



**PRELUDE**

Partita on "Come, Christians, Join to Sing" M. Corl

**GATHERING OF THE COMMUNITY**

**INTROIT** Meditation on "Praise to the Lord" C. Callahan

**CALL TO WORSHIP**

**\*PROCESSIONAL HYMN**

#64 O God, Beyond All Praising THAXTED

**\*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**

We confess we are so absorbed with our own concerns  
that we neglect to see your presence all around us.  
We allow the news we hear and the thoughts we think  
to dominate our outlook.  
Forgive us, we pray.  
Open our eyes to see you, even when things are tough.  
Open our ears to hear you, even when fears are loud.  
Allow the new life that abounds in our yards  
and the river valley to remind us;  
that you are the Living God,  
you are the God of resurrection,  
you are our hope.

(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**

2 Kings 4:8-20

Response to the reading: "Thanks be to God"

**OFFERING OF MUSIC IN WORSHIP**

An English Melodie R. Farnaby, arr. C.H. Dearnly  
Casey Mingay, trumpet, Jerrold Eilander, piano

**RESPONSIVE PRAYER** (adapted from Joanna Harder)

**All: Holy God, Resurrected and Resurrecting One**

One: Today we, your church, are separated in body,  
but united in your Spirit.

**Many: We give you thanks for the joy of music,**  
One: the beauty of creation, the kindness of friends.

**Many: We give you thanks for these gifts in our lives.**

One: Holy God, Resurrected and Resurrecting One,

**Many: we seek your presence in our lives.**

One: God, grant us your wisdom, patience and compassion  
as we pursue living as your church in this world.

**All: We give you thanks.**

**\*HYMN OF PRAISE**

#123 Fairest Lord Jesus CRUSADER'S HYMN

**CHILDREN'S BLESSING**

**PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE**

**\*HYMN OF MEDITATION**

#638 O Christ, the Healer, We Have Come CANONBURY

**SECOND READING**

2 Kings 4:27-37

Response to reading: "Thanks be to God"

**SERMON**

Becky Bonham

**CELEBRATION OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS**

**Offertory**

Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee H. Helvey

**\*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**

#289 Alleluia, Alleluia! Hearts to Heaven HYMN TO JOY

**\*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.

**\*Instrumental Benediction**

God Be With You 'Til We Meet Again GOD BE WITH YOU

**\*The Sending of the Community**

**\*Congregational Amen**

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

**\*POSTLUDE**

March on the Genevan Hymn Tune B. Portman  
OLD ONE HUNDREDTH

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

We are grateful for those who serve with us today: Marilyn Cox -  
confession prayer & litany writer; Becky Bonham - sermon; Casey  
Mingay, trumpet; Evan Adnams - Video Technician