pray to the Lord.
C Lord, have mer - cy.
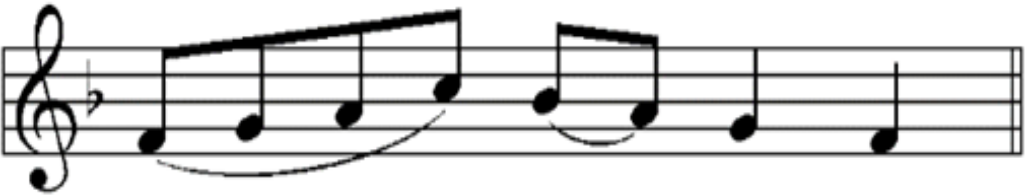
* KYRIE



A For the peace of the whole world, for the well-being of the Church of God,

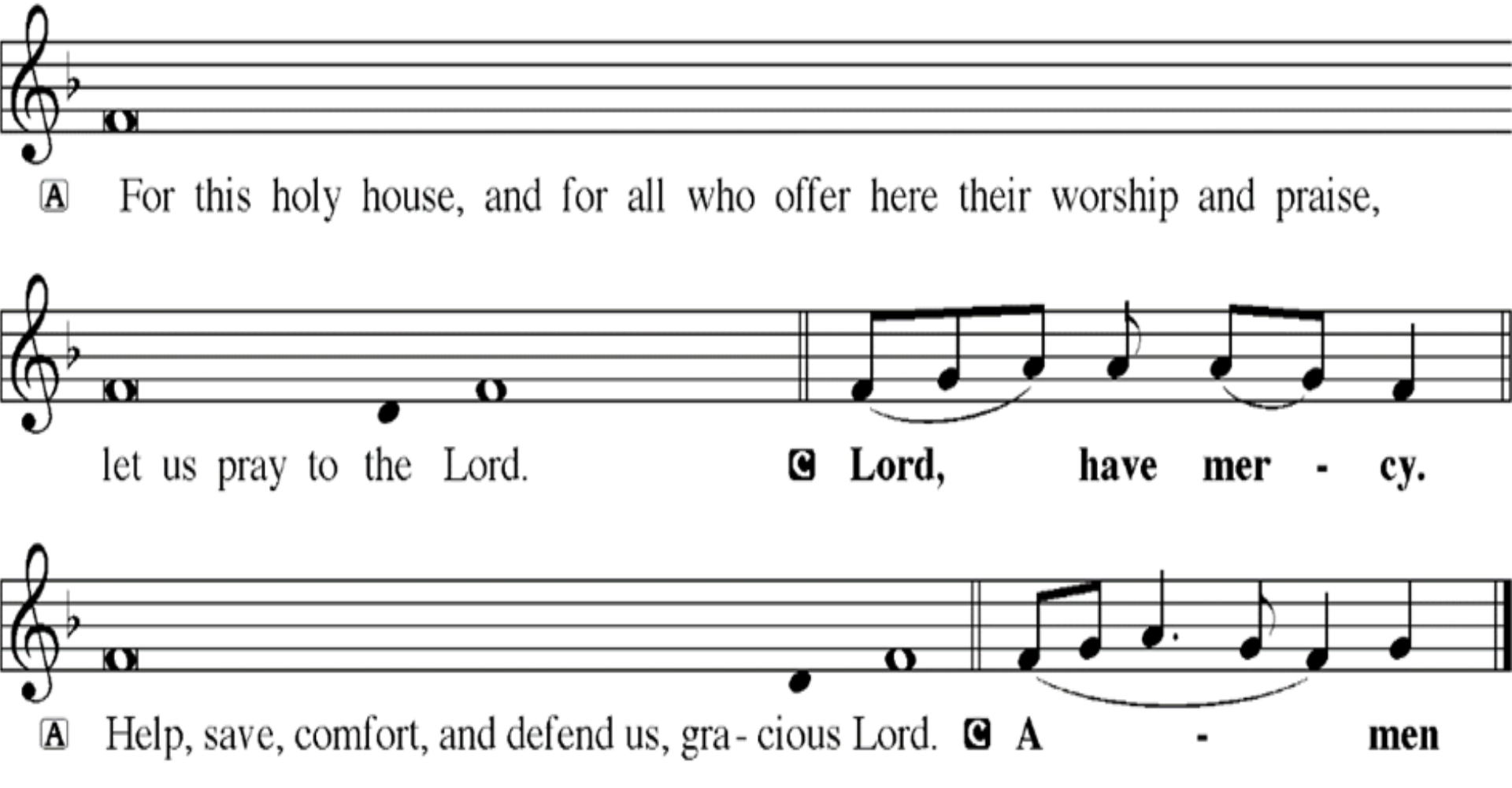


and for the unity of all, let us pray to the Lord.



C **Lord, have mer - cy.**

* KYRIE


A For this holy house, and for all who offer here their worship and praise,
let us pray to the Lord.
C Lord, have mer - cy.
A Help, save, comfort, and defend us, gra - cious Lord.
C A - men

* HYMN OF PRAISE

Glory be to God in heaven;
peace, goodwill to all the earth.
Mighty God of all creation,
Father of surpassing worth:
we exalt you, we adore you,
we lift high our thanks and praise.
Saints and angels bow before you;
here on earth our songs we raise.

* HYMN OF PRAISE

Glory be to Christ forever,
Lamb of God and Lord of love.
Son of God and gracious Savior,
you have come from heav'n above;
on the cross you died to save us;
now you reign at God's right hand.
Hear our prayer; restore, forgive
us; in your promise firm we stand.

* HYMN OF PRAISE

Holy One we now acclaim you;
Lord alone, to you we call;
Holy One in faith we name you,
God most high, yet near to all:
Jesus Christ, with God the Spirit,
in the Father's splendor bright.
For the peace that we inherit,
glory be to God on high!

* PRAYER OF THE DAY

P: Let us pray… Holy God, forgive us for all the ways we, like King David, have sinned against you and against our neighbor. We want to do better—to recognize our errors and make up for them. Remind us you love us no matter what and will be with us as we seek to be the people you created in your image. In Jesus' name we pray.

C: Amen


KIDZ
KORNER

- **Scripture Reading**

R: Our scripture reading is from 2nd Samuel, Chapters 11 and 12, and Psalm, Chapter 51.

C: Glory to you O' Lord!

- 2 Samuel 11:1-5, 26-27; 12:1-9; and Psalm 51:1-9

2nd Samuel, Chapter 11

In the spring of the year, the time
when kings go out to battle, David
sent Joab with his officers and all
Israel with him; they ravaged the
Ammonites, and besieged Rabbah.
But David remained at Jerusalem.
2It happened, late one afternoon,
when David rose from his couch
and was walking about on the roof

- 2 Samuel 11:1-5, 26-27; 12:1-9; and Psalm 51:1-9

2nd Samuel, Chapter 11

of the king's house, that he saw
from the roof a woman bathing; the
woman was very beautiful. 3David
sent someone to inquire about the
woman. It was reported, "This is
Bathsheba daughter of Eliam, the
wife of Uriah the Hittite." 4So David
sent messengers to get her, and
she came to him, and he lay with

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2nd Samuel, Chapter 11

her. (Now she was purifying herself after her period.) Then she returned to her house.
5The woman conceived; and she sent and told David, “I am pregnant.”

- **2 Samuel 11:1-5, 26-27; 12:1-9; and Psalm 51:1-9**

2nd Samuel, Chapter 11

26When the wife of Uriah heard that her husband was dead, she made lamentation for him. 27When the mourning was over, David sent and brought her to his house, and she became his wife, and bore him a son. But the thing that David had done displeased the Lord.

- 2 Samuel 11:1-5, 26-27; 12:1-9; and Psalm 51:1-9

2nd Samuel, Chapter 12

And the Lord sent Nathan to David. He came to him, and said to him, "There were two men in a certain city, the one rich and the other poor. 2The rich man had very many flocks and herds; 3but the poor man had nothing but one little ewe lamb, which he had bought. He brought it up, and it grew up with him and

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2nd Samuel, Chapter 12

with his children; it used to eat of his meager fare, and drink from his cup, and lie in his bosom, and it was like a daughter to him. 4Now there came a traveler to the rich man, and he was loath to take one of his own flock or herd to prepare for the wayfarer who had come to him, but he took the poor man's

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2nd Samuel, Chapter 12

lamb, and prepared that for the guest who had come to him."
5Then David's anger was greatly kindled against the man. He said to Nathan, "As the Lord lives, the man who has done this deserves to die;
6he shall restore the lamb fourfold, because he did this thing, and because he had no pity." 7Nathan

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2nd Samuel, Chapter 12

said to David, “You are the man! Thus says the Lord, the God of Israel: I anointed you king over Israel, and I rescued you from the hand of Saul; 8I gave you your master’s house, and your master’s wives into your bosom, and gave you the house of Israel and of Judah; and if that had been too

- 2 Samuel 11:1-5, 26-27; 12:1-9; and Psalm 51:1-9

2nd Samuel, Chapter 12

little, I would have added as much more. 9Why have you despised the word of the Lord, to do what is evil in his sight? You have struck down Uriah the Hittite with the sword, and have taken his wife to be your wife, and have killed him with the sword of the Ammonites.”

- **2 Samuel 11:1-5, 26-27; 12:1-9; and Psalm 51:1-9**

Psalm, Chapter 51

1 Have mercy on me, O God,
according to your steadfast love;
according to your abundant mercy
blot out my transgressions. 2 Wash
me thoroughly from my iniquity,
and cleanse me from my sin. 3 For I
know my transgressions, and my
sin is ever before me. 4 Against
you, you alone, have I sinned, and

- **2 Samuel 11:1-5, 26-27; 12:1-9; and Psalm 51:1-9**

Psalm, Chapter 51

done what is evil in your sight, so
that you are justified in your
sentence and blameless when you
pass judgement. 5 Indeed, I was
born guilty, a sinner when my
mother conceived me. 6 You desire
truth in the inward being; therefore
teach me wisdom in my secret heart.

- 2 Samuel 11:1-5, 26-27; 12:1-9; and Psalm 51:1-9

Psalm, Chapter 51

7 Purge me with hyssop, and I
shall be clean; wash me, and I
shall be whiter than snow. 8 Let
me hear joy and gladness; let the
bones that you have crushed
rejoice. 9 Hide your face from my
sins, and blot out all my
iniquities.

- **2 Samuel 11:1-5, 26-27; 12:1-9; and Psalm 51:1-9**

R: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: Praise to You, O Christ

Sermon



Sermon



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Saved by Grace

Sermon



Sermon



Sermon



- **AFFIRMATION OF BAPTISM**

PRESENTATION OF CONFIRMAND

Jackson Baker






RENUNCIATION OF EVIL

* PROFESSION OF FAITH

P: Do you believe in God the Father?

C: I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

* PROFESSION OF FAITH

P: Do you believe in Jesus Christ, the Son of God?

C: I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord. He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended into hell.*

* PROFESSION OF FAITH

C: On the third day he rose again. He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again to judge the living and the dead.

* PROFESSION OF FAITH

P: Do you believe in God the Holy Spirit?

C: 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

Each petition will end with the words,

A: God of mercy,

C: You hear our prayer.

* PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

The prayer concludes…

P: Sovereign God, we lift these prayers to you, and have faith that all things are in your hands.

C: Amen.

- AFFIRMATION OF BAPTISM

- COMMITMENT
- PRAYER OF BLESSING
- LAYING ON OF HANDS
- MENTOR COMMENTS
- QUILT SQUARE PRESENTATION

- **OFFERING / * OFFERING PRAYER**

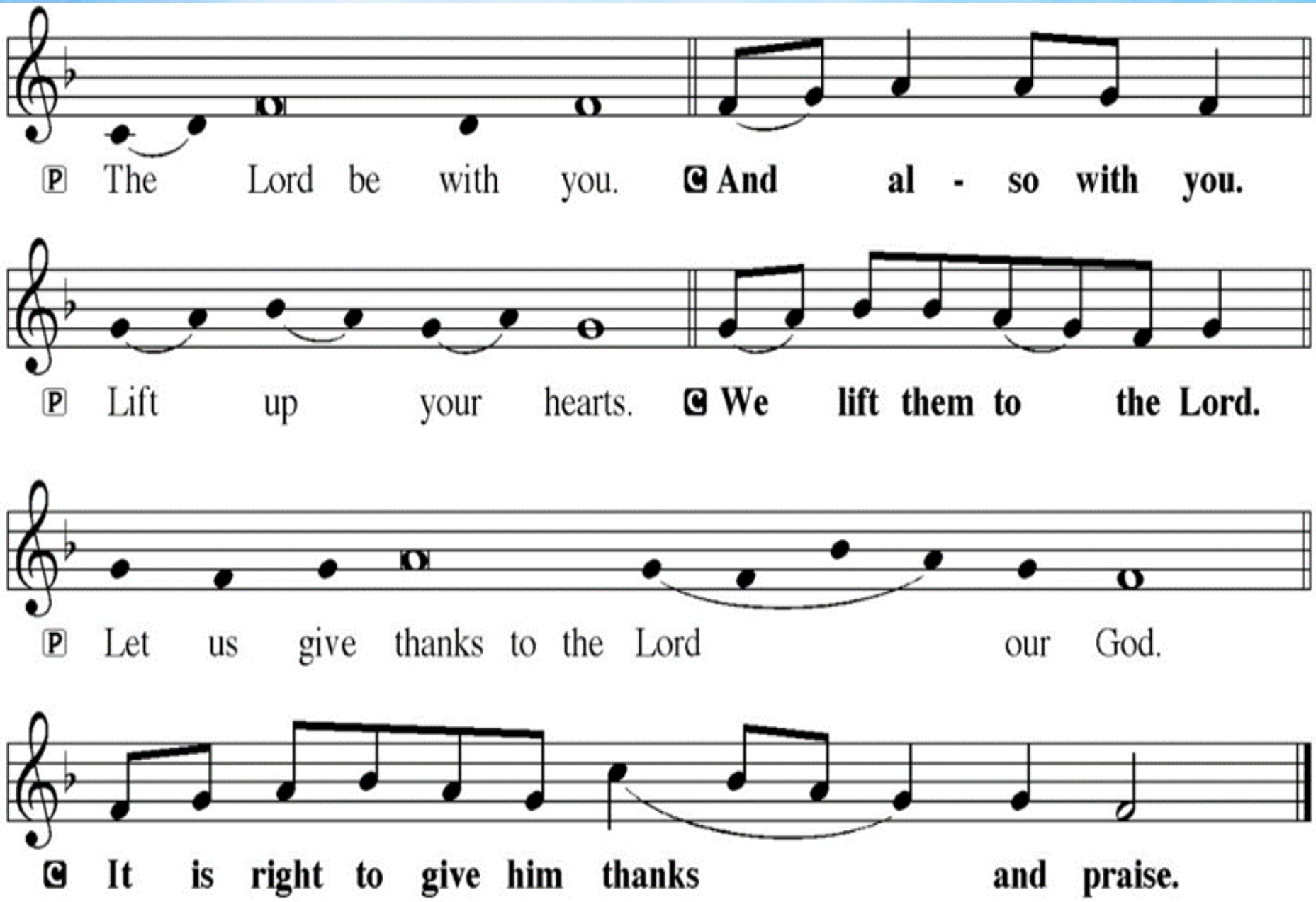


* THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

Communion is "Continuous-By Station".

All the Baptized are welcome to celebrate this Holy Meal.

* DIALOGUE

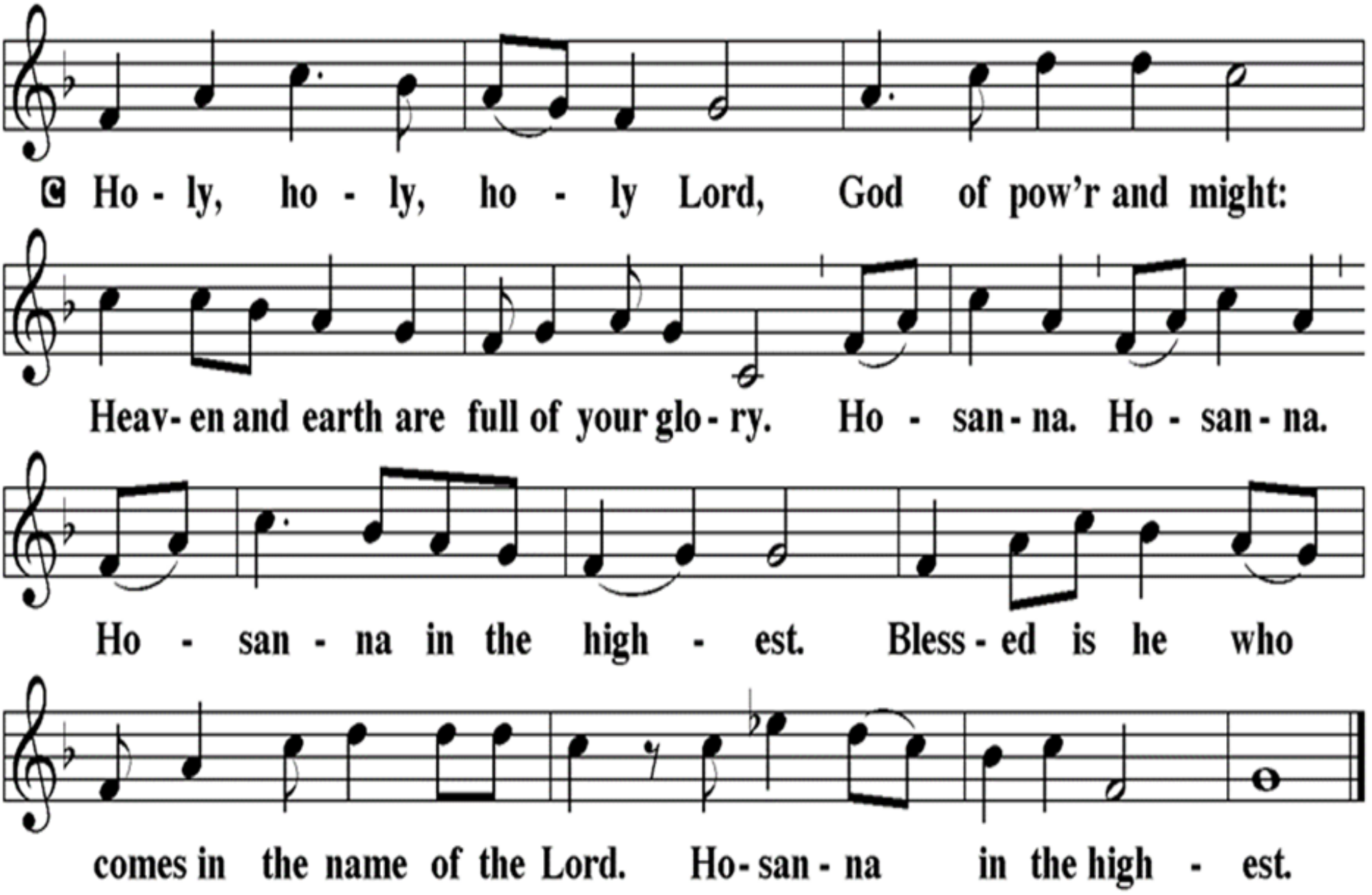

P The Lord be with you. C And al - so with you.
P Lift up your hearts. C We lift them to the Lord.
P Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
C It is right to give him thanks and praise.

* THE PREFACE

P: It is indeed right and salutary…

… we praise your name and
join their unending hymn.

* THE SANCTUS


Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow'r and might:
Heav- en and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho - san - na. Ho - san - na.
Ho - san - na in the high - est. Bless - ed is he who
comes in the name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

* EUCHARISTIC PRAYER

P: Holy God, our Maker, Redeemer…

…Both now and forever.

C: **Amen.**

* THE LORD'S PRAYER

C: 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.

* THE LORD'S PRAYER

C: For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.

* INVITATION TO COMMUNION

P: The God of the covenant invites you to this table of promises kept, where Jesus meets us in bread and wine and strengthens us for our new life in him. Come and be fed, for all is prepared for you.

- **COMMUNION DISTRIBUTION**

All may commune "Continuously, By Station". The bread may be broken for distribution. As the ministers give the bread and wine, they say these words :

The body of Christ, given for you.

The blood of Christ, shed for you.
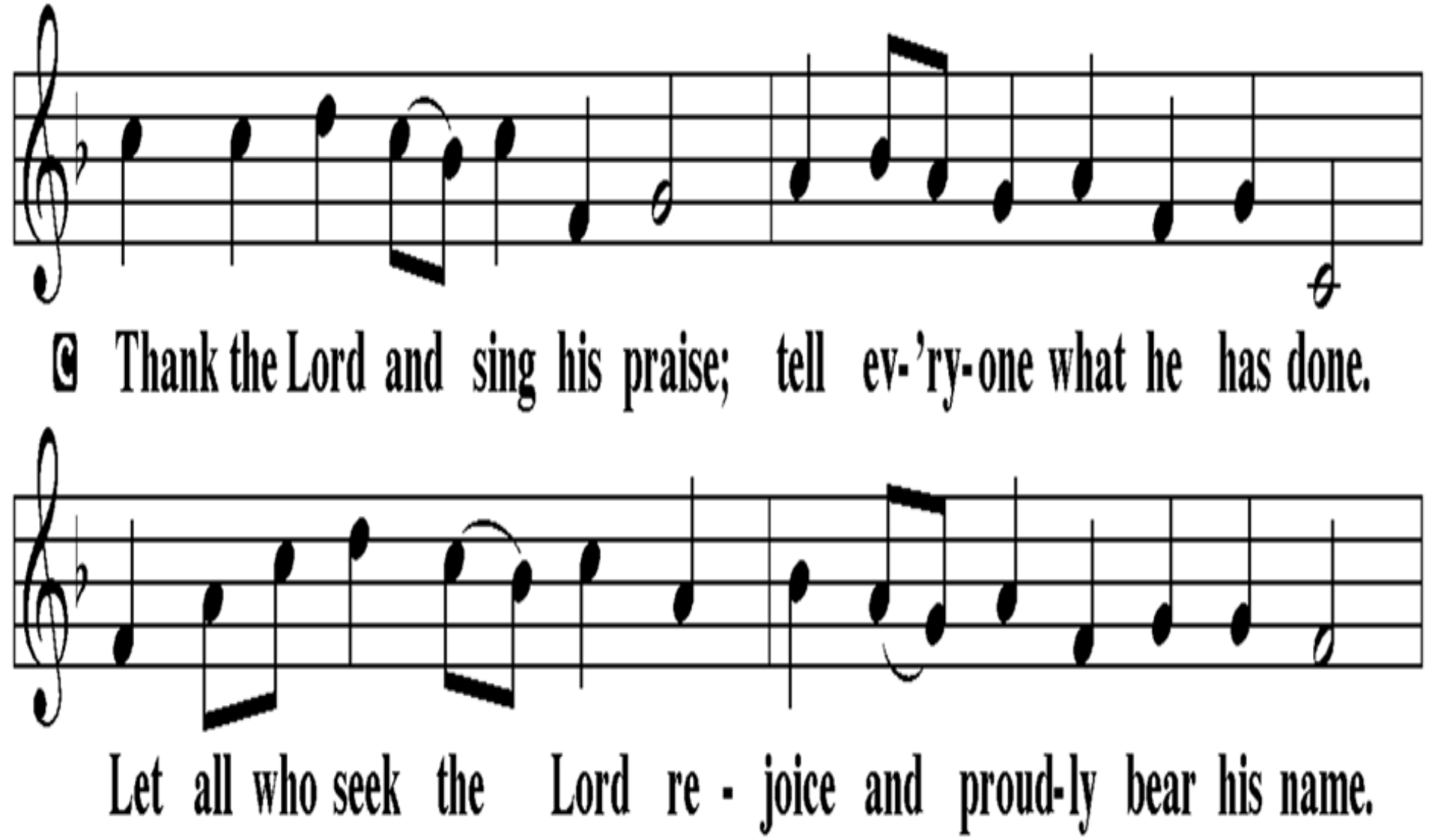
The communicant may say: **Amen.**

* POST COMMUNION BLESSING
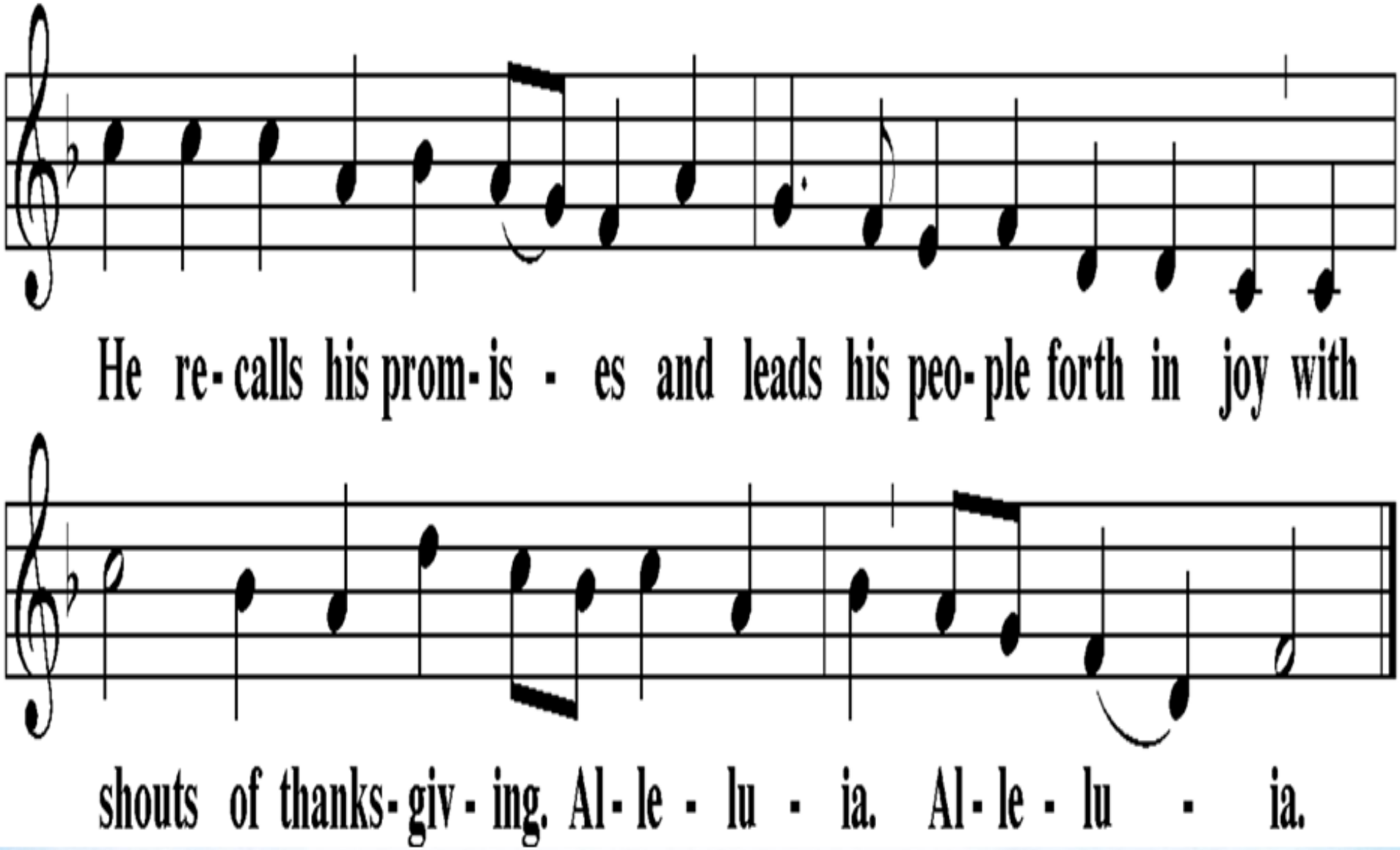
P: May this Body and Blood of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ, strengthen, keep, and unite us, ✢ now and forever.

C: Amen.

* POST COMMUNION CANTACLE



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* POST COMMUNION PRAYER

P: Let us pray… Sustaining God, with this bread and cup, you nourish us with mercy and abundant life. By your Spirit, send us from this table to serve a needy world. Make us living signs of your liberation, healing, and love, following the way of Jesus, in whose name we pray.

C: Amen

- **ANNOUNCEMENTS**



* SENDING BLESSING



* SENDING SONG

"A Mighty Fortress Is Our God"

LBW 220



REFORMATION SUNDAY

* **“A Mighty Fortress Is Our God” LBW 229**

1 A mighty fortress is our God,
a sword and shield victorious;
he breaks the cruel
oppressor's rod
and wins salvation glorious.
The old satanic foe
has sworn to work us woe!
With craft and dreadful might
he arms himself to fight.
On earth he has no equal.

* **“A Mighty Fortress Is Our God” LBW 229**

2 No strength of ours
can match his might!
We would be lost, rejected.
But now a champion comes to fight,
whom God himself elected.
You ask who this may be?
The Lord of hosts is he!
Christ Jesus, mighty Lord,
God's only Son, adored.
He holds the field victorious.

* **“A Mighty Fortress Is Our God” LBW 229**

3 Though hordes of devils fill the land
all threat'ning to devour us,
we tremble not, unmoved we stand;
they cannot overpow'r us.
Let this world's tyrant rage;
in battle we'll engage!
His might is doomed to fail;
God's judgment must prevail!
One little word subdues him.

* “A Mighty Fortress Is Our God” LBW 229

4 God's Word forever shall abide,
no thanks to foes, who fear it;
for God himself fights by our side
with weapons of the Spirit.
Were they to take our house,
goods, honor, child, or spouse,
though life be wrenched away,
they cannot win the day.
The kingdom's ours forever!

* **DISMISSAL**

P: Depart in Christ's Love.

C: Seeking, welcoming, and serving all. Amen!

POSTLUDE

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