

The English Community Outreach Project
Protestant Deanery of Wiesbaden in the Bergkirche
November 6, 2022



“Blessed are the peacemakers, for they will be called children of God.” - Matthew 5:9

Thank you for joining us for worship this morning! We are glad you are here with us. Here are a few things to help orient you during the service.

- Hymnals are available at the entrance to the sanctuary. A mask is recommended while singing.
- In the bulletin, items marked with a star* indicate that you may stand in body or spirit, as you are able. During the Prayers of the People, please remain seated until Rev. Cranbury invites you to stand for the Lord's Prayer.
- Wenn Sie eine deutsche Übersetzung der Predigt wünschen, finden Sie einige Exemplare auf dem Tisch am Eingang.

Musical Prelude

Präludium C Minor

Felix Mendelssohn-Bartholdy

Greeting and Invocation: We gather today in the love of God, the compassion of Jesus, our Christ, and of the Holy Spirit – 🎵 Amen.

***Opening Song**

Rise Up, O Saints of God

Worship and Rejoice #590 v. 1-3

1. *Rise up, O saints of God! From vain ambitions turn; Christ rose triumphant that our hearts with nobler zeal might burn.*
2. *Speak out, O saints of God! Despair engulfs earth's frame; as heirs of God's baptismal grace, the word of hope proclaim.*
3. *Rise up, O saints of God! His kingdom's task embrace; redress sin's cruel consequence; give justice larger place.*

From Psalm 46

God is our refuge and strength, an ever-present help in trouble. Therefore, we will not fear,

Though the earth give way and the mountains fall into the heart of the sea.

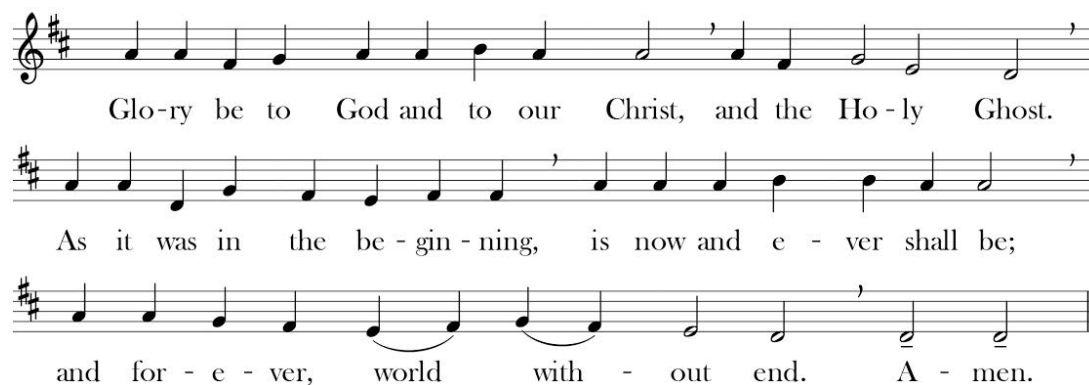
There is a river whose streams make glad the city of God, a holy place where the Most High dwells.

God is within her, she will not fall; God will help her at the break of day.

God Almighty is with us; come and see what God has done.

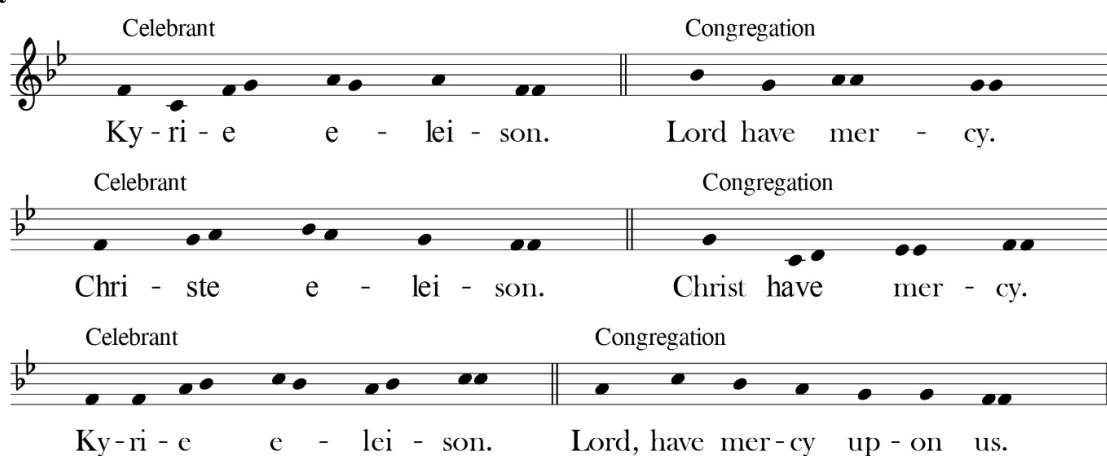
God makes wars cease to the ends of the earth. God breaks the bow and shatters the spear.
God says, "Be still, and know that I am God."

Reader - Come, let us worship!



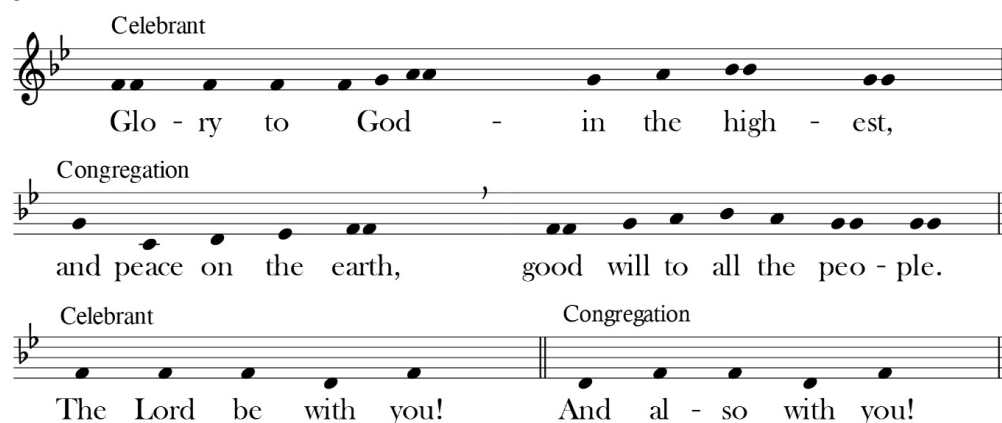
Glo-ry be to God and to our Christ, and the Ho-ly Ghost.
As it was in the be-gin-ning, is now and e-ver shall be;
and for-e-ver, world with-out end. A-men.

Prayer of Confession




Celebrant Ky-ri-e e-lei-son. **Congregation** Lord have mer-cy.
Celebrant Chri-ste e-lei-son. **Congregation** Christ have mer-cy.
Celebrant Ky-ri-e e-lei-son. **Congregation** Lord, have mer-cy up-on us.


Absolution



Celebrant Glo-ry to God - in the high-est,
Congregation and peace on the earth, good will to all the peo-ple.
Celebrant The Lord be with you! **Congregation** And al-so with you!

Prayer (...through Jesus Christ, our brother and guide,):  Amen

Scripture: Deuteronomy 34:1-8

Reader: Blessed are they who hear and keep God's Word!  Hallelujah

Meditative Song

Shall We Gather at the River

#522

1. *Shall we gather at the river, where bright angel feet have trod, with its crystal tide forever flowing by the throne of God?*

Chorus: Yes we'll gather at the river, the beautiful, the beautiful river, gather with the saints at the river that flows by the throne of God.

- Ere we reach the shining river, law we every burden down; grace our spirits will deliver, and provide a robe and crown. Yes we'll gather...*
- Soon we'll reach the shining river, soon our pilgrimage will cease; soon our happy hearts will quiver with the melody of peace. Yes we'll gather...*

Sermon

Rev. Hannah Cranbury

Song before Communion

We Come as Invited Guests

#702

- We come as guests invited when Jesus bids us dine, his friends on earth united to share the bread and wine; the bread of life is broken, the wine is freely poured for us, in solemn token of Christ our dying Lord.*
- We eat and drink, receiving from Christ the grace we need, and in our hearts believing on him by faith we feed; with wonder and thanksgiving for love that knows no end, we find in Jesus living our ever-present friend.*
- One bread is ours for sharing, one single fruitful vine, our fellowship declaring renewed in bread and wine; renewed, sustained, and even by token, sign, and word, the pledge and seal of heaven, the love of Christ our Lord.*

Invitation to Communion (Jesus never excluded anyone from his table so neither do we. All people are welcome to receive communion.)

One: God be with you.

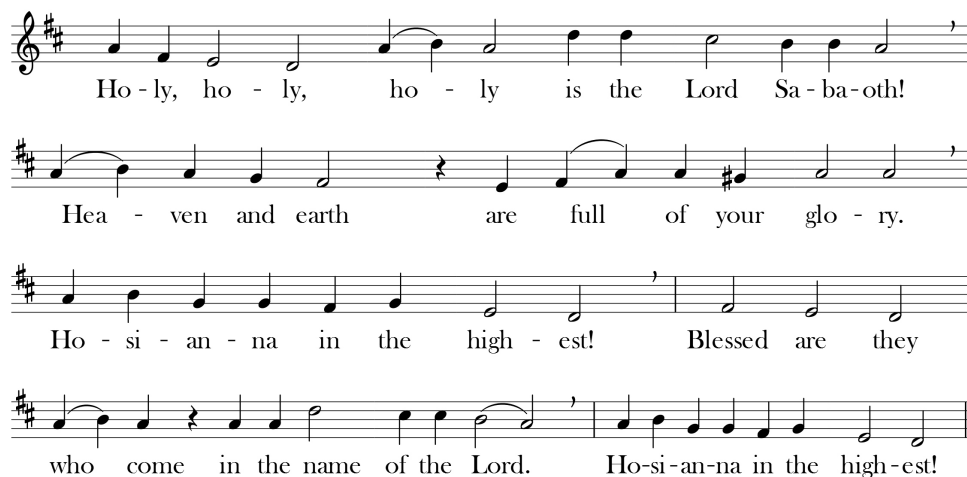
All: *And also with you*

One: Lift up your hearts!

All: *We lift them to God!*

One: Let us give thanks to God.

All: *It is good to give God thanks and praise.*



Communion Prayer and *Lord's Prayer - You are invited to say the Lord's prayer in whatever language or translation is most familiar or comfortable for you. If you are unfamiliar with this prayer, you may read the following words:

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come.

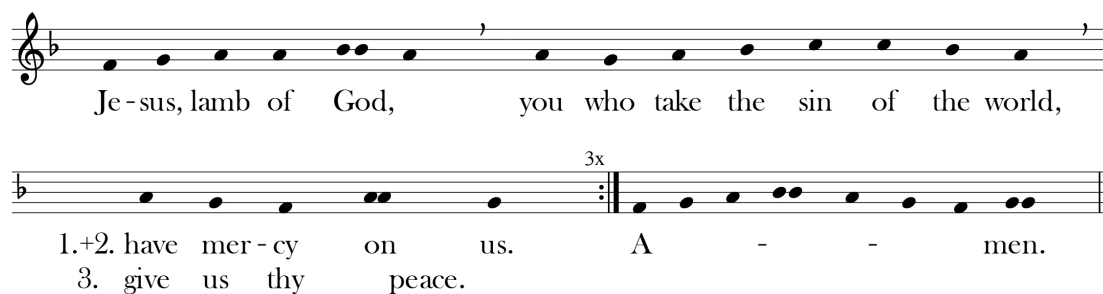
Thy will be done, On earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread.

And forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation,

But deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever and ever.

Amen.

Remembering Jesus' Words



Sharing of the Bread and Cup

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Announcements

*Sending Song

Lord of the Living

#524 v 1,2,&4

1. *Lord of the living, in your name assembled, we join to thank you for the life remembered. Hold us, enfold us, to your children giving hope in believing.*
2. *Help us to treasure all that will remind us of the enrichment in the days behind us. Your love has set us in the generations, God of creation.*
3. *God, you can lift us from the grave of sorrow into the presence of your own tomorrow; give to your people for the day's affliction your benediction.*

*Benediction -  Amen.

Postlude

Amazing Grace

Hans Uwe Hielscher

Technology: Jörg Müller Organ: Dirk Putzek

You are invited to other English Outreach events throughout the month!

*First Sunday: Worship at the Bergkirche and Livestream at **10AM***

Second Sunday: Dinner Church at 6PM

Fourth Sunday: Walking Church at 11:15AM

Fourth or First Thursday: Choir rehearsal at 8PM

For more information or to be added to the email list, please contact Rev. Hannah Cranbury. For choir information, contact Rhodri at rhodribritton@t-online.de.

Fundraising Update

Thank you for your ongoing support and your faith in this project! If you feel moved to financially support this ministry, you may give an offering as you exit the church at the end of the service or make a transfer to the following account:

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