



Seeking the peace and well-being of the city

July 19, 2026, 10:00 a.m.

Eighth
Sunday after
Pentecost



PRELUDE

Hymn Medley

arr. G. Krueger

GATHERING OF THE COMMUNITY

CALL TO WORSHIP

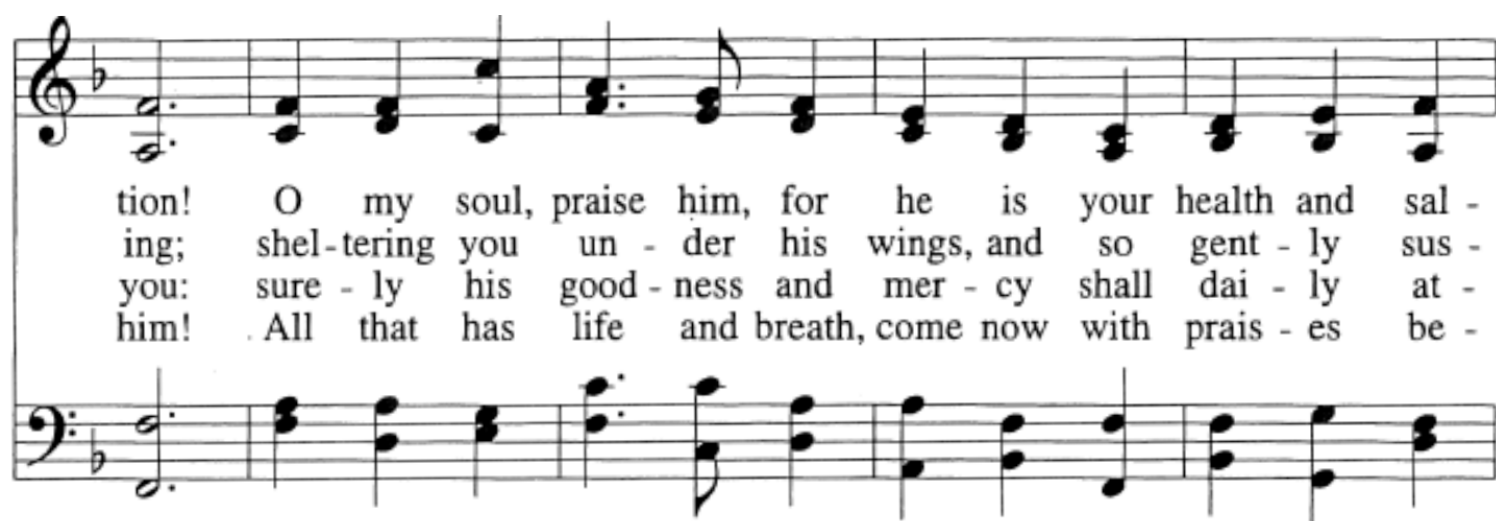
*PROCESSIONAL HYMN

Praise to the Lord, the Almighty

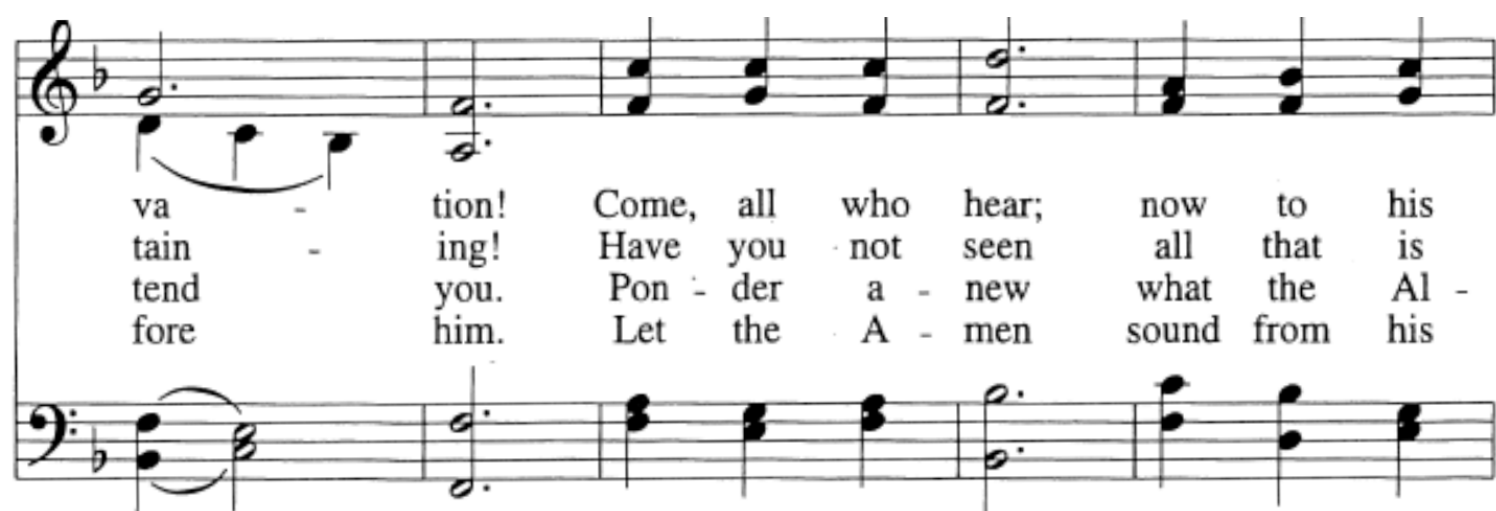
LOBE DEN HERREN

WORDS: Joachim Neander (1650-1680); tr. Catherine Winkworth (1827-1878), alt.
MUSIC: Stralsund Gesangbuch, 1665

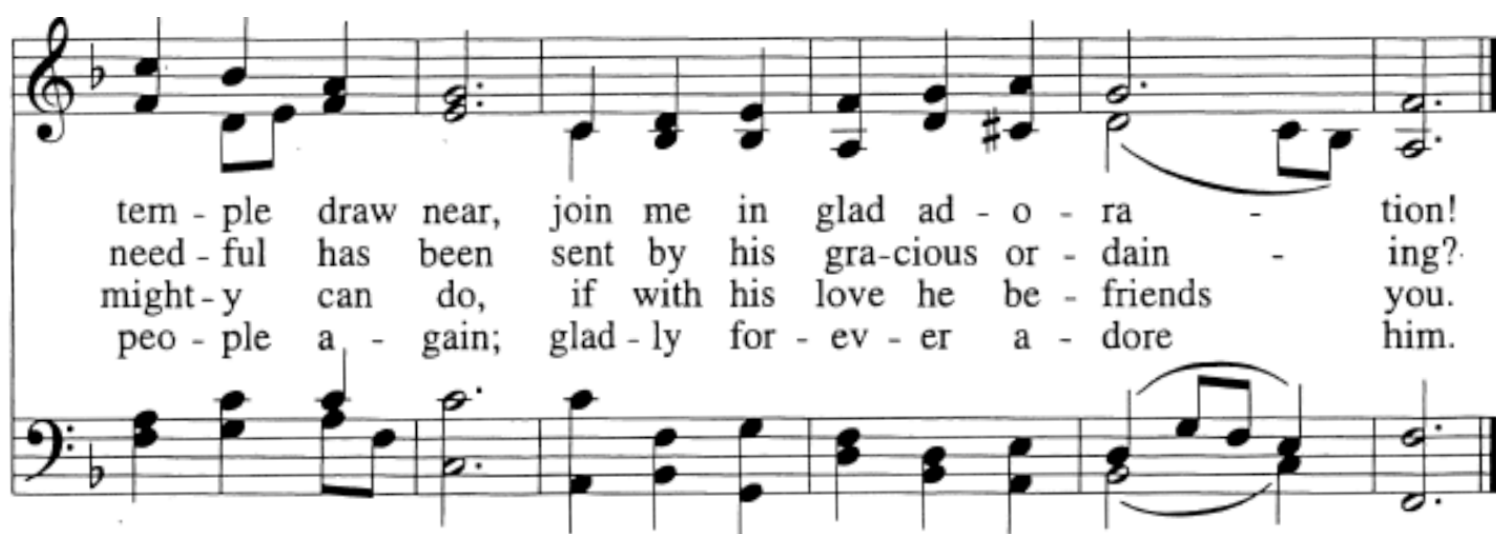
1 Praise to the Lord, the Al - might - y, the King of cre - a -
2 Praise to the Lord, a - bove all things so won-drous-ly reign -
3 Praise to the Lord, who will pros - per your work and de - fend
4 Praise to the Lord! O let all that is in me a - dore



tion! O my soul, praise him, for he is your health and sal -
 ing; shel-tering you un - der his wings, and so gent - ly sus -
 you: sure - ly his good - ness and mer - cy shall dai - ly at -
 him! All that has life and breath, come now with prais - es be -



va - tion! Come, all who hear; now to his
 tain - ing! Have you not seen all that is
 tend you. Pon - der a - new what the Al -
 fore him. Let the A - men sound from his



tem - ple draw near, join me in glad ad - o - ra - tion!
 need - ful has been sent by his gra-cious or - dain - ing?
 might - y can do, if with his love he be - friends you.
 peo - ple a - gain; glad - ly for - ev - er a - dore him.

***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 (modified from www.re-worship.blogspot.com)

Lord,
when we feel sorry for ourselves
and think we have sacrificed so much for others,
remind us of what you did for us on the cross.

When our patience wears thin and we are ready to give up,
speak to us through the example of your endurance on the cross.

Lord,
when we get angry and feel like lashing out at our enemies,
help us remember your words from the cross, "Father forgive."
Whenever we suffer in any way, keep us near the cross.

We confess now the ways we have strayed
and have forgotten the way of the cross.

(Silence for personal reflection and confession)

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

Psalms 100:4-5, 118:29, 9:1

Read from the NRSV Bible

Response to the reading: **"Thanks be to God"**

LITANY

One: Many watch and wonder, who is this Jesus?

Many: Truly you are the Son of God.

One: Some sneer, mock, and ridicule.

Many: Truly you are the Son of God.

One: Some bear witness, yet reject and go their own way.

Many: Truly you are the Son of God.

One: Some put Him to the test, "save yourself and us".

Many: Truly you are the Son of God.

One: Some call out, even at the last moment, to be remembered, saying:

Many: Truly you are the Son of God.

*HYMN OF PRAISE

He Has Made Me Glad

L. Von Brethorst

WORDS and MUSIC: Leona Von Brethorst (1923-)

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I will en - ter his gates with thanks - giv - ing in my heart; I will

en - ter his courts with praise. I will say, "This is the day that the

Lord has made!" I will re-joice for he has made me glad.

He has made me glad, he has made me glad, I will re-joice for

he has made me glad. will re-joice for he has made me glad.

CHILDREN'S BLESSING

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

SECOND READING

Luke 23:35-43

Read from the NRSV Bible

Response to the reading: "Thanks be to God"

***HYMN OF MEDITATION**

Jesus, Remember Me (sing 3x)

Taizé Community

WORDS: Taizé Community, 1981; para. Luke 23:42

MUSIC: Jacques Berthier (1923-1994)

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Je - sus, re - mem-ber me when you come in - to your King-dom.

Je - sus, re - mem-ber me when you come in - to your King-dom.

SERMON

Rev. Harold Roscher

(Silence for personal reflection)

CELEBRATION OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Offertory

"How Priceless" (Mercy Publishing)

A. Park

***New Doxology**

M. Adria

Let's praise God for each good thing.

All creation, shout and sing!

Praise three Persons, yet one Love:

Maker, Saviour, Holy Dove! Amen.

***Prayer of Gratitude**

*HYMN FOR THE JOURNEY

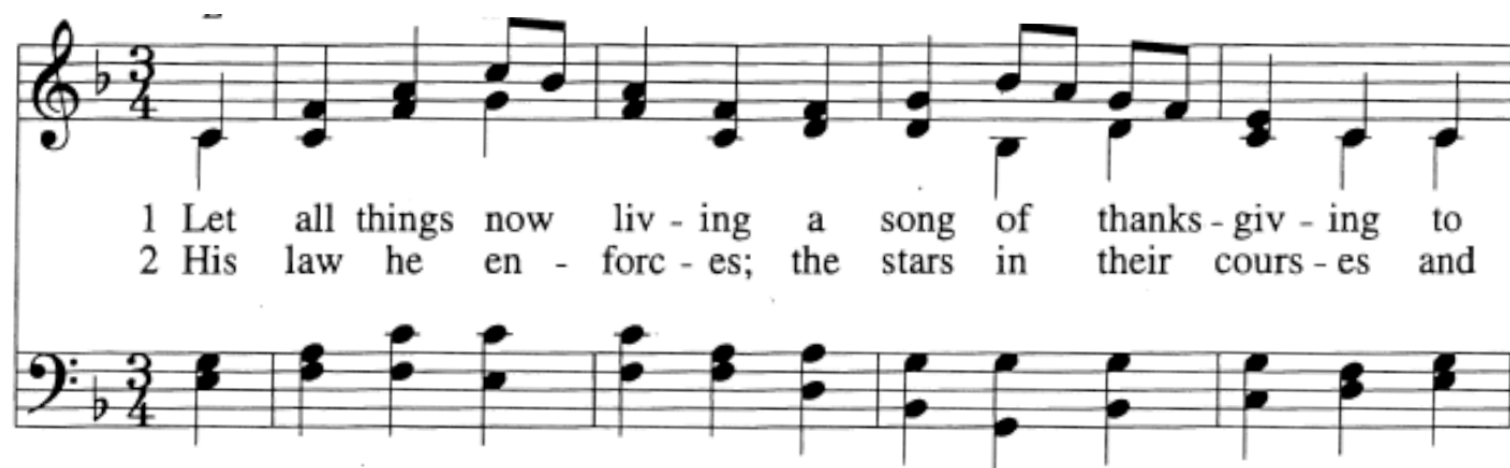
Let All Things Now Living

ASH GROVE

WORDS: Katherine K. Davis (1892-1980)

MUSIC: Welsh melody

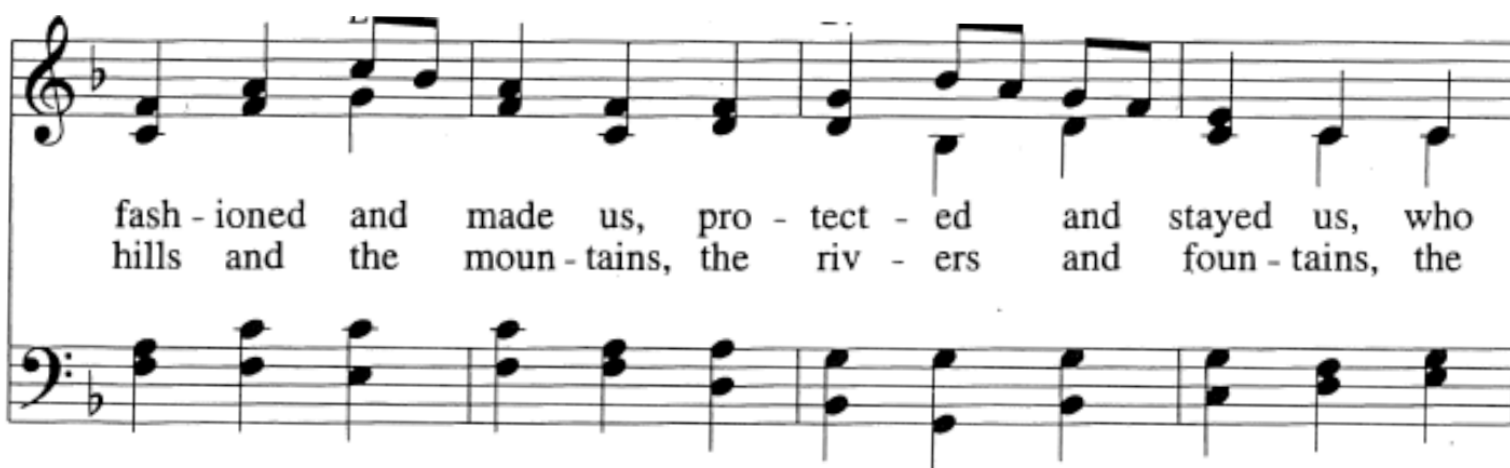
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1 Let all things now liv - ing a song of thanks - giv - ing to
2 His law he en - forc - es; the stars in their cours - es and



God the Cre - a - tor tri - um - phant - ly raise, who
sun in its or - bit o - be - dient - ly shine; the



fash - ioned and made us, pro - tect - ed and stayed us, who
hills and the moun - tains, the riv - ers and foun - tains, the

guides us and leads to the end of our days. His
deeps of the o - cean pro - claim him di - vine. We

ban - ners are o'er us, his light goes be - fore us, a
too should be voic - ing our love and re - joic - ing; with

pil - lar of fire shin - ing forth in the night, till
glad ad - o - ra - tion a song let us raise, till

shad - ows have van - ished and dark - ness is ban - ished, as
all things now liv - ing u - nite in thanks - giv - ing: to



***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

"O Lord, You're Beautiful" (Birdwing Music)

K. Green

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

We are grateful for those who serve with us today:

Leading Worship & Writing Prayers - Rev. Craig Traynor;

Prayers of the People - Debbie Benson;

Scripture Reading - Gwen Tasker, Jon Maier;

Guest Pianist & Musicians - Gary Krueger, Cheryl Krueger,

Joe Fritz (guitar & violin), Savannah Seibel (viola);

Video & Sound Technician - Evan Adnams.

FBC Ministry Team:

Rev. Jeremy Keay, Senior Minister (on vacation)

Dawn Stiles, Minister of Children and Families

Dr. Evelyn Grieger, Minister of Music

Jerrold Eilander, Organist / Choir Accompanist (on vacation)

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— FBC Council