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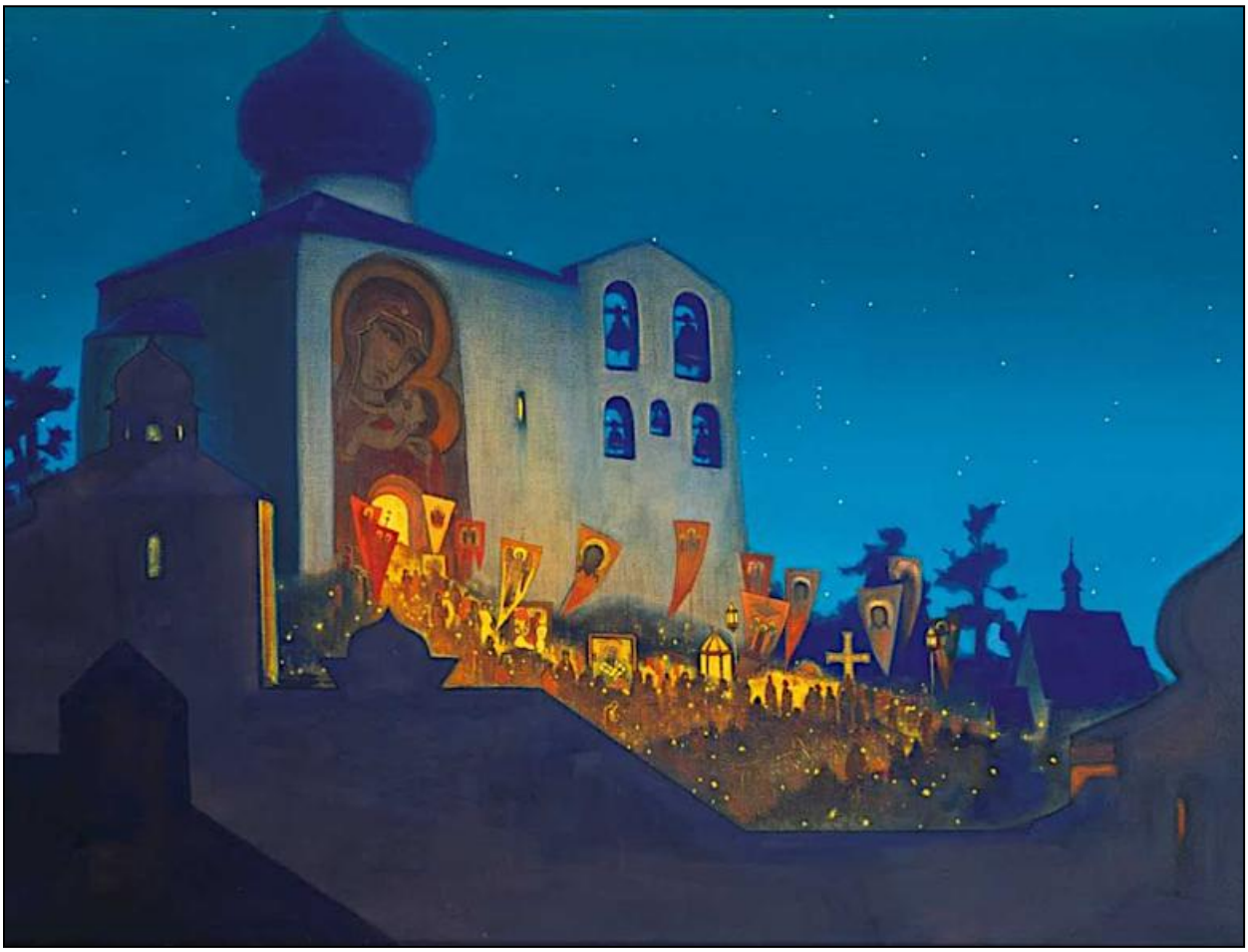

"The Heavenly Forces are Serving with us invisibly" by Nicholas Roerich

Holy Eucharist

Feast of All Saints

November 1, 2026 at 9 a.m.

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Voices on the Commons:
conversations for the common good

SEPT 27

- Funmi Olopade, Nigerian-born American professor and expert in cancer risk-assessment and individualized treatment, MacArthur Fellow
- Ray Suarez, journalist and author of *We are Home: Becoming American in the 21st Century*

OCT 4

- Nancy French, author and political commentator
- David French, opinion columnist and journalist

OCT 11

- Eileen Shanley-Roberts, seminary professor and director of contextual learning
- Richard Hoskins, diocesan chancellor emeritus and professor of law

NOV 1

- John Palfrey, philanthropic leader and specialist in digital technologies
- Darrell Miller, scholar of civil rights, constitutional law, and state and local governments

NOV 15

- Lisa Key, museum executive director
- Lisa Hackney-James, cathedral dean

Sundays | 10 a.m. | St. James Commons

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Welcome to St. James Cathedral!

Whether you are visiting or are a regular worshipper, you're not just welcome at St. James – you belong! This booklet contains everything you need to worship with us today. If you would like to learn about the mission and ministry of the cathedral, please complete one of the visitor cards available in the pew racks and place it in the offering plate or hand it to a clergy person.

CHILDREN IN WORSHIP

Children are always welcome here, and this service is designed to actively engage them in worship. There is an open space to the front right of the pews for children 5 and under to play under your supervision and a changing station for parents of our youngest members under the church in the restrooms.

HOLY COMMUNION

We offer God's gracious gift of Holy Communion to anyone who wishes to receive it. If you prefer to receive a blessing, cross your arms over your chest. Let the priest know if you need a gluten-free wafer. We are also happy to bring Communion to you if you are unable to come to the altar. Please let an usher know if this would be helpful for you.

PARKING

On Sundays, reduced-rate parking is available at R.O.W. Parking Garage (50 E. Ohio) for $2 for up to six hours from the time of entering the garage. Discounts are also available for all-day parking at Ohio Ontario Self Park (33 W. Ontario) for $11. To receive a reduced-rate parking voucher, please go to the welcome table in the narthex or the reception desk in the Welcome Center.

RESTROOMS

Restrooms are located on this level in the Welcome Center in the attached modern building. Additional restrooms can also be found on the lower level via the stairs in the Wabash lobby.

GET INVOLVED & BECOME A MEMBER

There are a variety of ways to become involved, whether you are already a committed follower of Christ, an occasional visitor who appreciates our programming, or someone simply seeking connection. Refreshments are available after the service, where we look forward to getting to know you! For more info about becoming a member, visit SaintJamesCathedral.org/Join.

The Very Rev. Lisa Hackney-James,
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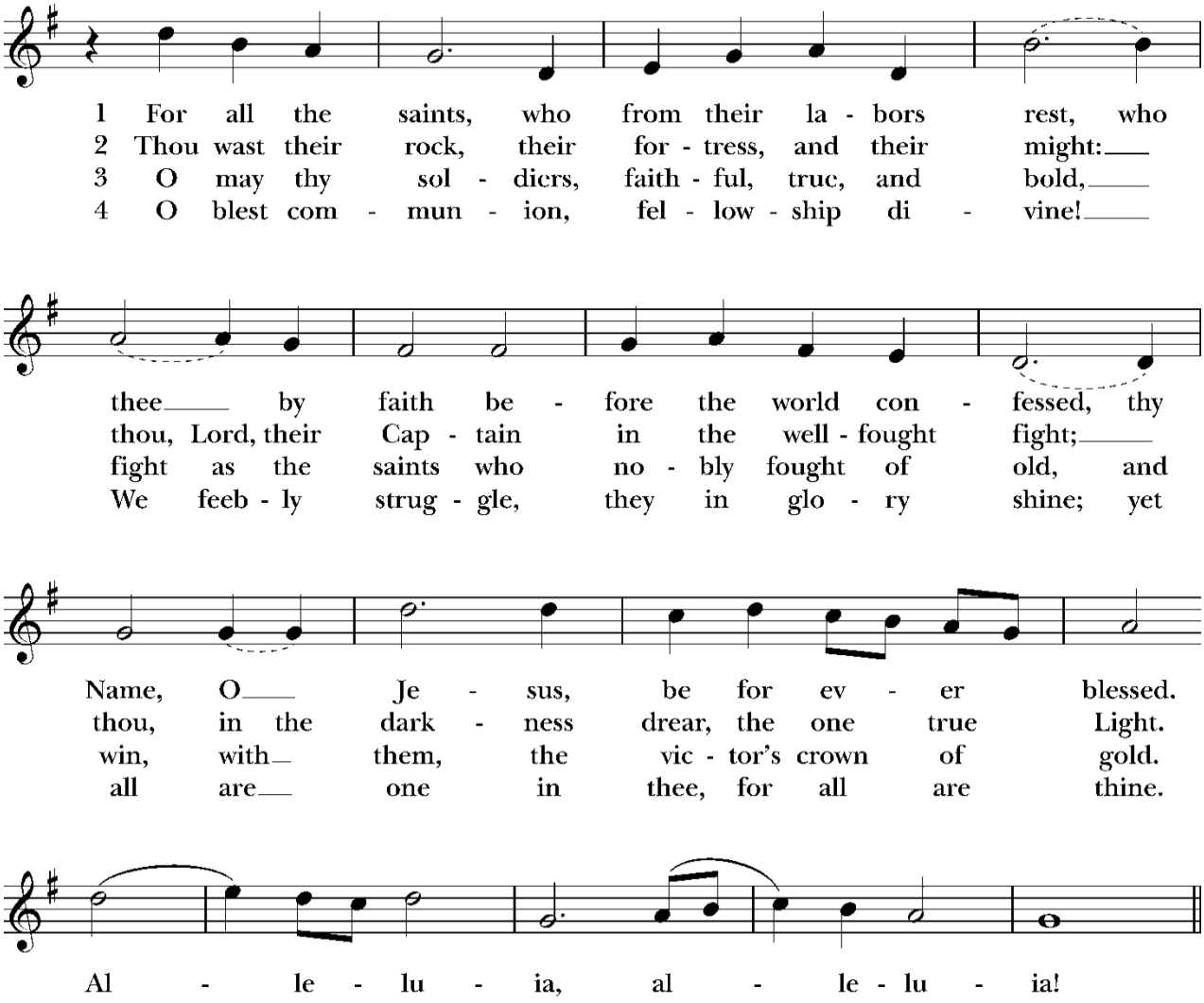
Gathering

VOLUNTARY

The people stand

INTROIT HYMN

Hymnal 287

Words: William Walsham How (1823–1897)
Music: *Sine Nomine*, Ralph Vaughan Williams (1872–1958)

OPENING ACCLAMATION

Presider Blessed be the One, Holy, and Living God.

All **Glory to God for ever and ever.**

The presider welcomes the people to the service

PRAYERS OF PENITENCE

Reader Father, you come to meet us when we return to you:
Lord, have mercy.

All **Lord, have mercy.**

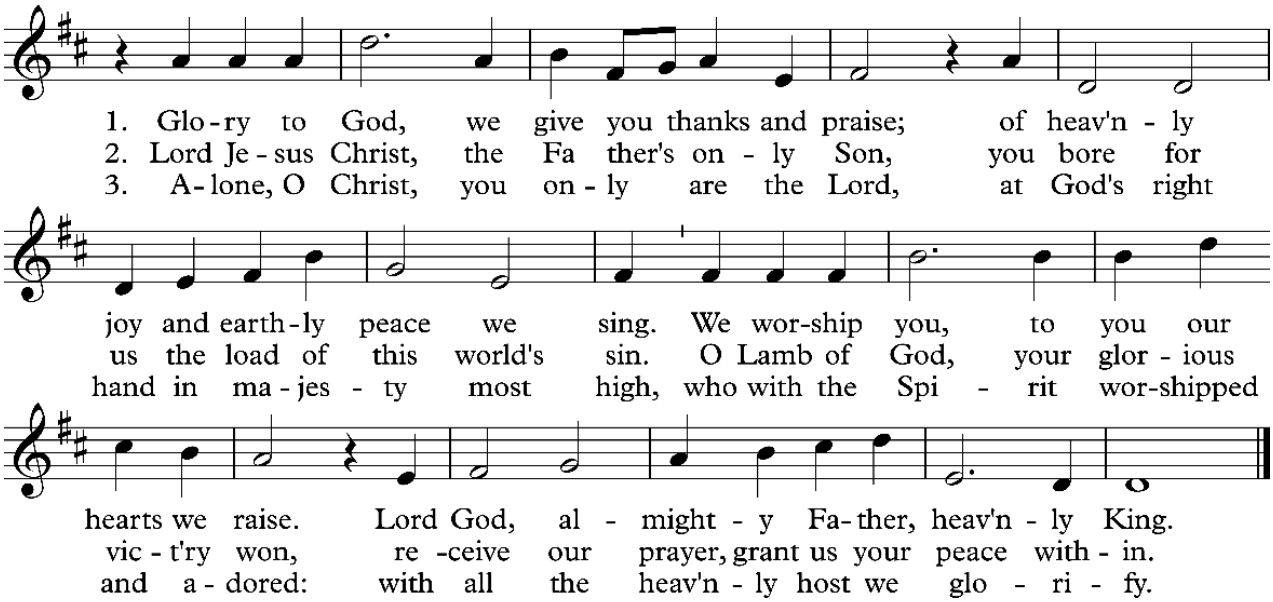
Reader Jesus, you died on the cross for our sins:
Christ, have mercy.

All **Christ, have mercy.**

Reader Spirit, you give us life and peace:
Lord, have mercy.

All **Lord, have mercy.**

The presider pronounces God's forgiveness

GLORIA

Words: Edwin Le Grice (1911–1992)
Music: *Woodlands*, Walter Greatorex (1877–1949)

COLLECT OF THE DAY

Presider God be with you.
All **And also with you.**
Presider Let us pray.

God of holiness, your glory is proclaimed in every age: as we rejoice in the faith of your saints, inspire us to follow their example with boldness and joy; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

The people are seated

Liturgy of the Word

FIRST READING

A Reading from the First Letter of John (3:1–3)

Think how much the Father loves us. He loves us so much that he lets us be called his children, as we truly are. But since the people of this world did not know who Christ is, they don't know who we are. My dear friends, we are already God's children, though what we will be hasn't yet been seen. But we do know when Christ returns, we will be like him, because we will see him as he truly is. This hope makes us keep ourselves holy, just as Christ is holy.

The Word of the Lord.
All **Thanks be to God.**

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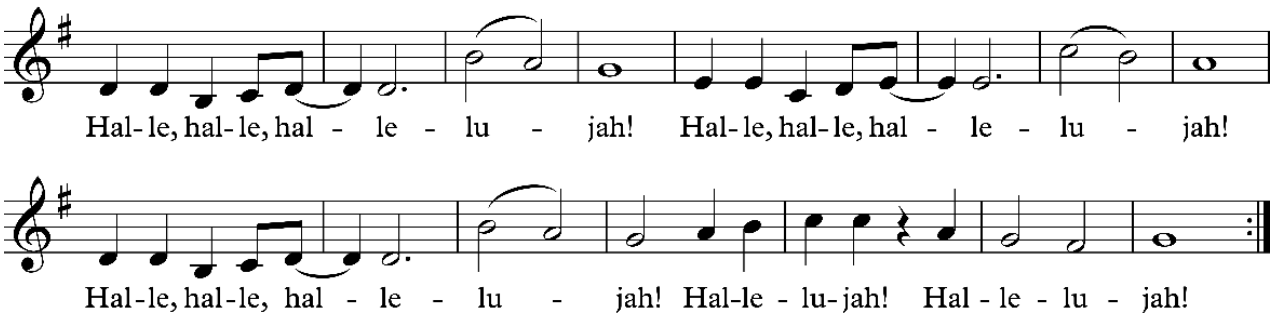
ALLELUIA

As the Deacon carries the Gospel book past the play area, all children are encouraged to join in the procession, gathering around as the Gospel is read.

Music: Caribbean traditional, arr. John L. Bell (b. 1949)

HOLY GOSPEL

Deacon The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew. (5:1—12)

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

When Jesus saw the crowds, he went up the mountain, and after he sat down, his disciples came to him. And he began to speak and taught them, saying:
Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.
Blessed are those who mourn, for they will be comforted.
Blessed are the meek, for they will inherit the earth.
Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they will be filled.
Blessed are the merciful, for they will receive mercy.
Blessed are the pure in heart, for they will see God.
Blessed are the peacemakers, for they will be called children of God.
Blessed are those who are persecuted for the sake of righteousness, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.
Blessed are you when people revile you and persecute you and utter all kinds of evil against you falsely on my account. Rejoice and be glad, for your reward is great in heaven, for in the same way they persecuted the prophets who were before you.

The Gospel of the Lord.

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

SERMON

The Rev. Canon Steven Balke
Canon Vicar of the Cathedral

PEACE

The presider says

The peace of the Lord be always with you.

All **And also with you.**

The people greet each other in the name of the Lord

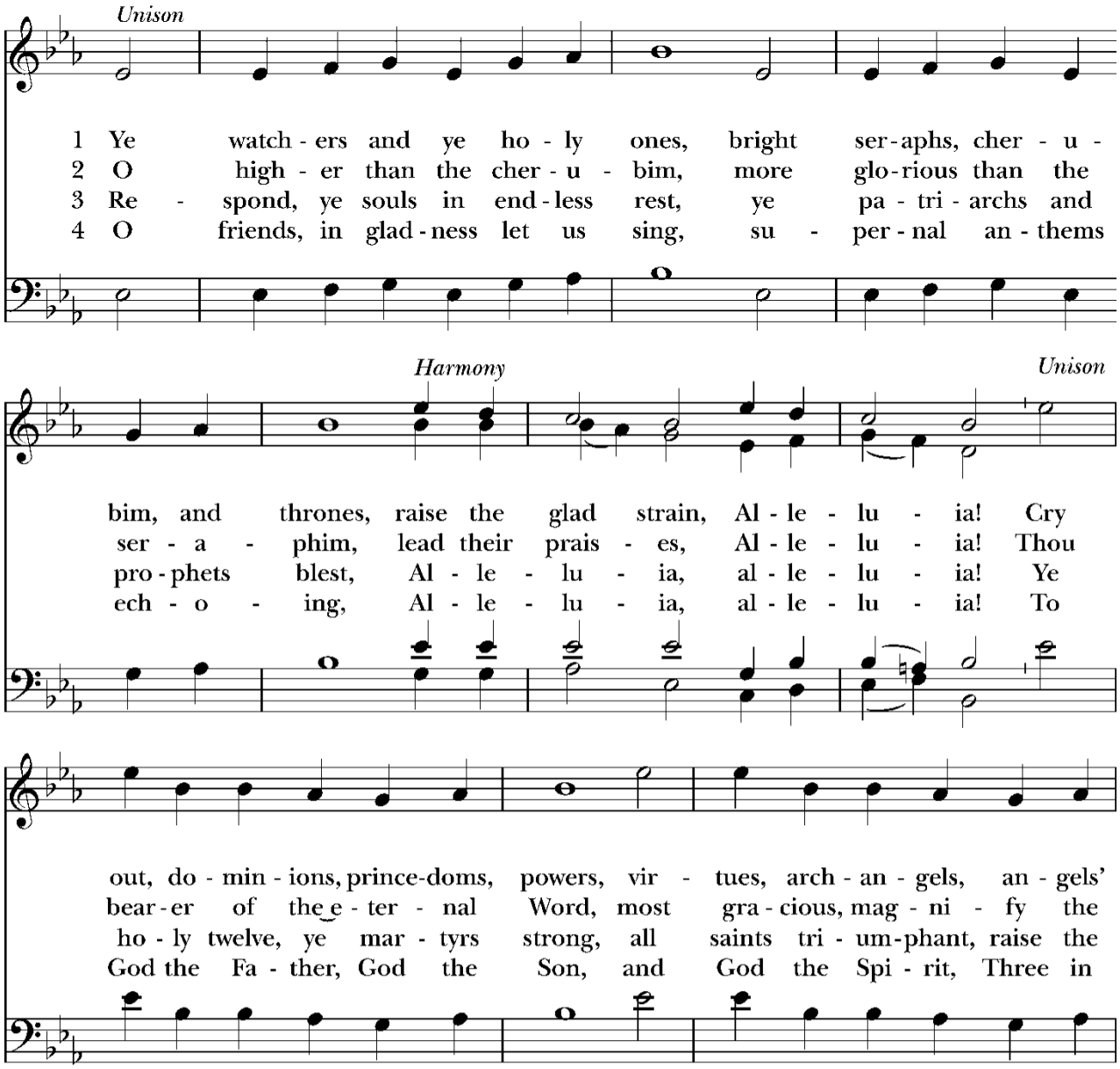
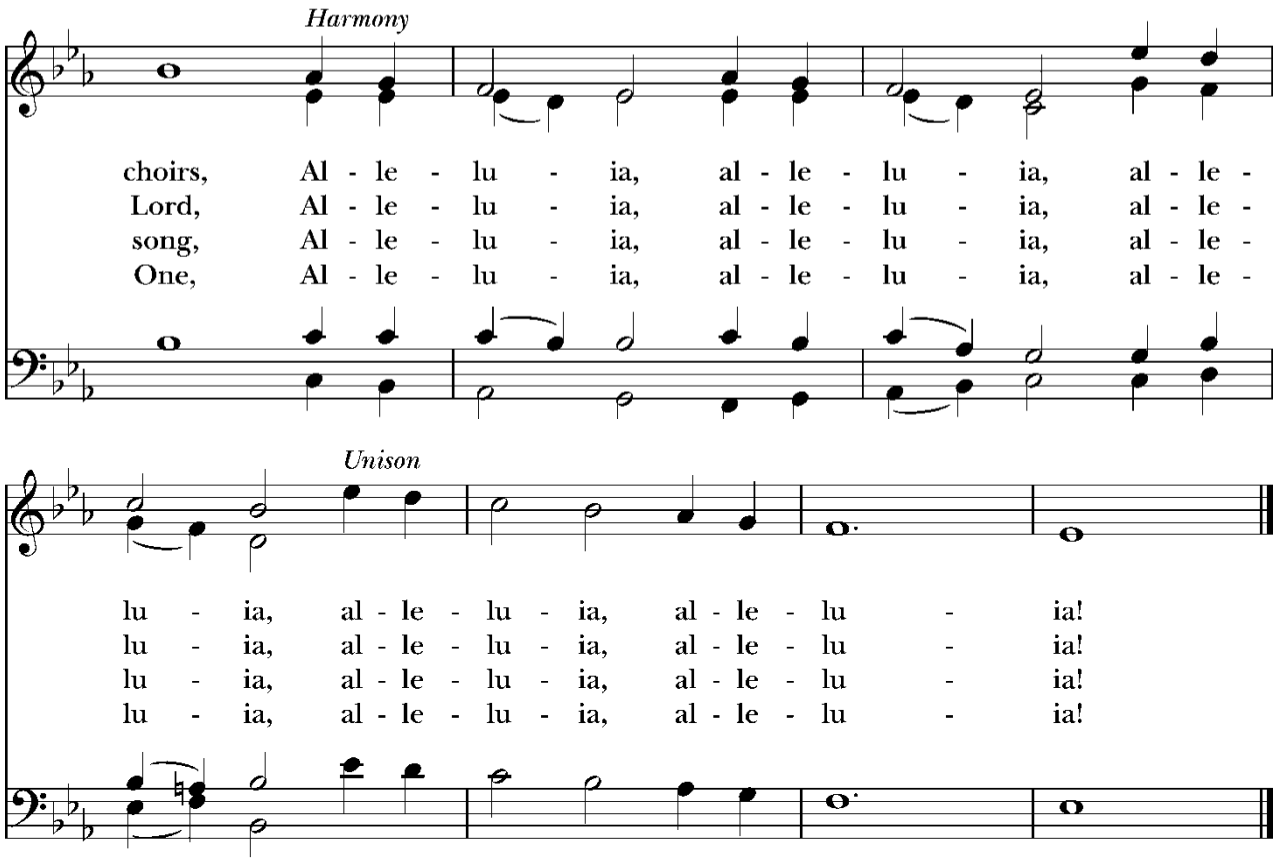
Holy Communion

OFFERTORY

Your offering supports the ongoing mission of St. James Cathedral, including the St. James Meals, Meals Among Us, and Summer in the City. Contributions are welcome online at SaintJamesCathedral.org/give, by texting "SJC" to 73256, or you may place checks and cash in the collection plate.

The people stand

OFFERTORY HYMN

Hymnal 618

Words: John Athelstan Laurie Riley (1858–1945). By permission of Oxford University Press
Music: *Lasst uns erfreuen*, melody from Auserlesene Catholische Geistliche Kirchengeseng, 1623; adapt. and harm. Ralph Vaughan Williams (1872–1958)

GREAT THANKSGIVING

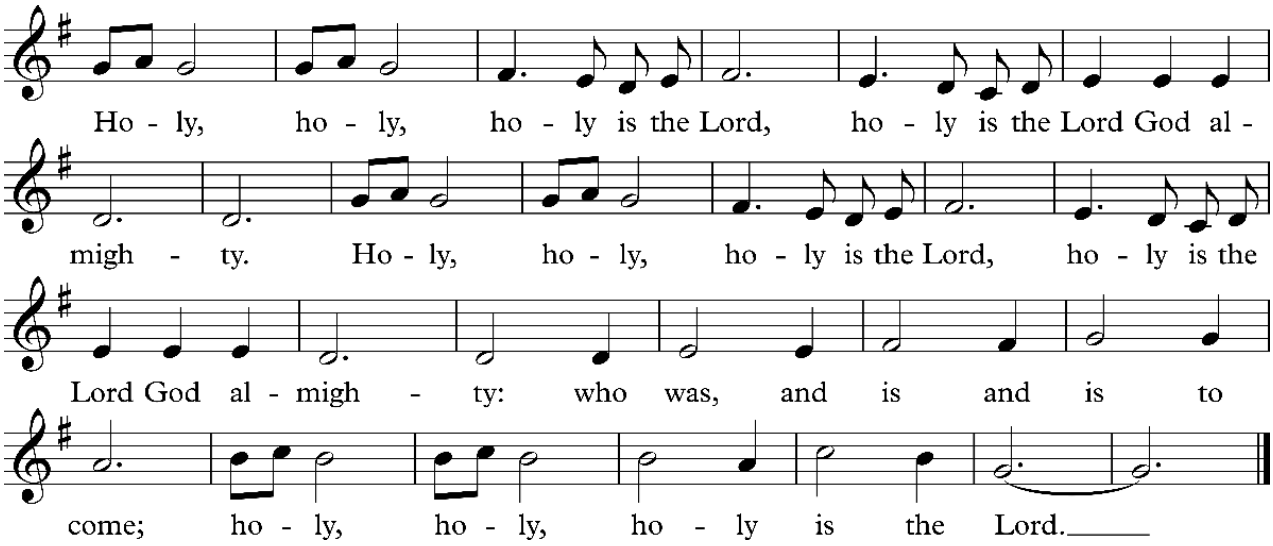
Presider God be with you.
All **And also with you.**

Presider Lift up your hearts.
All **We lift them to the Lord.**

Presider Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
All **It is right to give God thanks and praise.**

Reader Why is it right to give God thanks and praise?
All **Listen, and we will hear.**

Lord of all life, you created the universe, where all living things reflect your glory. You give us this great and beautiful earth, to discover and to cherish. You give us friends and families busy streets for young and old, the life of an earthly city fulfilled in your city to come. You made us all, each wonderfully different, to join with the angels and sing your praise:



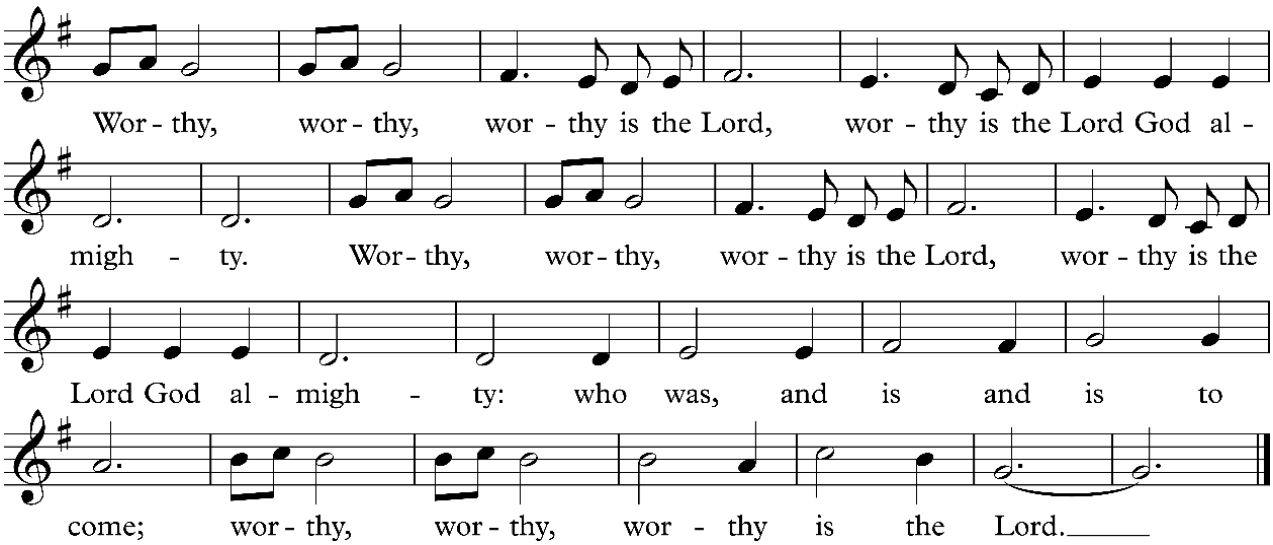
We thank you, loving Father, because, when we turned away, you sent Jesus, your Son. He gave his life for us on the cross and shows us the way to live. Send your Holy Spirit that these gifts of bread and wine may be for us Christ's body and his blood.

Reader Why do we share this bread and wine?
All **Listen, and we will hear.**

On the night before he died, when darkness had fallen, Jesus took bread. He gave thanks, broke it, and shared it with his disciples, saying: "This is my body, given for you. Do this to remember me."

After they had eaten, he took the cup of wine, gave thanks, and shared it with his disciples, saying: "This is my blood, poured out for you and for many, for the forgiveness of sins."

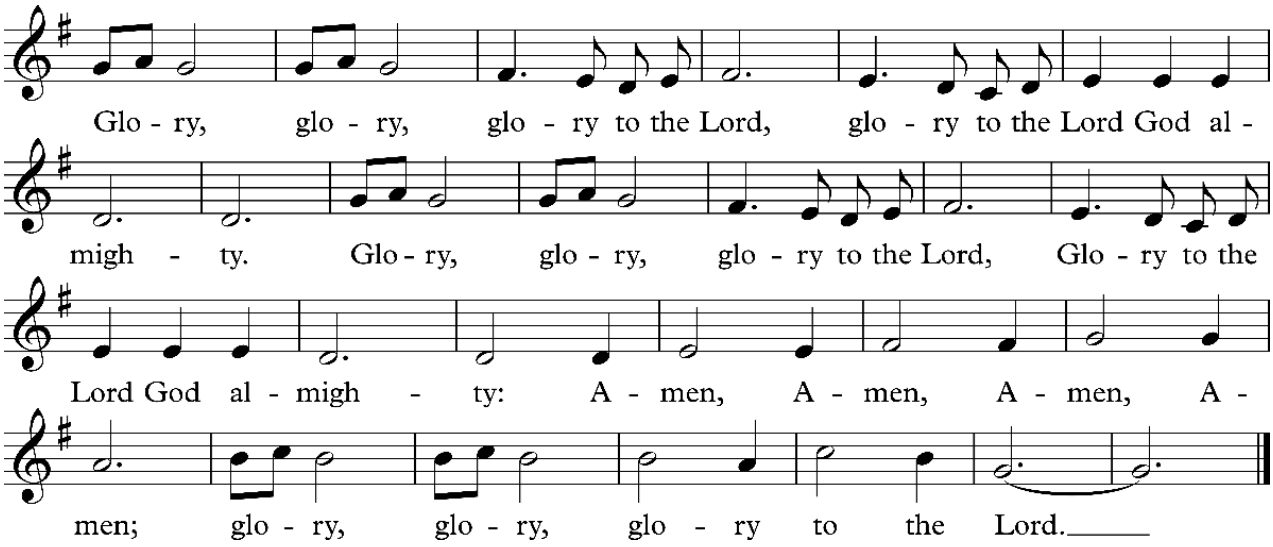
So Father, with this bread and this cup we celebrate his love, his death, his risen life. As you feed us with these gifts, send your Holy Spirit, and change us more and more to be like Jesus our Savior.



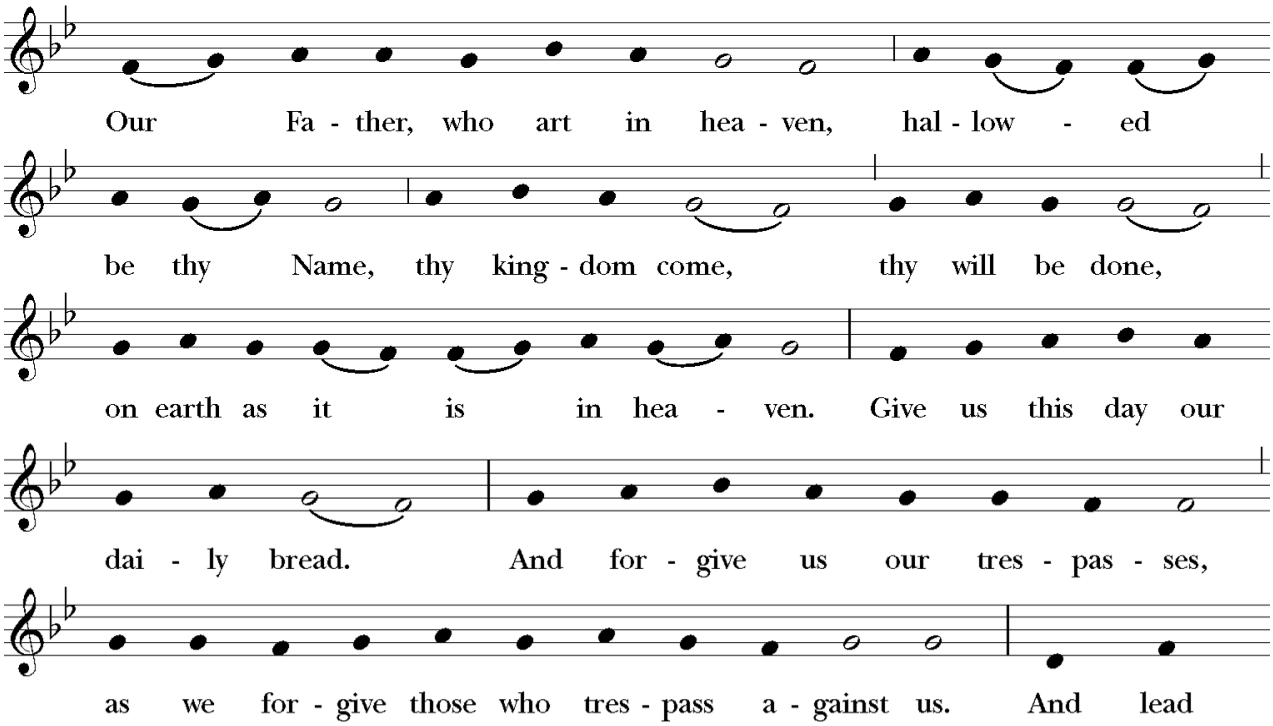
Reader How do we follow Jesus Christ?

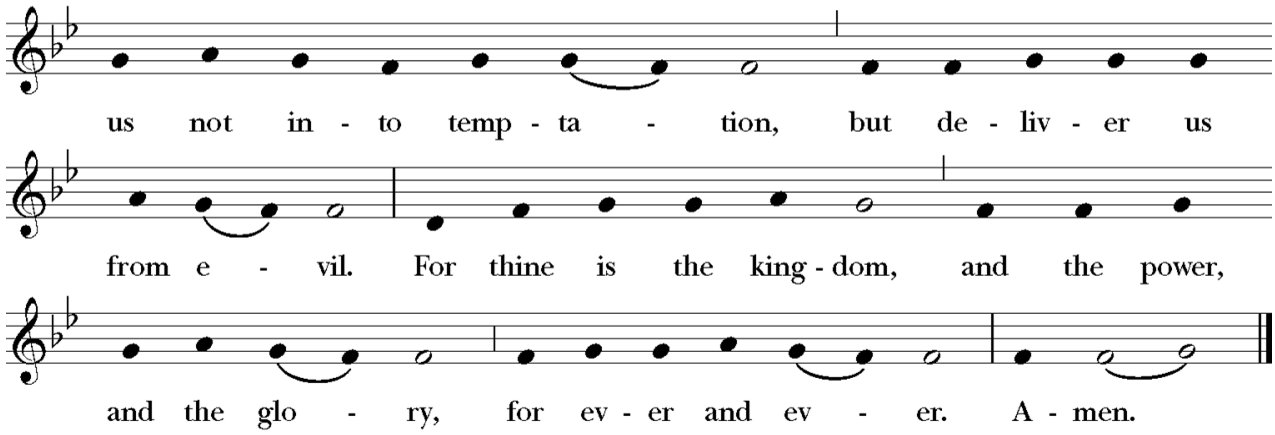
All **Listen, and we will hear.**

Help us, Father, to love one another, as we look forward to that day when suffering is ended, and all creation is gathered in your loving arms. And now with all your saints we give you glory, through Jesus Christ, in the strength of the Spirit, today and for ever.



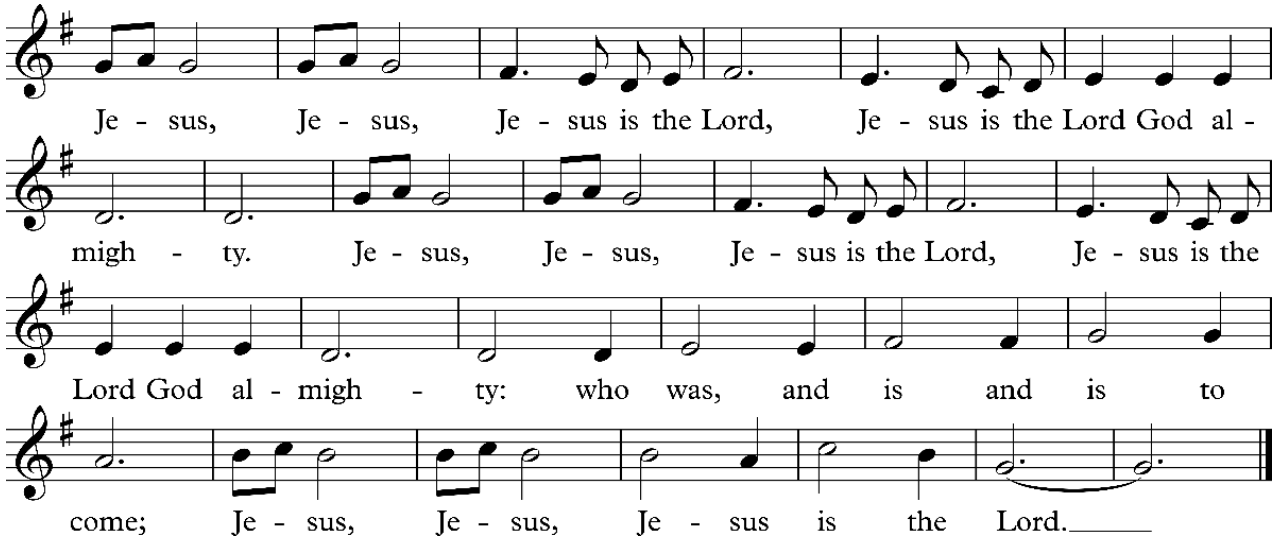
LORD'S PRAYER Hymnal S-119





Music: Plainsong

BREAKING OF THE BREAD



The presider says

The Gifts of God for the People of God.

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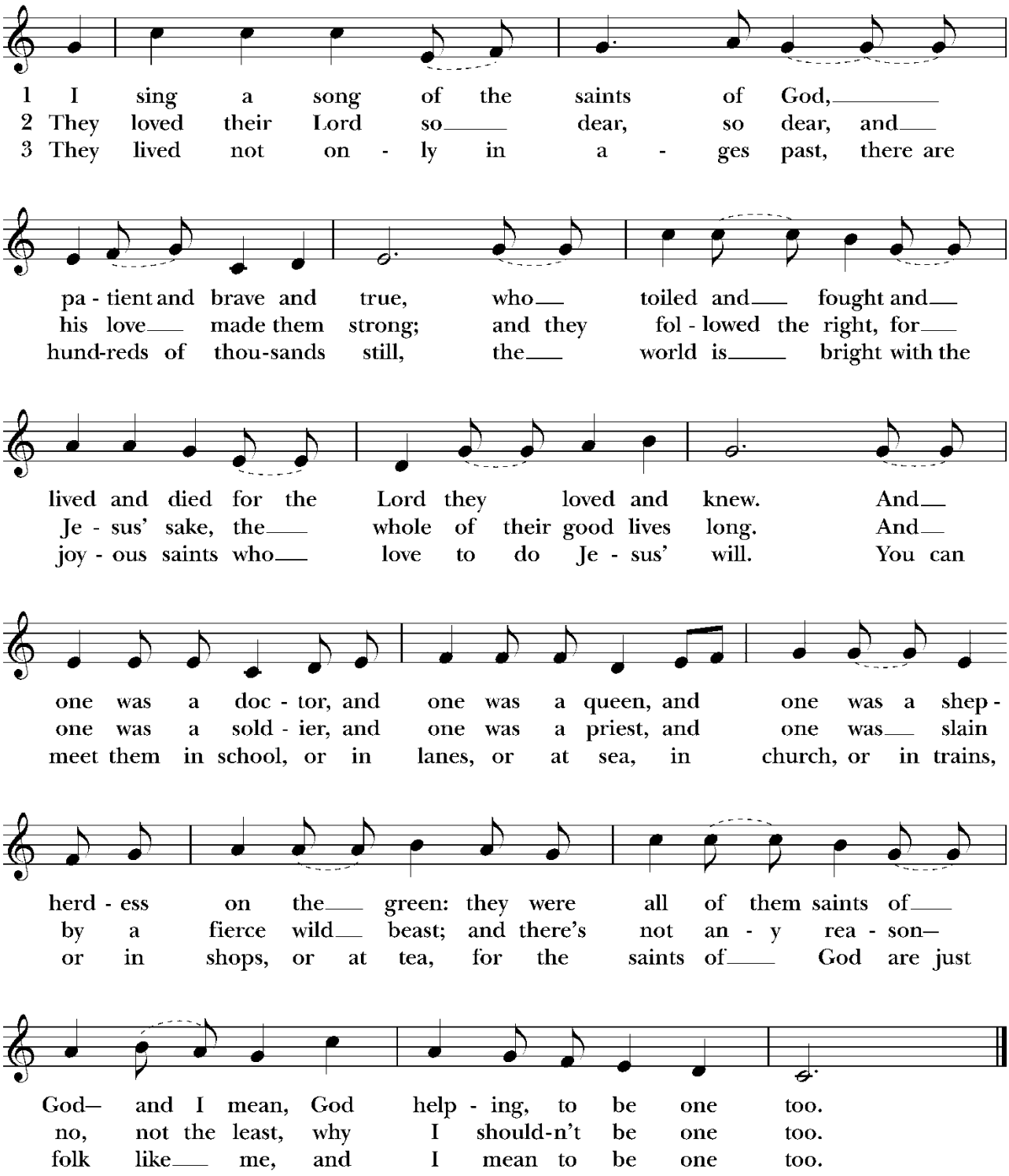
POST-COMMUNION PRAYER

The people stand and presider says

Let us pray.

Eternal God, **heavenly Father, you have graciously accepted us as living members of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ, and you have fed us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood. Send us now into the world in peace, and grant us strength and courage to love and serve you with gladness and singleness of heart; through Christ our Lord. Amen.**

POST-COMMUNION HYMN

Hymnal 293

Words: Lesbia Scott (1898–1986), alt.
Music: *Grand Isle*, John Henry Hopkins (1861–1945)

BLESSING

The presider prays for God's blessing on the gathered people, saying

May God give you grace to follow his saints in faith and hope and love; and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you, and remain with you always. **Amen.**

DISMISSAL

Deacon Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.
All **Thanks be to God.**

VOLUNTARY

IN OUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK

FOR THOSE COMMENDED TO THE PRAYER OF THE CATHEDRAL COMMUNITY: Ginger, Loya, Andronica, Ibukun, Ted, Lois, Mary, Yvonne, Lee, Rachael, Jonah, Richard, Cleo, Frank, Joshua, Nicole, Pamela, Sue, Wei Wei, James, Eoin, Bill, Gina, Dominic, Michael, Gary, Carolyn, Donna, Amanda, Robert, Thomas, Christopher, Marcy, Katherine, Ann

FOR THOSE WHO HAVE DIED AND HAVE BEEN COMMENDED TO THE PRAYERS OF THE CATHEDRAL COMMUNITY: Florence Murphy

FOR ALL THOSE WHO DIED BY GUN VIOLENCE IN CHICAGO IN THE PAST WEEK INCLUDING: Dijorn, Antwon, Oscar

DIOCESAN PRAYER CYCLE: Our bishop, Paula, and our Presiding Bishop, Sean; Diocesan Institutions and Organizations: Brotherhood of St. Andrew; Daughters of the King; Episcopal Church Women; Brotherhood of St. Gregory; The Community of the Mother of Jesus; Sisters of St. Gregory; Community of Francis and Clare; and other religious life communities active in the Diocese of Chicago, and for ministries in our Companion Dioceses of SE Mexico and Renk

ANNOUNCEMENTS

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THIS WEEK'S E-NEWS

ALL SOULS' REQUIEM: Honor departed loved ones at **our All Souls' Requiem today at 4:00 p.m.**, featuring Herbert Howells's Requiem performed by the St. James Cathedral Choir.

DIRECTOR OF MUSIC SEARCH: Last chance to share your feedback! Scan the e-News QR code by 5:00 PM today to complete the online survey!

SMALL GROUPS AT ST. JAMES:

- **The First Sundays Book Group** meets today at 1:00 PM in the 2nd floor library! We'll be discussing the first five chapters of N.T. Wright's *Into the Heart of Romans*.
- **The First Tuesday Book Group** meets on Tuesday, November 3, at 6:30 p.m. in the Second Floor Meeting Room to discuss William Faulkner's *Absalom, Absalom!*. All are welcome—scan the E-news QR code for more information.
- **The Cathedral Young Adults** on Sunday, November 8 at 12:30 PM for our monthly prayer workshop series and lunch, featuring Lilia Ellis, M.Div. RSVP using the E-News QR code!
- **St. James Pride** invites you to get involved! Join us Saturdays through Nov 28 (11 AM–12 PM, Rm 210) to write holiday notes of support to LGBTQ+ community members (scan the QR code to participate). Plus, don't miss our lunch and movie afternoon on Sunday, Nov 15 at 1:00 PM at the cathedral, featuring a screening of For the Bible Tells Me So. Bring a friend and enjoy food, film, and community!

The Gesualdo Six

Friday, November 20th
7:30 p.m.

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St James Cathedral
CHICAGO

All Souls' Requiem

HOWELLS REQUIEM

NOVEMBER 1
4:00 P.M.

All are welcome to gather at St. James Cathedral for our All Souls' Day Requiem Eucharist—if you would like a loved one remembered by name, scan the QR code below.

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LITURGICAL MINISTERS

PRESIDER: The Very Rev. Lisa Hackney-James PREACHER: The Rev. Canon Steven Balke
DEACON: The Rev. Rick Incorvati

WORSHIP SCHEDULE

SUNDAYS	8 a.m.	Holy Eucharist *(Spoken)*	Chapel
	9 a.m.	Holy Eucharist *(Family)*	Cathedral
	11 a.m.	Holy Eucharist *(Choral)*	Cathedral
		Live-Stream Service *(see enews, website, or YouTube)*	
FIRST SUNDAYS	4 p.m.	Choral Evensong *(Oct–June)*	Cathedral
WEEKDAYS	9 a.m.	Morning Prayer *(see enews, or website)*	Zoom
	12:10 p.m.	Holy Eucharist	Chapel
	5:45 p.m.	Choral Evensong *(Wednesdays, Sept–June)*	Cathedral

CLERGY & STAFF

The Very Rev. Lisa Hackney-James, *Dean*
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The Rev. Canon Christopher Griffin, *Community Partnerships*
The Rev. Craig Mueller, *Priest Associate*
The Rev. A. Frank Donaghue, *Priest Associate*
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