

LORD's Day Service -- April 26, 2020
Preparation for Worship: *Jonah 3:4-10*

God Calls us into His presence; we respond with praise.

*Call to Worship: Psalm 76:7-12

Minister: Alleluia! Christ is risen!

People: **He is risen indeed!**

Minister: Grace to you and peace, in the name of the Father & of the Son & of the Holy Spirit.

People: **Amen!**

Minister: The Lord be with you.

People: **And also with you.**

Hymn: Psalm 72, "Hail to the Lord's Anointed" (pause & see below)

God Cleanses us; we gladly confess of our sins to Him.

If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us.

But if we confess our sins, God, Who is faithful and just, will forgive us our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

Let us kneel before the Lord our God. (*prayer is from Ps 51*)

Have mercy upon me, O God, according to Your lovingkindness; according to the multitude of Your tender mercies, blot out my transgressions. Wash me thoroughly from my iniquity, and cleanse me from my sin. For I acknowledge my transgressions, and my sin is always before me. We confide in Your grace and mercy through Christ, Your Son, our Lord and Savior. Amen! (*Silent prayer*)

Assurance of Pardon: Psalm 32:5

Beloved, your sins are forgiven through Christ.

Thanks be to God! Our sins are forgiven in Jesus' name. AMEN!

Lift up your hearts!

We lift them up to the Lord!

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God!

It is proper and right to do so!

Truly it is our greatest joy to give thanks to You at all times and in every situation, O Lord, holy Father, Almighty and everlasting God; Only You can cleanse us and fill us with joy. Renew our zeal in faith and life, and bring us to the fullness of grace that belongs to us as Your children. Therefore, with all saints on earth and the heavenly host, we praise Your holy name and join their glorious song, singing:

Sanctus: **Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord, God of Hosts.**

Heaven and earth are full of Your glory!

Hosanna in the Highest! Blessed is he who comes in the name of

The Lord. Hosanna in the Highest!

Hymn: Psalm 110, "Jehovah to my Lord has said" (pause & see below)

Prayer: **We thank You, heavenly Father, that You have delivered us from the dominion of sin and death and brought us into the kingdom of Your Son; and we pray that, as by His death He has recalled us to life, so by His love He may raise us to eternal joys; Who lives and reigns with You, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen!**

God Consecrates by His Word; we listen & offer ourselves to Him.

Old Testament Lesson: Proverbs 24:19-25

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God!

New Testament Lesson: 1 Peter 2:11-17

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God!

Gospel Lesson: Matthew 22:17-22; 22:41--23:5a

The Gospel of our Lord Jesus.

Praise to You, O Christ!

Sermon: "Being Subject to Authorities & A Defense of Liberty"

Hymn: Psalm 2, "Why do heathen nations rage" (pause & see below)

Dedication of tithes & offerings. (You may mail your tithes to Deacon Hummel)

Prayers of the Church

God communes with us; we eat with joy at His Table.

Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

We confess our faith in the Triune, Incarnate God

God commissions & blesses us; we march out to serve Him

The Lord's Commission of us: 1 Peter 2:12,17

We receive God's blessing, His good Word to us: 2 Peter 3:18

We bless the Lord, lifting our hands and voices to Him: Doxology

the tune: <https://hymnary.org/media/fetch/180913> or use “The Church’s One Foundation”

72A Hail to the Lord’s Anointed

G D C G/D D G

1 Hail to the Lord’s a - noint - ed, great Da - vid’s great - er Son!
 2 You come with res - cue speed - y to those who suf - fer wrong,
 3 You shall come down like show - ers up - on the fruit - ful earth;
 4 Kings shall fall down be - fore you, and gold and in - cense bring;

D C G/D D G

Hail, in the time ap - point - ed, your reign on earth be - gun!
 to help the poor and need - y, and bid the weak be strong;
 love, joy, and hope, like flow - ers, spring in your path to birth.
 all na - tions shall a - dore you, your praise all peo - ple sing.

Asus A D C G D

You come to break op - pres - sion, to set the cap - tive free,
 to give them songs for sigh - ing, their dark - ness turn to light,
 Be - fore you on the moun - tains shall peace, the her - ald, go;
 To you shall prayer un - ceas - ing and dai - ly vows as - cend;

G/B C Am D C G/D D G

to take a - way trans - gres - sion, and rule in eq - ui - ty.
 whose souls, con - demned and dy - ing, are pre - cious in your sight.
 and right - eous - ness in foun - tains from hill to val - ley flow.
 your king - dom still in - creas - ing, a king - dom with - out end.

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Jehovah to My Lord Has Said

Psalm 110

ALL SAINTS NEW (C.M.D.)
Henry S. Cutler, 1872

The Book of Psalms for Singing, 1973



1. Je - ho - vah to my Lord has said, "Sit Thou at My right hand
2. A will - ing peo - ple in Thy day Of pow'r shall come to Thee.
3. The Lord at Thy right hand shall smite Earth's rul - ers in His wrath.



Un - til I make Thy foes a stool Where-on Thy feet may stand."
Thy youth ar - rayed in ho - li - ness Like morn - ing dew shall be.
A - mong the na - tions He shall judge; The slain shall fill His path.



Je - ho - vah shall from Zi - on send The scep - ter of Thy pow'r.
Je - ho - vah swore, and from His oath He nev - er will de - part:
In man - y lands He'll o - ver - throw Their kings with ru - in dread;



In bat - tle with Thine en - e - mies Be Thou the con - quer - or.
"Of the or - der of Mel - chiz - e - dek A priest Thou ev - er art."
And, march - ing, He'll drink from the brook And so lift up His head.



Listen to the tune: <https://hymnary.org/media/fetch/182422> or use “Jesus Lover of My Soul”

PSALM 2

2B Why Do Heathen Nations Rage?

1. ¹Why do hea-then na - tions rage? Why do peo - ples plot in vain?
2. ²He who sits in heav - en laughs; God de - rides and mocks them all.
3. ³I will tell of his de - cree; this to me the LORD did say,
4. ⁴There - fore, kings, be wise, be warned; rul - ers of the earth, give ear.

⁵Kings and rul - ers join to wage war a - gainst God's roy - al reign.
⁶Then he speaks to them in wrath, fear and dread on them do fall:
⁷You are my be - lov - ed Son; I have brought you forth this day.
⁸Come with awe and serve the LORD: min - gle joy with trem - bling fear.

Speak - ing out a - gainst the LORD, his A - noint - ed they de - fy:
⁹Yet ac - cord - ing to my will, I have set my king to reign,
¹⁰Ask for all the earth a - broad, you shall own the na - tions far,
¹¹Kiss the Son, his an - ger turn, lest you per - ish in the way,

¹²“Let us break a - part their cords, cast a - way their chains,” they cry,
fixed on Zi - on's ho - ly hill, my A - noint - ed will re - main.”
¹³You will break them with a rod, dash them like a pot - ter's jar.”
for his wrath will quick - ly burn. All who trust him—blest are they!

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