

***Processional Hymn #253 O Glorious Day***

*O glorious day when God's love overflowed  
and all its beauty on the earth bestowed;  
the Spirit gave all creatures life and health  
and on them breathed the life of God's own self.  
In all creation, in each tiny flower,  
in every life we see God's living power.*

*More glorious still that day of storm and flame  
when God on Sinai's mount to Moses came;  
when Israel, from the waters brought ashore,  
received its calling and God's holy law.  
For on that day of God, the great I AM,  
the spirit on the chosen people came.*

*Most wonderful of all that holy dawn  
in which the Saviour of the world was born!  
The Spirit rest on a Hebrew maid  
and God in human form came to our aid.  
Then, Holy Spirit, your great love excelled  
when we our God in flesh and blood beheld.*

*Christ rose from death, victorious over sin;  
the ascended Lord now reigns, the world to win;  
and on the church that it may witness give,  
God's love was poured, that through it all might live.  
On this fresh Pentecost, life-giving Lord,  
come, spread through us your saving love abroad.*

**Gradual Hymn #624    *O Thou Who Camest from Above***

*O Thou who camest from above,  
the pure celestial fire to impart,  
kindle a flame of sacred love  
upon the altar of my heart.*

*There let it for thy glory burn  
with inextinguishable blaze,  
and trembling to its source return,  
in humble prayer and fervent praise.*

*Jesus, confirm my heart's desire  
to work and speak and think for thee,  
still let me guard the holy fire,  
and still stir up thy gift in me.*

*Ready for all thy perfect will,  
my acts of faith and love repeat,  
till death thy endless mercies seal  
and make the sacrifice complete.*

***Offertory Hymn #232 Jesus Is Risen from the Grave***

*Jesus is risen from the grave,  
Jesus is risen from the grave,  
Jesus is risen from the grave.  
alleluia.*

*Jesus was seen by Mary,  
Jesus was seen by Mary,  
Jesus was seen by Mary,  
alleluia.*

*Peter will soon be smiling,  
Peter will soon be smiling,  
Peter will soon be smiling,  
alleluia.*

*Thomas will stop his doubting,  
Thomas will stop his doubting,  
Thomas will stop his doubting,  
alleluia.*

*Jesus will meet his people,  
Jesus will meet his people,  
Jesus will meet his people,  
alleluia.*

*Jesus is here in bread and wine,  
Jesus is here in bread and wine,  
Jesus is here in bread and wine,  
alleluia.*

*Jesus will live for ever,  
Jesus will live for ever,  
Jesus will live for ever,  
alleluia.*

***Communion Hymn #637***

***Come, Holy Ghost, Our Souls Inspire***

*Come, Holy Ghost, our souls inspire,  
and lighten with celestial fire;  
thou the anointing Spirit art,  
who dost thy sevenfold gifts impart.*

*Thy blessed unction from above  
is comfort, life, and fire of love;  
enable with perpetual light  
the dullness of our blinded sight.*

*Anoint and cheer our soiled face  
with the abundance of thy grace:  
keep far our foes, give peace at home;  
where thou art guide no ill can come.*

*Teach us to know the Father, Son,  
and thee, of both, to be but one;  
that through the ages all along  
this may be our endless song:  
praise to thy eternal merit,  
Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.*

***Recessional Hymn      I Feel the Winds of God Today***

*I feel the winds of God today;  
today my sail I lift,  
though heavy oft with drenching spray  
and torn with many a rift;  
if hope but light the water's crest,  
and Christ my bark will use,  
I'll seek the seas at his behest,  
and brave another cruise.*

*It is the wind of God that dries  
my vain regretful tears,  
until with braver thoughts shall rise  
the purer, brighter years;  
if cast on shores of selfish ease  
or pleasure I should be,  
O let me feel your freshening breeze,  
and I'll put back to sea.*

*If ever I forget your love  
and how that love was shown,  
lift high the blood-red flag above;  
it bears your name alone.  
Great pilot of my onward way,  
you will not let me drift;  
I feel the winds of God today,  
today my sail I lift.*