



PRELUDE

I'll Praise My Maker

J. Jones

GATHERING OF THE COMMUNITY

CALL TO WORSHIP

***PROCESSIONALHYMN**

#87 Come, Christians, Join to Sing

MADRID

***INVOCATION AND 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, for ever and ever. Amen.

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (cpcatlanta.org)

God of all creation,
somewhere down deep,
we remember that we are your creatures.
But we forget how deeply you must love us,
each of us.
Our insecurities drive us to compete with others
for attention and affection.
We allow our anxieties to overwhelm our joy.
We lose sight of what makes life abundant.
We need your touch, your gift of grace,
your constant guidance.
Hear the prayers of our hearts and minds
as we listen for your Spirit of life...

(Silence for personal confession and reflection)

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

***GLORIA PATRI**

R. Goodson

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son,
and to the Holy Ghost;
As it was in the beginning, is now and
Ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

FIRST READING

Colossians 3:12-17 Page 215, second half of the NRSV Bible
Response to the reading: "Thanks be to God"

OFFERING OF WORSHIP IN MUSIC

Sicilienne J.S. Bach
Adrienne Eymundson & Jerrold Eilander, Piano 4-hands

RESPONSIVE PRAYER

One: Captivate us with beauty, O God.

Many: Awe us with love.

One: Inspire us with your vision for our world:

Many: Help us see your promises of new creation.

One: Give us the courage to trust you,

All: That we might work with you
for a whole and peace-filled world.

***HYMN OF PRAISE**

#23 All Creatures of Our God and King

LASST UNS ERFREUEN

(At end of hymn, children up to Gr. 6 may come forward)

CHILDREN'S BLESSING

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

***HYMN OF MEDITATION**

#587 Make Me a Channel of Your Peace

PRAYER OF ST. FRANCIS

SECOND READING

Colossians 3:18-4:1 Page 215, second half of the NRSV Bible
Response to reading: "Thanks be to God"

SERMON "Submit or Subvert?"

Rev. Ryan Sato

CELEBRATION OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Offertory

Prelude on LASST UNS ERFREUEN

C. Schalk

***Doxology**

Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him all creatures here below;
Praise Him above ye heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

***Prayer of Gratitude**

***HYMN FOR THE JOURNEY**

#580 We Are Called to Be God's People

AUSTRIAN HYMN

***THE BLESSING OF THE COMMUNITY**

Leader: May the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love
of God and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you.

People: And also with you.

***The Sending of the Community**

***Congregational Amen**

The service of the church into the world - - begins again this week

***POSTLUDE**

Toccata on LASST UNS ERFREUEN

C. Callahan

***Please stand, as you are able.**

📖 We are grateful for those who serve with us today: Worship
Leaders – Kathy Brown, Rev. Allan Effa; Greeters/Ushers –
Lingling Pabuaya, Maxine Baptiste; Readers – Rose Merke,
Evelyn Grieger; Sound – Daniel Sato.

📖 *Music and words for the Gloria Patri, the Doxology and the
Congregational Amen are found on the laminated sheet in pew
rack.*