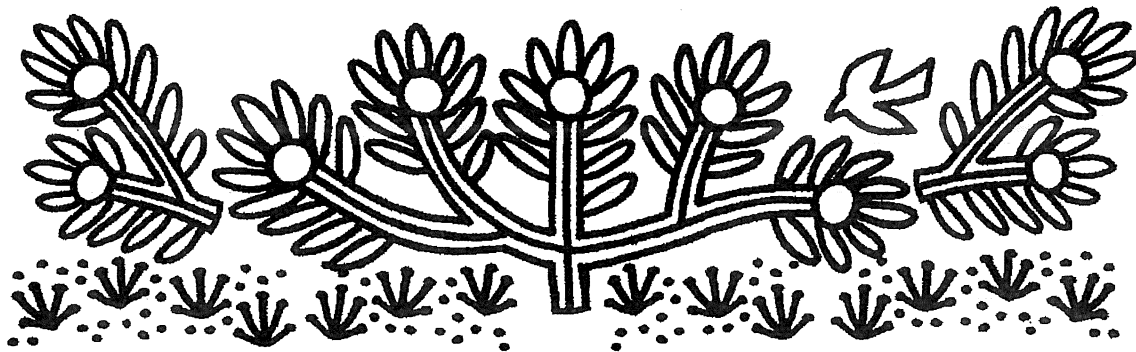




Seeking the peace and well-being of the city

November 24, 2024, 11:00 a.m.



"Christ The King" Sunday

PRELUDE

Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven

arr. H. Hobby

GATHERING OF THE COMMUNITY

INTROIT

Jesus Stand Among Us

BEMERTON

CALL TO WORSHIP

***PROCESSIONAL HYMN**

#59 Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee

HYMN TO JOY

G D7 G D G D7 G G D D
D D C B A G D D

1 Joy - ful, joy - ful, we a - dore thee, God of glo - ry, Lord of love;
2 All thy works with joy sur - round thee, earth and heaven re - flect thy rays,
3 Thou art giv - ing and for - giv - ing, ev - er bless - ing, ev - er blest,
4 Mor - tals, join the hap - py cho - rus which the morn - ing stars be - gan;

***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

**Forgive us for holding on to burdens
we were never meant to carry.
Help us release our anxious grasping for control
into your gentle hands.
Forgive us when we wear ourselves out
with life-numbing busyness.
Help us learn contentment in your humble presence.
Forgive us for the harsh thoughts we direct at
ourselves and the careless words we direct
at one another.
Quiet our hearts that we may embody your wise
and loving counsel.
Show us the path of life
that our souls may rest in the fullness of your joy.**

(Silence for personal confession and reflection)

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

***GLORIA PATRI**

**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.**

R. Goodson

Dsus Am D7 Am G Em
 D D

geth - er! All who fol - low Je - sus,

Am D Bm Em Am G
 G

all a - round the world! Yes, we're the church to - geth - er!

G C

1 The church is not a build - ing, the church is not a stee - ple,
 2 We're man - y kinds of peo - ple, with man - y kinds of fac - es,
 3 Some - times the church is march - ing, some - times it's brave - ly burn - ing,
 4 And when the peo - ple gath - er, there's sing - ing and there's pray - ing,
 5 At Pen - te - cost some peo - ple re - ceived the Ho - ly Spir - it

D G C D *to Refrain*

the church is not a rest - ing place, the church is a peo - ple.
 all col - ors and all a - ges, too, from all times and plac - es.
 some - times it's rid - ing, some - times hid - ing, al - ways it's learn - ing.
 there's laugh - ing and there's cry - ing some - times, all of it say - ing:
 and told the Good News through the world to all who would hear it.

1, 2 $\frac{F\#m}{A}$ A7 D $\frac{C}{D}$ *to Refrain* D7 | 3 $\frac{F\#m}{A}$ A7 D

faith in you. O
 ev - er joy. O
 born to e - ter - nal life.

Refrain
 G $\frac{Bm7}{F\#}$ Em7 $\frac{A7}{E}$ Em7 F#m Bm7 Em Em7

Mas-ter, grant that I may nev - er seek so much to be con -

A9 D $\frac{G}{D}$ D7 $\frac{G}{D}$ $\frac{D}{F\#}$ G Em7 $\frac{A7}{E}$ Em7

soled as to con - sole, to be un - der - stood, as to un - der -

F#m Bm7 E E7 $\frac{D}{E}$ E7 A Em A

stand, to be loved, as to love with all my soul.

G D7 G C G/B G A G D/A G/B C6 G/D D G C/E
 pour your power; crown your an - cient Church's sto - ry, bring its
 sail his ways! Fears and doubts too long have bound us— free our
 your con - trol; shame our wan - ton, self - ish glad - ness, rich in
 we de - plore; let the gift of your sal - va - tion be our

G/B C G/D D G D G/B D7 D/F# G D7 G G/B
 bud to glo - rious flower. Grant us wis - dom, grant us cour - age
 hearts to work and praise. Grant us wis - dom, grant us cour - age
 things and poor in soul. Grant us wis - dom, grant us cour - age
 glo - ry ev - er - more. Grant us wis - dom, grant us cour - age,

G/B D7/A G D/F# Em7 D G/B D7/A G C G/D D7 G
 for the fac - ing of this hour, for the fac - ing of this hour.
 for the liv - ing of these days, for the liv - ing of these days.
 lest we miss your king - dom's goal, lest we miss your king - dom's goal.
 serv - ing you whom we a - dore, serv - ing you whom we a - dore.