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## Traditional Worship Guide

### 15<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost ❖ September 18, 2022

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#### WELCOME & BETHANY'S MISSION

- P: As a community, gathered by God's great grace,  
we seek to live our mission of:
- C: **being, living as, and making disciples of Jesus Christ.**

ANTHEM (10:30)      *"Consecrated"*      Chancel Choir  
HYMN (8:15)      *"Rise, Shine, You People"* ..... # **665**

- 1      Rise, shine, you people! Christ the Lord has entered  
our human story; God in him is centered.  
He comes to us, by death and sin surrounded,  
with grace unbounded.
- 2      See how he sends the pow'rs of evil reeling;  
he brings us freedom, light and life and healing.  
All men and women, who by guilt are driven,  
now are forgiven.
- 3      Come, celebrate; your banners high unfurling,  
your songs and prayers against the darkness hurling.  
To all the world go out and tell the story  
of Jesus' glory.
- 4      Tell how the Father sent his Son to save us.  
Tell of the Son, who life and freedom gave us.  
Tell how the Spirit calls from ev'ry nation  
God's new creation.

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#### GREETING AND "KYRIE"

- P: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and  
the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.
- C: **And also with you.**
- P: Lord, have mercy.      C: **Lord, have mercy.**
- P: Christ, have mercy.      C: **Christ, have mercy.**
- P: Lord, have mercy.      C: **Lord, have mercy.**

#### HYMN OF PRAISE: "Glory Be to God" [tune "Ode to Joy"]

- 1      Glory be to God in heaven;  
peace, goodwill to all the earth.  
Mighty God of all creation,  
Father of surpassing worth;  
we exalt you, we adore you,  
we lift high our thanks and praise.  
Saints and angels bow before you;  
here on earth our songs we raise.

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#### PRAYER OF THE DAY

God among us, we gather in the name of your Son to learn love for  
one another. Keep our feet from evil paths. Turn our minds to your  
wisdom and our hearts to the grace revealed in your Son, Jesus  
Christ, our Savior and Lord. **Amen.**

FIRST READING      *Psalm 98: 1-5*      Bible, pg. 935

SECOND READING      *1 Corinthians 1: 18-24*      Bible, pg. 1772

#### GOSPEL ACCLAMATION (*stand*)

Al - le - lu - ia. Lord, to whom shall we go?      You have the  
words of e - ter - nal life.      Al - le - lu - ia.      Al - le - lu - ia.

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HOLY GOSPEL      *John 3: 13-17*      Bible, pg. 1620

*Say before the reading:*      **Glory to You, O Lord.**  
*Say after the reading:*      **Praise to You, O Christ.**

## SERMON

*After the sermon at the 10:30 service, the preacher goes to the Contemporary Service in the Fellowship Hall.*

HYMN: “*Jesus Keep Me Near the Cross*” ..... # **335**

## PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

*Response:* P: ...Lord in your mercy, C: **hear our prayer.**

## MINISTRY HIGHLIGHTS & REGISTRATION

*Please sign and pass the black registration pads located near center aisle.*

## RECOGNITION OF SERVICE OF BERTA ALLEN (10:30)

HYMN: “*By Your Hand You Feed Your People*” (vs 1 & 2)..... # **469**  
(Tune 807)

## GREAT THANKSGIVING

P: The Lord be with you.

C: **And also with you.**

P: Lift up your hearts.

C: **We lift them to the Lord.**

P: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

C: **It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

## EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER

### 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 trespasses,  
as we forgive those who trespass against us;  
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.

## HOLY COMMUNION DISTRIBUTION

*Please come down the center aisle, receive communion, return by side*

HYMN: “*Lamb of God*” ..... # **195**

HYMN: “*Guide Me Ever, Great Redeemer*” ..... # **618**

HYMN: “*I Know that My Redeemer Lives*” ..... # **619**

## BENEDICTION

HYMN: “*All Hail the Power of Jesus’ Name*” (vv. 1,4,6) ..... # **634**

- 1 All hail the pow’r of Jesus’ name!  
Let angels prostrate fall;  
bring forth the royal diadem  
and crown him Lord of all.  
Bring forth the royal diadem  
and crown him Lord of all.
- 4 Sinners, whose love can ne’er forget  
the wormwood and the gall,  
go spread your trophies at his feet  
and crown him Lord of all.  
Go spread your trophies at his feet  
and crown him Lord of all.
- 6 Oh, that with yonder sacred throng  
we at his feet may fall!  
We’ll join the everlasting song  
and crown him Lord of all.  
We’ll join the everlasting song  
and crown him Lord of all.

Text: Edward Perronet, 1726-1792, sts. 1-4; J. Rippon, *A Selection of Hymns*, 1787, sts. 5-6.  
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## DISMISSAL

P: Go in peace. Serve the Lord.

C: **Thanks be to God!**

## Jesus Keep Me Near the Cross

- 1 Jesus, keep me near the cross,  
there's a precious fountain;  
free to all, a healing stream  
flows from Calv'ry's mountain.

### *Refrain*

In the cross, in the cross  
be my glory ever;  
till my ransomed soul shall find  
rest beyond the river.

- 2 Near the cross, a trembling soul,  
love and mercy found me;  
there the bright and morning star  
sheds its beams around me. *Refrain*
- 3 Near the cross! O Lamb of God,  
bring its scenes before me;  
help me walk from day to day  
with its shadow o'er me. *Refrain*
- 4 Near the cross I'll watch and wait,  
hoping, trusting ever,  
till I reach the golden strand  
just beyond the river. *Refrain*

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## By Your Hand You Feed Your People

- 1 By your hand you feed your people,  
food of angels, heaven's bread.  
For these gifts we did not labor,  
By your grace we have been fed.

### *Refrain:*

Christ's own body, blessed and broken  
Cup o'er-flowing, life outpoured,  
Given as a living token,  
Of your world redeemed, restored.

- 2 In this meal we taste your sweetness,  
Bread for hunger, wine of peace,  
Holy word and holy wisdom,  
Satisfy our deepest needs. *Refrain*

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## Lamb of God

Lamb of God,  
You take away the sin of the world;  
Have mercy on us.  
Lamb of God,  
You take away the sin of the world;  
Have mercy on us.  
Lamb of God,  
You take away the sin of the world;  
grant us your peace.

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## Guide Me Ever Great Redeemer

- 1 Guide me ever, great Redeemer,  
pilgrim through this barren land.  
I am weak, but you are mighty;  
hold me with your pow'rful hand.  
Bread of heaven, bread of heaven,  
feed me now and evermore,  
feed me now and evermore.
- 2 Open now the crystal fountain  
where the healing waters flow;  
let the fire and cloudy pillar  
lead me all my journey through.  
Strong deliv'rer, strong deliv'rer,  
shield me with your mighty arm,  
shield me with your mighty arm.
- 3 When I tread the verge of Jordan,  
bid my anxious fears subside;  
death of death and hell's destruction,  
land me safe on Canaan's side.  
Songs and praises, songs and praises,  
I will raise forevermore,  
I will raise forevermore.

Text: William Williams, 1717-1791; tr. William Williams and Peter Williams, 1722-1796, alt.  
Music: John Hughes, 1873-1932. Public Domain

## I Know That My Redeemer Lives

- 1 I know that my Redeemer lives!  
What comfort this sweet sentence gives!  
He lives, he lives, who once was dead;  
he lives, my ever-living head!
- 2 He lives triumphant from the grave;  
he lives eternally to save;  
he lives exalted, throned above;  
he lives to rule his church in love.
- 3 He lives to grant me rich supply;  
he lives to guide me with his eye;  
he lives to comfort me when faint;  
he lives to hear my soul's complaint.
- 4 He lives to silence all my fears;  
he lives to wipe away my tears;  
he lives to calm my troubled heart;  
he lives all blessings to impart.
- 5 He lives to bless me with his love;  
he lives to plead for me above;  
he lives my hungry soul to feed;  
he lives to help in time of need.
- 6 He lives, my kind, wise, heav'nly friend;  
he lives and loves me to the end;  
he lives, and while he lives, I'll sing;  
he lives, my prophet, priest, and king!
- 7 He lives and grants me daily breath;  
he lives, and I shall conquer death;  
he lives my mansion to prepare;  
he lives to bring me safely there.
- 8 He lives, all glory to his name!  
He lives, my Savior, still the same;  
what joy this blest assurance gives:  
I know that my Redeemer lives!

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