



ST. MARTIN'S EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH
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August 15, 2021 | 10:00 AM

TWELFTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST



Botticelli, Sandro. *Madonna of the Magnificat*. 1481, Uffizi, Florence.

Prelude

Magnificat: *Cantilène*

Marcel Dupré, Op. 18

Gathering

Welcome

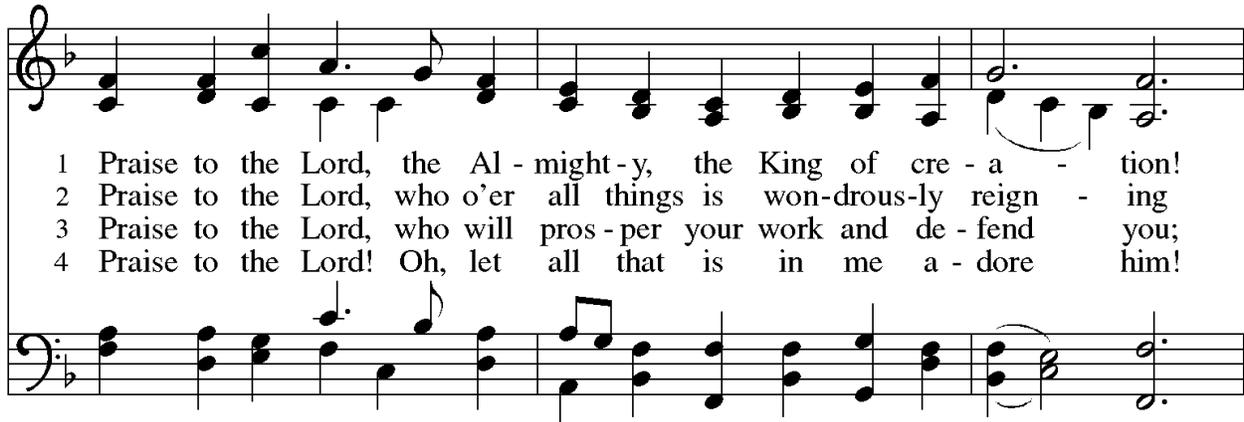
The people stand.

Gathering Hymn

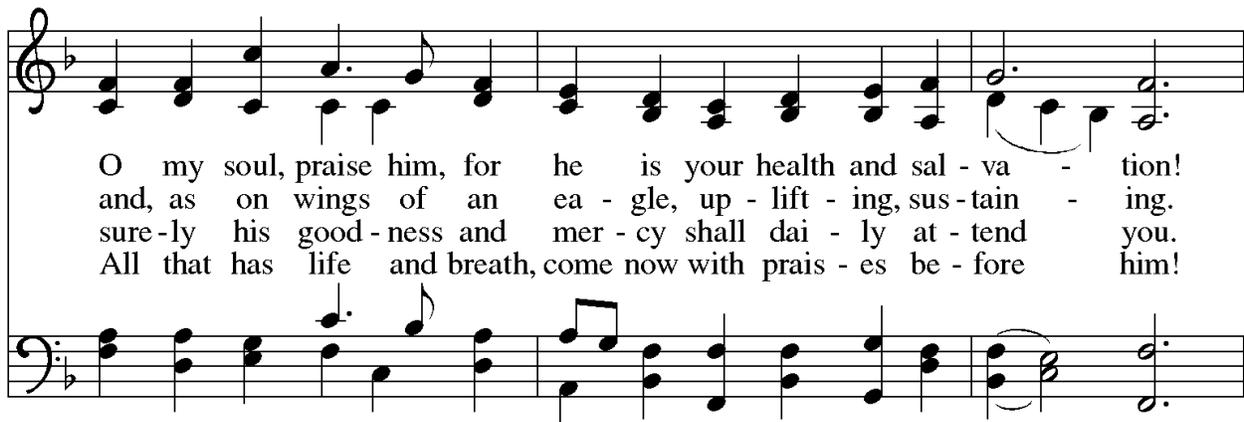
Hymn 858

Praise to the Lord, the Almighty

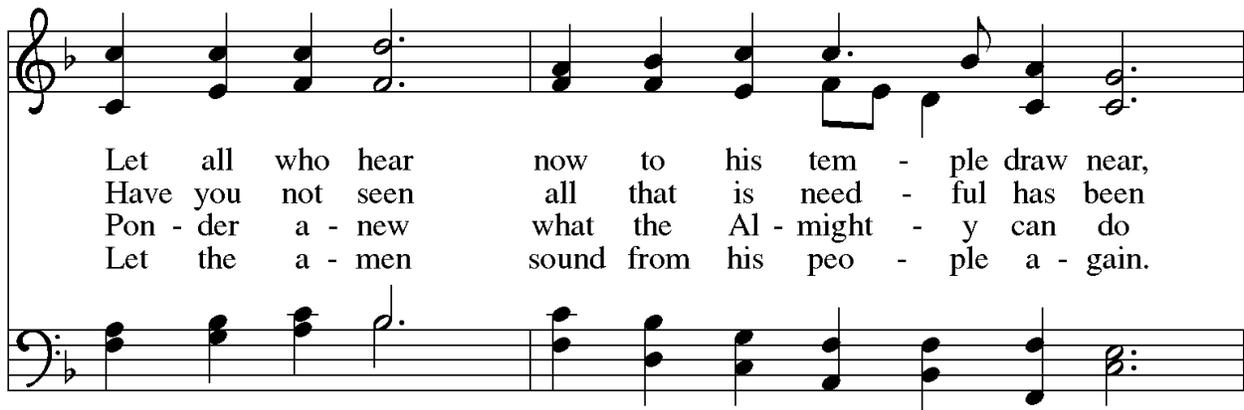
LOBE DEN HERREN



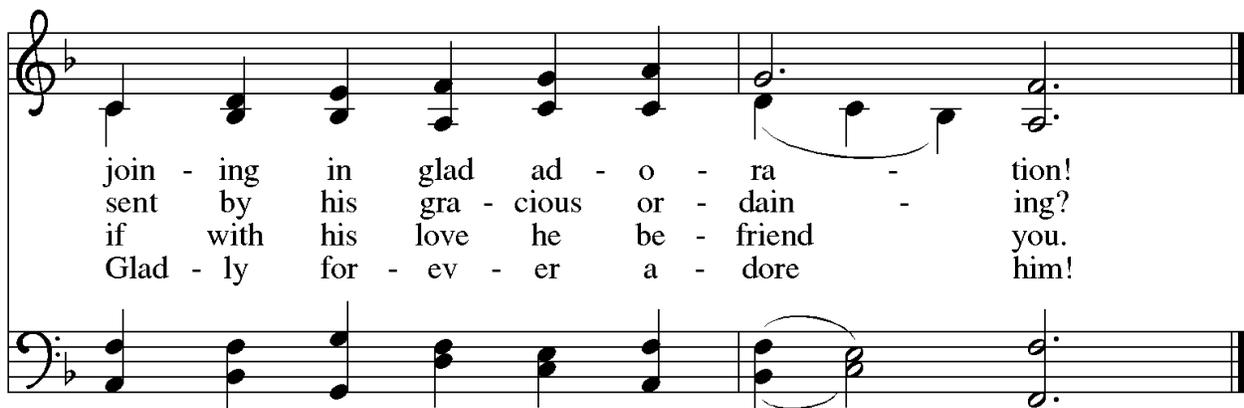
1 Praise to the Lord, the Al - might - y, the King of cre - a - tion!
2 Praise to the Lord, who o'er all things is won-drous-ly reign - ing
3 Praise to the Lord, who will pros-per your work and de-fend you;
4 Praise to the Lord! Oh, let all that is in me a-dore him!



O my soul, praise him, for he is your health and sal - va - tion!
and, as on wings of an ea - gle, up - lift - ing, sus-tain - ing.
sure-ly his good-ness and mer-cy shall dai - ly at-tend you.
All that has life and breath, come now with prais - es be - fore him!



Let all who hear now to his tem - ple draw near,
Have you not seen all that is need - ful has been
Pon - der a - new what the Al - might - y can do
Let the a - men sound from his peo - ple a - gain.

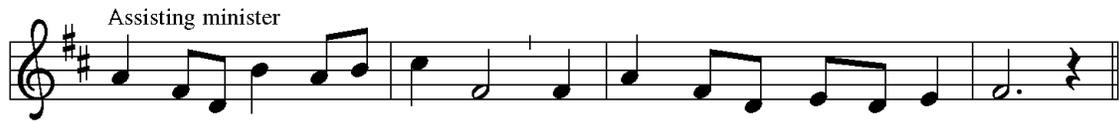


join - ing in glad ad - o - ra - tion!
sent by his gra - cious or - dain - ing?
if with his love he be - friend you.
Glad - ly for - ev - er a - dore him!

Greeting

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all. **And also with you.**

Canticle of Praise



Glo-ry to God in the high-est, and peace to God's peo-ple on earth.



Lord God, heav-en-ly King, al-might-y God and Fa-ther, we



wor-ship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glo-ry.



Lord Je-sus Christ, on-ly Son of the Fa-ther, Lord God, Lamb of God,



you take a-way the sin of the world: have mer-cy on us;



you are seat-ed at the right hand of the Fa-ther: re-ceive our prayer.



For you a-lone are the Ho-ly One, you a-lone are the Lord,



you a-lone are the Most High, Je-sus Christ, with the Ho-ly Spir-it,



in the glo-ry of God the Fa-ther. A-men.

Prayer of the Day

Word

The people are seated.

First Reading

Psalm 34:1-9

¹I will bless the LORD at all times;
his praise shall continually be in my mouth.
²My soul makes its boast in the LORD;
let the humble hear and be glad.
³O magnify the LORD with me,
and let us exalt his name together.
⁴I sought the LORD, and he answered me,
and delivered me from all my fears.
⁵Look to him, and be radiant;
so your faces shall never be ashamed.
⁶This poor soul cried, and was heard by the LORD,
and was saved from every trouble.
⁷The angel of the LORD encamps
around those who fear him, and delivers them.
⁸O taste and see that the LORD is good;
happy are those who take refuge in him.
⁹O fear the LORD, you his holy ones,
for those who fear him have no want.

The word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

Second Reading

Ephesians 5:15-20

¹⁵Be careful then how you live, not as unwise people but as wise, ¹⁶making the most of the time, because the days are evil. ¹⁷So do not be foolish, but understand what the will of the Lord is. ¹⁸Do not get drunk with wine, for that is debauchery; but be filled with the Spirit, ¹⁹as you sing psalms and hymns and spiritual songs among yourselves, singing and making melody to the Lord in your hearts, ²⁰giving thanks to God the Father at all times and for everything in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ.

The word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

The people stand.

Gospel Acclamation

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

Gospel

Luke 1:46-55

The Holy Gospel according to Luke. **Glory to you, O Lord.**

⁴⁶And Mary said,
"My soul magnifies the Lord,
⁴⁷and my spirit rejoices in God my Savior,
⁴⁸for he has looked with favor on the lowliness of his servant.
Surely, from now on all generations will call me blessed;
⁴⁹for the Mighty One has done great things for me,
and holy is his name.
⁵⁰His mercy is for those who fear him
from generation to generation.
⁵¹He has shown strength with his arm;
he has scattered the proud in the thoughts of their hearts.
⁵²He has brought down the powerful from their thrones,
and lifted up the lowly;
⁵³he has filled the hungry with good things,
and sent the rich away empty.
⁵⁴He has helped his servant Israel,
in remembrance of his mercy,
⁵⁵according to the promise he made to our ancestors,
to Abraham and to his descendants forever."

The Gospel of the Lord. **Praise to you, O Christ.**

The people are seated. Children may come forward for the children's message.

Children's Message

Message

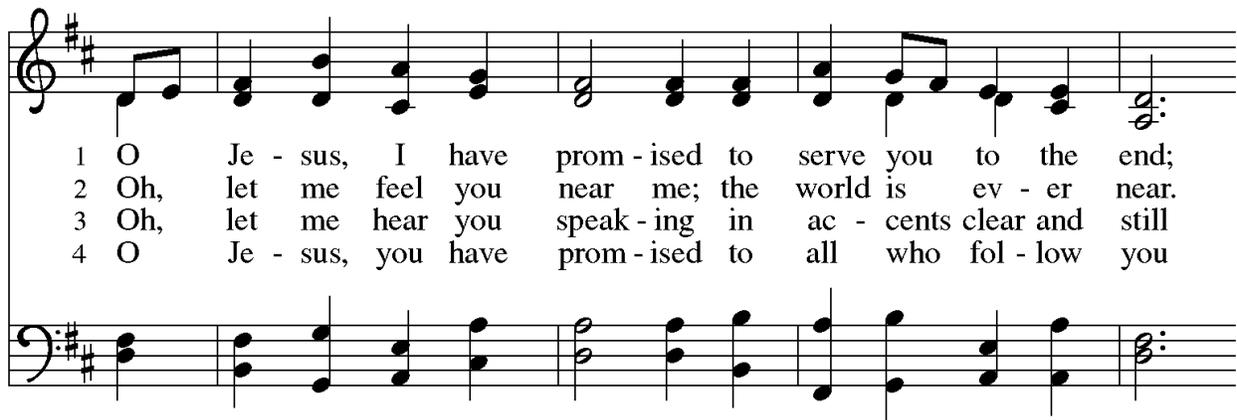
The people stand. Prayer cards are collected by the ushers during the Hymn of the Day.

Hymn of the Day

Hymn 810

Oh Jesus, I Have Promised

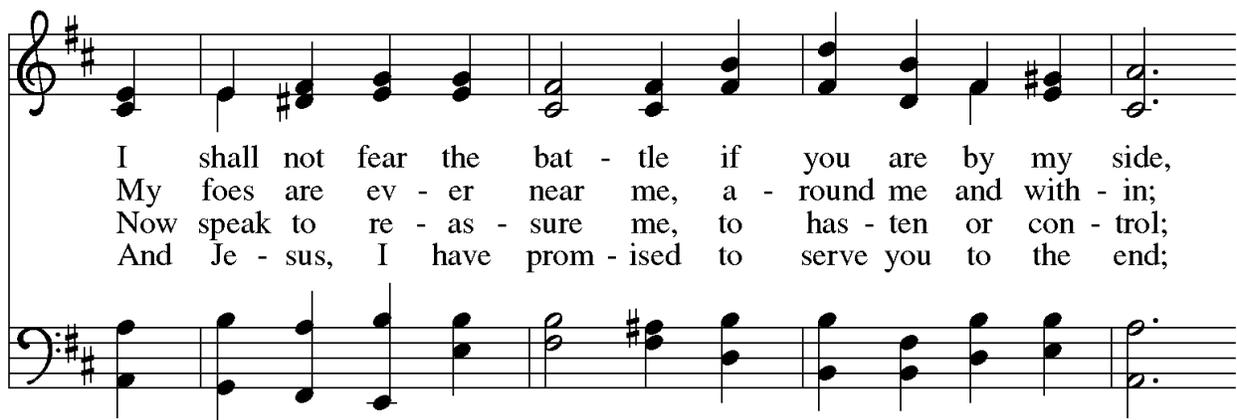
MUNICH



1 O Je - sus, I have prom - ised to serve you to the end;
2 Oh, let me feel you near me; the world is ev - er near.
3 Oh, let me hear you speak - ing in ac - cents clear and still
4 O Je - sus, you have prom - ised to all who fol - low you



re - main for - ev - er near me, my mas - ter and my friend.
I see the sights that daz - zle, the tempt - ing sounds I hear.
a - bove the storms of pas - sion, the mur - murs of self - will.
that where you are in glo - ry your ser - vant shall be too.



I shall not fear the bat - tle if you are by my side,
My foes are ev - er near me, a - round me and with - in;
Now speak to re - as - sure me, to has - ten or con - trol;
And Je - sus, I have prom - ised to serve you to the end;



nor wan - der from the path - way if you will be my guide.
but, Je - sus, then draw near - er to shield my soul from sin.
now speak and make me lis - ten, O Guard - ian of my soul.
oh, give me grace to fol - low, my mas - ter and my friend.

Reception of New Members

Apostles' Creed I believe in God, the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.
I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried;
he descended to the dead.
On the third day he rose again;
he ascended into heaven,
he is seated at the right hand of the Father,
and he will come to judge the living and the dead.
I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.

People of God, do you promise to support and pray for these new members in their life in Christ?

We do, and we ask God to help and guide us.

Let us welcome this brother and these sisters in Christ to this community of faith.

We rejoice with you in the life of baptism.

**Together we will give thanks and praise to God
and proclaim the good news to all the world.**

Prayers of Intercession

God, in your mercy. **Hear our prayer.**

The Peace

The peace of Christ be with you always. **And also with you.**

The people are seated.

Announcements

Meal

Offering Offerings may be placed in the basket in the narthex, or you can donate at saintmartins.org/giving or text "luther" and your gift amount to 73256. Standard text message and data rates may apply.

Anthem

Magnificat

Thomas Weelkes

The people stand.

Offering Hymn

Praise and Thanksgiving Be to God

(verse 1 only)

Hymn 458

CHRISTE SANCTORUM

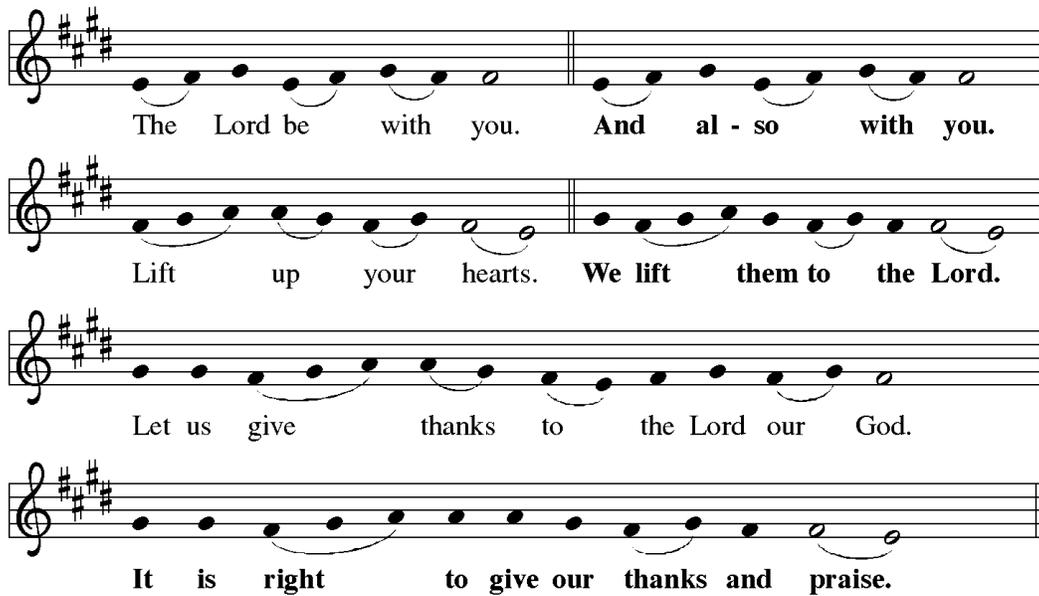
1 Praise and thank - giv - ing be to God our
mak - er, source of all bless - ing, prod - i - gal cre -
a - tor. Bap - tized and made your own, now we come be -
fore you, and we a - dore you.

The musical score is written for voice and piano. It consists of four systems of music. Each system has a vocal line (treble clef) and a piano accompaniment line (bass clef). The key signature is one sharp (F#) and the time signature is 4/4. The lyrics are printed below the vocal line. The score ends with a double bar line.

Offering Prayer

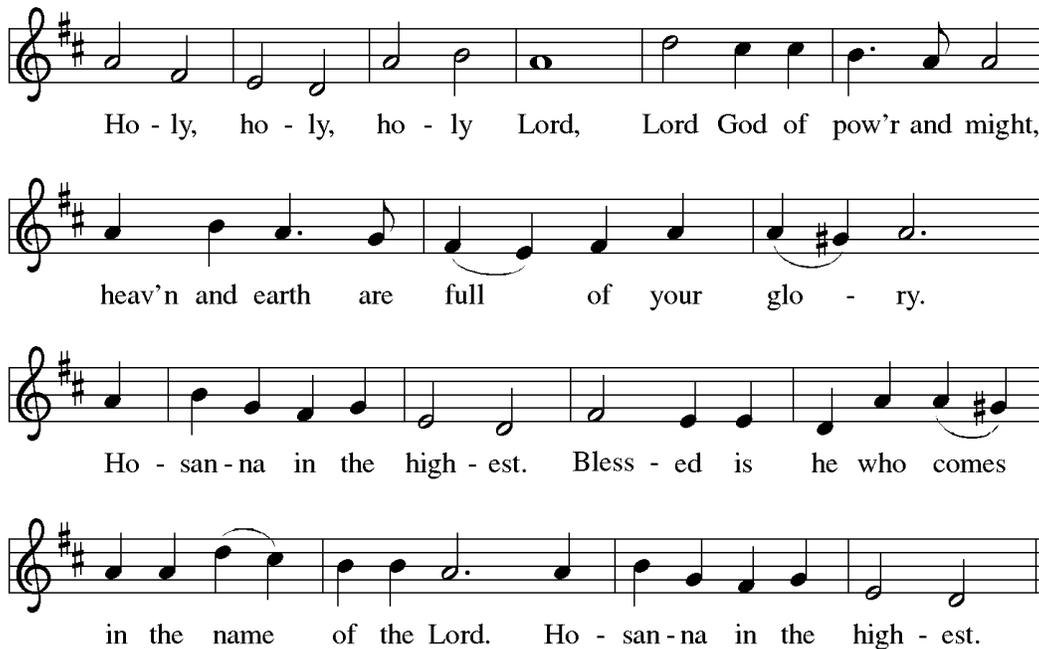
Let us pray. Blessed are you, O God, ruler of heaven and earth. Day by day you shower us with blessings. As you have raised us to new life in Christ, give us glad and generous hearts, ready to praise you and to respond to those in need, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

The Great Thanksgiving



The Lord be with you. And al - so with you.
Lift up your hearts. We lift them to the Lord.
Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
It is right to give our thanks and praise.

Sanctus



Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, Lord God of pow'r and might,
heav'n and earth are full of your glo - ry.
Ho - san - na in the high - est. Bless - ed is he who comes
in the name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

Words of Institution

Lord's Prayer

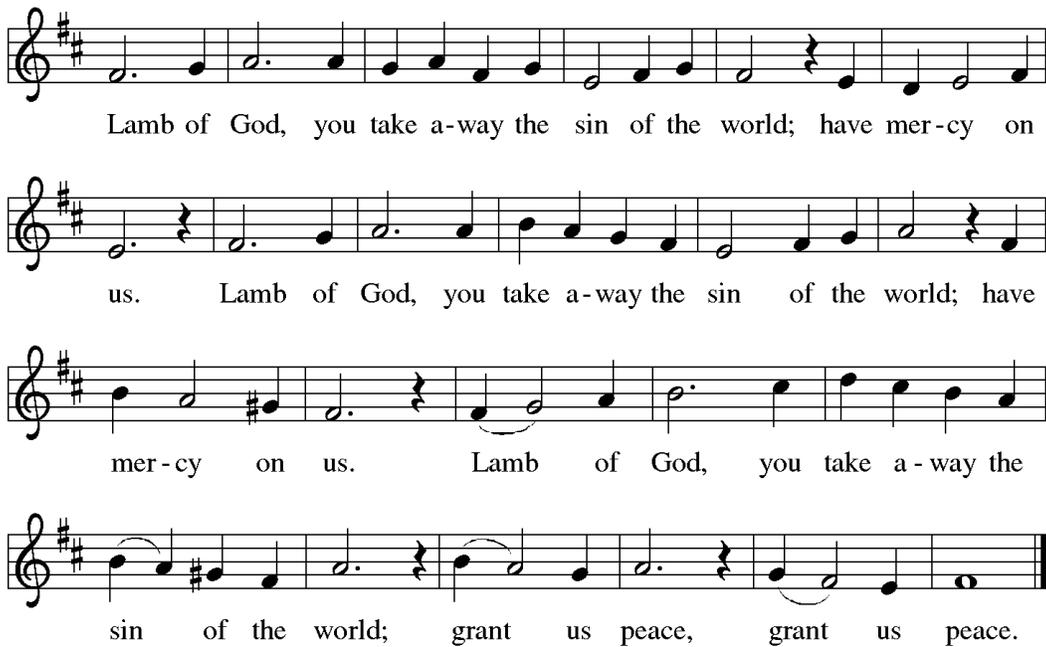
Our Father, who art in heaven,
hallowed be thy name,
thy kingdom come,
thy will be done,
on earth as it is in heaven.

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.

The people are seated.

Agnus Dei



Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the world; have mer-cy on
us. Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the world; have
mer-cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a-way the
sin of the world; grant us peace, grant us peace.

Holy Communion *Our communion table is open to all. Everyone is welcome to receive communion regardless of age or denomination. Gluten free wafers are available if requested.*

Music at Communion

Alleluia from *Exsultate Jubilate*

W.A. Mozart

The people stand.

Table Blessing

Prayer after Communion

Sending

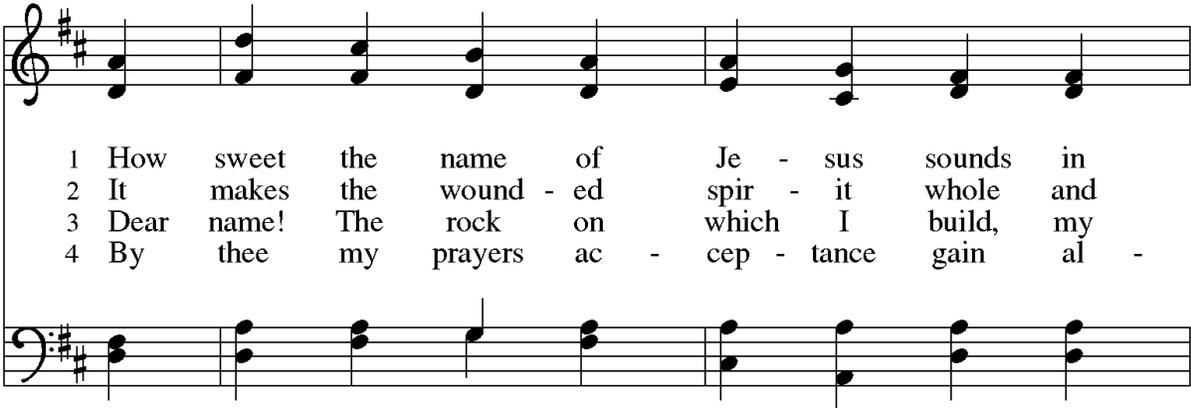
Blessing

Sending Hymn

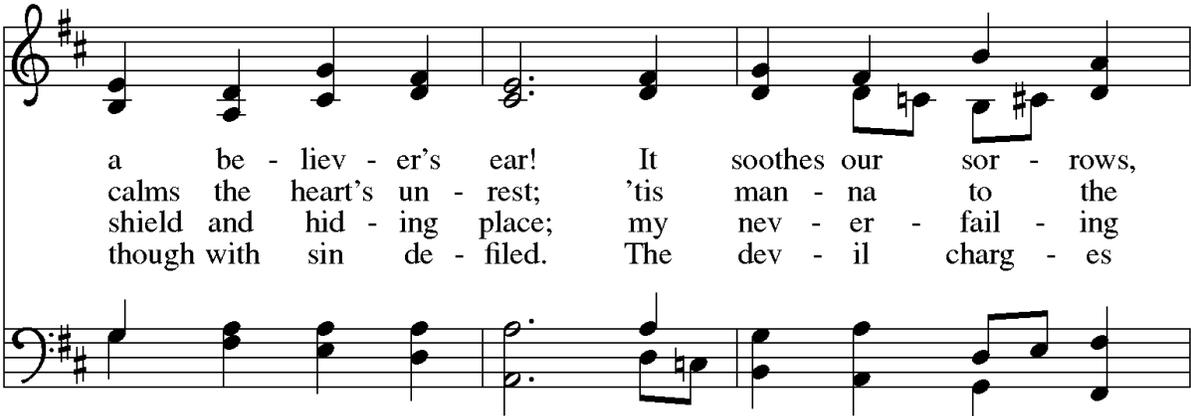
Hymn 620

How Sweet the Name of Jesus Sounds

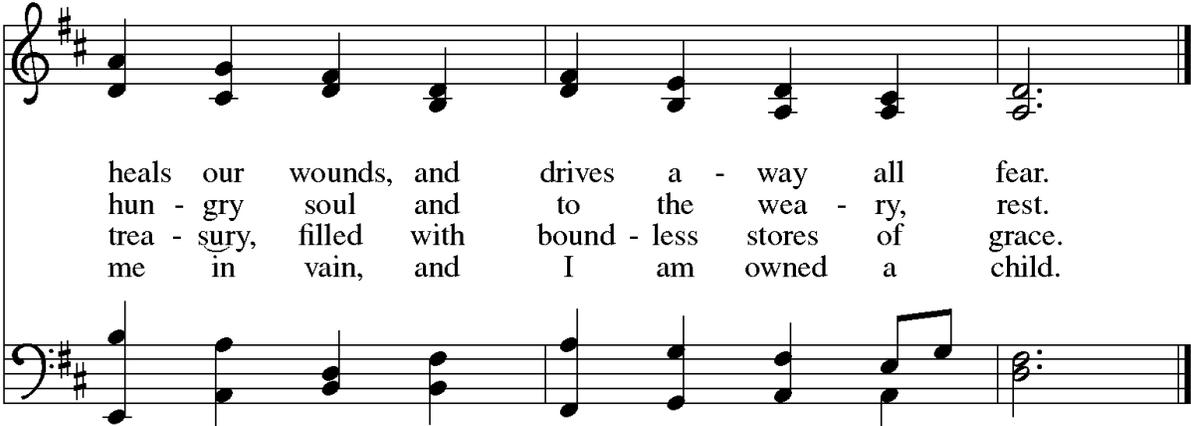
ST. PETER



1 How sweet the name of Je - sus sounds in
2 It makes the wound - ed spir - it whole and
3 Dear name! The rock on which I build, my
4 By thee my prayers ac - cep - tance gain al -



a be - liev - er's ear! It soothes our sor - rows,
calms the heart's un - rest; 'tis man - na to the
shield and hid - ing place; my nev - er - fail - ing
though with sin de - filed. The dev - il charg - es



heals our wounds, and drives a - way all fear.
hun - gry soul and to the wea - ry, rest.
treas - ure, filled with bound - less stores of grace.
me in vain, and I am owned a child.

5 O Jesus, shepherd, guardian, friend,
my prophet, priest, and king,
my Lord, my life, my way, my end,
accept the praise I bring.

6 How weak the effort of my heart,
how cold my warmest thought;
but when I see thee as thou art,
I'll praise thee as I ought.

7 Till then I would thy love proclaim
with every fleeting breath;
and may the music of thy name
refresh my soul in death!

Dismissal

Go in peace. Christ is with you. **Thanks be to God.**

Postlude

Magnificat: *Final*

Marcel Dupré, Op. 18

Serving Today

Preaching/Presiding:	Rev. Ellen Williams
Assisting Ministers:	Tom Blomquist, Cason Miller
Lector:	Nancy Schroeder
Director of Music:	Dr. Tim O'Brien
Organist:	Austin Haller
Musicians:	Anitra Coulter Blunt, soprano; Katherine Altobello-O'Brien, mezzo-soprano; Jameson James, tenor; Gil Zilkha, bass
Sound:	Jim Parkhurst
Video:	Eddie Jennings
Ushers:	Norm Hummell

We rejoice today and give thanks for our new St. Martin's members, Wolf Rendall and Lily and Adeline Yeager.

Prayers

REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Leona Abrahamson; Patricia Bloxom; David Cross and family; Derak Kilgo and family; Daniel Laudermilk; the Mickelson family; Kavan McComus; Jenny Ohrstrom; Shirley Scott and family; Sam Staggs; Del Taub; Judy Yeager; those affected by the fires in the west, teachers, school administrators, and students.

CONTINUED PRAYERS FOR

Terry Adcock; Nancy Anderson; Bob Aus; Gerry Berens; Emily Berggren; Patricia Byous; Vickie Dunlevy; Eleanor and Dave; Frank Ficarra; Sam Gourley; Dean Haynie; Ronnie Johnson; Peter Jordahl; Kara; Betty Klinefelter; Betsy Knauff; Arvid Larson; Pat Larson; Doris McGaughy; David Pierce; Jeff Puskos; Lottie Smith; Betty Staehr.

August Benevolence: Lutheran Campus Ministry

Lutheran Campus Ministry has been serving The University of Texas for over 75 years, creating a safe space where students can feel at home, loved, and encouraged as they engage big questions, explore their faith, and discern who God is calling them to be in the world. Through worship, study, and student leadership, LuMin carries out its mission to radiate God's love and grace through embracing all, serving boldly and working for peace and justice. LuMin students and staff also engage in ecumenical relationships, foster interfaith relationship and dialogue, and work for peace and justice both on the 40 Acres and beyond.

You can support LuMin by giving through St. Martin's on Realm or at saintmartins.org/giving, and selecting "Lutheran Campus Ministry" in the drop-down menu. Your giving supports a Lutheran presence, outreach, and faith formation among young adults, faculty, and staff. Learn more about LuMin at lcmaustin.org.

June Financial Report Year-to-Date Income Statement

Revenues		Expenses	
Operating	361,411	Operating	381,049
Building	76,768	Building	64,218
School	596,357	School	598,192
Total	1,034,536	Total Expenses	1,043,460

Net Total	(8,924)
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June Benevolence Donations: St. Martin's Samaritan Fund = \$2,010

Events & Announcements

Pastor's Book Study | Wednesdays at 1:00 pm

Join us in-person in the conference room or virtually via Zoom as we begin a new book: *Love Is the Way* by Bishop Michael Curry of the Episcopal Church. For more information, go to www.saintmartins.org/adult-ed

Love, Share, and Serve Boldly in St. Martin's Children's Ministry

Volunteers are the heart and soul of the Children's Ministry Program and are needed to welcome the children back to St. Martin's in the Fall. Starting on Rally Day, Faith Formation hour will begin with all children and youth gathering in the Chapel. A volunteer is needed to lead the group in fun music. There is also an opening in the Wee Worship class for two or more shepherds to guide the little ones as they explore God's world through stories, play, and prayer. Contact Kathy Edgar (kedgar@saintmartins.org) or Cason Miller (cmiller@saintmartins.org) for more information.

| SAVE THE DATE |

Rally Day, Sunday, September 12th, 2021

Rally Day is on the horizon! We'll be returning to two services: family worship at 9:00 am and traditional worship at 11:00 am. Enjoy a Sunday School open house between services at 10:00 am to learn about all this new program year has to offer! We look forward to celebrating with you!

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