



8:30 a.m. ~ Sunday, January 12th

PRELUDE

“All Creatures of Our God and King”

arr. Mark Hayes

Piano

WELCOME & RELATIONSHIPS of PEACE

OPENING HYMN “Songs of the Thankfulness and Praise”

OPENING LITURGY

P: In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C: **Amen.**

P: Do you not know that all of us who have been baptized into Christ Jesus were baptized into His death?

C: **We were buried therefore with Him by baptism into death, in order that, just as Christ was raised from the dead by the glory of the Father, we too might walk in newness of life.**

P: In Holy Baptism, each of us was baptized into the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit. In Baptism, we were united with Christ. Yet, we have often lived as if we were entirely independent and autonomous. We have lived as if our identity were not in Jesus, but in our own selfish desires. Yet, our heavenly Father invites us to turn back to Him and ask for His forgiveness.

Moment of Silent Confession

P: Let us confess our sins to God, our Father:

C: **Heavenly Father, we confess that we are by nature sinful and have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed. On account of Jesus, forgive us, renew us, and unite us to Your name.**

P: Almighty God in His mercy has given His Son to die and rise for you. In Baptism, you were united to Christ in both His death and resurrection. You were buried with Him, but also raised to walk in newness of life. As a called and ordained servant of Christ, and by His authority, I therefore forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C: **Amen.**

P: Ascribe to the LORD, O heavenly beings, ascribe to the LORD glory and strength.
C: **Ascribe to the LORD the glory due His name; worship the LORD in the splendor of holiness.**

P: The voice of the LORD is over the waters;
C: **the God of glory thunders, the LORD, over many waters.**

P: The voice of the LORD is powerful; the voice of the LORD is full of majesty.
C: **The voice of the LORD breaks the cedars; the LORD breaks the cedars of Lebanon.**

P: He makes Lebanon to skip like a calf, and Sirion like a young wild ox.
C: **The voice of the LORD flashes forth flames of fire.**

P: The voice of the LORD is over the waters;
C: **the God of glory thunders, the LORD, over many waters.**

P: The voice of the LORD shakes the wilderness; the LORD shakes the wilderness of Kadesh.
C: **The voice of the LORD makes the deer give birth and strips the forests bare, and in His temple all cry, "Glory!"**

P: The LORD sits enthroned over the flood;
C: **The LORD sits enthroned as king forever.**

P: May the LORD give strength to His people! May the LORD bless His people with peace!
C: **Glory be 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.**

RESPONSE "O Savior of Our Fallen Race"

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON Isaiah 55:10-11 [ESV]

"For as the rain and the snow come down from heaven and do not return there but water the earth, making it bring forth and sprout, giving seed to the sower and bread to the eater, so shall my word be that goes out from my mouth; it shall not return to me empty, but it shall accomplish that which I purpose, and shall succeed in the thing for which I sent it.

R: This is the Word of the Lord.
C: **Thanks be to God!**

ALLELUIA VERSE

R: Alleluia! Lord to whom shall we go?

C: You have the words of eternal life. Alleluia!

HOLY GOSPEL Matthew 28:16-20 [ESV]

R: The Holy Gospel, according to St. Matthew:

C: Glory to You, O Lord!

Now the eleven disciples went to Galilee, to the mountain to which Jesus had directed them. And when they saw him they worshiped him, but some doubted. And Jesus came and said to them, "All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you. And behold, I am with you always, to the end of the age."

R: This is the Gospel of the Lord.

C: Praise to You, O Christ!

STATEMENT of FAITH *The Nicene Creed*

HYMN "Lord You Give the Great Commission"

SERMON

OFFERING CONNECT

OFFERTORY

"Be Thou My Vision"

Piano

arr. Marie Rogers

PRAYERS of the CHURCH

THE LORD'S PRAYER

THE PREFACE

P: The Lord be with you.

C: And also with you.

P: Lift up your hearts.

C: We lift them up to the Lord.

P: Let us give thanks unto the Lord our God.

C: It is right to give Him thanks and praise.

PROPER PREFACE

P: It is truly good, right, and salutary that we should at all times and in all places give thanks to You, holy Lord, almighty Father, everlasting God, through Jesus Christ, our Lord; for at His Baptism Your voice from heaven revealed Him as Your beloved Son, and the Holy Spirit descended on Him, confirming Him to be the Christ. Therefore with angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven we laud and magnify Your glorious name, evermore praising You and singing:

SANCTUS

WORDS of INSTITUTION

THE PEACE

P: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

C: And also with you.

AGNUS DEI

DISTRIBUTION MUSIC

“Geistliche Kurchengesang 1623”

“Thanksgiving”

arr. Andy Muskrat
arr. Geroge Winston

Piano

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POSTLUDE

“Hymn to Joy”

Organ

arr. Michael Burkhardt



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