

The Cathedral Church of St. James

The Last Sunday After Pentecost – The Reign of Christ

November 24, 2019 - Sung Eucharist at 9:00am



Untitled drawing, Grade 1 Havergal College student, 2014.

O King of our desire whom we despise, King of the nations never on the throne,
Unfound foundation, cast-off cornerstone, rejected joiner, making many one,
You have no form or beauty for our eyes, a King who comes to give away his crown,
A King within our rags of flesh and bone. We pierce the flesh that pierces our disguise,
For we ourselves are found in you alone. Come to us now and find in us your throne,
O King within the child within the clay, O hidden King who shapes us in the play
Of all creation. Shape us for the day your coming Kingdom comes into its own.

- "O Rex Gentium", Malcolm Guite from 'Sounding the Seasons'

Welcome to St. James Cathedral

This sacred land is the territory of several Indigenous Nations - the Wendat, the Haudenosaunee, and the Anishnaabe, with special recognition to the Mississaugas of New Credit. We also acknowledge that we are on the shores of Niigaani-gichigami/Lake Ontario. This territory is governed by the Dish With One Spoon Wampum Belt Treaty, an agreement between the Haudenosaunee Confederacy and the Anishnaabe Confederacy to peaceably share and sustain the life of the Great Lakes. In the spirit of that Treaty we seek to place at the centre of our gatherings the values of respectful reciprocity, diversity, peace, responsibility, and mutual aid.

Information about Cathedral events and ministries announcements can be found at the back of this booklet after the service program.

Questions? Speak to a sidesperson – the people wearing gold name tags.

Children & Families

Sunday School is offered at 11:00am for all children aged 5-12, including visitors, in the Library of the Cathedral Centre. Children and their families are invited to gather in the reserved pews near the entrance of the Cathedral with Children & Youth Coordinator Andrew Kuhl. During the Collect, Andrew will bring the group to the Library, returning to the service for the Eucharist. Speak to Andrew directly about registration or email him at akuhl@stjamescathedral.ca.

Nursery Care for preschoolers is available from 8:45am – 12:30pm on Sundays, in the Library (Cathedral Centre).

Accessibility

A Wheelchair Accessible Washroom is located at the front of the Cathedral through the doors by the pulpit.
Assisted hearing devices are available from the sidespersons.

Coffee Hour

Join us for coffee after the 9:00 and 11:00am services in Snell Hall of the Cathedral Centre. The Cathedral Centre is the glass and brick building located behind the Cathedral on Church Street.

Parking

There are a variety of inexpensive parking lots available around the Cathedral. Please see the leaflets at the back of the Cathedral or online at stjamescathedral.ca/contact for more information.

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*As this is a very public and open space please be aware of your personal belongings.
Do not leave them unattended in the Cathedral or in the Cathedral Centre.*

*Welcome! We are so glad you have joined us for worship this morning.
Please ensure that cell phones are turned off and refrain from taking photographs during the liturgy.*

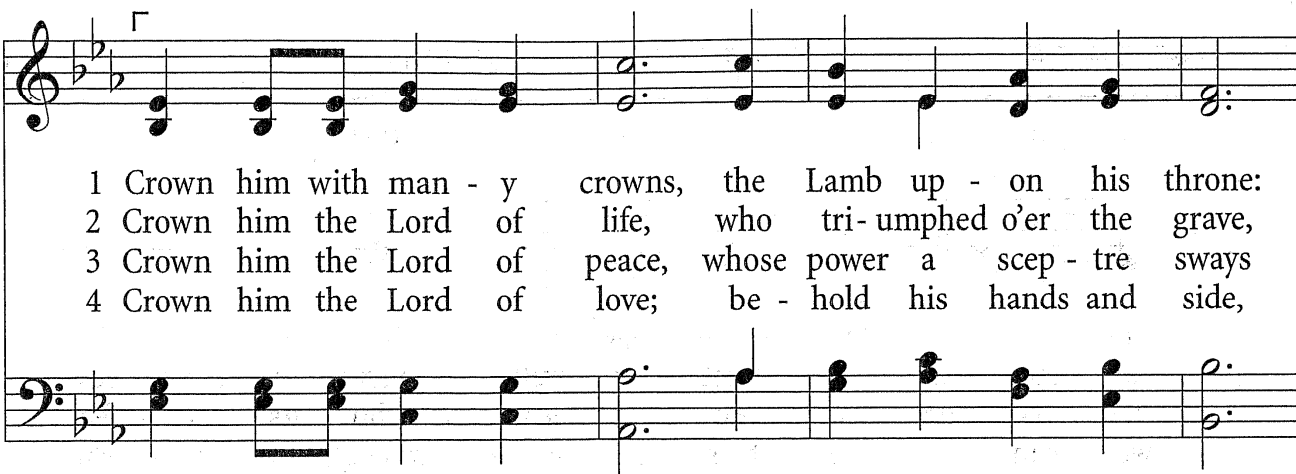
THE GATHERING OF THE COMMUNITY

Prelude

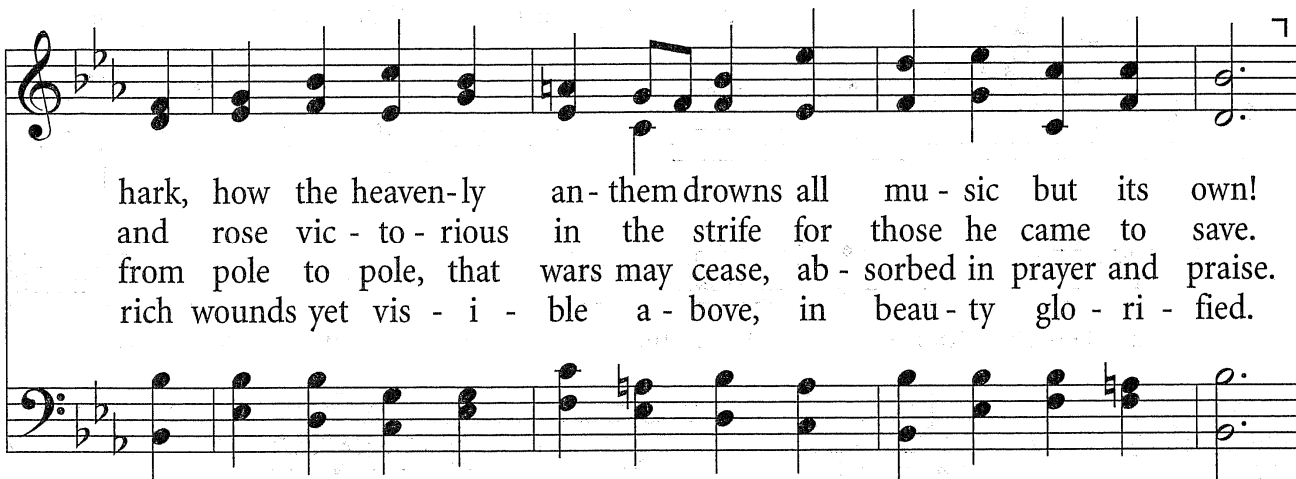
Welcome and Announcements

Hymn

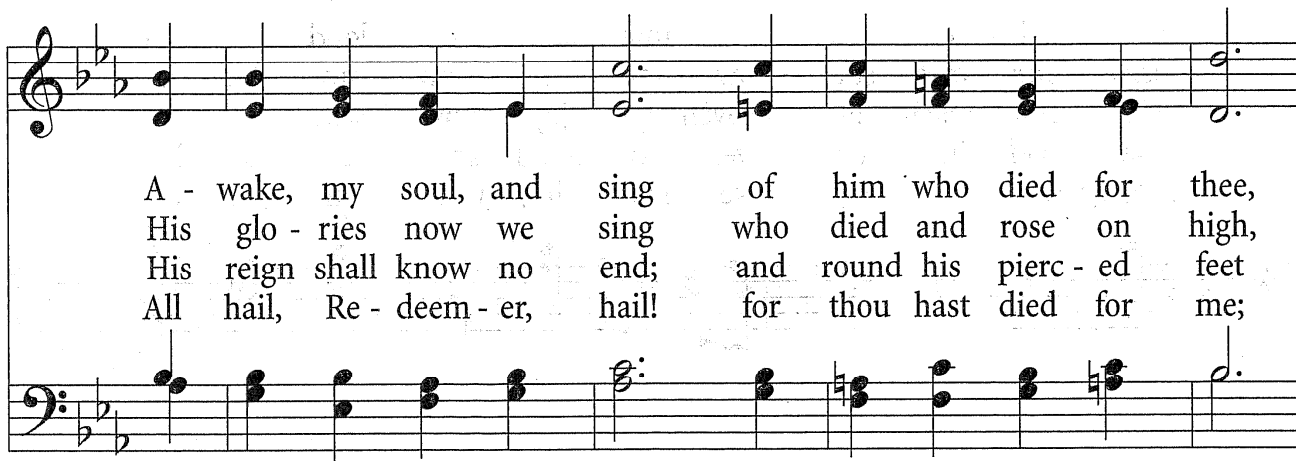
Text: Matthew Bridges and Godfrey Thring, alt.; Music: George Job Elvey; Tune: Diademata



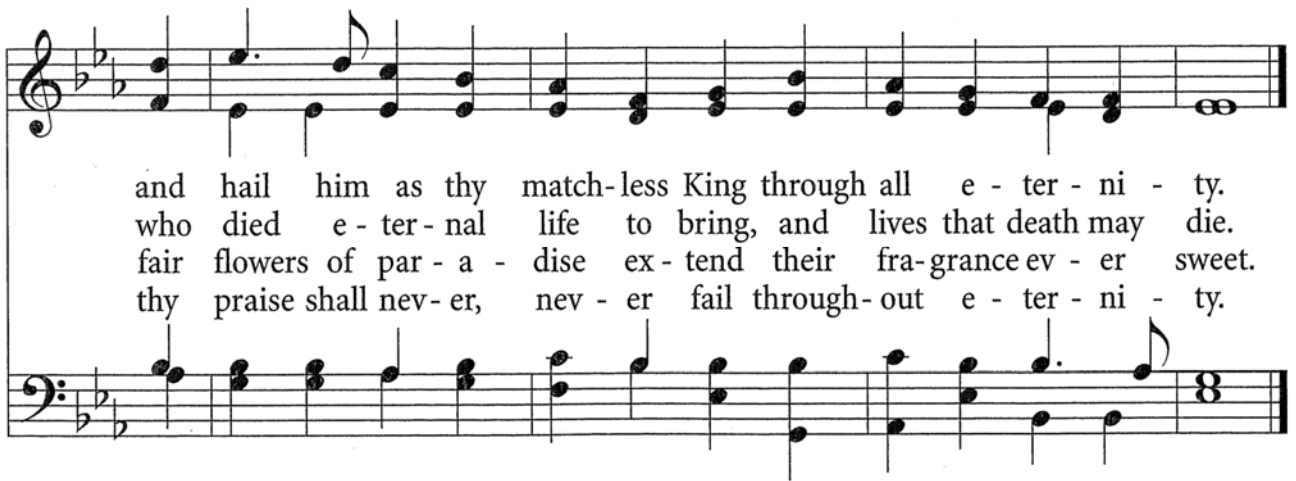
1 Crown him with man - y crowns, the Lamb up - on his throne:
2 Crown him the Lord of life, who tri - umphed o'er the grave,
3 Crown him the Lord of peace, whose power a scep - tre sways
4 Crown him the Lord of love; be - hold his hands and side,



hark, how the heaven-ly an - them drowns all mu - sic but its own!
and rose vic - to - rious in the strife for those he came to save.
from pole to pole, that wars may cease, ab - sorbed in prayer and praise.
rich wounds yet vis - i - ble a - bove, in beau - ty glo - ri - fied.



A - wake, my soul, and sing of him who died for thee,
His glo - ries now we sing who died and rose on high,
His reign shall know no end; and round his pierc - ed feet
All hail, Re - deem - er, hail! for thou hast died for me;



Presider The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit, be with you all.

People And also with you.

Gloria

New Plainsong Mass - David Hurd

Presider Glory to God in the highest,
All And peace to his people on earth. Lord God, heavenly king, almighty God and Father, we worship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glory. Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father, Lord God, Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world: have mercy on us; you are seated at the right hand of the Father: receive our prayer. For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

Collect of the Day

Presider Let us pray. *Please remain standing.*

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

People Amen.

THE PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

Please be seated.

The First Reading

Jeremiah 23: 1-6

Reader Woe to the shepherds who destroy and scatter the sheep of my pasture! says the Lord. Therefore, thus says the Lord, the God of Israel, concerning the shepherds who shepherd my people: It is you who have scattered my flock, and have driven them away, and you have not attended to them. So I will attend to you for your evil doings, says the Lord. Then I myself will gather the remnant of my flock out of all the lands where I have driven them, and I will bring them back to their fold, and they shall be fruitful and multiply. I will raise up shepherds over them who will shepherd them, and they shall not fear any longer, or be dismayed, nor shall any be missing, says the Lord. The days are surely coming, says the Lord, when I will raise up for David a righteous Branch, and he shall reign as king and deal wisely, and shall execute justice and righteousness in the land. In his days Judah will be saved and Israel will live in safety. And this is the name by which he will be called: "The Lord is our righteousness."

Reader The word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

Psalm *Please remain seated.*

Psalm 46—Plainsong

Cantor God is our refuge and strength, *
a very present help in trouble.

All Therefore we will not fear, though the earth be moved, *
and though the mountains be toppled into the depths of the sea;

Cantor Though its waters rage and foam, *
and though the mountains tremble at its tumult.

All The Lord of hosts is with us; *
the God of Jacob is our stronghold.

Cantor There is a river whose streams make glad the city of God, *
the holy habitation of the Most High.

All God is in the midst of her; she shall not be over-thrown; *
God shall help her at the break of dāy.

Cantor The nations make much ado, and the kingdoms are sha-ken; *
God has spoken, and the earth shall melt a way.

All The Lord of hosts is with us; *
the God of Jacob is our stronghold.

Cantor Come now and look upon the works of the Lord, *
 what awesome things he has done on earth.
All It is he who makes war to cease in all the world; *
 he breaks the bow, and shatters the spear,
 and burns the shields with fire.
Cantor “Be still, then, and know that I am God; *
 I will be exalted among the nations; I will be ex-al-ted in the earth.”
All The Lord of hosts is with us; *
 the God of Jacob is our stronghold.

The Second Reading

Colossians 1: 11-20

Reader May you be made strong with all the strength that comes from his glorious power, and may you be prepared to endure everything with patience, while joyfully giving thanks to the Father, who has enabled you to share in the inheritance of the saints in the light. He has rescued us from the power of darkness and transferred us into the kingdom of his beloved Son, in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins. He is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn of all creation; for in him all things in heaven and on earth were created, things visible and invisible, whether thrones or dominions or rulers or powers – all things have been created through him and for him. He himself is before all things, and in him all things hold together. He is the head of the body, the church; he is the beginning, the firstborn from the dead, so that he might come to have first place in everything. For in him all the fullness of God was pleased to dwell, and through him God was pleased to reconcile to himself all things, whether on earth or in heaven, by making peace through the blood of his cross.

Reader The word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

Gospel Acclamation

Walker and O’Carroll

Please stand as you are able and turn to face the Gospeller in the centre aisle.

Cantor Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

People Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

Cantor Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord!

Blessed is the kingdom of our father David that is coming!

People Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

The Holy Gospel

Luke 23: 33-43

Gospeller The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Gospeller The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke.

People Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Gospeller When they came to the place that is called The Skull, they crucified Jesus there with the criminals, one on his right and one on his left. Then Jesus said, "Father, forgive them; for they do not know what they are doing." And they cast lots to divide his clothing. And the people stood by, watching; but the leaders scoffed at him, saying, "He saved others; let him save himself if he is the Messiah of God, his chosen one!" The soldiers also mocked him, coming up and offering him sour wine, and saying, "If you are the King of the Jews, save yourself!" There was also an inscription over him, "This is the King of the Jews." One of the criminals who were hanged there kept deriding him and saying, "Are you not the Messiah? Save yourself and us." But the other rebuked him, saying, "Do you not fear God, since you are under the same sentence of condemnation? And we indeed have been condemned justly, for we are getting what we deserve for our deeds, but this man has done nothing wrong." Then he said, "Jesus, remember me when you come into your kingdom." He replied, "Truly I tell you, today you will be with me in Paradise."

Gospeller The Gospel of Christ.

People Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Homily

The Nicene Creed

Please stand, as you are able.

Presider Let us confess our faith, as we say,

All We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen. We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one being with the Father. Through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven: by the power of the Holy Spirit he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary, and was made man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the scriptures;

he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end. We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father. With the Father and the Son he is worshipped and glorified. He has spoken through the prophets. We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

The Prayers of the People

Please remain standing.

Please join in the response indicated by the Intercessor.

Confession and Absolution

Presider Dear friends in Christ, God is steadfast in love and infinite in mercy; God welcomes sinners and invites us to this table. Let us confess our sins, confident in God's forgiveness.

Please kneel, as you are able.

Presider Most merciful God,
All we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbours as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us, that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your name. Amen.

Presider Almighty God have mercy upon you, pardon and deliver you from all your sins, confirm and strengthen you in all goodness, and keep you in eternal life; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

People Amen.

The Peace

Please stand, as you are able.

We offer each other a sign of peace. A handshake or a simple bow are appropriate.

Presider The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People And also with you.

THE CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST

An offering will now be taken for the life and ministry of the Cathedral.

Offertory Hymn

Text: William Chatterton Dix; Music: Rowland Huw Prichard; Tune: Hyfrydol

*Hymn text
below & on
facing page*



Hymn text Alleluia! Sing to Jesus! His the sceptre, his the throne;
alleluia! his the triumph, his the victory alone;
Hark! The songs of peaceful Sion thunder like a mighty flood;
Jesus out of every nation hath redeemed us by his blood.

Alleluia! Bread of heaven, thou on earth our food, our stay;
alleluia! here the sinful flee to thee from day to day;
Intercessor, Friend of sinners, earth's Redeemer, plead for me,
where the songs of all the sinless sweep across the crystal sea.

Alleluia! King eternal, thee the Lord of lords we own;
alleluia! born of Mary, earth thy footstool, heaven thy throne:
thou within the veil hast entered, robed in flesh, our great high priest;
thou on earth both priest and victim in the eucharistic feast.

Hymn text Alleluia! Sing to Jesus! His the sceptre, his the throne;
cont'd alleluia! his the triumph, his the victory alone;
Hark! The songs of peaceful Sion thunder like a mighty flood;
Jesus out of every nation hath redeemed us by his blood.

Prayer over the Gifts

Presider Eternal God, by your grace you have raised us up and enthroned us with Christ in the heavenly realms. Receive all we offer you this day, and lead us in those good works for which you have created us. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ the Lord.

People Amen.

The Great Thanksgiving

Presider The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Presider Lift up your hearts.

People We lift them to the Lord.

Presider Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People It is right to give our thanks and praise.

Presider We give you thanks and praise, almighty God, through your beloved Son, Jesus Christ, our Saviour and Redeemer. He is your living Word, through whom you have created all things.

By the power of the Holy Spirit he took flesh of the Virgin Mary and shared our human nature. He lived and died as one of us, to reconcile us to you, the God and Father of all.

In fulfilment of your will he stretched out his hands in suffering, to bring release to those who place their hope in you; and so he won for you a holy people.

He chose to bear our griefs and sorrows, and to give up his life on the cross, that he might shatter the chains of evil and death, and banish the darkness of sin and despair. By his resurrection he brings us into the light of your presence. Now with all creation we raise our voices to proclaim the glory of your name.

Sanctus & Benedictus

Community Mass - Richard Proulx

All Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest, hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest, hosanna in the highest.

Please assume a posture of prayer that is appropriate – stand, sit or kneel.

Presider Holy and gracious God, accept our praise, through your Son our Saviour Jesus Christ; who on the night he was handed over to suffering and death, took bread and gave you thanks, saying, “Take, and eat: this is my body which is broken for you.” In the same way he took the cup, saying, “This is my blood which is shed for you. When you do this, you do it in memory of me.”

Remembering, therefore, his death and resurrection, we offer you this bread and this cup, giving thanks that you have made us worthy to stand in your presence and serve you. We ask you to send your Holy Spirit upon the offering of your holy Church. Gather into one all who share in these sacred mysteries, filling them with the Holy Spirit and confirming their faith in the truth, that together we may praise you and give you glory through your Servant, Jesus Christ. All glory and honour are yours, Father and Son, with the Holy Spirit in the holy Church, now and for ever.

People Amen.

The Lord’s Prayer

McNeil Robinson

Presider As our Saviour taught us, let us pray,

All 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.

The Breaking of the Bread

Presider Lord, we died with you on the cross.

All Now we are raised to new life.

Presider We were buried in your tomb.

All Now we share in your resurrection.

Presider Live in us, that we may live in you.

The Communion

Presider The gifts of God for the People of God.
People Thanks be to God.

Agnus Dei

New Plainson Mass – David Hurd

All Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us.
Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us.
Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, grant us peace.

All baptized persons are welcome to receive Communion. There are three stations for reception: the centre aisle (standing), and both side altars (kneel or stand). Gluten-free hosts are available upon request. For health reasons, please refrain from dipping the host in the chalice. Prayers for healing and anointing are available at the Baptistry.

Motet Behold, O God Our Defender *Noel Rawsthorne*
Choir Behold, O God our defender and look upon the face of thine Anointed.
For one day in thy courts is better than a thousand.

Prayer after Communion

Presider Let us pray. *Please stand, as you are able.*
Almighty God, you have made us a royal priesthood in the kingdom of your Son our Saviour Jesus Christ. Make known his victory through us, we pray, that all the world may see his light. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ the Lord.
People Amen.
Presider Glory to God,
All whose power, working in us, can do infinitely more than we can ask or imagine. Glory to God from generation to generation, in the Church and in Christ Jesus, for ever and ever. Amen.

The Blessing

Presider The peace of God which passes all understanding keep your hearts and minds in the knowledge and love of God, and of his Son Jesus Christ our Lord; and the blessing of God almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you and remain with you always.
People Amen.

Hymn

Text: George Herbert; Music: Basil Harwood; Tune: Luckington

1 Let all the world in ev - ery cor - ner sing: my God and King!
 2 Let all the world in ev - ery cor - ner sing: my God and King!

The heavens are not too high, his praise may thith - er fly;
 The church with psalms must shout, no door can keep them out;

the earth is not too low, his prais - es there may grow.
 but a - bove all, the heart must bear the long - est part.

Let all the world in ev - ery cor - ner sing: my God and King!
 Let all the world in ev - ery cor - ner sing: my God and King!

Dismissal

Presider Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

Postlude

Presiding Celebrant & Homilist: The Dean

Reader: Sarah McDonald • Intercessor: John Fraser

*Communion Ministers: Simon Creary, Peggy Crowther, Edith Reese,
Linda Schulz & Maurice Snelgrove*

Stewards: Robert Gilbert & Christine Hillyer

Director of Music: Robert Busiakiewicz • Organist: David Simon

Wayne Vance Organ Scholar: Patrick McElcheran

Sung by the Cathedral Parish Choir

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