

CONSECRATION

New Testament Reading

Congregational Prayer, followed by...

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name. Your kingdom come, your will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For yours is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen.

SONG & Offering, followed by...

*We ascribe to you, O LORD, glory and strength;
We ascribe to you the glory due Your name.*

**We bring an offering, O LORD, as we come into your courts;
We worship you and rejoice with trembling. (Psalm 96:7-9; 2:11)**

Sermon (with prayer)

*Creedal Confession

COMMUNION

Celebration of the Lord's Supper (with hymns)

*Prayer:

Heavenly Father, you have graciously accepted us as living members of your Son, our Saviour Jesus Christ, and you have fed us with spiritual food in the sacrament of his body and blood.

Send us now into the world in peace, and grant us strength and courage to love and serve you with gladness and singleness of heart; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

COMMISSION

*SONG

*Benediction, followed by...

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord!
Amen!

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Please stand (*) or kneel (†) with us if you are able

CALL

*Call to Worship, followed by...

Tell those who hunger for righteousness to take heart –

The Lord our God has come!

Tell the poor in spirit to take heart –

The Lord our God has come!

Tell the orphan and grieving widow to take heart –

The Lord our God has come!

Warn the tyrant to keep watch –

The Lord our God has come!

Warn the unjust to keep watch –

The Lord our God has come!

Warn the haughty to keep watch –

The Lord our God has come!

*Greeting: Revelation 1:4-5, followed by...

Amen!

*Prayer of Approach:

*Almighty God, you have poured upon us the new light
of your incarnate Word:*

**Grant that this light, being kindled in our hearts, may shine forth in
our lives; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you
and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen!**

*SONG

CONFESSION

Old Testament Reading and Exhortation, followed by...

Come, let us worship and bow down;

Let us kneel before the LORD our Maker. (Psalm 95:6)

† Prayer of Confession: Silent prayer, followed by...

*Blessed Jesus, you offered us all your blessings when you announced,
“Blessed are the poor in spirit” –*

but we have been rich in pride.

“Blessed are those who mourn” –

but we have not known much sorrow for our sin.

“Blessed are the meek” –

but we are a stiff-necked people.

“Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness” –

but we are filled to the full with other things.

“Blessed are the merciful” –

but we are harsh and impatient.

“Blessed are the pure in heart” –

but we harbour corruption in our hearts.

“Blessed are the peacemakers” –

but we have not sought reconciliation.

“Blessed are those who are persecuted because of righteousness” –

but our lives do not challenge the world.

*“Blessed are you when people insult you, persecute you and
falsely say all kinds of evil against you because of me” –*

but we have hardly made it known that we are Yours.

*Your Law is holy and your benedictions are perfect,
but they are both too great for us. You alone are blessed.*

**We plead with you to forgive our sins and
give us the blessing of your righteousness. Amen.**

*Assurance of Pardon: Isaiah 54:8, followed by (*Sursum Corda*)...

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them up to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

It is indeed right.

*Sing (*Sanctus*, p.407): **Holy, holy, holy; holy is the Lord.**

Holy, holy, holy; worshipped and adored.

He without beginning, ageless and the same,

Is and ever shall be, glory to his name.

*SONG