



Pastor: In the Name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit!

Matthew 28:19 CONGRE

Ruth 2:4

CONGREGATION RESPONDS

PASTOR GREETS

Congregation: Amen!

The LORD be with you!

And also with you!

Blessed is he whose help is the God of Jacob,

Whose hope is in Yahweh his God.

Yahweh made heaven and earth, the sea, and all that is in them;

He keeps faith forever!

Psalm 146:5-6



CLEANSES US IN CHRIST

purification offering, gift of glory

"Now we know that whatever the law says, it says to those who are under the law, that every mouth may be stopped, and all the world may become guilty before God. Therefore by the deeds of the law no flesh will be justified in His sight, for by the law is the knowledge of sin." Romans 3:19–20

Beloved, our Lord has invited us to draw near to him with an honest heart. He has graciously promised to receive all those who come to him with heavy burdens of guilt and shame. Therefore I exhort all who are here today to accompany me with a pure heart and a humble voice, unto the throne of heavenly grace.

SILENT CONFESSION

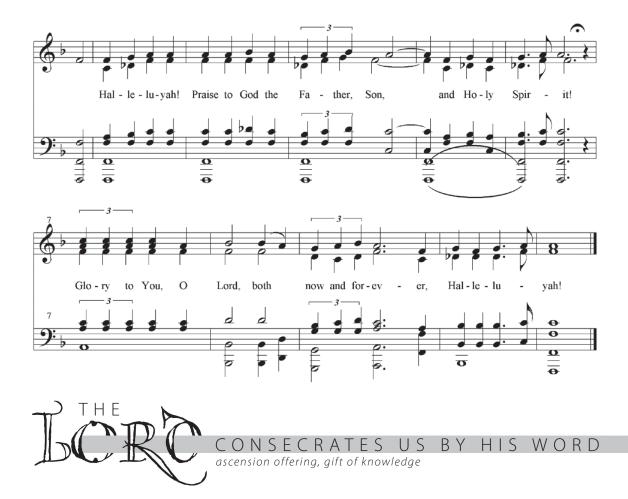
JOINT CONFESSION

I confess to Almighty God, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, and before all the company of heaven, that I have sinned, in thought, word and deed, through my fault, my own fault, my own most grievous fault; wherefore, I pray Almighty God to have mercy upon me, to forgive all my sins, and to make clean my heart. For I pray in the Father's love, pleading the shed blood of Christ His Son, through the power of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

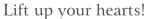
"But now the righteousness of God apart from the law is revealed, being witnessed by the Law and the Prophets, even the righteousness of God, through faith in Jesus Christ, to all and on all who believe. For there is no difference; for all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God, being justified freely by His grace through the redemption that is in Christ Jesus."

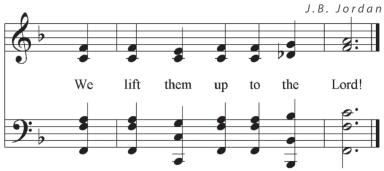
Romans 3:21–24

Almighty God in His mercy has given His Son to die for your sins and to be raised for your justification; and for His sake forgives you all your sins. This I declare in the name and authority of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit. Amen



SURSUM CORDA—lift up your heart





PASTOR LEADS LIFTING UP OF YOUR HANDS

Let us give thanks to the LORD, our God!



It is truly proper, right, wholesome, and beneficial that we should at all times, PASTOR SPEAKS and in all places, give praise unto Thee, O LORD, Holy Father, Almighty, Everlasting God. Therefore, with angels and archangels, and with all the company of heaven, we laud and magnify Thy glorious Name; evermore worshipping Thee!





All Glory, Laud, and Honor



PSALM 137

By the waters of Babylon,

There we sat down and wept, when we remembered Zion.

On the willows there we hung up our lyres.

For there our captors required of us songs,

And our tormentors, mirth, saying, "Sing us one of the songs of Zion!"

How shall we sing the Lord's song in a foreign land?

If I forget you, O Jerusalem,

Let my right hand forget its skill!

Let my tongue stick to the roof of my mouth,

If I do not remember you,

If I do not set Jerusalem above my highest joy!

Remember, O LORD, against the Edomites the day of Jerusalem,

How they said,

"Lay it bare, lay it bare, down to its foundations!"

O daughter of Babylon, doomed to be destroyed,

Blessed shall he be who repays you with what you have done to us!

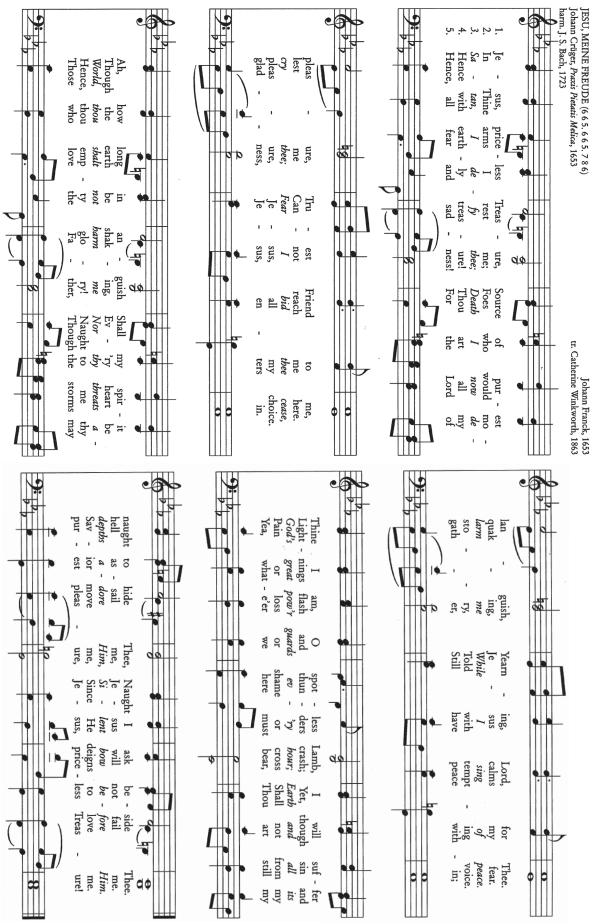
Blessed shall he be who takes your little ones

And dashes them against the rock!

PASTOR STARTS

CONGREGATION RESPONDS

Jesus, Priceless Treasure



DANIEL 1: 1-14, 17-21

English Standard Version (ESV)

In the third year of the reign of Jehoiakim king of Judah, Nebuchadnezzar king of Babylon came to Jerusalem and besieged it. ² And the Lord gave Jehoiakim king of Judah into his hand, with some of the vessels of the house of God. And he brought them to the land of Shinar, to the house of his god, and placed the vessels in the treasury of his god. ³ Then the king commanded Ashpenaz, his chief eunuch, to bring some of the people of Israel, both of the royal family and of the nobility, ⁴ youths without blemish, of good appearance and skillful in all wisdom, endowed with knowledge, understanding learning, and competent to stand in the king's palace, and to teach them the literature and language of the Chaldeans. ⁵ The king assigned them a daily portion of the food that the king ate, and of the wine that he drank. They were to be educated for three years, and at the end of that time they were to stand before the king. ⁶ Among these were Daniel, Hananiah, Mishael, and Azariah of the tribe of Judah. ⁷ And the chief of the eunuchs gave them names: Daniel he called Belteshazzar, Hananiah he called Shadrach, Mishael he called Meshach, and Azariah he called Abednego.

¹⁷ As for these four youths, God gave them learning and skill in all literature and wisdom, and Daniel had understanding in all visions and dreams. ¹⁸ At the end of the time, when the king had commanded that they should be brought in, the chief of the eunuchs brought them in before Nebuchadnezzar. ¹⁹ And the king spoke with them, and among all of them none was found like Daniel, Hananiah, Mishael, and Azariah. Therefore they stood before the king. ²⁰ And in every matter of wisdom and understanding about which the king inquired of them, he found them ten times better than all the magicians and enchanters that were in all his kingdom. ²¹ And Daniel was there until the first year of King Cyrus.

1 PETER 1:13-21

English Standard Version (ESV)

Therefore, preparing your minds for action, and being sober-minded, set your hope fully on the grace that will be brought to you at the revelation of Jesus Christ. ¹⁴ As obedient children, do not be conformed to the passions of your former ignorance, ¹⁵ but as he who called you is holy, you also be holy in all your conduct, ¹⁶ since it is written, "You shall be holy, for I am holy." ¹⁷ And if you call on him as Father who judges impartially according to each one's deeds, conduct yourselves with fear throughout the time of your exile, ¹⁸ knowing that you were ransomed from the futile ways inherited from your forefathers, not with perishable things such as silver or gold, ¹⁹ but with the precious blood of Christ, like that of a lamb without blemish or spot. ²⁰ He was foreknown before the foundation of the world but was made manifest in the last times for the sake of you ²¹ who through him are believers in God, who raised him from the dead and gave him glory, so that your faith and hope are in God.

THE LORD IS GOD

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RESPONSE TO GOD'S WORD - TRIBUTE OFFERING

"Give to the LORD the glory due His name; bring an offering, and come into His courts. O, worship the LORD in the beauty of holiness! Tremble before Him, all the earth."

Psalm 96:8–9

PLEASE BRING FORWARD YOUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS DURING THIS SONG

The Mighty God, Jehovah, Speaks

ST. PETERSBURG L.M., 6 lines PSALM 50 Arranged from Dimitri Bortniansky, 1752-1828 1 The might-y God, Je - ho-vah, speaks And calls the earthfrom sea to 2 He calls a-loud to heaven and earth That He may just - ly judge His own: From beau-teous Zi - on God shines forth, He comes and will not si - lent be; cho - sen saints to - geth-er bring Who sac-ri-fice to Me a - lone; De-vour - ing flame be-fore Him goes, And dark the tem-pest round Him grows. The heavens His right-eous-ness de-clare, For God Him-self as Judge is there.

- 3 Hear, O my people, I will speak,
 Against thee I will testify;
 Give ear to Me, O Israel,
 For God, thy covenant God, am I;
 I do not spurn thy sacrifice,
 Thy offerings are before My eyes.
- 4 I will receive from out thy fold
 No offering for My holy shrine;
 The cattle on a thousand hills
 And all the forest beasts are Mine;
 Each mountain bird to Me is known,
 Whatever roams the field I own.
- 5 Behold, if I should hungry grow,
 I would not tell My need to thee,
 For all the world itself is Mine,
 And all its wealth belongs to Me
 - And all its wealth belongs to Me; Why should I aught of thee receive, My thirst or hunger to relieve?
- 6 Bring thou to God the gift of thanks,
 And pay thy vows to God Most High;
 Call ye upon my holy Name
 In days when sore distress is nigh;
 Deliverance I will send to thee,
 And praises thou shalt give to Me.

THE GREAT PRAYER

CONCLUDING WITH THE LORD'S PRAYER

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. Amen.

Matthew 6:9-13

CONGREGATION PRAYS ALONG WITH PASTOR



PREPARATION FOR COMMUNION

Congregation of the LORD Jesus Christ, the LORD has prepared His table for all who love and trust in Him for their salvation. All those who have repented of their sins, have been baptized and are in good standing in the Church of Jesus Christ are welcome at this table. For the promise is to you and to your children, and to all who are afar off, as many as the LORD our God will call.

Leader: Christian, in Whom do you believe?

LEADER BEGINS

CONGREGATION RESPONDS (next page)

Nicene Creed



EUCHARIST DISTRIBUTION SONG



- 5. They rise and needs will have
 My dear Lord made away;
 A murderer they save,
 The Prince of Life they slay.
 Yet cheerful He
 To suffering goes,
 That He His foes
 From thence might free.
- 6. In life, no house, no home
 My Lord on earth might have;
 In death no friendly tomb
 But what a stranger gave.
 What may I say?
 Heav'n was His home;
 But mine the tomb
 Wherein He lay.
- 7. Here might I stay and sing,
 No story so divine!
 Never was love, dear King,
 Never was grief like Thine.
 This is my Friend,
 In Whose sweet praise
 I all my days
 Could gladly spend!



COMMISSIONS US AND SENDS US OUT

FINAL SCRIPTURE READING

CONGREGATION STANDS



BENEDICTION

"Then Aaron lifted his hand toward the people, blessed them, and came down from offering the purification offering, the ascension offering, and peace offerings."

Leviticus 9:22

