10:00am: Sunday Worship
Officiant: The Rev'd Stuart Hallam
Sunday, June 21, 2020

Opening Music – 382 Praise to the Lord (Richardson – Burton)

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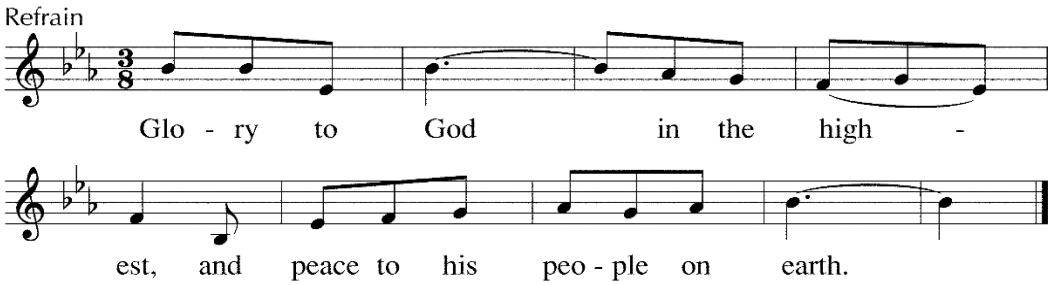
The Gathering of the Community

Opening responses

Celebrant With nature in its power and beauty
With rain and wind and sunshine
With ancient rocks and the mighty cedar
All **we gather in praise of God.**
Celebrant With believers and seekers the whole world wide
With people in every land
And speakers of every language.
All **we gather in praise of God.**
Celebrant With the angels and saints in heaven
with Philip and all who build community here
and with all who have worshipped in this place
All **we gather in praise of God.**
Celebrant With Jesus who promised his presence
and the Spirit who showers her blessings
All **we gather in praise of God.**
Celebrant Here let heaven and earth embrace;
All **here may God's people find home.**

Celebrant Almighty God,
All **to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hidden. Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy name; through Christ our Lord. Amen.**

Gloria



Verses

1. Lord God, heavenly King, almighty God and Father,
we worship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glory.

2. Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father, Lord God, Lamb of God,
you take away the sin of the world: have mercy on us;
you are seated at the right hand of the Father: receive our prayer.

3. For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord,
you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ,
with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

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Collect of the Day

Celebrant God of truth uncovered, you trace the sparrow's flight and plumb the secrets of the heart: bring our fear and conflict into the light of your presence, so that we may lose our hollow life and find our way to you; through Jesus Christ, the master and the slave. **Amen.**

The Proclamation of the Word

Reading: **Romans 6:1b-11** *read by Dani Amestegui*

Reader: *A reading from the letter of Paul to the Romans:*

What then are we to say? Should we continue in sin in order that grace may abound? By no means! How can we who died to sin go on living in it? Do you not know that all of us who have been baptized into Christ Jesus were baptized into his death? Therefore we have been buried with him by baptism into death, so that, just as Christ was raised from the dead by the glory of the Father, so we too might walk in newness of life.

For if we have been united with him in a death like his, we will certainly be united with him in a resurrection like his. We know that our old self was crucified with him so that the body of sin might be destroyed, and we might no longer be enslaved to sin. For whoever has died is freed from sin. But if we have died with Christ, we believe that we will also live with him. We know that Christ, being raised from the dead, will never die again; death no longer has dominion over him. The death he died, he died to sin, once for all; but the life he lives, he lives to God. So you also must consider yourselves dead to sin and alive to God in Christ Jesus.

Let us hear what the Spirit is saying to the Church.

All **Thanks be to God.**

The Holy Gospel *Matthew 10: 24-39*

Reader The Lord be with you

All **And also with you**.

Reader The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew

All **Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

Reader *'A disciple is not above the teacher, nor a slave above the master; it is enough for the disciple to be like the teacher, and the slave like the master. If they have called the master of the house Beelzebul, how much more will they malign those of his household!*

'So *have no fear of them; for nothing is covered up that will not be uncovered, and nothing secret that will not become known. What I say to you in the dark, tell in the light; and what you hear whispered, proclaim from the housetops. Do not fear those who kill the body but cannot kill the soul; rather fear him who can destroy both soul and body in hell. Are not two sparrows sold for a penny? Yet not one of them will fall to the ground unperceived by your Father. And even the hairs of your head are all counted. So do not be afraid; you are of more value than many sparrows.*

'Everyone therefore who acknowledges me before others, I also will acknowledge before my Father in heaven; but whoever denies me before others, I also will deny before my Father in heaven.

'Do not think that I have come to bring peace to the earth; I have not come to bring peace, but a sword.
For I have come to set a man against his father,
and a daughter against her mother,
and a daughter-in-law against her mother-in-law;
and one's foes will be members of one's own household.
Whoever loves father or mother more than me is not worthy of me; and whoever loves son or daughter more than me is not worthy of me; and whoever does not take up the cross and follow me is not worthy of me. Those who find their life will lose it, and those who lose their life for my sake will find it.

The Gospel of Christ

All **Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

Sermon The Rev'd Stuart Hallam

Music for Reflection – Violin Concerto in G Major, Movement II – W.A. Mozart
Performed by Norah Mix, violin and Brenda Campbell, piano.

Intercessions *Led by Glenn Sutherland*
The response to "Loving God" is, ***'Help us, O Lord".***

Confession
Celebrant Dear Friends ... Most merciful God,
All **We confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbours as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us, that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your name. Amen.**

Absolution

Peace

Celebrant The peace of the Lord be always with you.
All **And also with you.**

Invitation

Celebrant This is the table, not of the Church, but of Jesus.
So come, you who have much faith
and you who have little,
you who have been here often,
and you who have not been for a long time,
you who have tried to follow
and you who have failed.

Prayer over the Gifts

Celebrant God of mercy and grace, the eyes of all wait upon you, and you open your hand in blessing. Fill us with good things, so that we may come to the help of all in need, through Jesus Christ, our redeemer and Lord. **Amen.**

Eucharistic Prayer G - Anglican Church of England

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Celebrant The Lord is here
People **God's Spirit is with us**
Celebrant Lift up your hearts.
People **We lift them to the Lord.**
Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
People **It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

Celebrant Blessed are you, Lord God, our light and our salvation; to you be glory and praise for ever! From the beginning you have created all things and all your works echo the silent music of your praise. In the fullness of time you made us in your image, the crown of all creation.

You give us breath and speech that with angels and archangels and all the powers of heaven we may find a voice to sing your praise:

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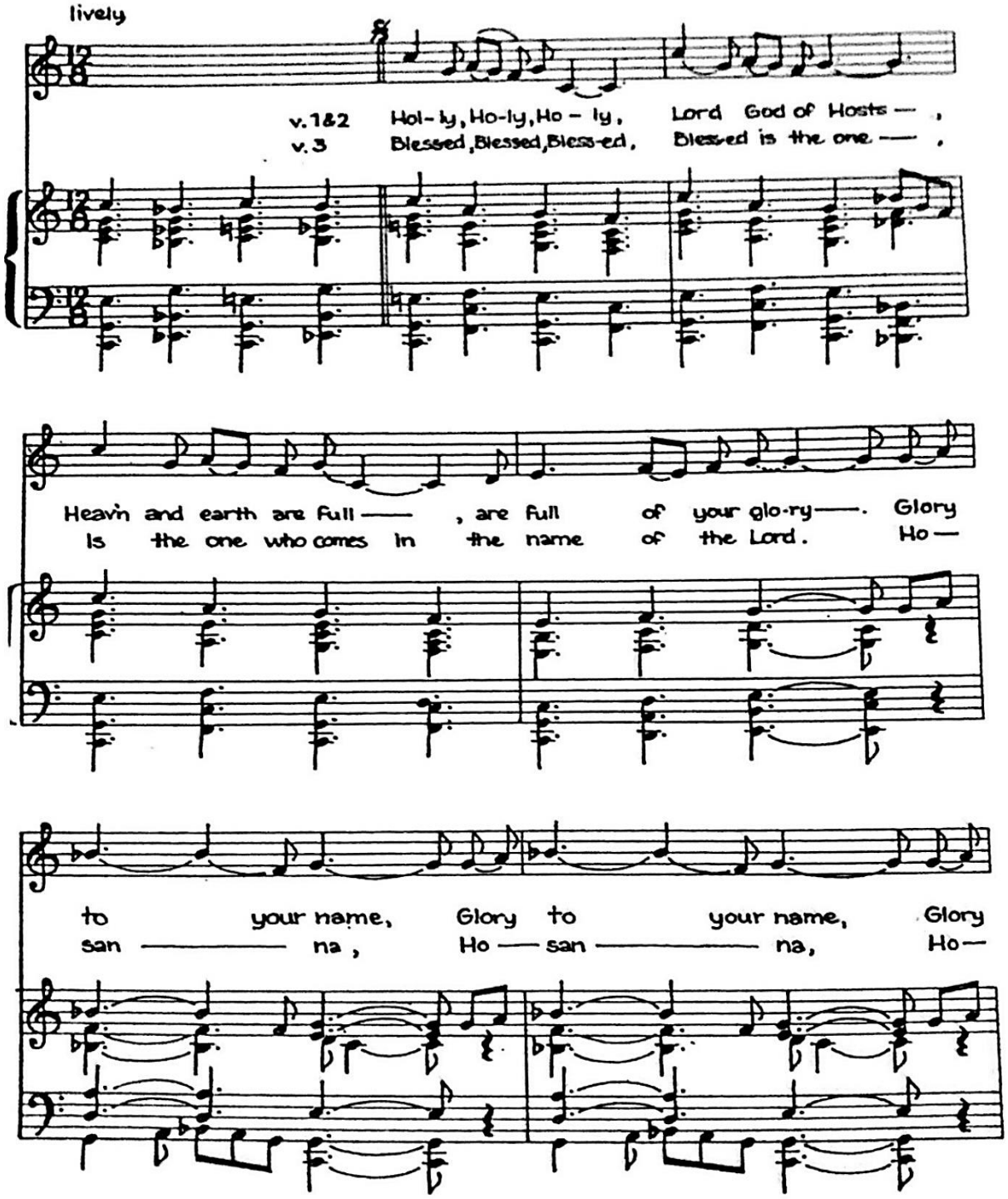
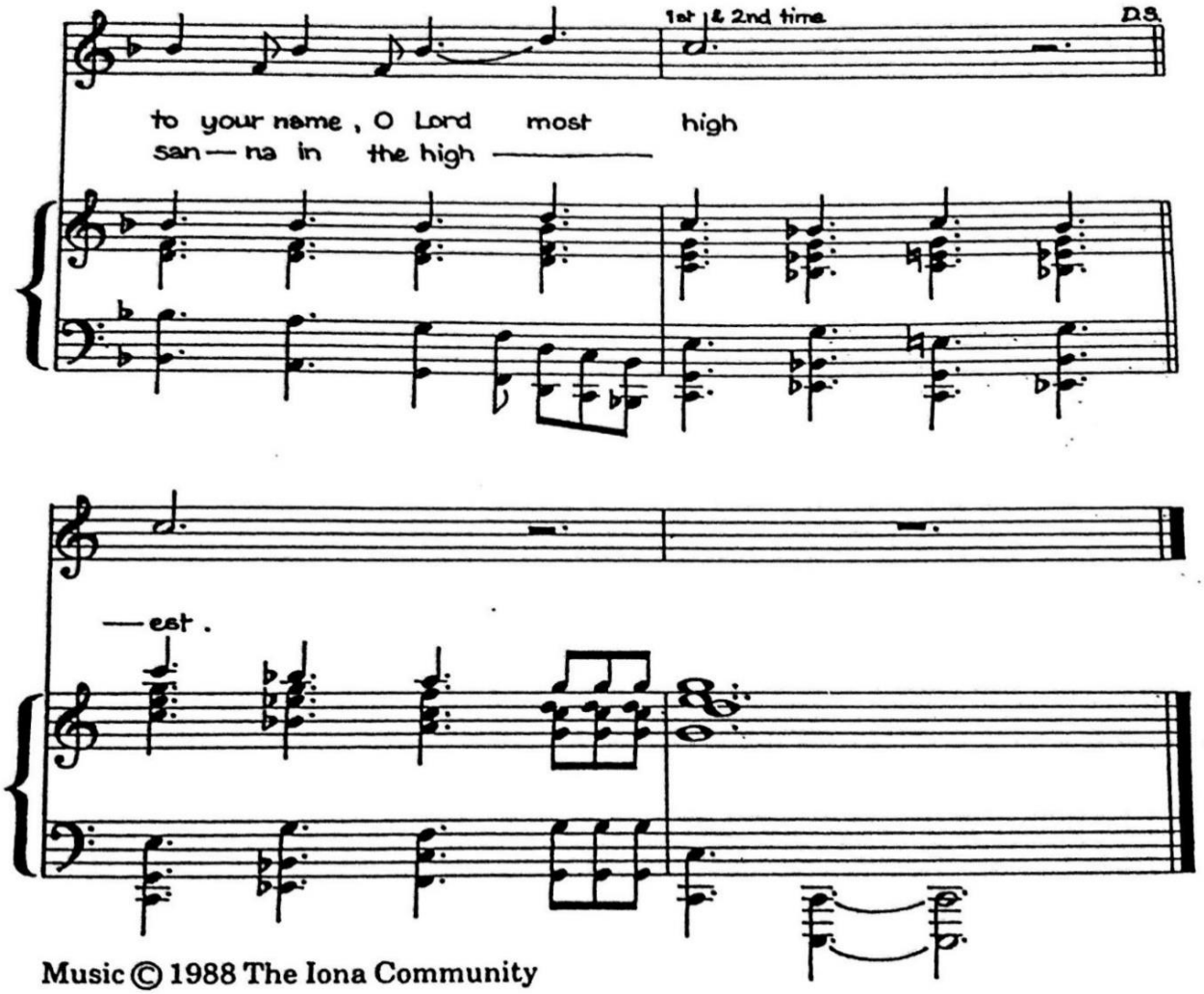

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Celebrant How wonderful the work of your hands, O Lord! As a mother tenderly gathers her children you embraced a people as your own. When they turned away and rebelled your love remained steadfast.

From them you raised up Jesus our Saviour, born of Mary, to be the living bread, in whom all our hungers are satisfied. He offered his life for sinners and with a love stronger than death he opened wide his arms on the cross.

On the night before he died, he came to supper with his friends, and taking bread, he gave you thanks. He broke it and gave it to them, saying: Take eat: this is my body which is given for you. Do this in remembrance of me.

At the end of supper, taking the cup of wine, he gave you thanks, and said: Drink this, all of you; this is my blood of the new covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me.

Great is the mystery of faith:

All **Christ has died:**
Christ is risen:
Christ will come again.

Celebrant Pleading with confidence his sacrifice made once for all upon the cross; we remember his dying and rising in glory, and we rejoice that he intercedes for us at your right hand.

Pour out your Holy Spirit as we bring before you these gifts of your creation; may they be for us the body and blood of your dear Son. As we eat and drink these holy things in your presence, form us into the likeness of Christ, and build us into a living temple to your glory.

Bring us at the last with Philip and all the saints to the vision of that eternal splendour for which you have created us; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, by him, with him, and in him, with all who stand before you in earth and heaven, we worship you, Father almighty, in songs of everlasting praise: Blessing and honour and glory and power be yours for ever and ever.

All **Amen**.

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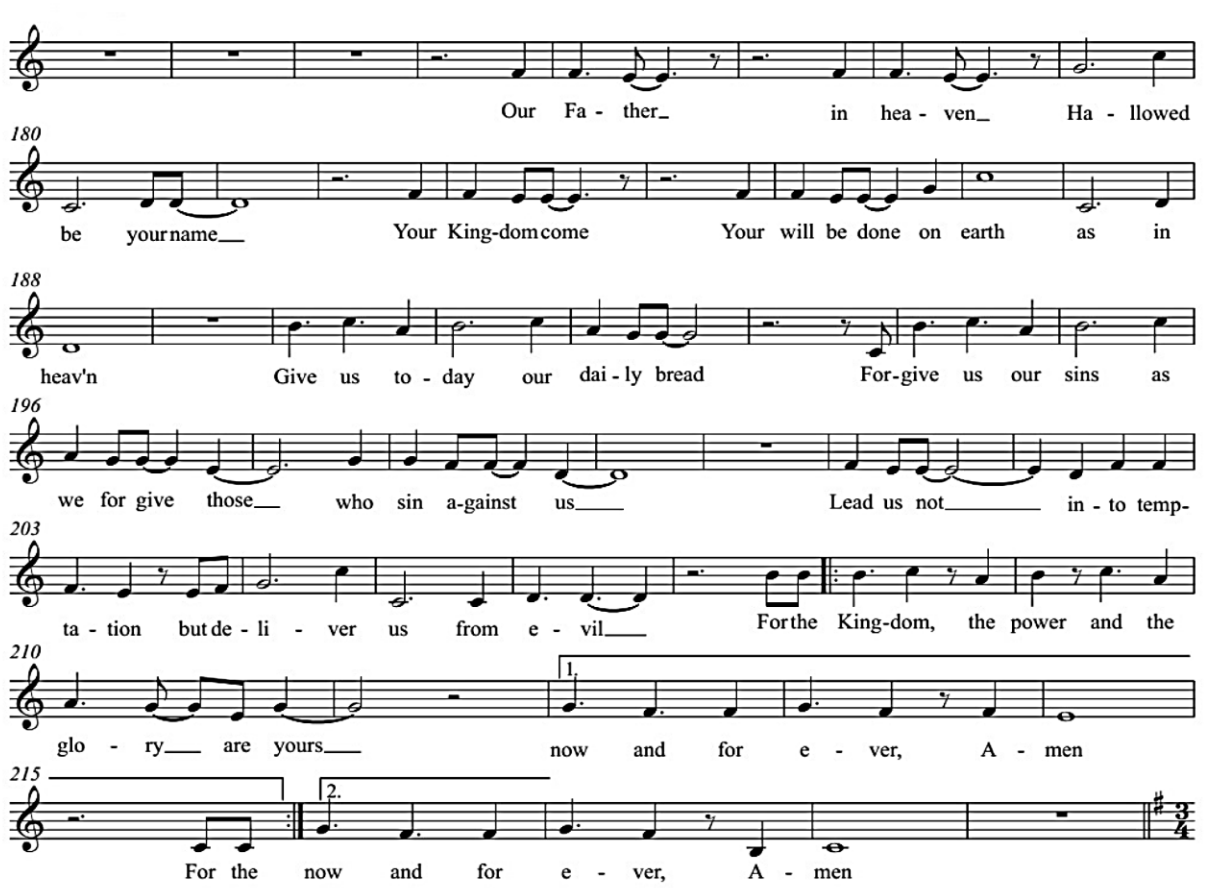
The Breaking of the Bread

Celebrant We break this bread to share in the body of Christ.

All **We, being many, are one body, for we all share in the one bread.**

Celebrant The Gifts of God for the People of God.

All **Thanks be to God.**

Post-Communion Music – 746 - The Disciples Knew Jesus – D. Millard

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Post Communion Prayer

Celebrant Almighty God, guide and protect your people who share in this sacred mystery, and keep us always in your love; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**.

Announcements

Hymn – 505 Be Thou My Vision (Slane)

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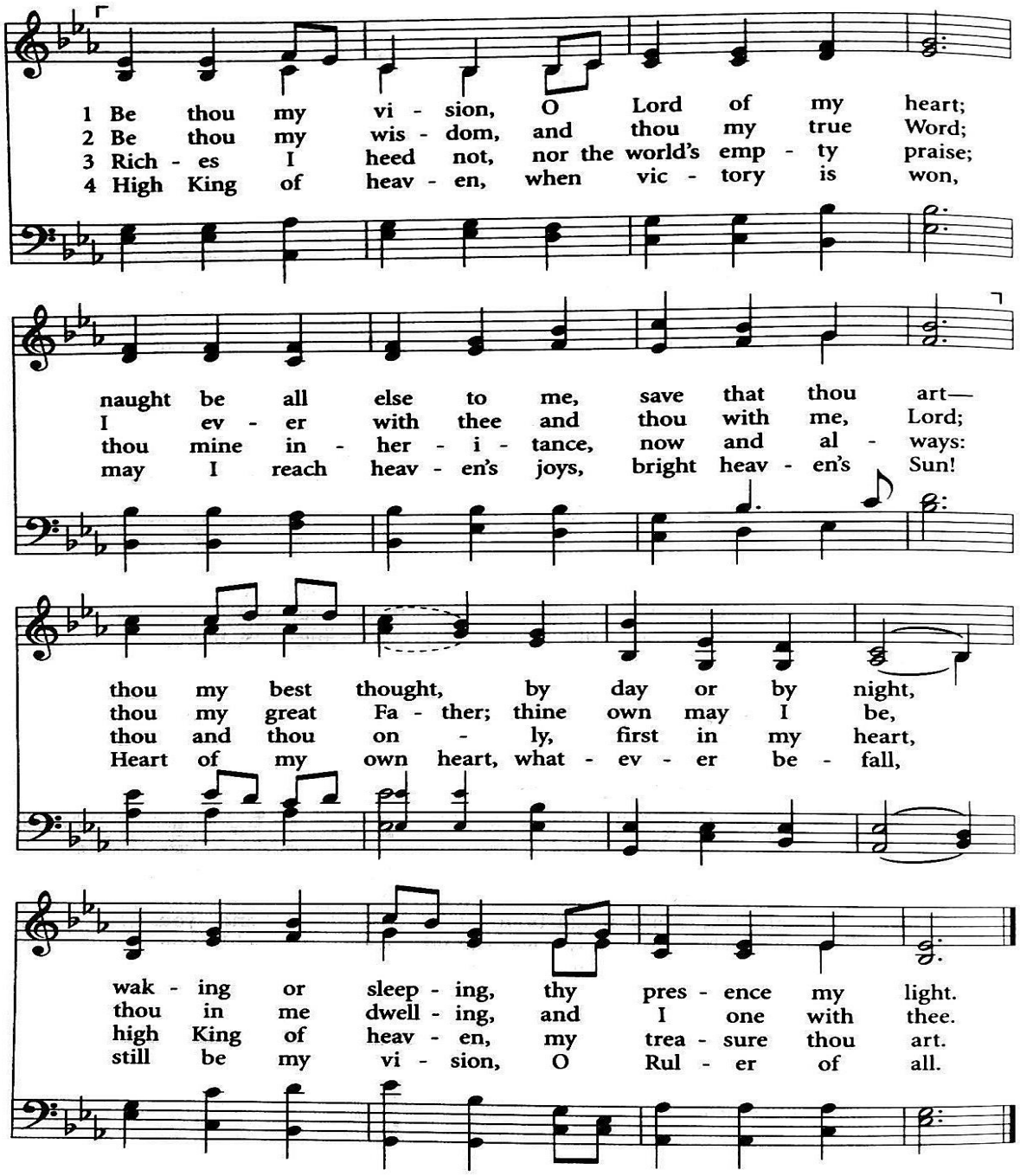

Doxology

Celebrant Glory to God

All **Whose power working in us, can do infinitely more than we can ask or imagine. Glory to God from generation to generation, in the Church and in Christ Jesus, for ever and ever. Amen.**

The Dismissal

Celebrant Go in peace to love and serve the world.

All **In the name of Christ. Amen.**

The Blessing

Celebrant The Peace of God, which passes all understanding...

Postlude – 425 Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee (Hymn to Joy)

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