

## Praise the Lord, Praise the Lord

1 Praise the Lord, praise the Lord! He with you deals  
 2 Gra - cious Lord, gra - cious Lord, bless - ed is our  
 3 We en - treat, we en - treat, Lord, lift up your

boun-teous-ly. High-ly fa - vored church of Je - sus, he chose you through  
 lot in - deed in your ran-somed con - gre - ga - tion; here we on your  
 coun - te - nance on your ran-somed con - gre - ga - tions; grace to ev - 'ry

mer - cy free to show forth his match-less prais - es and rich fruit, blessed  
 mer - its feed, and the well-springs of sal - va - tion, all the need - y  
 soul dis - pense. May we in our sit - u - a - tions dai - ly in your

for the Mas - ter's use, to pro - duce, to pro - duce.  
 to re - vive and cheer, stream forth here, stream forth here.  
 great sal - va - tion share. Hear our prayer, hear our prayer.

# GENERAL LITURGY 6

## Discipleship

(Standing)

What shall we render to the Lord for all his bounty to us?

**We will offer to the Lord the sacrifices of thanksgiving and call upon the name of the Lord.**

Praise the Lord!

BEACH SPRING

Come in praise and ad - or - a - tion, all who on Christ's name be -

lieve; wor - ship him with con - se - cra - tion, grace and love will you re -

ceive. For his grace give him the glo - ry, for the Spir - it and the

Word, and re - peat the gos - pel sto - ry 'til all souls his name have heard.

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Gracious God, for revealing yourself to us as one  
 who created all things,  
 who gave us dominion over all the earth,  
 who called us into a covenant relationship with you,  
 who has given us the privilege of being your  
 ambassadors in our world,  
 who loves us as your children through Jesus Christ our Lord,  
**We give you our heartfelt thanks.**

EMMANUEL (14 Bb)

Our heav'n - ly Fa - ther, source of love, to you our hearts we raise.

Your all - sus - tain - ing power we prove, and glad - ly sing your praise.

(Sitting)

Jesus Christ our Savior, because you were willing to come to earth in the likeness  
 of humanity, to take the form of a servant;  
 Because you became obedient unto death, even death on a cross;  
 Because God has highly exalted you and bestowed on you the name which is  
 above every name, that at your name every knee should bow, in heaven and  
 on earth and under the earth, and every tongue confess that you are Lord, to  
 the glory of God the Father;

**We humbly bow before you in praise and adoration.**

MANOAH

Lord Je - sus, yours we wish to be; our  
sac - ri - fice re - ceive. By you pre - served, from  
sin set free, to you our - selves we give.

Holy Spirit, for dwelling within us and calling us to God by the gospel,  
For preserving us in the true faith,  
For leading the church on earth in its mission,  
For pointing the way of discipleship to each of us,

**We acknowledge your presence and power among us.**

Come, Ho - ly Ghost, the Sav - ior's love shed

in our hearts a - broad; so shall we ev - er

live and move and be with Christ in God.

Jesus said: Whoever serves me must follow me; and where I am, there shall my servant be also; whoever serves me, the Father will honor. If you continue in my word, you are truly my disciples, and you shall know the truth, and the truth shall make you free. By this my Father is glorified, that you bear much fruit, and so prove to be my disciples.

**We hear your call to discipleship. Master, teach us the way we should go.**

Present your bodies as a living sacrifice, holy and acceptable to God, which is your spiritual worship. Do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewal of your minds, that you may prove what is the will of God, what is good and acceptable and perfect.

Jesus said: This is my commandment, that you love one another as I have loved you. I chose you and appointed you that you should go and bear much fruit, and that your fruit should abide.

**Now the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, self-control. If we live by the Spirit, let us also walk by the Spirit.**

Be steadfast, immovable, always abounding in the work of the Lord, knowing that in the Lord your labor is not in vain.

Lord, as you have lived for oth - ers, so may we for oth - ers live;

free - ly have your gifts been grant - ed; free - ly may your ser - vants give.

Yours the gold and yours the sil - ver, yours the wealth of land and sea,

we but stew - ards of your boun - ty shar - ing all by your de - cree.

(Kneeling or sitting)

**We confess, Lord, that as your disciples we have often dishonored the holy name we bear. We ask your forgiveness for the times when we have failed to labor for your kingdom; when we have not followed your admonition to seek first the kingdom of God; when we have hidden our light from the world; when we, as the salt of the earth, have lost our strength. Have mercy on us, and restore unto us the joy of faithful discipleship. Amen.**

The Lord, your Redeemer, has said: With everlasting love, I will have compassion on you. Therefore serve the Lord with gladness; witness to his goodness and mercy; and preach Jesus Christ as Lord, with yourselves as servants for Jesus' sake.

GENERAL 6: DISCIPLESHIP

(Standing)

GRACEHAM (581 K)

Je - sus, Mas - ter, whom I serve, though so fee - bly and so ill,  
Je - sus, Mas - ter, will you use one who owes you more than all?

strength - en hand and heart and nerve, all your bid - ding to ful - fill;  
As you will, I would not choose; on - ly let me hear your call.

o - pen now my eyes to see all the work you have for me.  
Je - sus, let me al - ways be in your ser - vice glad and free. A - men.

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Jesus Loves Me! This I Know

Je - sus loves me! This I know, for the Bi - ble tells me so.  
*Spanish* Cris - to me a - ma, me a - ma, mi, su pa - la - bra di - ce a - si;  
*Miskitu* Ji - sus yan - gra lat - wan sa; Bai - bel ban ai smal - ki - sa;  
*German* Je - sus liebt mich ganz ge - wiss, denn die Bi - bel sagt mir dies,

Lit - tle ones to him be - long; they are weak but he is strong.  
 ni - ños pued - an ir a El, quien es nues - tro A - mi - go fiel.  
 tuk - ta na - ni wit - in ba wit - in duk - ya kul - ki - sa.  
 al - le Kind - er schwach und klein, lad't Er herz - lich zu sich ein.

Yes, Je - sus loves me, yes, Je - sus loves me,  
 Sí, Cris - to me a - ma; sí, Cris - to me a - ma;  
 Ji - sus, wan Da - wan, Ji - sus, wan Da - wan,  
 Ja, Je - sus liebt mich, ja, Je - sus liebt mich,

yes, Je - sus loves me, the Bi - ble tells me so.  
 sí, Cris - to me a - ma; la Bi - blia di - ce a - si.  
 Ji - sus, wan Da - wan Lat - wan ai kai - ki - sa.  
 ja, Je - sus liebt mich, die Bi - bel sagt mir dies.

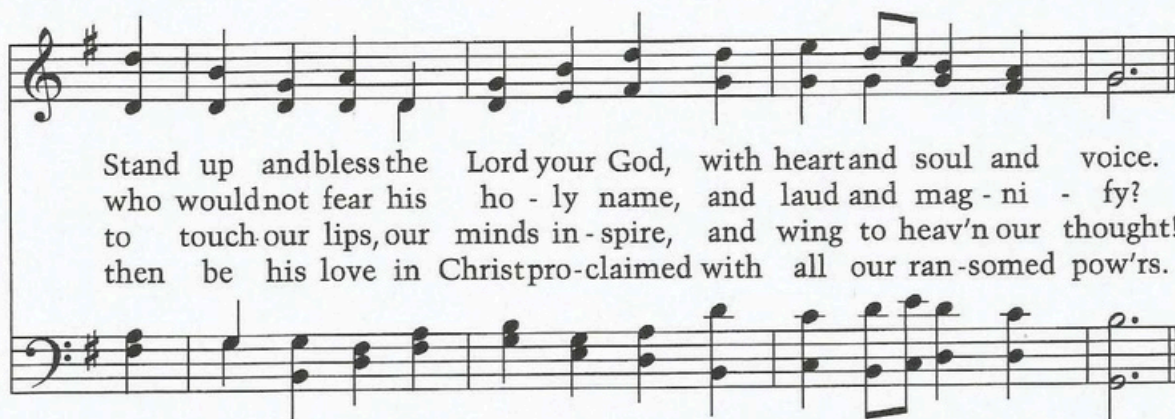


# Stand Up, and Bless the Lord

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1 Stand up, and bless the Lord, you peo-ple of his choice!  
2 Though high a - bove all praise, a - bove all bless - ing high,  
3 O for the liv - ing flame, from his own al - tar brought,  
4 God is our strength and song, and his sal - va - tion ours;



Stand up and bless the Lord your God, with heart and soul and voice.  
who would not fear his ho - ly name, and laud and mag - ni - fy?  
to touch our lips, our minds in - spire, and wing to heav'n our thought!  
then be his love in Christ pro - claimed with all our ran - somed pow'rs.

5 Stand up, and bless the Lord!  
The Lord, your God, adore!  
Stand up, and bless his glorious name,  
henceforth, for evermore.

TEXT: James Montgomery (1824)  
TUNE: Aaron Williams (1770)

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# Sing Alleluia, Christ Does Live 364

1 Sing al - le - lu - ia, Christ does live, and peace on earth re - store;  
 2 Who can con-demn, since Christ was dead, and ev - er lives to God?  
 3 In all we do, con-strained by love, we'll joy to him af - ford,

come, ran-somed souls, and glo - ry give, sing, wor-ship and a - dore:  
 Now our whole debt is full - y paid; he saves us by his blood.  
 and to God's will o - be-dient prove through Je - sus Christ our Lord.

to him our heart-felt thanks we pay in deep hu - mil - i - ty.  
 The ran-somed hosts in earth and heav'n through count-less choirs pro-claim,  
 Sing al - le - lu - ia, and a - dore on earth the Lamb once slain,

It's God a - lone whose sav - ing way has set be - liev - ers free.  
 "He has re-deemed us, praise be giv'n to God and to the Lamb."  
 till we in heav'n shall ev - er - more ex - alt his name, A - men.