

SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

WINNETKA PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

FIFTH SUNDAY IN LENT
APRIL 3, 2022

GATHERING

PRELUDE

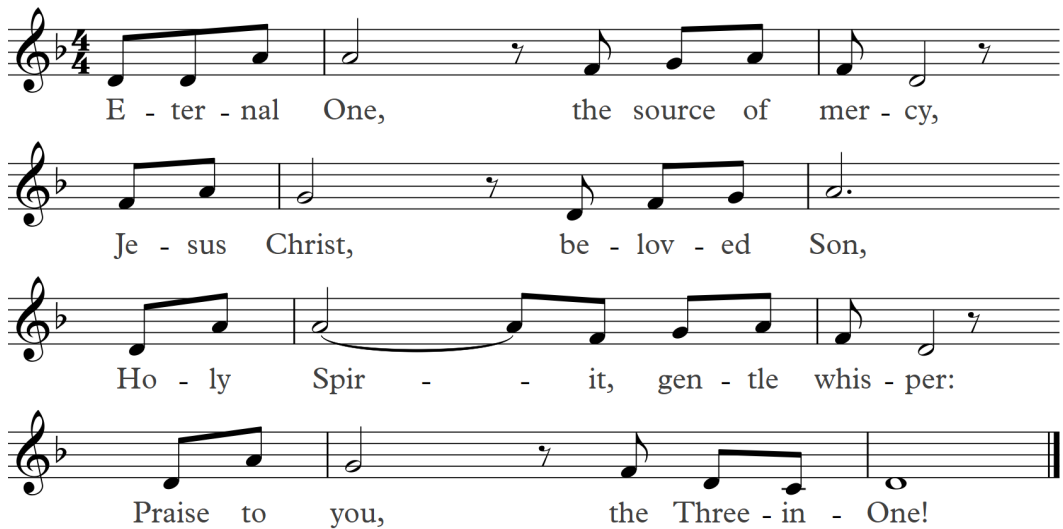
In the Cross of Christ I Glory

WELCOME

SILENT REFLECTION

DOXOLOGY | STANDING

Eternal One



E - ter - nal One, the source of mer - cy,
Je - sus Christ, be - lov - ed Son,
Ho - ly Spir - - it, gen - tle whis - per:
Praise to you, the Three - in - One!

O God, you summon the day to dawn,
you teach the morning to waken the earth.

Great is your name.

Great is your love.

For you the valleys shall sing for joy,
the trees of the field shall clap their hands.

Great is your name.

Great is your love.

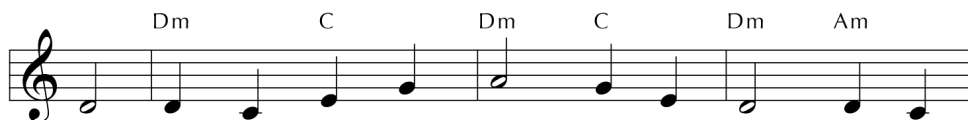
Your love and mercy shall last forever,
fresh as the morning, sure as the sunrise.

Great is your name.

Great is your love.

HYMN | STANDING

What Wondrous Love



1 What won - drous love is this, O my soul, O my
2 When I was sink - ing down, sink - ing down, sink - ing
3 To God and to the Lamb, I will sing, I will
4 And when from death I'm free, I'll sing on, I'll sing



soul, what won - drous love is this, O my soul! What
down, when I was sink - ing down, sink - ing down, when
sing, to God and to the Lamb, I will sing; to
on; and when from death I'm free, I'll sing on; and



won - drous love is this that caused the Lord of
I was sink - ing down be - neath God's righ - teous
God and to the Lamb who is the great I
when from death I'm free, I'll sing and joy - ful

bliss to bear the dread-ful curse for my soul, for my
frown, Christ laid a-side his crown for my soul, for my
AM, while mil-lions join the theme, I will sing, I will
be, and through e-ter-ni-ty, I'll sing on, I'll sing

soul, to bear the dread-ful curse for my soul!
soul, Christ laid a-side his crown for my soul!
sing; while mil-lions join the theme, I will sing!
on; and through e-ter-ni-ty I'll sing on.

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Most merciful God,
we confess that we are captive to sin
and cannot free ourselves.
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 neighbors as ourselves.
Forgive us, renew us, and lead us,
so that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways.

RESPONSE

Kyivan Chant

Ho - ly God, Ho - ly Might - y,
Ho - ly Im - mor - tal have mer - cy on us.

WORDS OF ASSURANCE

RESPONSE

Son of God, Whose Heart Is Peace

1 Son of God, whose heart is peace, Son of God, most ho - ly,
2 Take a - way our sin - ful - ness, e - vil that im - pris - ons us;
3 Warm our hearts to love you, Lord, you who died to save us;
to your pres - ence we have come; give us now your love.
free us from what trou - bles us; give our souls re - lease.
gath - er us with - in your arms, Je - sus, on this day.

LISTENING

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

EPISTLE

Philippians 3:4-14

This is the word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

Children are dismissed to music following the scripture reading, and will return after the sermon.

SERMON

Throwing Out the Good Stuff
Rev. Paul Gilmore

SHARING THE PEACE OF CHRIST | STANDING

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

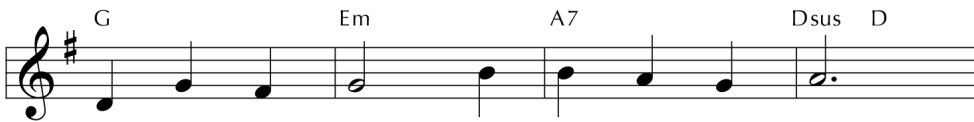
COMMUNING

INVITATION TO THE TABLE | STANDING

Come to the Table



*1 Come to the ta - ble, all you who praise God.
 2 Come eat this bread now, my bro - ken bod - y.
 3 All is now read - y, like the first ta - ble.



Laid in a sta - ble, God's gift of love:
 My vow re - mem - ber: I am your Lord.
 Pray for the Spir - it; lift up your hearts.



Je - sus our Sav - ior poured out his life's blood.
 Drink of this wine, the cup of sal - va - tion,
 Christ has a - ris - en, our Lord and Sav - ior.



Our sins for - giv - en, God's gift of love.
 for you are mine, and I am your Lord.
 With great thanks - giv - ing, lift up your hearts.

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them up to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give God thanks and praise.

Gratitude, praise,

hearts lifted high,

voices full and joyful ...

these you deserve, Holy God.

For when we were nothing, you made us something.

When we had no name and no faith and no future,

you called us your children.

When we lost our way or turned away, you did not abandon us.

When we came back to you, your arms opened wide in welcome.

And look,

you prepare a table for us

offering not just bread, not just wine,

but your very self

so that we may be filled, forgiven, healed, blessed and made new again.

You are worth all our pain and all our praise.

So now, in gratitude,

we join our voices to those of the Church on earth and in heaven:

(Sung by the choir)

Holy, holy, holy, Lord of Sabaoth;

heaven and earth are full of thy glory. Hosanna in the highest.

Blessed is he that comes in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna in the highest.

Kyivan Chant

Lord God, as we come to share the richness of your table,

we cannot forget the rawness of the earth.

We cannot take the bread of life
and forget those who are hungry.
We cannot take the wine of salvation
and forget those who are in need of healing.
We cannot hear your words of peace
and forget the world at war
or, if not at war, then preparing for it.
We cannot celebrate the feast of your family
and forget our divisions.

**For us Christ was born,
for us Christ healed,
preached, taught, and showed us the way to heaven;
for us Christ was crucified,
and for us, after death,
Christ rose again.**

So as we do in this place
what you did in an upstairs room,
send down your Holy Spirit
on us
and on these gifts of bread and wine
that they may become for us your body,
healing, forgiving,
and making us whole;
and that we may become your body,
loving and caring in the world
until your kingdom comes.

We ask all these things, Holy God,
in the power of your Spirit,
and in the name of Jesus Christ, our Savior,
who taught us to pray...

THE LORD'S PRAYER | STANDING

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 debts as we forgive our debtors;
and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever.
Amen.

The congregation is seated.

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

COMMUNION

God So Loved the World

God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten son, that whoso believeth, believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life.
For God sent not his Son into the world to condemn the world, but that the world through him might be saved.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

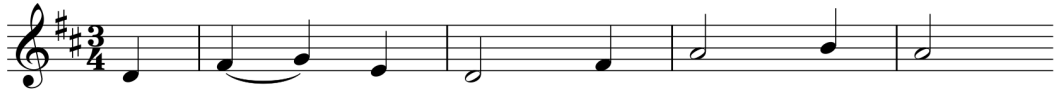
Iona Community

Lord Jesus Christ,
you have put your life into our hands;
now we put our lives into yours.
Take us,
renew and remake us.
What we have been is past;
what we shall be, through you,
still awaits us.
Lead us on.
Take us with you.
Amen.

SENDING

CLOSING SONG | STANDING

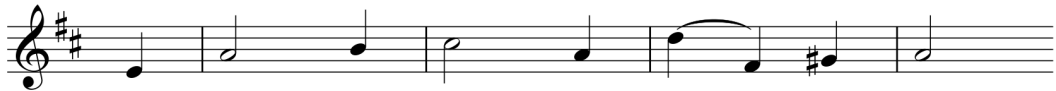
What Does It Mean



1. What does it mean to lose one's life?
2. What is the heart of Je - sus' way?
3. What is the cost to stand for truth
4. Christ, teach us how we're called to live;



What does it mean to save one's soul?
What does it mean to bear his cross?
here in this world where ha - tred thrives?
show us the risks we need to take.



How are we called to fol - low Christ?
Will we have cour - age to o - bey
We pray, Lord: make us liv - ing proof
May all we seek and do and give



What does it mean to be made whole?
when we know there will be a cost?
that love can heal and change our lives!
be done, Lord, for your gos - pel's sake.

CHARGE AND BENEDICTION | STANDING

POSTLUDE

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Sign up at winnpres.org to receive our weekly email for all the latest WPC news.

SING IN THE CHOIR FOR EASTER!

Rehearsal: April 7 @ 7:15pm

It's not too late to join the choir! We will be singing on Palm Sunday and Easter. Our final rehearsal is this coming Thursday, April 7.

MAUNDY THURSDAY SUPPER

Thursday, April 14 @ 6pm

Join us on Maundy Thursday for an all-church soup supper. We will observe the evening of Jesus' last supper by gathering together in the atrium for a simple soup supper at 6pm, followed by a Holy Communion service in the sanctuary at 7pm. We are looking for people to bring soups, salads, and breads. To RSVP, just click on the sign-up button. You can also sign-up here to bring food.

GOOD FRIDAY WORSHIP

Friday, April 15 @ Noon

We will observe Good Friday this year with a simple worship service at noon in the sanctuary. Scripture readings and beautiful organ meditations will help us reflect on the crucifixion of Jesus.

CELTIC SPIRITUALITY CLASS TODAY

Sundays, @ 11:10am (Conference Room B)

INTERESTED IN BECOMING A MEMBER?

Maybe you've been coming to WPC for a while and have just never made it "official." Or maybe you're brand new, but you know this is your new church home. Wherever you are on your journey, we want to invite you to consider becoming a member! If you're interested in finding out more, please contact Pastor Paul Gilmore.

EASTER FLOWER DONATIONS

Check your weekly email or click the "Give Online" button on the website. To donate with a check, please put "Easter Flowers" in the memo line.

WEEKLY OPPORTUNITIES

Zoom links can be found in your weekly email or at winnpres.org.

SERVING TODAY

Worship Leaders: Paul Gilmore, Geoff Duffy
Centsability Colletion: River and Isaac Lewis
Lector: Nancy Holly
Musicians: Daniel Rausch, Bryan Wlas,
Elizabeth Vaughan, Laura Bumgardner
Sound: Stephen Gloyd

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HOLY WEEK

April 10-17



PALM SUNDAY **APRIL 10 @ 10AM**

- Celebrate Jesus' triumphal entry with a procession and palms for everyone!
- WPC youth and musicians present the story of the last days of Jesus.

MAUNDY THURSDAY **APRIL 14 @ 6PM**

- Commemorate the Last Supper Jesus had with his disciples.
- Soup Supper @ 6pm.
- Worship with Holy Communion @ 7pm in the sanctuary.

GOOD FRIDAY **APRIL 15 @ 12PM**

- Observe the day of Jesus' crucifixion with organ meditations and a simple prayer service in the sanctuary @ 12 noon.

EASTER SUNDAY **APRIL 17 @ 10AM**

- Rejoice in the resurrection with a festival worship service @ 10am in the CLC.
- Easter reception and Easter egg hunt following worship.
- Children remain in worship with their families.

ORDER FLOWERS FOR EASTER

If you would like to help fill the CLC with flowers for Easter Sunday (and the Easter season), please fill out this form and return it by Sunday, April 10.

In loving memory _____

In honor _____

In thanksgiving _____

Given by _____

Donation Amount _____



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