



St. Francis' EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Sunday, November 21, 2021
The Feast of Christ the King
8:00am and 10:30am

Holy Eucharist
Enriching Our Worship



Prelude

Welcome

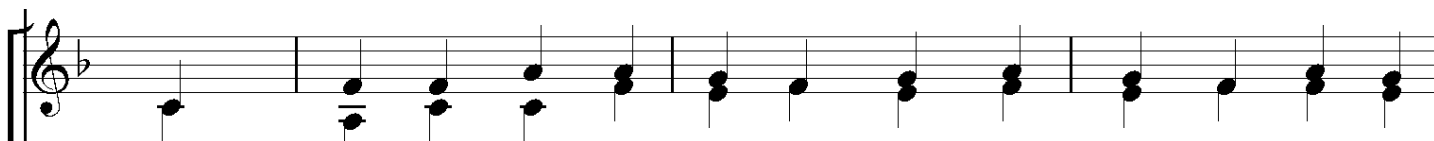
We Gather

The people of God gather together. Silence is kept.


Gathering Hymn

All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name


H 450




All hail the power of Je - sus' Name! Let an - gels pros - trate
Ye heirs of Is - rael's cho - sen race, ye ran - somed of the
Sin - ners, whose love can ne'er for - get the worm - wood and the



fall; bring forth the roy - al di - a - dem, and
fall, hail him who saves you by his grace, and
gall, go, spread your tro - phies at his feet, and



crown him Lord of all! bring forth the roy - al
crown him Lord of all! hail him who saves you
crown him Lord of all! go, spread your tro - phies



di - a - dem, and crown him Lord of all!
by his grace, and crown him Lord of all!
at his feet, and crown him Lord of all!

Let every kindred, every tribe,
on this terrestrial ball,
to him all majesty ascribe,
and crown him Lord of all!

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Opening Acclamations

Presider: Blessed be the one, holy and living God.

People: **Glory to God forever and ever.**

Collect for Purity

Presider: Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hid: 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.

People: **Amen.**

Gloria

Gloria

MHSO 9

Refrain

1
Glo - ri - a, glo - ri - a, 2
in ex - cel - sis De - o!

3
Glo - ri - a, glo - ri - a, 4
al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!

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The Collect of the Day

Presider: The Lord be with you.

People: **And also with you.**

Presider: Let us pray.

Ever-living God,
it is your will to gather up all things
in your beloved one,
reigning in the universe
in the power that is love,
mercifully grant
that the whole of creation,
freed from slavery,
may serve and praise you
through Jesus Christ
who is alive with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and forever.

People: **Amen.**

The Lessons

The First Reading

Reader: A reading from the Book of Samuel.

1:4-10

These are the last words of David:

The oracle of David, son of Jesse,
the oracle of the man whom God exalted,
the anointed of the God of Jacob,
the favorite of the Strong One of Israel:
The spirit of the Lord speaks through me,
his word is upon my tongue.
The God of Israel has spoken,
the Rock of Israel has said to me:
One who rules over people justly,
ruling in the fear of God,
is like the light of morning,
like the sun rising on a cloudless morning,
gleaming from the rain on the grassy land.
Is not my house like this with God?
For he has made with me an everlasting covenant,
ordered in all things and secure.
Will he not cause to prosper
all my help and my desire?
But the godless are all like thorns that are thrown away;
for they cannot be picked up with the hand;
to touch them one uses an iron bar
or the shaft of a spear.
And they are entirely consumed in fire on the spot.

People: The Word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.



- 1 Lord, remember David,
and all the hardships he endured;
- 2 How he swore an oath to the Lord
and vowed a vow to the Mighty One of Jacob:
- 3 "I will not come under the roof of my house,"
nor climb up into my bed;
- 4 I will not allow my eyes to sleep,
nor let my eyelids slumber;
- 5 Until I find a place for the Lord,
a dwelling for the Mighty One of Jacob."
- 6 "The ark! We heard it was in Ephratah;
we found it in the fields of Jearim.
- 7 Let us go to God's dwelling place;
let us fall upon our knees before his footstool."
- 8 Arise, O Lord, into your resting-place,
you and the ark of your strength.
- 9 Let your priests be clothed with righteousness;
let your faithful people sing with joy.
- 10 For your servant David's sake,
do not turn away the face of your Anointed.
- 11 The Lord has sworn an oath to David;
in truth, he will not break it:
- 12 "A son, the fruit of your body
will I set upon your throne.
- 13 If your children keep my covenant
and my testimonies that I shall teach them,
their children will sit upon your throne for evermore."

The Second Reading

Reader: A reading from the book of Revelation.

I:4b-8

Grace to you and peace from him who is and who was and who is to come, and from the seven spirits who are before his throne, and from Jesus Christ, the faithful witness, the firstborn of the dead, and the ruler of the kings of the earth.

To him who loves us and freed us from our sins by his blood, and made us to be a kingdom, priests serving his God and Father, to him be glory and dominion forever and ever. Amen.

Look! He is coming with the clouds;
every eye will see him,
even those who pierced him;
and on his account all the tribes of the earth will wail.
So it is to be. Amen.

“I am the Alpha and the Omega,” says the Lord God, who is and who was and who is to come, the Almighty.

The Word of the Lord.


People: **Thanks be to God.**

Gospel Hymn


The King of Glory Comes

MHSO 90


Refrain



The King of glo - ry comes, the na - tion re - joic - es.




O - pen the gates be - fore him, lift up your voic - es.



Who is the King of glo - ry? What shall we call him?
In all of Gal - i - lee, in cit - y or vil - lage,
He gave his life for us, the pledge of sal - va - tion;
He con - quered sin and death; he tru - ly has ris - en.

Repeat refrain



He is Im - man - u - el, the prom - ised of a - ges.
he goes a - mong his peo - ple, cur - ing their ill - ness.
he took up - on him - self the sin of the na - tions.
And he will share with us his heav - en - ly king - dom.

**Sing small notes as a descant on the final refrain.*

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The Gospel

Presider: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John.

18:33-37

People: **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

Narrator: Pilate entered the headquarters again, summoned Jesus, and asked him,

Pilate: Are you the King of the Jews?

Jesus: Do you ask this on your own, or did others tell you about me?

Pilate: I am not a Jew, am I? Your own nation and the chief priests have handed you over to me. What have you done?

Jesus: My kingdom is not from this world. If my kingdom were from this world, my followers would be fighting to keep me from being handed over to the Jews. But as it is, my kingdom is not from here.

Pilate: So you are a king?

Jesus: You say that I am a king. For this I was born, and for this I came into the world, to testify to the truth. Everyone who belongs to the truth listens to my voice.

People: The Gospel of the Lord.
Praise to you, Lord Christ.

The Sermon

The Rev. Laurie Anzilotti

The Nicene Creed

**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 human.
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.**

Prayers of the People

Prisider: Beloved Father Mother God, with open hearts we celebrate this great feast day honoring the Christed Consciousness of your beloved son. Now we bring before you our prayers, petitions and thanksgivings, confident that you hear us as we respond, "Lord, hear our prayer."

After each petition, the People respond

People: **Lord, hear our prayer.**

Prisider: Oh Holy Creator-God of love, our refuge and our strength, hear the prayers of your people, and grant us the grace to be ever faithful to you. We ask this through the ascended Christ who is both Alpha and Omega, now and forever. Amen.

Confession of Sin

Prisider: Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

Silence is kept for a time.

**Most merciful God,
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 neighbors 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.**

Prisider: Almighty God have mercy on us, forgive us all our sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen us in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep us in eternal life.

People: **Amen.**

The Peace

Prisider: The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People: **And also with you.**

We invite you to extend the peace of God to those in the congregation.

Announcements

Birthday Blessing

Presider: Watch over your children, O Lord, as their days increase; bless and guide them wherever they may be. Strengthen them when they stand; comfort them when discouraged or sorrowful; raise them up if they fall; and in their heart may your peace which passes understanding abide all the days of their lives; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

People: **Amen.**

Offertory

Blessed Assurance

VF 119



Bless-ed as - sur - ance, Je - sus is mine! O what a
Per - fect sub - mis - sion, per - fect de - light, vis - ions of
Per - fect sub - mis - sion, all is at rest, I in my



fore - taste of glo - ry di - vine! Heir of sal - va - tion, pur - chase of
rap - ture now burst on my sight; an - gels de - scend - ing, bring from a -
sa - vior am hap - py and blest; watch - ing and wait - ing, look - ing a -



God, born of his spi - rit, washed in his blood.
bove ech - oes of mer - cy, whis - pers of love.
bove, filled with his good - ness, lost in his love.



This is my sto - ry, this is my song, prais - ing my



sa - vior all the day long; this is my sto - ry, this is my



song, prais - ing my sa - vior all the day long.

Words: Fanny Crosby (1820-1915).
Music: Phoebe P. Knapp (1839-1908).

During the 10:30 worship service, the following is sung as the offerings are presented.

H 380

**Praise God, from Whom all blessings flow;
Praise God, all creatures here below;
Praise God above, ye heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.**

During the 8:00 worship service, all are invited to gather around the altar for the Eucharistic prayer and return to your seat after receiving Communion.

The Holy Communion

Presider: God be with you.

People: **And also with you.**

Presider: Lift up your hearts.

People: **We lift them to the Lord.**

Presider: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People: **It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

Presider: All thanks and praise
are yours at all times and in all places,
our true and loving God;
through Jesus Christ, your eternal Word,
the Wisdom from on high by whom you created all things.
You laid the foundations of the world
and enclosed the sea when it burst out from the womb;
You brought forth all creatures of the earth
and gave breath to humankind.

Wondrous are you, Holy One of Blessing,
all you create is a sign of hope for our journey;
And so as the morning stars sing your praises
we join the heavenly beings and all creation
as we shout with joy:

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly

ho - ly Lord God of hosts.

Heav - en and earth are filled with your glo -

ry. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

Bless - ed is He who comes in the name

of the Lord, of the Lord.

Ho - san - na in the high -

est, ho - san - na in the high - est

Presider: Glory and honor are yours, Creator of all,
 your Word has never been silent;
 you called a people to yourself, as a light to the nations,
 you delivered them from bondage
 and led them to a land of promise.
 Of your grace, you gave Jesus
 to be human, to share our life,
 to proclaim the coming of your holy reign
 and give himself for us, a fragrant offering.

Through Jesus Christ our Redeemer,
you have freed us from sin,
brought us into your life,
reconciled us to you,
and restored us to the glory you intend for us.
We thank you that on the night before he died for us
Jesus took bread,
and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it,
gave it to his friends and said:
“Take, eat, this is my Body, broken for you.
Do this for the remembrance of me.”

After supper Jesus took the cup of wine,
said the blessing, gave it to his friends and said:
“Drink this, all of you:
this cup is the new Covenant in my Blood,
poured out for you and for all
for the forgiveness of sin.
Do this for the remembrance of me.”

And so, remembering all that was done for us:
the cross, the tomb, the resurrection and ascension,
longing for Christ’s coming in glory,
and presenting to you these gifts
your earth has formed and human hands have made,
we acclaim you, O Christ:

Presider and People:

Dying, you destroyed our death.
Rising, you restored our life.
Christ Jesus, come in glory!

Presider: Send your Holy Spirit upon us
and upon these gifts of bread and wine
that they may be to us
the Body and Blood of your Christ.
Grant that we, burning with your Spirit’s power,
may be a people of hope, justice and love.
Giver of Life, draw us together in the Body of Christ,
and in the fullness of time gather us
with St. Francis and all your people
into the joy of our true eternal home.
Through Christ and with Christ and in Christ,
by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit,
we worship you our God and Creator
in voices of unending praise.

A - - men, A - - men,
A - - men, A - - men,
A - - men, A - - men, A - - men.

Presider: And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say:

People: **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, for ever and ever. Amen.**

The Breaking of the Bread

The Presider breaks the consecrated Bread. A period of silence is kept.

Presider: Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us.

People: **Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.**

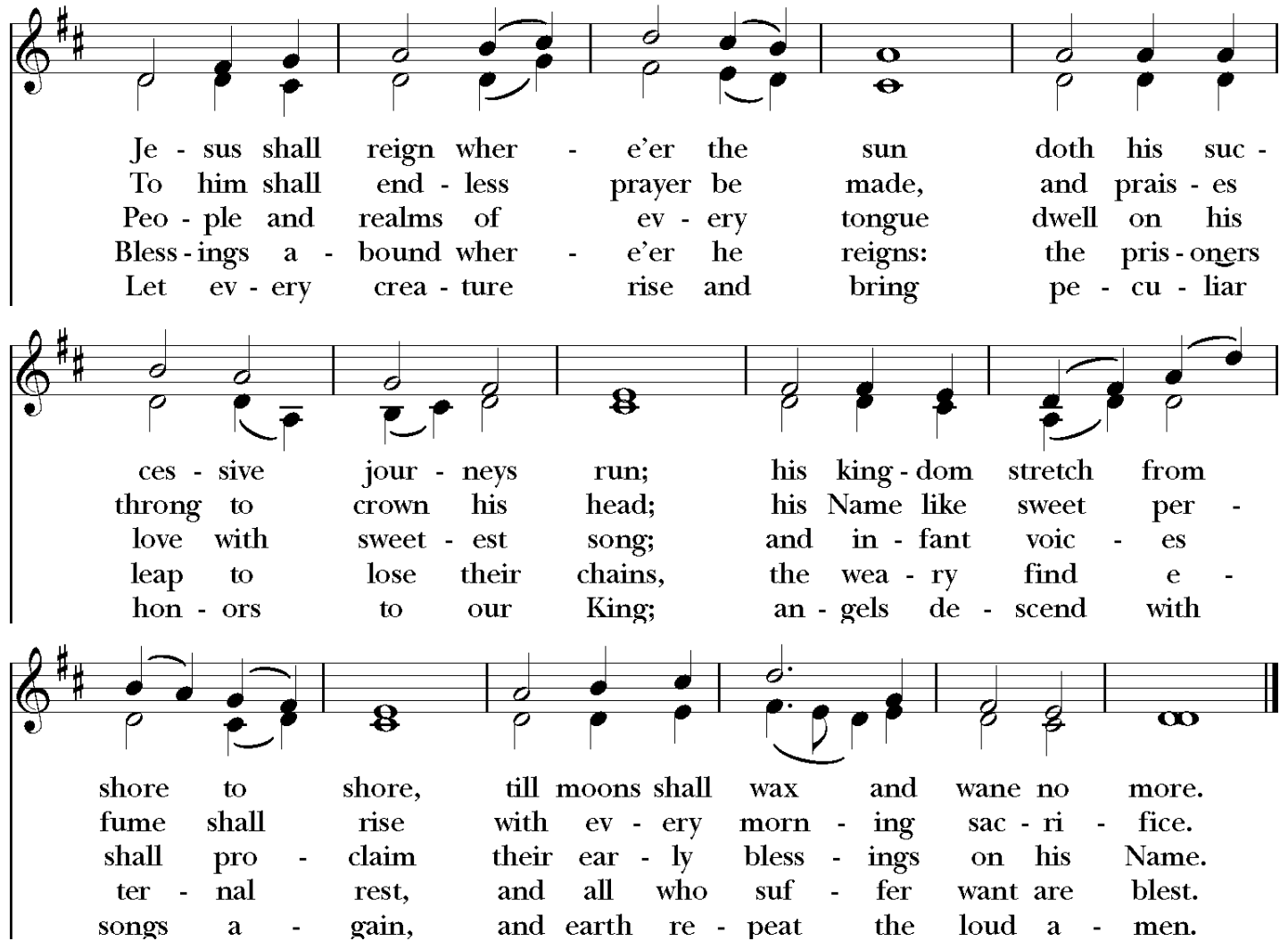
Presider: The Gifts of God for the People of God.

The Eucharistic bread is gluten-free and nut-free. This Eucharistic table does not belong to the Episcopal Church or to St. Francis'. This is God's table, and all are welcome. In the Episcopal Church, we receive both the bread and wine, the Body and Blood of Jesus. However because of Covid, we cannot all receive from the same cup at the same time, but our cup remains common to us all as a different parishioner receives the cup at each service on behalf of the entire community.

Communion Hymn Jesus Shall Reign Where'er the Sun

H 544

During 10:30am worship service only.



Je - sus shall reign wher - e'er the sun doth his suc -
To him shall end - less prayer be made, and prais - es
Peo - ple and realms of ev - ery tongue dwell on his
Bless - ings a - bound wher - e'er he reigns: the pris - oners
Let ev - ery crea - ture rise and bring pe - cu - liar
ces - sive jour - neys run; his king - dom stretch from
throng to crown his head; his Name like sweet per -
love with sweet - est song; and in - fant voic - es
leap to lose their chains, the wea - ry find e -
hon - ors to our King; an - gels de - scend with
shore to shore, till moons shall wax and wane no more.
fume shall rise with ev - ery morn - ing sac - ri - fice.
shall pro - claim their ear - ly bless - ings on his Name.
ter - nal rest, and all who suf - fer want are blest.
songs a - gain, and earth re - peat the loud a - men.

Words: Isaac Watts (1674-1748), alt. Music: *Duke Street*, John Hatton (d. 1793)

Postcommunion Prayer

Presider and People:

**God of abundance,
you have fed us
with the bread of life and cup of salvation;
you have united us
with Christ and one another;
and you have made us one
with all your people in heaven and on earth.
Now send us forth
in the power of your Spirit,
that we may proclaim your redeeming love to the world
and continue for ever
in the risen life of Christ our Savior. Amen.**

Blessing

Presider: May you seek to serve God in all who you meet;
 May your presence bear the presence of the Divine to others.
 And may the blessing of God the Eternal Light, shine in your hearts; may the Eternal Power,
 be your strength and the Eternal Wisdom, guide you now and forever.

People: **Amen.**

Sending Hymn**Soon and Very Soon****Andraé Crouch**

Soon and very soon,
 We are going to see the King,
 Soon and very soon,
 We are going to see the King.
 Soon and very soon,
 We are going to see the King,
 Hallelujah, hallelujah,
 We are going to see the King.

No more crying there...

No more dying there...

Dismissal

Presider: Go in peace to love and to serve the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God!**