



St. Timothy's Episcopal Church

November 22, 2020 at 10:00am | Last Sunday after Pentecost

The Entering Procession Sing To The King

Moderately fast

Chords: E, B/E, A/E, E, B/E, A/E, E, B/E, A/E, E, E, F#m7, A, E, D, A, E, F#m7, A, E, D, A, E

Lyrics:
 Sing to the King who is com - ing to reign.
 For His re - turn - ing we watch and we pray.
 Glo - ry to Je - sus, the Lamb that was slain.
 We will be read - y the dawn of that day.
 Life and sal - va - tion His em - pire shall bring, and
 We'll join in sing - ing with all the re - deemed, 'cause
 joy to the na - tions when Je - sus is King.
 Sa - tan is van - quished and Je - sus is King.
 Come, let us sing a song, a song de - clar - ing we
 be - long to Je - sus, and He is all we
 need. Lift up a heart of praise,
 sing now with voi - ces raised to Je - sus. Sing to the
 King.

The Opening Acclamation

Priest Blessed be the One who creates, the One who redeems, and the One who sustains.
People **And blessed be God's kingdom now and forever. Amen.**

The Collect of the Day

Priest God be with you
People **And also with you**
Priest Let us pray.

Almighty and everlasting God, whose will it is to restore all things in your well-beloved Son, the King of kings and Lord of lords: Mercifully grant that the peoples of the earth, divided and enslaved by sin, may be freed and brought together under his most gracious rule; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

THE WORD OF GOD

The First Reading

Ezekiel 34:11-16, 20-24

Thus says the Lord God: I myself will search for my sheep, and will seek them out. As shepherds seek out their flocks when they are among their scattered sheep, so I will seek out my sheep. I will rescue them from all the places to which they have been scattered on a day of clouds and thick darkness. I will bring them out from the peoples and gather them from the countries, and will bring them into their own land; and I will feed them on the mountains of Israel, by the watercourses, and in all the inhabited parts of the land. I will feed them with good pasture, and the mountain heights of Israel shall be their pasture; there they shall lie down in good grazing land, and they shall feed on rich pasture on the mountains of Israel. I myself will be the shepherd of my sheep, and I will make them lie down, says the Lord God. I will seek the lost, and I will bring back the strayed, and I will bind up the injured, and I will strengthen the weak, but the fat and the strong I will destroy. I will feed them with justice.

Therefore, thus says the Lord God to them: I myself will judge between the fat sheep and the lean sheep. Because you pushed with flank and shoulder, and butted at all the weak animals with your horns until you scattered them far and wide, I will save my flock, and they shall no longer be ravaged; and I will judge between sheep and sheep.

I will set up over them one shepherd, my servant David, and he shall feed them: he shall feed them and be their shepherd. And I, the Lord, will be their God, and my servant David shall be prince among them; I, the Lord, have spoken.

Reader Speak God, your servants are listening.
People **Thanks be to God.**

Psalm 95:1-7

Come, let us sing to the Holy One;

let us shout for joy to the Rock of our salvation.

Let us come before God's presence with thanksgiving,

and raise a loud shout with psalms.

For you, O God, are a great God;

you are great above all gods.

In your hand are the caverns of the earth,

and the heights of the hills are yours also.

The sea is yours, for you made it,

and your hands have molded the dry land.

Come, let us bow down and bend the knee,

and kneel before God, our Maker,

For you are our God, and we are the people of your pasture and the sheep of your hand.

Oh, that today we would hearken to your voice!

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The Second Reading

Ephesians 1:15-23

I have heard of your faith in the Lord Jesus and your love toward all the saints, and for this reason I do not cease to give thanks for you as I remember you in my prayers. I pray that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, may give you a spirit of wisdom and revelation as you come to know him, so that, with the eyes of your heart enlightened, you may know what is the hope to which he has called you, what are the riches of his glorious inheritance among the saints, and what is the immeasurable greatness of his power for us who believe, according to the working of his great power. God put this power to work in Christ when he raised him from the dead and seated him at his right hand in the heavenly places, far above all rule and authority and power and dominion, and above every name that is named, not only in this age but also in the age to come. And he has put all things under his feet and has made him the head over all things for the church, which is his body, the fullness of him who fills all in all.

Reader Speak God your servants are listening.
People Thanks be to God.

Sequence

The King of Love My Shepherd Is

1 The King of love my shep-herd is, whose good-ness
I fail-eth nev-er; I noth-ing lack if
I I am his, and he is mine for ev-er.

Words: Henry Williams Baker (1821-1877); para. of Psalm 23 Music: *St. Columba*, Irish melody; harm. *Hymnal 1982*

The Gospel

Matthew 25:31-46

Priest The Holy Gospel of our Savior Jesus Christ according to Matthew.
People **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

Jesus said, "When the Son of Man comes in his glory, and all the angels with him, then he will sit on the throne of his glory. All the nations will be gathered before him, and he will separate people one from another as a shepherd separates the sheep from the goats, and he will put the sheep at his right hand and the goats at the left. Then the king will say to those at his right hand, 'Come, you that are blessed by my Father, inherit the kingdom prepared for you from the foundation of the world; for I was hungry and you gave me food, I was thirsty and you gave me something to drink, I was a stranger and you welcomed me, I was naked and you gave me clothing, I was sick and you took care of me, I was in prison and you visited me.' Then the righteous will answer him, 'Lord, when was it that we saw you hungry and gave you food, or thirsty and gave you something to drink? And when was it that we saw you a stranger and welcomed you, or naked and gave you clothing? And when was it that we saw you sick or in prison and visited you?' And the king will answer them, 'Truly I tell you, just as you did it to one of the least of these who are members of my family, you did it to me.' Then he will say to those at his left hand, 'You that are accursed, depart from me into the eternal fire prepared for the devil and his angels; for I was hungry and you gave me no food, I was thirsty and you gave me nothing to drink, I was a stranger and you did not welcome me, naked and you did not give me clothing, sick and in prison and you did not visit me.' Then they also will answer, 'Lord, when was it that we saw you hungry or thirsty or a stranger or naked or sick or in prison, and did not take care of you?' Then he will answer them, 'Truly I tell you, just as you did not do it to one of the least of these, you did not do it to me.' And these will go away into eternal punishment, but the righteous into eternal life."

Priest The Gospel of the Lord.
People **Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

Sequence

The King of Love My Shepherd Is

2 Where streams of liv - ing wa - ter flow, my ran - somed
2 soul he lead - eth, and where the ver - dant
2 pas - tures grow, with food ce - les - tial feed - eth.

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Sermon

Rev. Susan Geissler-O'Neil

Affirmation

Priest: Let us declare our faith in God.

People: We believe in God the Father, from whom every family in heaven and on earth is named. We believe in God the Son, who lives in our hearts through faith, and fills us with his love. We believe in God the Holy Spirit, who strengthens us with power from on high. We believe in one God; Father, Son and Holy Spirit. Amen.

Prayers of the People

Priest Let us pray, giving thanks for God's goodness and mercy.

The intercessor will provide a response to prayers written by a member of the congregation. We invite you to add your own prayers out loud or silently, as the Spirit moves you.

The People may add their own petitions in the chat box.

The priest adds a concluding Collect.

The Peace

Priest The peace of Christ be always with you.

People And also with you.

Welcome | Parish Announcements and Celebrations

The Offertory O Love

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

God be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

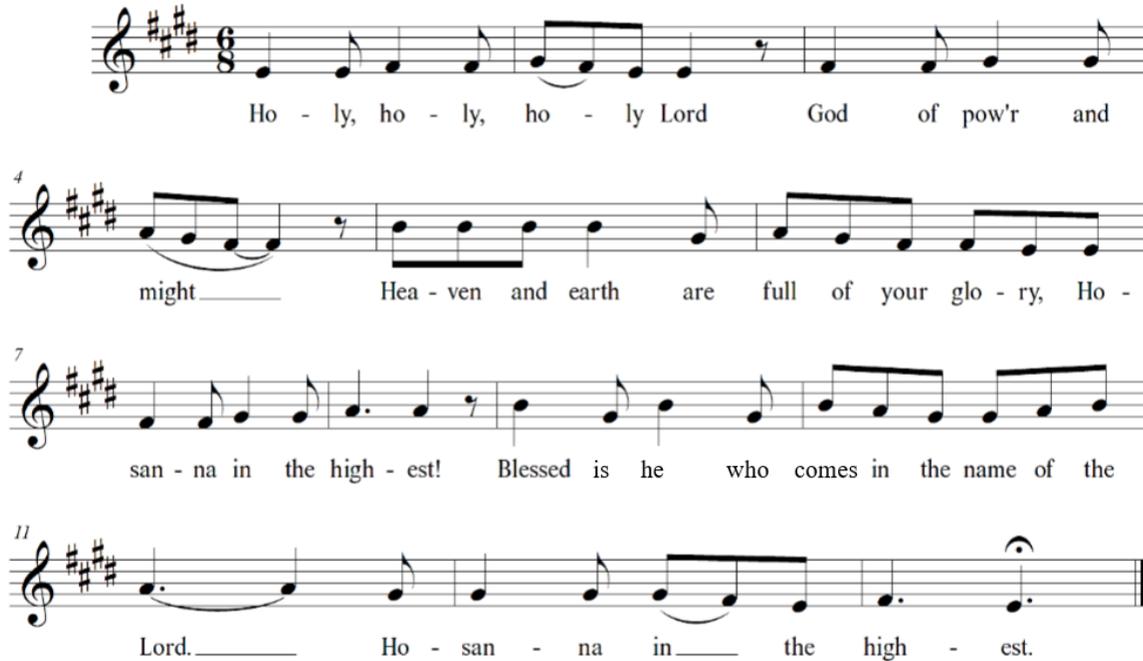
We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

We praise you and we bless you, holy and gracious God, source of life abundant. You made us in your image and taught us to walk in your ways. But we rebelled against you, and wandered far away and yet, as a mother cares for her children, you would not forget us. And so this day we join with Saints and Angels lifting our voices to magnify you as we say,

The Sanctus morning Song Holy



Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord God of pow'r and
4
might Hea - ven and earth are full of your glo - ry, Ho -
7
san - na in the high - est! Blessed is he who comes in the name of the
11
Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

Glory and honor and praise to you, holy and living God. To deliver us from the power of sin and death and to reveal the riches of your grace, you looked with favor upon Mary, your willing servant, that she might conceive and bear a son, Jesus the holy child of God. Living among us, Jesus loved us. He broke bread with outcasts and sinners, healed the sick, and proclaimed good news to the poor. He yearned to draw all the world to himself yet we were heedless of his call to walk in love. Then, the time came for him to complete upon the cross the sacrifice of his life, and to be glorified by you. His life continues through us and we pray for you to pour out your Spirit upon us making us your new creation.

The Lord's Prayer

Priest And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say

**Our Father in heaven,
hallowed be your Name,
your kingdom come,
your will be done,
on earth as in heaven.**

Give us today our daily bread.

**Forgive us our sins
as we forgive those
who sin against us.**

**Save us from the time of trial,
and deliver us from evil.**

**For the kingdom, the power,
and the glory are yours,
now and for ever. Amen.**

Closing Prayer

Priest Let us pray

Holy and everliving God, by your power we are created and by your love we are redeemed; guide and strengthen us by your Spirit, that we may give ourselves to your service, and live each day in love to one another and to you, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

Young People's Time

The Blessing

The Retiring Processional

Crown Him With Many Crowns

[The Hymnal 1982 - #494 Crown him with many crowns

Descant

5 Crown him the Lord of heaven, en - throned a - bove;

1 Crown him with man - y crowns, the Lamb up - on his throne; Hark!
 2 Crown him the Son of God be - fore the worlds be - gan, and
 3 Crown him the Lord of life, who tri - umphed o'er the grave, and
 4 Crown him of lords the Lord, who o - ver all doth reign, who
 5 Crown him the Lord of heaven, en - throned in worlds a - bove; Crown

crown him to whom is given the won - drous name of Love.

1 how the heaven - ly an - them drowns all mu - sic but its own; a -
 2 ye, who tread where he hath trod, crown him the Son of man; who
 3 rose vic - to - rious in the strife for those he came to save; his
 4 once on earth, the in - car - nate Word, for ran - somed sin - ners slain, now
 5 him the King, to whom is given the won - drous name of Love. Crown

Crown him with man - y crowns, as thrones be - fore him

1 wake, my soul, and sing of him who died for thee, and
 2 ev - ery grief hath known that wrings the hu - man breast, and
 3 glo - ries now we sing who died, and rose on high, who
 4 lives in realms of light, where saints with an - gels sing their
 5 him with man - y crowns, as thrones be - fore him fall, crown

fall, crown him, ye kings, for he is King of all.

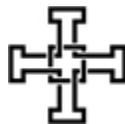
1 hail him as thy match - less King through all e - ter - ni - ty.
 2 takes and bears them for his own, that all in him may rest.
 3 died, e - ter - nal life to bring, and lives that death may die.
 4 songs be - fore him day and night, their God, Re - deem - er, King.
 5 him, ye kings, with man - y crowns, for he is King of all.

The Dismissal

Let us go into the world rejoicing in the power of the Spirit

The Priest dismisses the congregation.

People Thanks be to God. Alleluia, Alleluia!



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