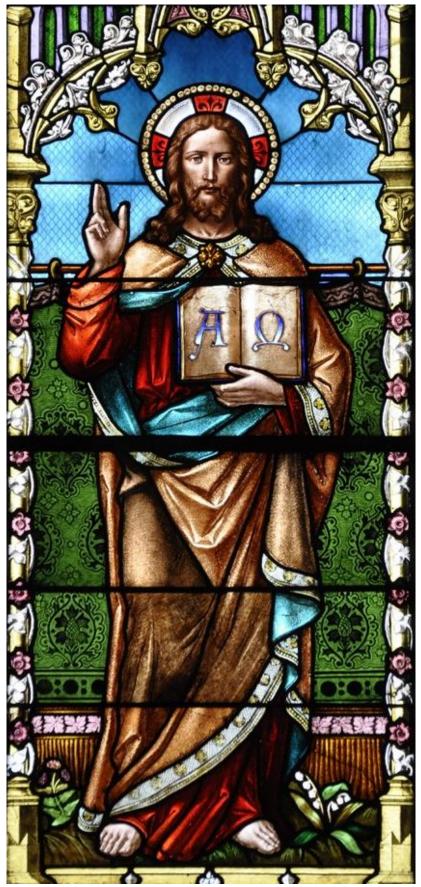
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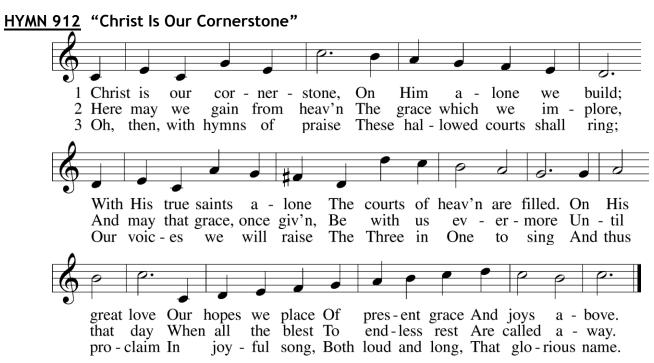


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Prelude Announcements "Dialogue for Trumpet"

**Gottfried Reiche** 



# Invocation, Confession and Absolution

The sign of the cross may be made by all in remembrance of their Baptism.

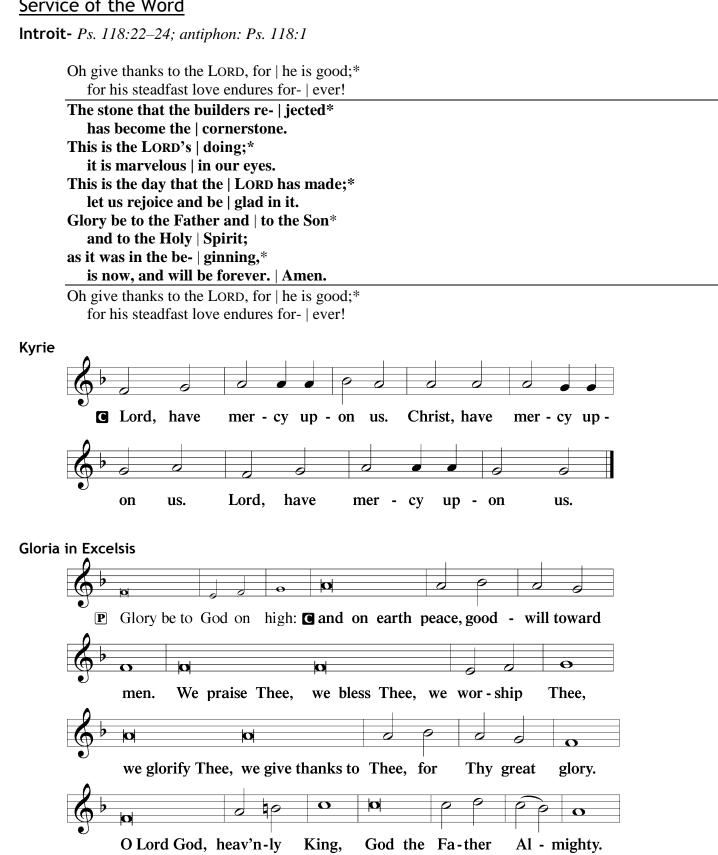
P In the name of the Father and of the + Son and of the Holy Spirit.

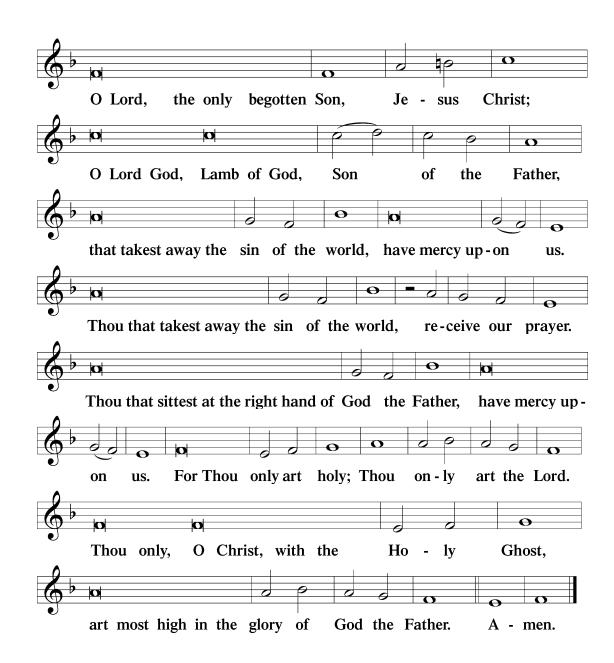
- C Amen.
- P Beloved in the Lord! Let us draw near with a true heart and confess our sins unto God our Father, beseeching Him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to grant us forgiveness.
- P Our help is in the name of the Lord,
- **C** who made heaven and earth.
- P I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the Lord,
- **C** and You forgave the iniquity of my sin.

Silence for reflection on God's Word and for self-examination.

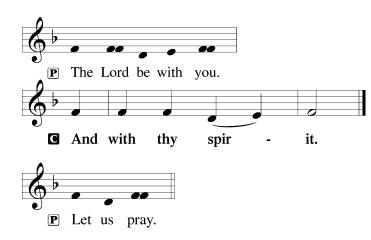
- P O almighty God, merciful Father,
- **C** I, a poor, miserable sinner, confess unto You all my sins and iniquities with which I have ever offended You and justly deserved Your temporal and eternal punishment. But I am heartily sorry for them and sincerely repent of them, and I pray You of Your boundless mercy and for the sake of the holy, innocent, bitter sufferings and death of Your beloved Son, Jesus Christ, to be gracious and merciful to me, a poor, sinful being.
- P Upon this your confession, I, by virtue of my office, as a called and ordained servant of the Word, announce the grace of God unto all of you, and in the stead and by the command of my Lord Jesus Christ I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the + Son and of the Holy Spirit.
- C Amen.

## Service of the Word





Salutation and Collect of the Day



P Gracious God, You gave Your Son into the hands of sinful men who killed Him. Forgive us when we reject Your unfailing love, and grant us the fullness of Your salvation; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.



#### Old Testament Reading- Isaiah 5:1-7

<sup>1</sup>Let me sing for my beloved my love song concerning his vineyard: My beloved had a vineyard on a very fertile hill.
<sup>2</sup>He dug it and cleared it of stones, and planted it with choice vines; he built a watchtower in the midst of it, and hewed out a wine vat in it; and he looked for it to yield grapes, but it yielded wild grapes.

<sup>3</sup>And now, O inhabitants of Jerusalem and men of Judah, judge between me and my vineyard.
<sup>4</sup>What more was there to do for my vineyard, that I have not done in it?
When I looked for it to yield grapes, why did it yield wild grapes?

<sup>5</sup>And now I will tell you what I will do to my vineyard.
I will remove its hedge, and it shall be devoured;
I will break down its wall, and it shall be trampled down.
<sup>6</sup>I will make it a waste; it shall not be pruned or hoed, and briers and thorns shall grow up;
I will also command the clouds that they rain no rain upon it.

<sup>7</sup>For the vineyard of the LORD of hosts is the house of Israel, and the men of Judah are his pleasant planting; and he looked for justice, but behold, bloodshed; for righteousness, but behold, an outcry!

- A This is the Word of the Lord.
- C Thanks be to God.

#### Psalm 80:1–9 (responsively by whole verses)

 Give ear, O Shepherd of Israel, you who lead Joseph / like a flock!\*
 You who are enthroned upon the cherubim, / shine forth.
 2 Before Ephraim and Benjamin and Ma / nasseh,\*
 stir up your might and come to / save us!

- 3 Restore us, / O God;\* let your face shine, that we/ may be saved!
- 4 O LORD / God of hosts,\* how long will you be angry with your / people's prayers?
- 5 You have fed them with the / bread of tears\* and given them tears to drink in full / measure.
- 6 You make us an object of contention for our/ neighbors,\* and our enemies laugh a /mong themselves.
- 7 Restore us, O / God of hosts;\* let your face shine, that we / may be saved!
- 8 You brought a vine out of / Egypt;\* you drove out the nations and / planted it.

9 You cleared the / ground for it;\* it took deep root and / filled the land.

Glory be to the Father and | to the Son\*

and to the Holy | Spirit; as it was in the be- | ginning,\*

is now, and will be forever. | Amen.

#### Epistle- Philippians 3:4b–14

<sup>4</sup>If anyone else thinks he has reason for confidence in the flesh, I have more: <sup>5</sup>circumcised on the eighth day, of the people of Israel, of the tribe of Benjamin, a Hebrew of Hebrews; as to the law, a Pharisee; <sup>6</sup>as to zeal, a persecutor of the church; as to righteousness, under the law blameless. <sup>7</sup>But whatever gain I had, I counted as loss for the sake of Christ. <sup>8</sup>Indeed, I count everything as loss because of the surpassing worth of knowing Christ Jesus my Lord. For his sake I have suffered the loss of all things and count them as rubbish, in order that I may gain Christ <sup>9</sup>and be found in him, not having a righteousness of my own that comes from the law, but that which comes through faith in Christ, the righteousness from God that depends on faith—<sup>10</sup>that I may know him and the power of his resurrection, and may share his sufferings, becoming like him in his death, <sup>11</sup>that by any means possible I may attain the resurrection from the dead.

<sup>12</sup>Not that I have already obtained this or am already perfect, but I press on to make it my own, because Christ Jesus has made me his own. <sup>13</sup>Brothers, I do not consider that I have made it my own. But one thing I do: forgetting what lies behind and straining forward to what lies ahead, <sup>14</sup>I press on toward the goal for the prize of the upward call of God in Christ Jesus.

- A This is the Word of the Lord.
- C Thanks be to God.

Stand Alleluia and Verse



#### Holy Gospel- Matthew 21:33-46

P The Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew, the 21<sup>st</sup> chapter.



<sup>33</sup>[Jesus said:] "Hear another parable. There was a master of a house who planted a vineyard and put a fence around it and dug a winepress in it and built a tower and leased it to tenants, and went into another country. <sup>34</sup>When the season for fruit drew near, he sent his servants to the tenants to get his fruit. <sup>35</sup>And the tenants took his servants and beat one, killed another, and stoned another. <sup>36</sup>Again he sent other servants, more than the first. And they did the same to them. <sup>37</sup>Finally he sent his son to them, saying, 'They will respect my son.' <sup>38</sup>But when the tenants saw the son, they said to themselves, 'This is the heir. Come, let us kill him and have his inheritance.' <sup>39</sup>And they took him and threw him out of the vineyard and killed him. <sup>40</sup>When therefore the owner of the vineyard comes, what will he do to those tenants?" <sup>41</sup>They said to him, "He will put those wretches to a miserable death and let out the vineyard to other tenants who will give him the fruits in their seasons."

<sup>42</sup>Jesus said to them, "Have you never read in the Scriptures:

"The stone that the builders rejected has become the cornerstone; this was the Lord's doing, and it is marvelous in our eyes'?

<sup>43</sup>Therefore I tell you, the kingdom of God will be taken away from you and given to a people producing its fruits. <sup>44</sup>And the one who falls on this stone will be broken to pieces; and when it falls on anyone, it will crush him."

<sup>45</sup>When the chief priests and the Pharisees heard his parables, they perceived that he was speaking about them. <sup>46</sup>And although they were seeking to arrest him, they feared the crowds, because they held him to be a prophet.

P This is the Gospel of the Lord.



**Nicene Creed** 

C I believe in one God,

the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth and of all things visible and invisible.

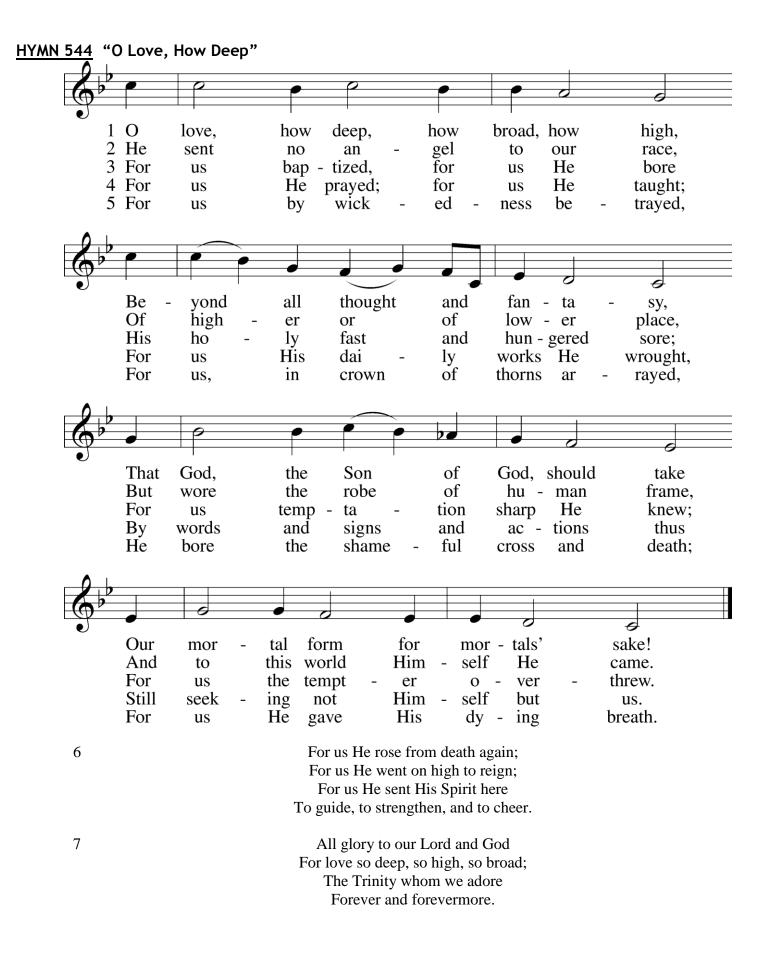
And in one Lord Jesus Christ,

the only-begotten Son of God, begotten of His Father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light, very God of very God, begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father, by whom all things were made; who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary and was made man: and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate. He suffered and was buried. And the third day He rose again according to the Scriptures and ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of the Father. And He will come again with glory to judge both the living and the dead, whose kingdom will have no end.

And I believe in the Holy Spirit,

the Lord and giver of life,
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,
who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified,
who spoke by the prophets.
And I believe in one holy Christian and apostolic Church,
I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins,
and I look for the resurrection of the dead

and the life +of the world to come. Amen.



# **"JESUS IS THE CORNERSTONE OF OUR LIVES"**

TEXT: Matthew 21:33-46 DATE: 10-4-20 LITURGICAL DAY: 18th Sunday after Pentecost and National LWML Sunday

*Theme: We build our lives on Jesus, the Cornerstone of the Church.* 

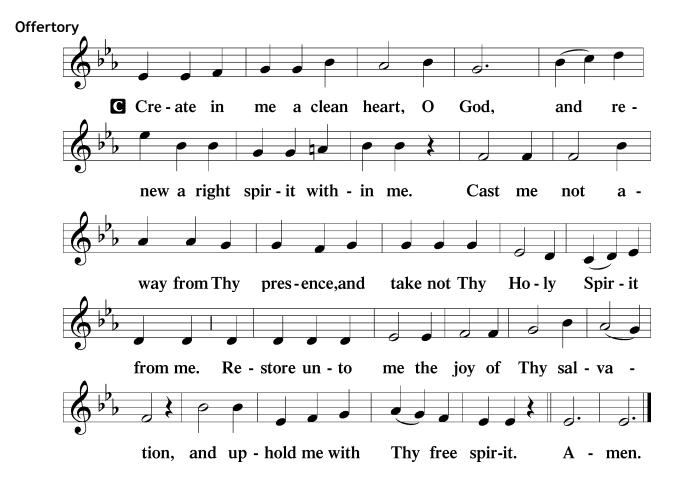
#### I. JESUS - THE SON OF THE OWNER OF THE VINEYARD

#### **II. JESUS - THE CORNERSTONE OF THE CHURCH**

III. JESUS - "Kingdom People Produce Kingdom Fruit" –LWML 2020 Theme

CONCLUSION: The kingdom of God, through our Savior, the Lord Jesus Christ, crucified and risen, has come to us in the Word and Sacrament, so that we can be a people who produce fruit in God's vineyard!

P The peace of God, which passes all understanding, keep your hearts and minds in Christ Jesus.C Amen.



#### We thank you for presenting your weekly offerings to the church in one of four ways:

1. Place your offerings in the offering plates by the back doors of the sanctuary

2. Mail your offering envelopes to the Church Office

3. Bring your Offerings to the Church Office

- You may place your offering in the wooden box on the bench by the glass doors.

4. Use the "Simply Giving" service to give your offerings digitally online. Thank you to everyone for faithfully supporting our ministry here

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Prayer of the Church

# LWML Sunday 2020 "Kingdom People Produce Kingdom Fruit"

L: All your works shall give thanks to you, O Lord, and all your saints shall bless you!

#### C: They shall speak of the glory of your kingdom and tell of your power; to the children of man your mighty deeds, and the glorious splendor of your kingdom.

L: Your kingdom is an everlasting kingdom, and your dominion endures throughout all generations. Today we come before the Lord with these gifts of the heart. We are called upon to bear fruit in keeping with the faith that we have been given.

C: As Kingdom people, we come with the gifts of the heart that flow from our faith Christ and love for His people.	in Jesus
L: Blessed is the man who delights in the law of the Lord,	

L: Blessed is the man who delights in the law of the Lord, and on his law he meditates day and night.

# C: He is like a tree planted by streams of water that yields its fruit in its season, and its leaf does not wither.

L: Let us pray: Lord God, heavenly Father, through Your Son Jesus Christ, You have brought us into Your kingdom through the working of the Holy Spirit in the means of grace. We are Your Kingdom people. These gifts that we present today are brought through faith in Your Son, even as we bear that fruit which brings You glory and serves our neighbor. May the ones that share these gifts also share the good news of salvation found in Jesus' death and resurrection. We pray that we one day we will stand before Your throne together as Kingdom people with all who receive the message of salvation

and are brought to faith in Your Son.

to make known

ALL: Praise the Lord! Praise God in his sanctuary; praise him in his mighty heavens! Praise him for his mighty deeds; praise him according to his excellent greatness!

#### LWML PLEDGE

#### (we speak together)

In fervent gratitude for the Savior's dying love and His blood-bought gift of redemption we dedicate ourselves to Him with all that we are and have; and in obedience to His call for workers in the harvest fields, we pledge Him our willing service wherever and whenever He has need of us. We consecrate to our Savior our hands to work for Him, our feet to go on His errands, our voice to sing His praises, our lips to proclaim His redeeming love, our silver and our gold to extend His Kingdom, our will to do His will, and every power of our life to the great task of bringing the lost and the erring into eternal fellowship with

#### Him. Amen.

#### P: THE PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH CONTINUE...

#### In the Hospital OR Receiving Treatments OR Recuperating:

Kandie Darmody, Steve Favors, Kermit & Linda Philemore Selzer, John Kocurek

#### Other Needs as We Pray for:

TLC Early Learning Center; LCMS U
 An End to the Coronavirus

#### Military Service Members & their Families

Doug Jupe, Mike Gobble, Charles Gather, Emily Shelton, Alex Laffin Ricardo Betanga, Keven Stevenson, Danny Greene, Courtney Tate

	<b>Birthdays</b>		
Celia Huntley	10/4	Logan Johnson	10/4
Beth Badder	10/5	Charles Gather	10/5
Grace Randol	10/5	Tyler Smith	10/5
Andrew Hartman	10/6	Brett Hollandsworth	10/6
Emma Baxter	10/7	Kevin Buller	10/7
Allen Rohde	10/8	Kim Darmody	10/9
Gabriel Hartman	10/9	Nolan Johnson	10/9
Pastor Evan Goeglein	10/10	Lou Ann Harris	10/10
John Zu	bialde	10/10	

#### <u>Anniversaries</u>

## None Missions

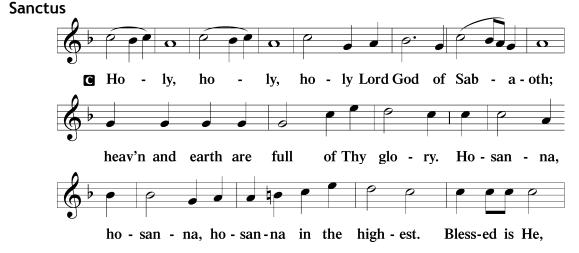
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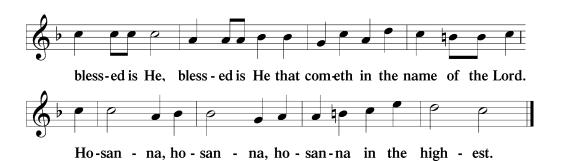
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# Service of the Sacrament



P It is truly meet, right, and salutary that we should at all times and in all places give thanks to You, holy Lord, almighty Father, everlasting God, through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who, having created all things, took on human flesh and was born of the virgin Mary. For our sake He died on the cross and rose from the dead to put an end to death, thus fulfilling Your will and gaining for You a holy people. Therefore with angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven we laud and magnify Your glorious name, evermore praising You and saying:





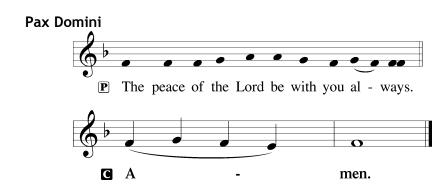
#### Lord's Prayer

- P 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.
- C For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever and ever. Amen.

#### The Words of Our Lord

P Our Lord Jesus Christ, on the night when He was betrayed, took bread, and when He had given thanks, He broke it and gave it to the disciples and said: "Take, eat; this is My + body, which is given for you. This do in remembrance of Me."

In the same way also He took the cup after supper, and when He had given thanks, He gave it to them, saying: "Drink of it, all of you; this cup is the new testament in My + blood, which is shed for you for the forgiveness of sins. This do, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of Me."





### Distribution

The pastor and those who assist him receive the body and blood of Christ first and then distribute them to those who come to receive, saying:

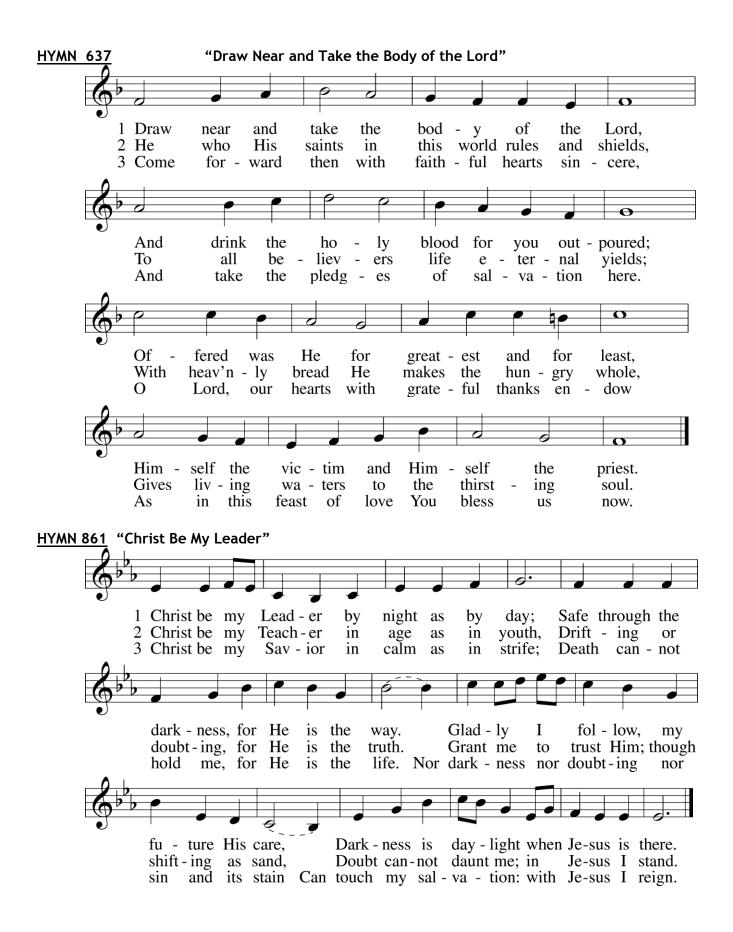
Take, eat; this is the true body of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ, given into death for your sins. **Amen.** 

Take, drink; this is the true blood of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ, shed for the forgiveness of your sins.

#### Amen.

In dismissing the communicants, the following is said:

- P The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen and preserve you in body and soul to life everlasting. Depart + in peace.
- **C** Amen.



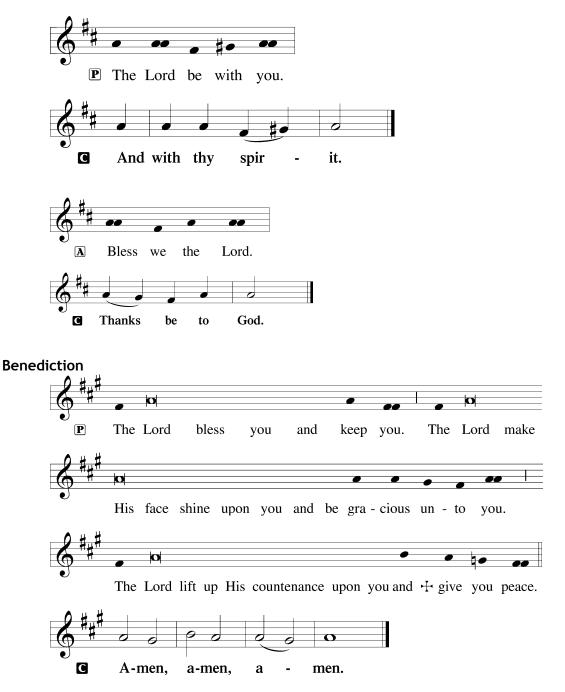
<u>HYMN 425</u> "When I Survey the Wondrous Cross"
1 When I sur - vey the won - drous cross On which the 2 For - bid it, Lord, that I should boast Save in the 3 See, from His head, His hands, His feet Sor - row and 4 Were the whole realm of na - ture mine, That were a
Prince of Glo - ry died, My rich - est gain I death of Christ, my God; All the vain things that love flow min - gled down! Did e'er such love and trib - ute far too small; Love so a - maz - ing,
count but loss And pour con-tempt on all my pride. charm me most, I sac - ri - fice them to His blood. sor - row meet Or thorns com - pose so rich a crown? so di - vine, De - mands my soul, my life, my all!
<u>HYMN 680</u> "Thine the Amen, Thine the Praise"
1 Thine thea-menThinethepraiseAl-le2 Thine thelifee-ter-nal-lyThinethe3 Thine thetru-lyThinetheyesThinethe4 Thinetheking-domThinetheprizeThinethe5 Thinetheglo-ryinthenightNomore
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Thine the break-ing of the bread All the earth on bend - ed knee Thine the glo - ry yet to be Then the jus - tice of Thy ways Then the Lamb e - ter - nal - ly Thine the glo - ry Thine the Then the ho - ly ho - ly
sto - ry Thine the har - vest then the cup Thine the rail - ing Gone the plead - ing gone the cry Gone the sing - ing Then the end of all the war Thine the sto - ry Then the wel - come to the least Then the ho - ly Cel - e - bra - tion ju - bi - lee Thine the
vine-yard then the cup is lift - ed up lift - ed up. sigh - ing gone the dy - ing what was loss lift - ed high. liv - ing Thine the lov - ing ev - er - more ev - er - more. won - der all in - creas - ing at Thy feast at Thy feast. splen-dor Thine the bright - ness on - ly Thee on - ly Thee.



- A Let us pray.
- A O God the Father, the fountain and source of all goodness, who in lovingkindness sent Your onlybegotten Son into the flesh, we thank You that for His sake You have given us pardon and peace in this Sacrament, and we ask You not to forsake Your children but always to rule our hearts and minds by Your Holy Spirit that we may be enabled constantly to serve You; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.



#### Salutation and Benedicamus



HYMN 924 "Lord, Dismiss Us with Your Blessing"



Postlude

"Postlude"

J. G. Sachs