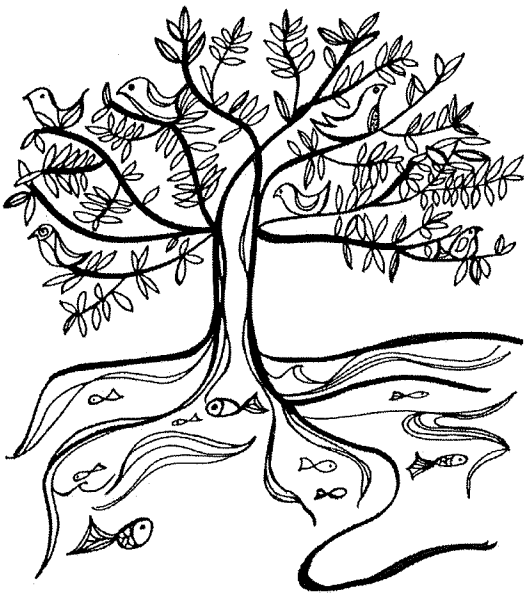
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OUR MISSION STATEMENT
"TO KNOW AND SHARE GOD'S LOVE"
INVITE SOMEONE TO CHURCH!!

All Saints Sunday
November 1, 2026

Worship Time 8:00 & 10:30 am
Sunday School 9:15 am
Fellowship Time 9:15 am

† **Indicates - Please stand if comfortable**

Welcome and Announcements

Prelude: Prelude and Fugue on "Land of Rest" *arr. David Lasky*

† **Call To Worship: 689 Praise and Thanksgiving** vs 1
Praise and thanksgiving, God, we would offer for all things living, you have made good: harvest of sown fields, fruits of the orchard, hay from the mown fields, blossom and wood.

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

P: Blessed be the holy Trinity, one God, our dwelling place for all generations, whose compassion never slumbers.
Amen.

P: Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another.

Silence is kept for reflection.

P: Holy God,
C: we confess that we have trusted in our preparation instead of your invitation. We prioritize our piety over care for your beloved. We trust the voice of our shame and fear, which keeps us from entering fully into relationship with you and others. We are not awake to the coming of your reign. Rouse us and rescue us, that we may enter into your joy.
Amen.

P: Inherit the riches of God's grace. Jesus, the good shepherd, feeds you with his mercy. You are forgiven. Blessed are you.
C: Amen.

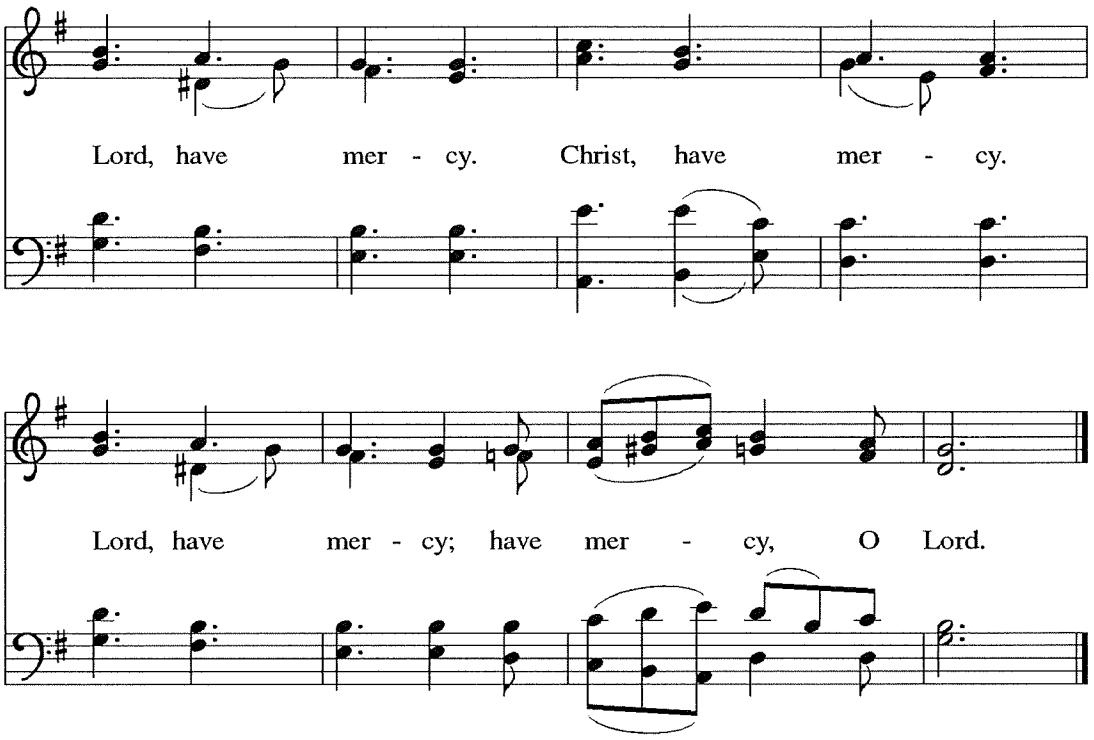
† ***Hymn 422 For All the Saints*** vs. 1-4

Greeting

P: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.
C: And also with you.

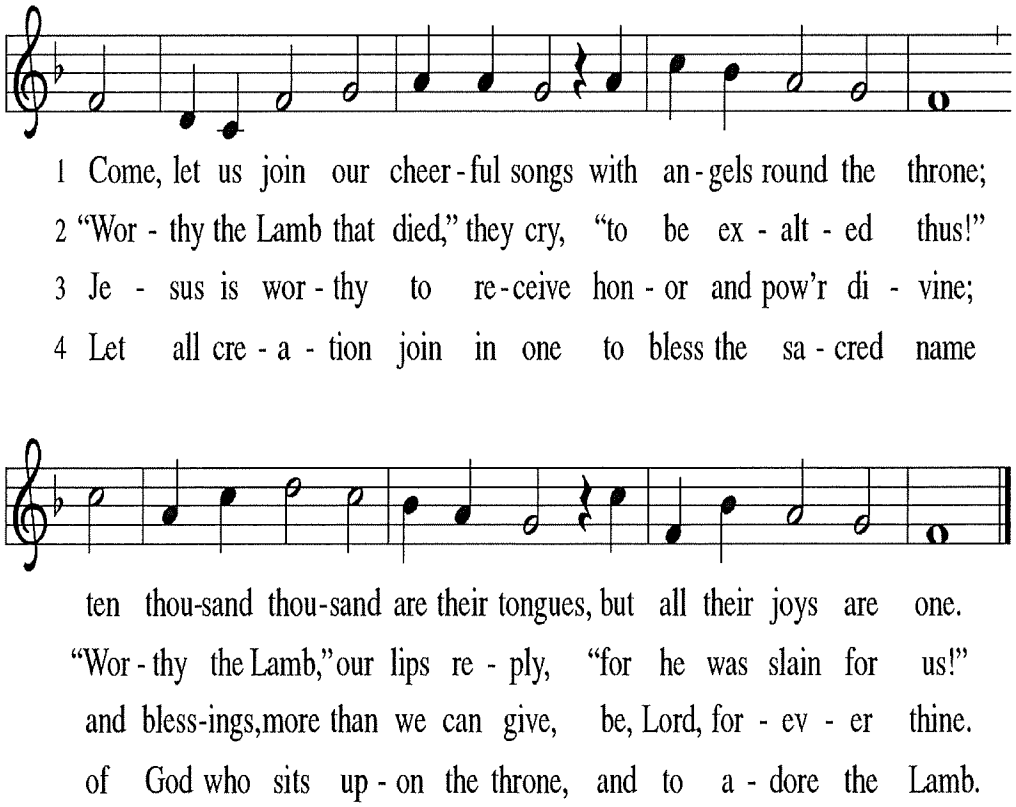
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Kyrie



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Come, Let Us Join



† Prayer of the Day

P: Let us pray: Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, the source of all mercy and the God of all consolation.

C: He comforts us in all our sorrows so that we can comfort others in their sorrows with the comfort we ourselves have received from God

P: When we were baptized into Christ Jesus, we were baptized into his death.

C: We were buried therefore with him by baptism into death, so that as Christ was raised from the dead by the glory of the Father, we too might live a new life.

P: For if we have been united with him in a death like his, we shall certainly be united with him in a resurrection like his.

C: Thanks be to God!

P: Almighty God, those who die in the Lord still live with you in joy and blessedness

C: We give you heartfelt thanks for the grace you have bestowed upon your servants who have finished their course in faith and now rest from their labors.

P: Especially do we thank you for the life and witness of Rose Allen, Phyllis Blust, Evva Burlingame, David Corbitt, Gloria Corbitt, Kathy Everhard, Doralee Freseman, Larry Gruber, Bernadette M. Hamon, Kimberly Hoffman-Shaw, Robert Keck, Paul Lehmann and others we name before you. Into your hands we commend them, O merciful Savior, sheep of your own fold, lambs of your own flock, sinners of your own redeeming.

C: Rest eternal grant to them, O Lord, and let light perpetual shine upon them

P: Almighty God, whose people are knit together in one holy church, the body of Christ our Lord; Grant us grace to follow your blessed saints in lives of faith and commitment, and to know the inexpressible joys you have prepared for those who love you: through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C: Amen

CHOIR ANTHEM: Changed and Climbin'

by M. Lister, arr. M. Parks

First Lesson: Revelation 7:9-17

[1]In the first year of King Belshazzar of Babylon, Daniel had a dream and visi[9] After this I looked, and there was a great multitude that no one could count, from every nation, from all tribes and peoples and languages, standing before the throne and before the Lamb, robed in white, with palm branches in their hands. [10] They cried out in a loud voice, saying,

"Salvation belongs to our God who is seated on the throne and to the Lamb!"

[11] And all the angels stood around the throne and around the elders and the four living creatures, and they fell on their faces before the throne and worshiped God, [12] singing,

"Amen! Blessing and glory and wisdom and thanksgiving and honor and power and might be to our God forever and ever! Amen."

[13] Then one of the elders addressed me, saying, "Who are these, robed in white, and where have they come from?" [14] I said to him, "Sir, you are the one who knows." Then he said to me, "These are they who have come out of the great ordeal; they have washed their robes and made them white in the blood of the Lamb. [15] For this reason they are before the throne of God and worship him day and night within his temple, and the one who is seated on the throne will shelter them.

[16] They will hunger no more and thirst no more; the sun will not strike them, nor any scorching heat,

[17] for the Lamb at the center of the throne will be their shepherd, and he will guide them to springs of the water of life, and God will wipe away every tear from their eyes. '



Psalm 34:1-10, 22 *(congregation reads the verses in **bold**)*

[1] I will bless the LORD at all times;
the praise of God shall ever be in my mouth.
[2] **I will glory in the LORD;**
let the lowly hear and rejoice.
[3] Proclaim with me the greatness of the LORD;
let us exalt God's name together.
[4] **I sought the LORD, who answered me**
and delivered me from all my terrors.
[5] Look upon the LORD and be radiant,
and let not your faces be ashamed.
[6] **I called in my affliction, and the LORD heard me**
and saved me from all my troubles.
[7] The angel of the LORD encamps around those who fear the LORD
and delivers them.
[8] **Taste and see that the LORD is good;**
happy are they who take refuge in God!
[9] Fear the LORD, you saints of the LORD,
for those who fear the LORD lack nothing.
[10] **The lions are in want and suffer hunger,**
but those who seek the LORD lack nothing that is good.
[22] O LORD, you redeem the life of your servants,
and those who put their trust in you will not be punished.

Second Lesson: 1 John 3:1-3

[1] See what love the Father has given us, that we should be called children of God, and that is what we are. The reason the world does not know us is that it did not know him. [2] Beloved, we are God's children now; what we will be has not yet been revealed. What we do know is this: when he is revealed, we will be like him, for we will see him as he is. [3] And all who have this hope in him purify themselves, just as he is pure.

† Halle, Halle, Hallelujah



† Gospel: Matthew 5:1-12

[1] When Jesus saw the crowds, he went up the mountain, and after he sat down, his disciples came to him. [2] And he began to speak and taught them, saying:

[3] "Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

[4] "Blessed are those who mourn, for they will be comforted.

[5] "Blessed are the meek, for they will inherit the earth.

[6] "Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they will be filled.

[7] "Blessed are the merciful, for they will receive mercy.

[8] "Blessed are the pure in heart, for they will see God.

[9] "Blessed are the peacemakers, for they will be called children of God.

[10] "Blessed are those who are persecuted for the sake of
righteousness, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.
[11] "Blessed are you when people revile you and persecute you and
utter all kinds of evil against you falsely on my account. [12] Rejoice
and be glad, for your reward is great in heaven, for in the same way
they persecuted the prophets who were before you."

P: The Gospel of our Lord
C: Thanks be to God

YOUTH MESSAGE

SERMON: "In Memory of…""

† Hymn *732* Borning Cry

† **NICENE CREED** *Page 104*
We believe in one God,
the Father, the Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth,
of all that is, seen and unseen.
We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,
the only Son of God,
eternally begotten of the Father,
God from God, Light from Light,
true God from true God,
begotten, not made,
of one Being with the Father.
Through him all things were made.
For us and for our salvation
he came down from heaven;
by the power of the Holy Spirit
he became incarnate from the virgin Mary, and was made man.
For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;
he suffered death and was buried.
On the third day he rose again
in accordance with the Scriptures;
he ascended into heaven
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.
He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead,
and his kingdom will have no end.
We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,
who proceeds from the Father and the Son.

With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified.
He has spoken through the prophets.
We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.
We acknowledge one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins.
We look for the resurrection of the dead,
and the life of the world to come. Amen

† THE PRAYERS

P: God in your mercy,
C: hear our prayer.

† SHARING THE PEACE

Offertory: All the Way My Savior Leads Me *by Jenifer Cook*

† Let The Vineyards

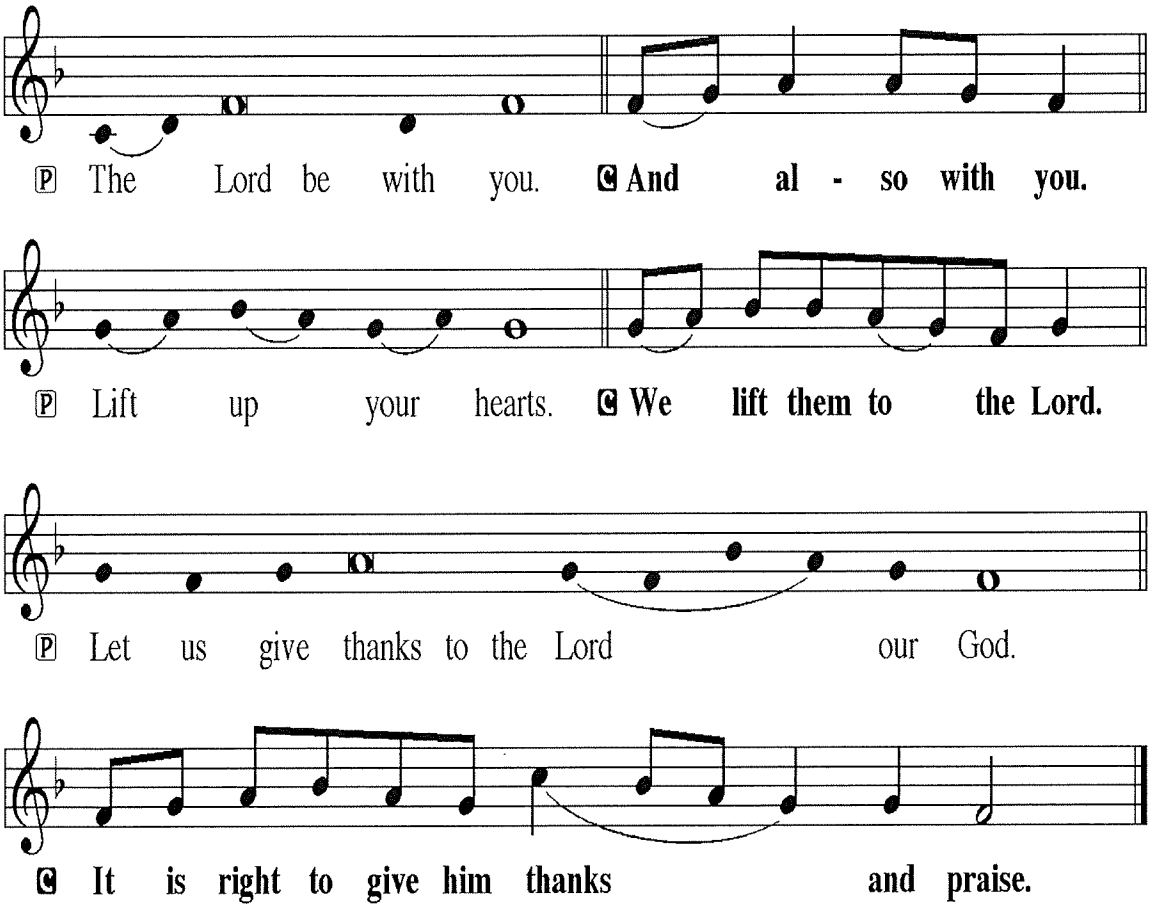


OFFERING PRAYER

P: Eternal God, our time, talents, and treasures are gifts from you. Receive what we offer, and all that you entrust to us, until hungry no more, all the world is fed, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

C: Amen.

† The Great Thanksgiving



P: It is indeed right and salutary that we should at all times and in all places offer thanks and praise to you, O Lord, holy Father, through Christ our Lord. In the blessedness of your saints you have given us a glorious pledge of the hope of our calling; that, moved by their witness and supported by their fellowship, we may run with perseverance the race that is set before us and with them receive the unfading crown of glory. And so, with the Church on earth and the hosts of heaven, we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

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Holy, Holy, Holy

Great Thanksgiving



P: Blessed are you, Lord of heaven and earth. In mercy for our fallen world you gave your only Son, that all those who believe in him should not perish, but have eternal life. We give thanks to you for the salvation you have prepared for us through Jesus Christ. Send now your Holy Spirit into our hearts, that we may receive our Lord with a living faith as he comes to us in his holy supper.

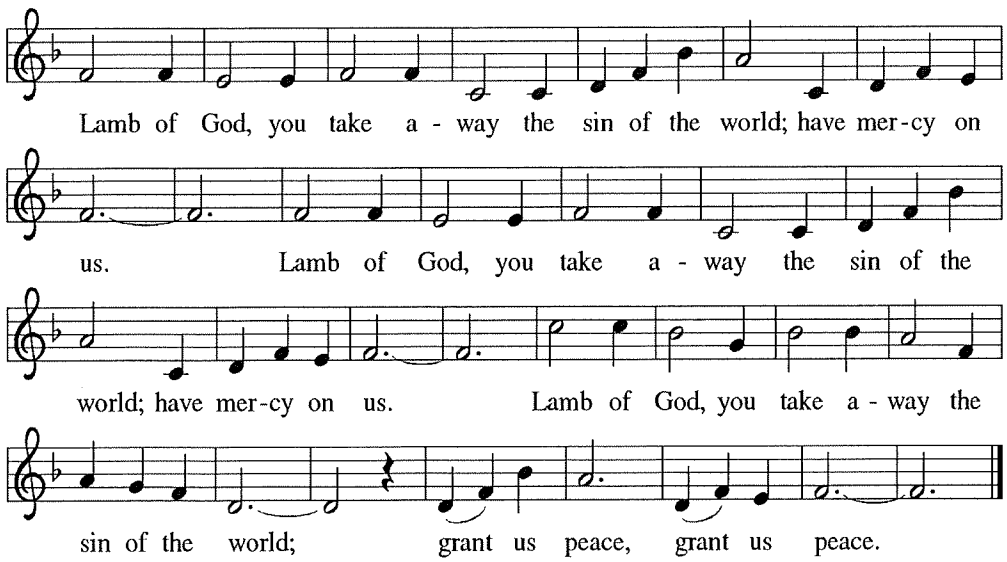
C: Amen. Come, Lord Jesus.

P: In the night in which he was betrayed, our Lord Jesus took bread, and gave thanks; broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying: Take and eat; this is my body, given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me. Again, after supper, he took the cup, gave thanks, and gave it for all to drink, saying: This cup is the new covenant in my blood, shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin. Do this for the remembrance of me.

P: Let us join together in praying our Lord's Prayer:

C: 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. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen

† Lamb of God



Distribution of Communion: 787, 471, 472

P: The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen you and keep you in his grace.
C: Amen

† Post Communion Prayer
P: Let us Pray: Holy God,
C: we have received your never-ending mercy in this meal. You continuously seek the lost, bind the injured, and feed your people abundantly. Now send us out, awake to your presence, now and forever.
Amen.

Blessing
P: The holy Trinity, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, bless you with wisdom to welcome the reign of God, today and always.
C: Amen.

† Hymn ***422 For All the Saints*** vs. 5-7

Dismissal
P: Go in peace. Encourage one another.
C: Thanks be to God.

Postlude: Postlude on "Duke Street" *arr. David Lasky*

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WELCOME to the worship of the people of God who are Faith Lutheran Church. May you feel the presence of the Lord in our midst and hear His Word spoken to your heart. For more information contact us at faithlutheranmtvernon@gmail.com or check out our website at FLCMTV.org. Our mission at Faith Church is **To Know And Share God's Love.**

IF you are a ***GUEST,*** you are invited to sign our guest book in the narthex with your name, and contact information, so we may give you a cordial welcome, and an invitation to return to worship with us soon. If you have children, please check out our Children's Activity Center on the wall in the narthex. Changing tables are available in Room 207 and Room 211 (Nursery). There is also a private mothers' space available in Room 214. Contact an usher if you need assistance.

The Sacrament of Holy Communion is being celebrated today. The invitation to commune is extended to all Christians who are seeking to follow Jesus in their lives. We have glasses of white grape juice available for those who request it. Just ask the communion assistant as they come to you. Come join us as our brothers and sisters as we gather as God's family at His table. Infants and children may be brought to the altar for a blessing by the Pastor. Communion recipients are asked to give the communion cards to an usher when coming forward. This is the only record we have of those communing. Visitors are asked to give their home church on the reverse side of the card so we can forward notification of your communion with us

FLOWERS on the altar are given by ***Kevin & Bette Mishey*** to the glory of God, and in recognition of the blessings received from God during their years together as they celebrate their wedding anniversary.

NOVEMBER ANNUAL MEETING

Mark your calendars for Faith's November Annual Meeting which will be **NEXT** Sunday, November 8th between services in the Fellowship Hall.

CHRISTMAS POINSETTIAS

Can you believe that it is time to order those beautiful Christmas poinsettias??? We will again be purchasing our poinsettias from Richardson's Greenhouse in Loudonville. Their deadline is **SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 15TH!!** We will be getting the 6 1/2" pots of Red, White, Marble (white with pink center strip) or Novelties (assortment of two tones and speckled) at a cost of $10.00 each. See insert for ordering and payment information.

MARY MARTHA BIBLE STUDY

On November 10th at 1pm, we will journey to Ohio Eastern Star, Iris section to share the Bible Study, Bold Faith on an Unexpected Journey, "Proclaiming Resurrection in Hope." The study will be led by Marilyn Wilford, and each are to bring a snack to share. If you need a ride, please contact Marilyn Wilford, All women are invited to join us.

TURN THE TIDE SHARING TREE

We will receive gift requests for 10 children ages 0-18. Each child is to receive at least one clothing and one toy item, however there is no limit. If I receive the names in time, the Tree will be set up on Sunday, Nov. 22, in the narthex.

Help with gift distribution is needed on Wednesday, December 16. This is at a new location - the Ramser Center at the fairgrounds, 700 Perimeter Drive.

Interchurch can use help all day, but our distribution time will be either morning or afternoon.

Contact Martha Melick, 740-398-7025, call or text, with any questions or to volunteer.

CHRISMON CROWNS

We need helpers to make new Chrismon crowns for our Chrismon trees. We will start this project Sunday November 15th between services in the library. We have instructions and materials available. So come spend some time with us for great fellowship! Questions, call Jill Park at 740-398-9478.

THANKOFFERING

The Thankoffering Service this year will be Sunday, November 22rd conducted by the Faith Women. Bring your coins for the Noisy Offering and share your thankfulness with these agencies: Interchurch, New Directions, Faith Lutheran Christian Preschool, and Winter Sanctuary Homeless Shelter. See the insert for items these agencies need.

SERVING OUR LORD TODAY

	8:00 am	10:30 am
Ushers	Joe & Jen Curran	Art & Corrine Lund
Readers	Rick Keaton	Jim Harder
Communion Assist	Kevin Mishey	Stephen Volz
Acolyte	Melissa Dexter	Will Pletcher

Altar Guild - Jill Park
Communion Committee: -Kathy Noblit & Cheryl Johnson
Tellers - Cheryl Johnson & Karen Greever

SERVING OUR LORD NEXT SUNDAY

	8:00 am	10:30 am
Ushers	Tom Noblit	Stephen Volz
	Mike Eesley	Tim Williams
Reader s	Linda Gehrisch	Cheryl Johnson
Acolyte	Will Melick	Connor Driscoll

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CALENDAR FOR WEEK OF NOVEMBER 1 - 7, 2026

Today:	8 & 10:30 am	Worship/Holy Communion
	9:15 am	Sunday School
		Fellowship Time
		All Saints Sunday
	4:00 pm	Bell Choir
Mon	11:00 am	Jesus Calling
	7:30 pm	AA
Tues		**Election Day**
Wed	10:00 am	Stitching Hour
Thurs	9:00 am	SPOT
	7:00 pm	Choir

PLEASE PRAY FOR: MEMBERS: Bob & Kathy Atwell, Jordan & Nico Barnard, Vicki Blubaugh, Joe Curran, Al Dexter, Larry Everhard, Jan Frye, Eileen Hartman, Carolyn Jacquet, Ann Jurkowitz, Kathy Lamb, Betty McDonald, Judy Mustaine, Dan Myers, Stan Park, Fran Smyser.

FRIENDS AND FAMILY: Alan (friend of Art Schad), Linda, Marie, Linda Beach, Devin Boyer, Nora Burke & family, Mike C, Jon & Debbie Dunham, Aaron Everhard, Nick Frost, baby Gabriel (heart surgery, Texas), Kayla Gadd, Linda Galyon, Chester Gingerich, Grant, Lon Hamby, Susan Jeffery, John Jones, Eddie and Miranda Jones, Beth Kost, Barb, Marv Keck, Dean & Marilyn Kempton, Debra Kempton, Jerry Kies, Alan (Ann Dice's brother), Dr. William McFarren, Jim Major (friend of Pastor Mark Wildermuth), Scott Mickley, Tina Miller, Donald Morehour, Sue Moreland, Jake Morisi, Anderson O'Briskie, Philp's family (Washington State house fire), Quinton (friend of Alex Jones), Shirley Ramsay, Julie & Brian Ramsey, Bruce Renne, Jan Rice, Sam Robert, Mona Russell and Heather & Danielle, Karen Scott, Wayne Snyder, Gabe & Micah Stauffer, Willow Steiner, an 8 month old with "Spitz" cancer, Martha Stuller, Becky Thomas, Josie Watts, Pam Wolfe, Karen Zedeker, and all others on our hearts and minds.

PRAYER SHAWL RECIPIENTS (in the last three months): Dani Bee, Warren Blair, Barb, Brian Dodd, Barbara Mickley, Ruth, Jamie Lynn Turner, Rev. Arnie Frank, Rev. Dennis Nelson., **Rev. Keats Miles**.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE IN THE MILITARY: Gavin Thomas, Master Sargent Christopher Dominick.

Bold indicates new

LITTLE RED WAGON

Little Red Wagon Sunday will be held on November 29th at both services. In November we will be collecting donations for the Lil Pantry on Sychar Road. The Lil Pantry offers a place for those who are facing food insecurity can find a meal. The item needed are: Applesauce, Fruit Cups, Baby Formula, Baby Food Pouches, Bisquick, Flour, Spices, Sugar, Bread, Muffin, and Cake Mixes, Canned Meats, Fruits, Vegetables, Canned Meals (Chef Boyardee!), Cereal (Cold and Hot), Condiments and Dressings, Dried Fruits, Granola Bars, Juice Boxes or Drink Mixes, Pancake Mixes and Syrup, Pasta/Spaghetti Sauce, Peanut Butter and Jelly, Pop-Tarts, Ramen Noodles, Snack Crackers, Fruit Bars, Soups, Stews (Chili, Beef Stew), Tea, Coffee, Shelf-Stable Milk, Tuna Packets, Pepperoni, Jerky. Please no expired items. Please note that this collection is in addition to our regular offerings.

A SPECIAL GIFT FROM OUR HISTORY

An anonymous member of our congregation has generously crafted beautiful, custom coasters made from **our old church pews**. These unique keepsakes are a wonderful way to take a piece of our church's history home with you. We have a **limited number** left, so please stop by after the service to collect yours from the box on the table in the back of the sanctuary.

422 For All the Saints

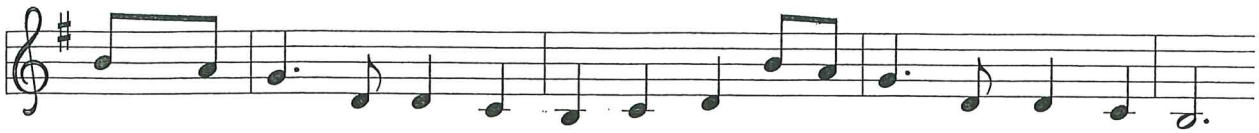


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Music: Ralph Vaughan Williams, 1872–1958

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3 Oh, blest com - mu - nion, fel - low - ship di - vine,
4 And when the strife is fierce, the war - fare long,
5 The gold - en eve - ning bright - ens in the west;
we fee - bly strug - gle, they in glo - ry shine; yet
steals on the ear the dis - tant tri - umph song, and
soon, soon to faith - ful ser - vants com - eth rest; . . .
all are one in thee, for all are thine.
hearts are brave a - gain and arms are strong.
sweet is the calm of par - a - dise the blest.
Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!

Borning Cry



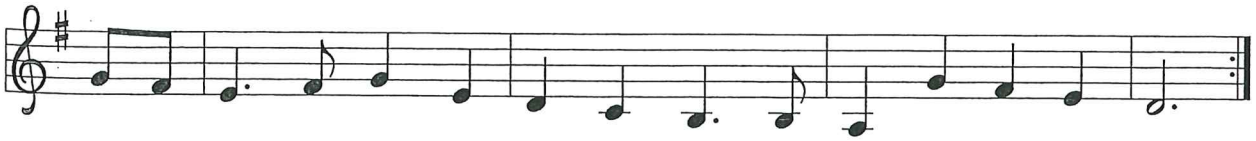
1 "I was there to hear your born-ing cry, I'll be there when you are old.
2 "When you heard the won-der of the Word I was there to cheer you on;
3 "In the mid-dle a-ges of your life, not too old, no lon-ger young,



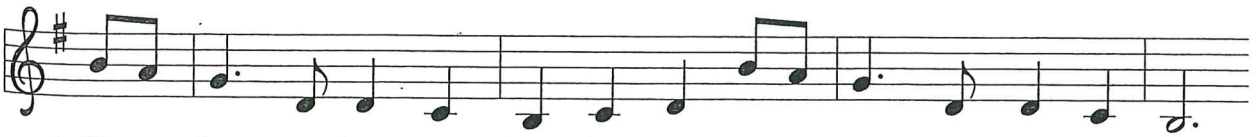
I re-joiced the day you were bap-tized to see your life un-fold.
you were raised to praise the liv-ing Lord, to whom you now be-long.
I'll be there to guide you through the night, com-plete what I've be-gun.



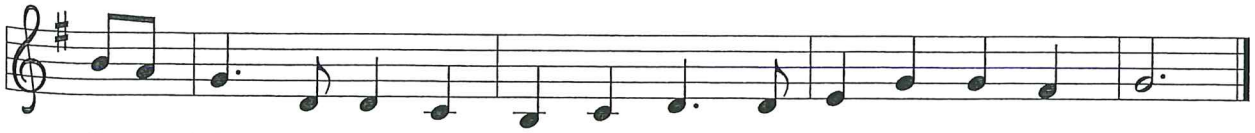
I was there when you were but a child, with a faith to suit you well;
If you find some-one to share your time and you join your hearts as one,
When the eve-ning gent-ly clos-es in and you shut your wea-ry eyes,



in a blaze of light you wan-dered off to find where de-mons dwell."
I'll be there to make your vers-es rhyme from dusk till ris-ing sun."
I'll be there as I have al-ways been, with just one more sur-prise."



4 "I was there to hear your born-ing cry, I'll be there when you are old.

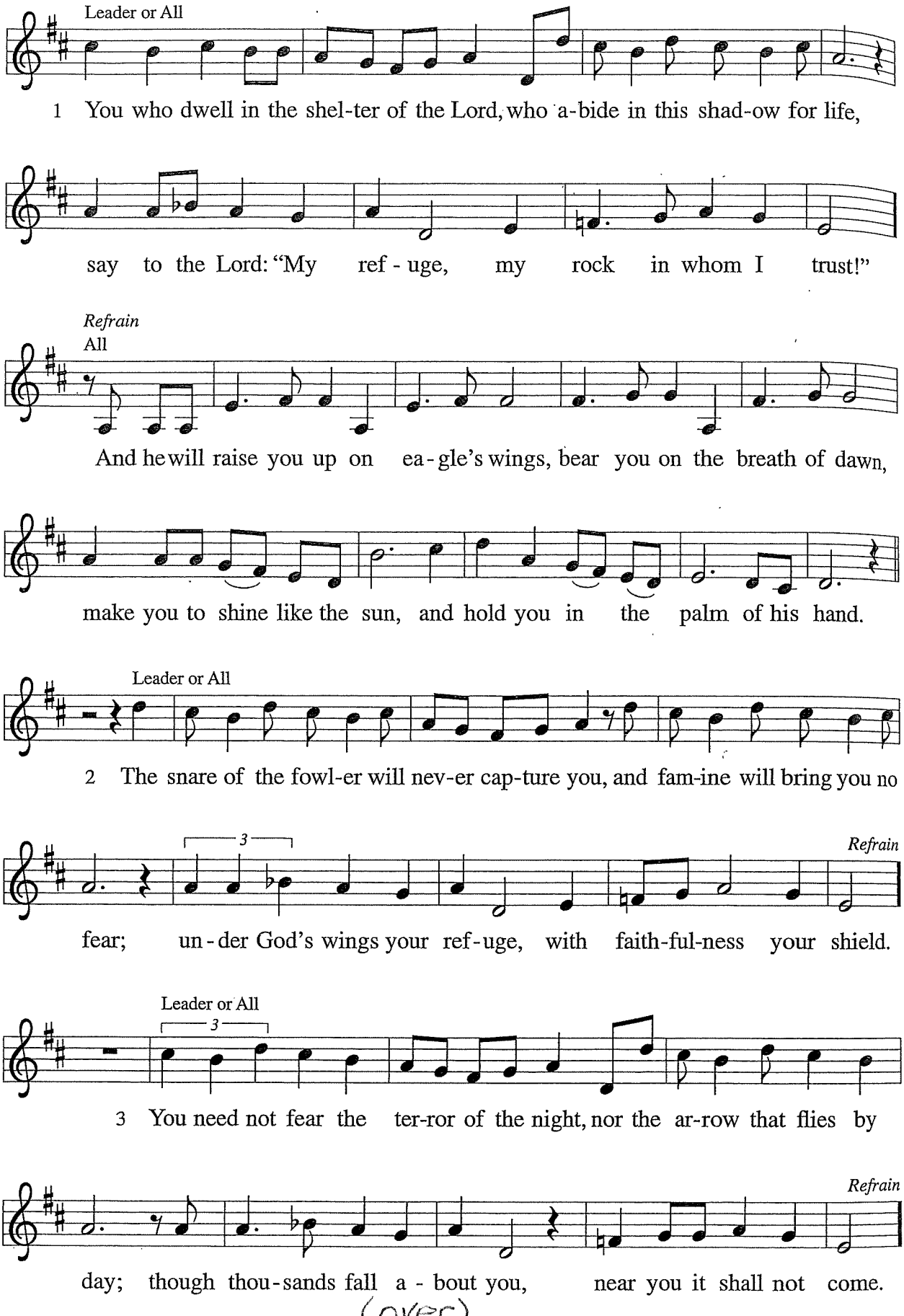


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787 On Eagle's Wings



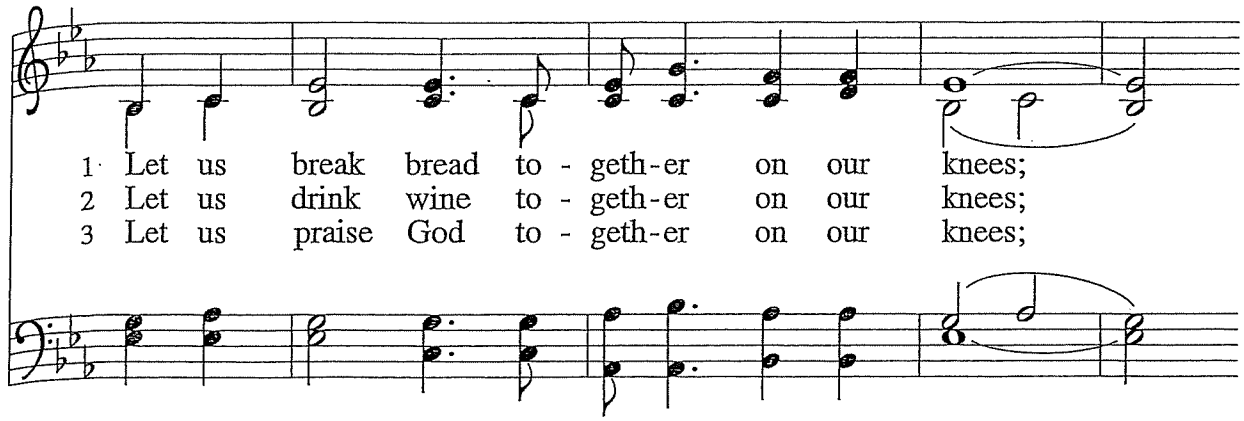
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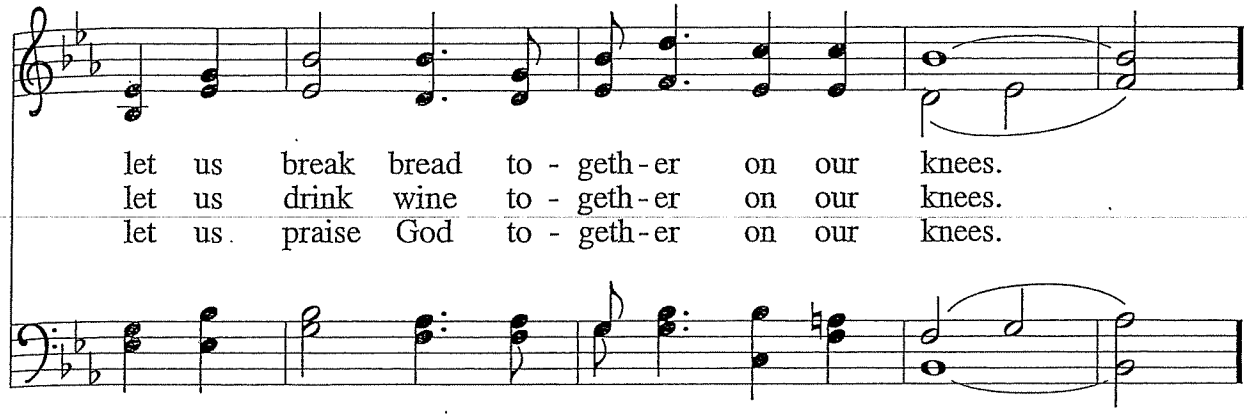
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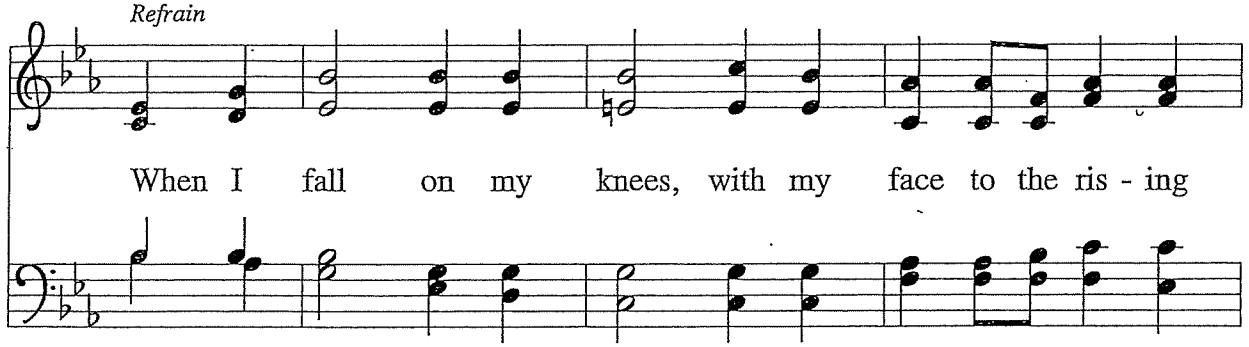
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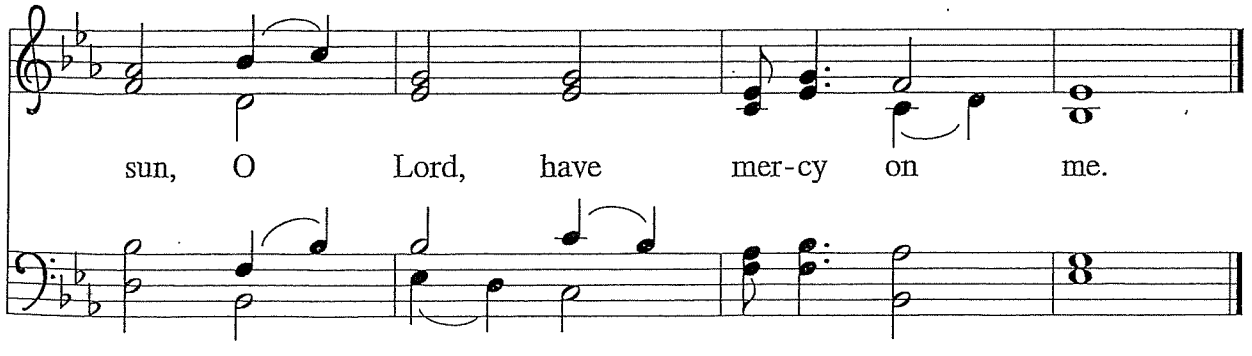

Leader or All
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4 For to the an-gels God's giv-en a com-mand to
guard you in all of your ways; up-on their hands they will
bear you up, lest you dash your foot a-gainst a stone.
Final refrain
All
And he will raise you up on ea-gle's wings, bear you on the breath of dawn,
make you to shine like the sun, and hold you in the palm of his hand.
And hold you, hold you in the palm of his hand.

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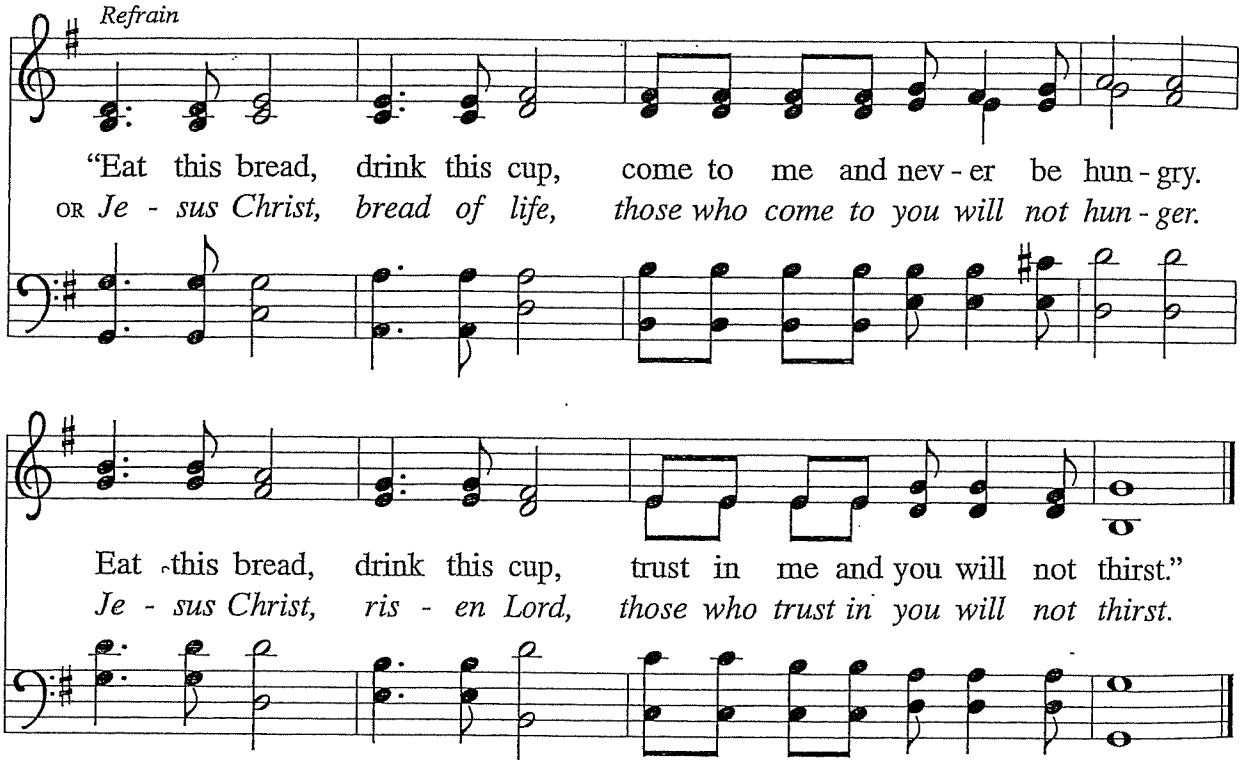


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Jesus Christ, Bread of Life

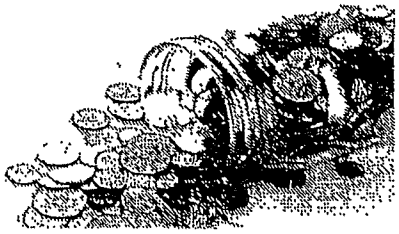
Refrain



THANKOFFERING SERVICE

The Thankoffering Service will be held
Sunday, November 22nd at both services.
Breakfast between services

Bring your coins
for the Noisy Offering.



IN KIND donations for the following:

INTERCHURCH: Paper towels, toilet paper, shampoo/conditioner, deodorant, bar soap, toothbrushes, toothpaste

NEW DIRECTIONS: New underclothes and nightwear, new sheets, blankets, towels, pillows, new children's toys, paper towels, toilet paper, tissues, Clorox wipes, aluminum foil, plastic wrap, baggies, disposable plates, cups and plasticware, laundry and dishwasher detergent, new cookie sheets, frying pans, baking pans,

FAITH LUTHERAN CHRISTIAN CHURCH: Huggies wipes, gallon baggies, white 81/2 x 11"card stock, laminating sheets,Scotch reinforced strapping tape, child size white sox, underwear sizes 3x,4x,5x.

WINTER SANCTUARY HOMELESS SHELTER Men's T-Shirts size large, men's sweatpants (all sizes), bath towels, wash cloths.