



Gloria Dei Lutheran Church

Building Faith ✚ Building Community ✚ Building Lives



October 13, 2024

Twenty-first Sunday after Pentecost

GATHERING MUSIC

My Lord, What a Morning

Eugene Hancock

RINGING OF THE TOWER BELL

GATHERING

WELCOME

You are invited to stand as you are able.

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

All may make the sign of the cross, the sign that is marked at baptism, as the presiding minister begins.

Blessed be the holy Trinity, ✚ one God,
the God of manna,
the God of miracles,
the God of mercy.

Amen.

Drawn to Christ and seeking God's abundance,
let us confess our sin.

We kneel or sit.

Silence is kept for reflection.

God, our provider,

help us.

It is hard to believe there is enough to share.

**We question your ways when they differ from the ways
of the world in which we live.**

**We turn to our own understanding
rather than trusting in you.**

We take offense at your teachings and your ways.

Turn us again to you.

Where else can we turn?

**Share with us the words of eternal life
and feed us for life in the world.**

Amen.

Beloved people of God:

in Jesus, the manna from heaven,
you are fed and nourished.

By Jesus, the worker of miracles,
there is always more than enough.

Through Jesus, ✚ the bread of life,
you are shown God's mercy:

you are forgiven and loved into abundant life. **Amen.**

1 I know that my Re - deem - er lives! What com - fort
 2 He lives tri - um - phant from the grave; he lives e -
 3 He lives to grant me rich sup - ply; he lives to
 4 He lives to si - lence all my fears; he lives to

this sweet sen - tence gives! He lives, he lives, who
 ter - nal - ly to save; he lives ex - alt - ed,
 guide me with his eye; he lives to com - fort
 wipe a - way my tears; he lives to calm my

once was dead; he lives, my ev - er - liv - ing head!
 throned a - bove; he lives to rule his church in love.
 me when faint; he lives to hear my soul's com - plaint.
 trou - bled heart; he lives all bless - ings to im - part.


8 He lives, all glory to his name!
 He lives, my Savior, still the same;
 what joy this blest assurance gives:
 I know that my Redeemer lives!

GREETING


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

KYRIE


Refrain




Ky-ri - e e - lei - son, on our world and on our way.




Ky-ri - e e - lei - son, ev-'ry day.



1 For peace in the world, for the health of the church, for the
2 That we may live out your im - passioned re - sponse to the
3 For peace in our hearts, . . . for peace in our homes, . . for
4 For your Spir - it to guide; that you cen - ter our lives in the




u - ni - ty of all; for
hun - gry and the poor; that
friends and fam - i - ly; for
wa - ter and the word; that you



this ho - ly house, for all who wor-ship and praise,
we may live out truth and jus - tice and grace,
life and for love, for our work and our play,
nour-ish our souls . . . with your bod - y and blood,

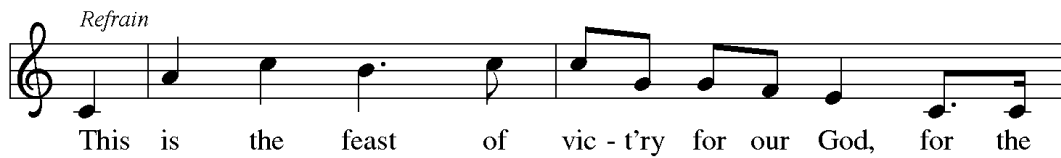
Refrain



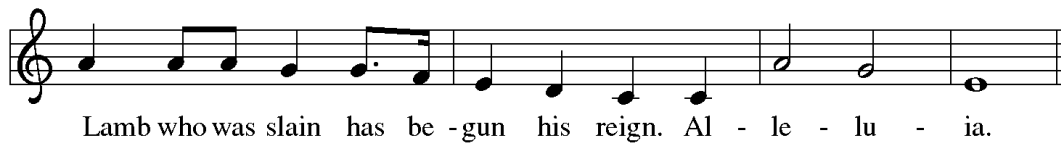
let us pray to the Lord, let us pray to the Lord.

CANTICLE OF PRAISE

Refrain



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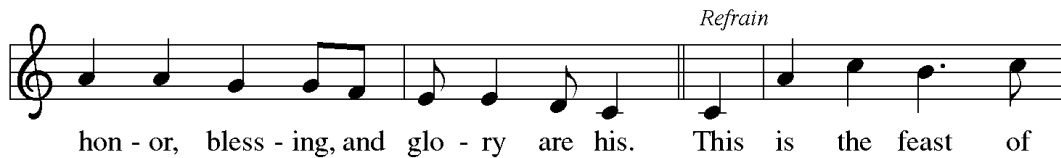


Lamb who was slain has be-gun his reign. Al-le-lu-ia.

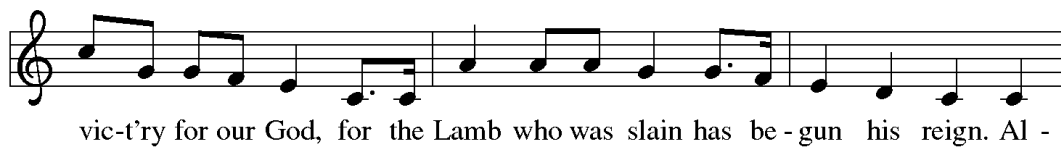
1 Wor-thy is Christ, the Lamb who was slain, whose blood set us free to be

peo-ple of God. Pow-er, rich-es, wis-dom, and strength, and

Refrain



hon-or, bless-ing, and glo-ry are his. This is the feast of



vic-t'ry for our God, for the Lamb who was slain has be-gun his reign. Al-

le-lu-ia. 2 Sing with all the peo-ple of God, and

join in the hymn of all cre-a-tion: Bless-ing, hon-or,

glo-ry, and might be to God and the Lamb for-ev-er. A-men.

Final refrain



This is the feast of vic-t'ry for our God, for the



Lamb who was slain has be-gun his reign. Al-le-lu-ia.

THE WORD

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Let us pray together:

Almighty and ever-living God, increase in us your gift of faith, that, forsaking what lies behind and reaching out to what lies ahead, we may follow the way of your commandments and receive the crown of everlasting joy, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Amen.

Congregation sits. Children are invited to come forward during the song and sit on the chancel steps.

WORD FOR THE CHILDREN

Jesus Loves Me

*Jesus loves me, this I know
For the Bible tells me so
Little ones to him belong,
They are weak, but he is strong!*

*Yes, Jesus loves me,
Yes, Jesus loves me,
Yes, Jesus loves me, for the Bible tells me so.*

READINGS

A reading from Amos (5:6-7, 10-15).

⁶Seek the Lord and live,
or he will break out against the house of Joseph like fire,
and it will devour Bethel, with no one to quench it.

⁷Ah, you that turn justice to wormwood,
and bring righteousness to the ground!

¹⁰They hate the one who reproves in the gate,
and they abhor the one who speaks the truth.

¹¹Therefore because you trample on the poor
and take from them levies of grain,
you have built houses of hewn stone,
but you shall not live in them;
you have planted pleasant vineyards,
but you shall not drink their wine.

¹²For I know how many are your transgressions,
and how great are your sins—
you who afflict the righteous, who take a bribe,
and push aside the needy in the gate.

¹³Therefore the prudent will keep silent in such a time;
for it is an evil time.

¹⁴Seek good and not evil,
that you may live;
and so the Lord, the God of hosts, will be with you,
just as you have said.

¹⁵Hate evil and love good,
and establish justice in the gate;
it may be that the Lord, the God of hosts,
will be gracious to the remnant of Joseph.

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

The Psalm (90:12-17) is read responsively.

¹²So teach us to number our days
that we may apply our hearts to wisdom.

¹³**Return, O Lord; how long will you tarry?
Be gracious to your servants.**

¹⁴Satisfy us by your steadfast love in the morning;
so shall we rejoice and be glad all our days.

¹⁵**Make us glad as many days as you afflicted us
and as many years as we suffered adversity.**

¹⁶Show your servants your works,
and your splendor to their children.

¹⁷**May the graciousness of the Lord our God be upon us;
prosper the work of our hands; prosper our handiwork.**

A reading from Hebrews (4:12-16).

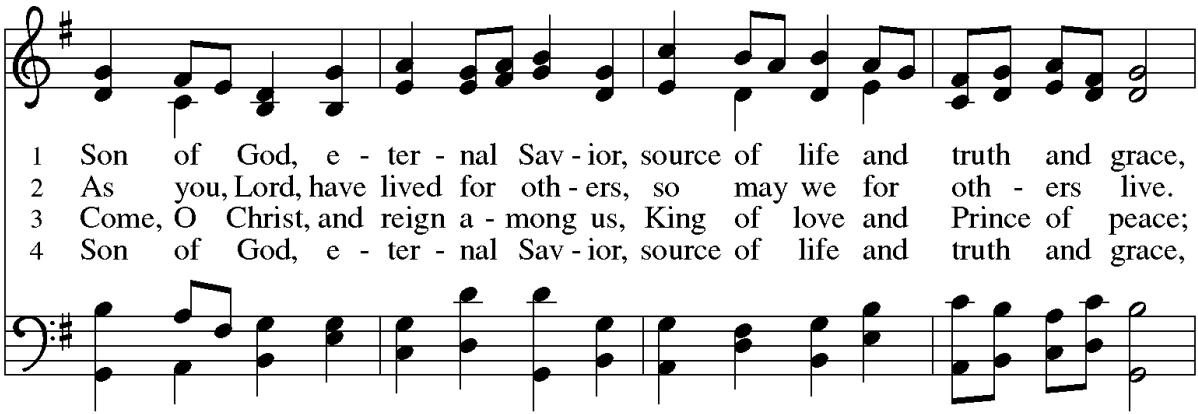
¹²Indeed, the word of God is living and active, sharper than any two-edged sword, piercing until it divides soul from spirit, joints from marrow; it is able to judge the thoughts and intentions of the heart. ¹³And before him no creature is hidden, but all are naked and laid bare to the eyes of the one to whom we must render an account.

¹⁴Since, then, we have a great high priest who has passed through the heavens, Jesus, the Son of God, let us hold fast to our confession. ¹⁵For we do not have a high priest who is unable to sympathize with our weaknesses, but we have one who in every respect has been tested as we are, yet without sin. ¹⁶Let us therefore approach the throne of grace with boldness, so that we may receive mercy and find grace to help in time of need.

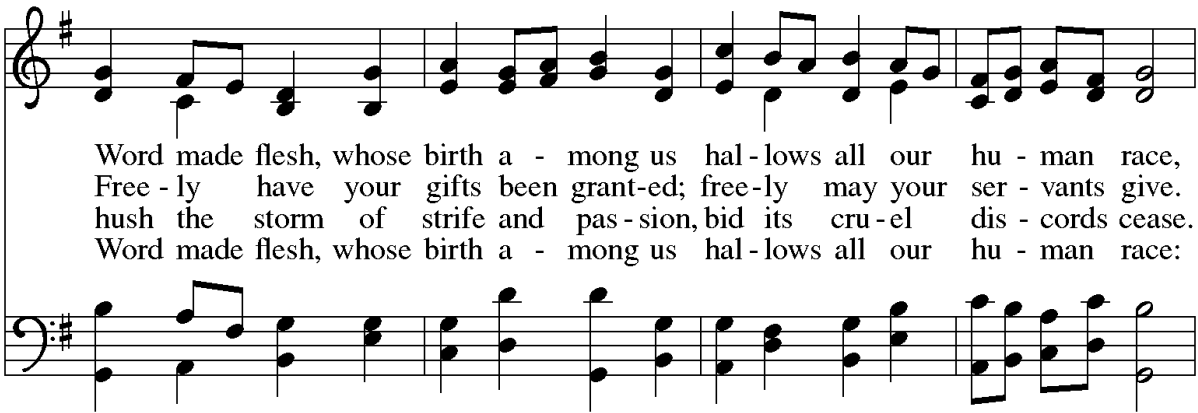
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Thanks be to God.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION (*Stand*)

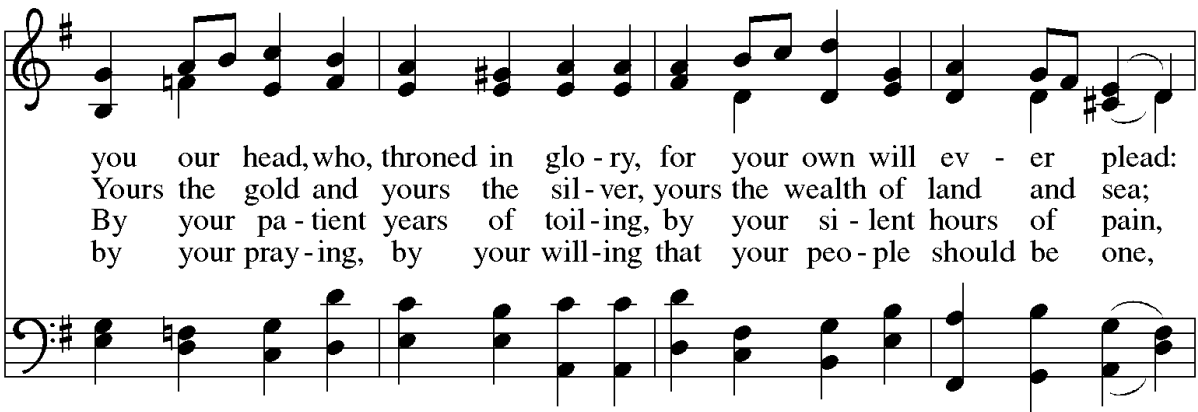
Al - le - lu - ia. Lord, to whom shall we go? You have the
words of e - ter - nal life. Al - le - lu - ia.
Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia.
Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.



1 Son of God, e - ter - nal Sav - ior, source of life and truth and grace,
 2 As you, Lord, have lived for oth - ers, so may we for oth - ers live.
 3 Come, O Christ, and reign a - mong us, King of love and Prince of peace;
 4 Son of God, e - ter - nal Sav - ior, source of life and truth and grace,



Word made flesh, whose birth a - mong us hal - lows all our hu - man race,
 Free - ly have your gifts been grant - ed; free - ly may your ser - vants give.
 hush the storm of strife and pas - sion, bid its cru - el dis - cords cease.
 Word made flesh, whose birth a - mong us hal - lows all our hu - man race:



you our head, who, throned in glo - ry, for your own will ev - er plead:
 Yours the gold and yours the sil - ver, yours the wealth of land and sea;
 By your pa - tient years of toil - ing, by your si - lent hours of pain,
 by your pray - ing, by your will - ing that your peo - ple should be one,



fill us with your love and pit - y, heal our wrong, and help our need.
 we but stew - ards of your boun - ty held in sol - emn trust will be.
 quench our fe - vered thirst of plea - sure, stem our self - ish greed of gain.
 grant, oh, grant our hope's fru - i - tion: here on earth your will be done.

APOSTLES' CREED

**I believe in God, the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.**

**I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried;
he descended to the dead.*
On the third day he rose again;
he ascended into heaven,
he is seated at the right hand of the Father,
and he will come to judge the living and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic** church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.**

**Or, "he descended into hell," another translation of this text in widespread use.*

***Lower case "c" means universal.*

THE PRAYERS

You are invited to either sit or kneel.

The response to each prayer will be *God of grace, hear our prayer.*

THE MEAL

SHARING OF THE PEACE *(Stand)*

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

OFFERING *(Sit)*

Support the mission and ministry of Gloria Dei by giving your financial tithes and offerings by:

- *placing your offering envelope into the offering plate as it is passed.*
- *mailing to Gloria Dei Lutheran Church, 250 Fox Hill Road, Hampton, Virginia 23669.*
- *using the Tithe.ly app: <https://get.tithe.ly/download-tithely-app>.*
- *using the Kiosk in the lobby.*
- *using online bill pay with your own banking institution, using your envelope number as your account number.*

For electronic offerings, see back page for QR codes.

MUSICAL MEDITATION

Lo, How a Rose

Johannes Brahms

OFFERTORY HYMN (*Stand*)

Let the Vineyards Be Fruitful



♩ Let the vine - yards be fruit - ful, Lord, and fill to the brim our
cup of bless - ing. Gath - er a har - vest from the
seeds that were sown, that we may be fed with the bread of life.
Gath - er the hopes and the dreams of all; u - nite them with the
prayers we of - fer now. Grace our ta - ble with your
pres - ence, and give us a fore - taste of the feast to come.

OFFERING PRAYER

Let us pray together:

Blessed are you, O God,

source of every gift of your creation.

By these gifts and with our lives,

help us to serve one another and all in need,

through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Amen.

GREAT THANKSGIVING

The Lord be with you.
And also with you.

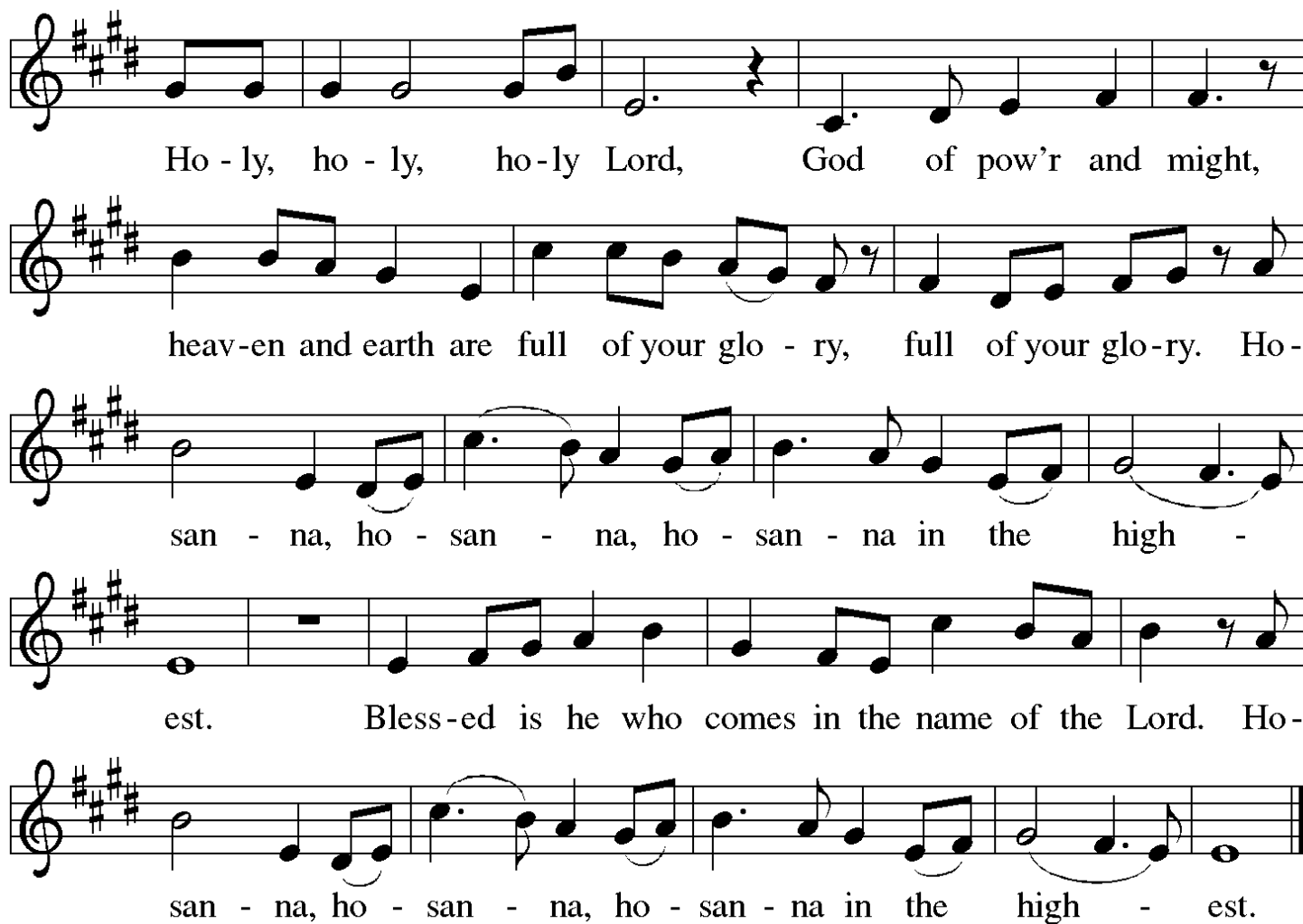
Lift up your hearts.
We lift them to the Lord.

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

PREFACE

It is indeed right, our duty and our joy,
that we should at all times and in all places
give thanks and praise to you, almighty and merciful God,
through our Savior Jesus Christ;
who on this day overcame death and the grave,
and by his glorious resurrection opened to us the way of everlasting life.
And so, with all the choirs of angels,
with the church on earth and the hosts of heaven,
we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

HOLY, HOLY, HOLY



Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow'r and might,
heav-en and earth are full of your glo - ry, full of your glo-ry. Ho -
san - na, ho - san - na, ho - san - na in the high -
est. Bless-ed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho -
san - na, ho - san - na, ho - san - na in the high - est.

EUCHARISTIC PRAYER

You are indeed holy, almighty and merciful God.
You are most holy,
and great is the majesty of your glory.

You so loved the world that you gave your only Son,
so that everyone who believes in him may not perish
but have eternal life.

We give you thanks for his coming into the world
to fulfill for us your holy will
and to accomplish all things for our salvation.

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.

LORD'S PRAYER

Lord, remember us in your kingdom and teach us to pray.

**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.**

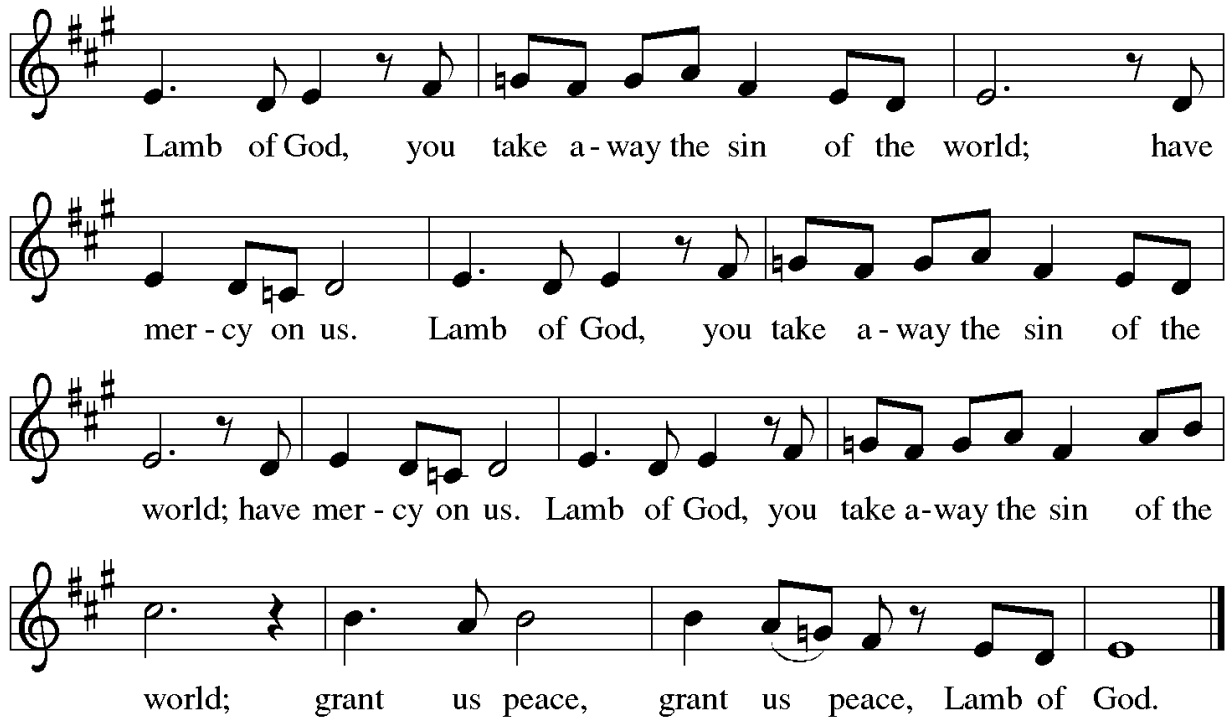
**For thine is the kingdom,
and the power, and the glory,
forever and ever. Amen.**

INVITATION TO COMMUNION

Come to the banquet, for all is now ready.

COMMUNION RESPONSE *(Sit)*

Lamb of God



Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the world; have
mer-cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the
world; have mer-cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the
world; grant us peace, grant us peace, Lamb of God.

*We believe that in the Eucharist our Lord Jesus Christ
offers us His gifts of love and forgiveness. All are welcome to share in Communion.*

*If you would like to receive communion by common cup instead of individual cups of wine or grape juice, after
you consume your wafer, hold your hands out (palms up), just like you did for your wafer.*

DISTRIBUTION OF COMMUNION

The body of Christ, given for you.

The blood of Christ, shed for you.

Amen.



You sat - is - fy the hun - gry heart with gift of fin - est wheat.



Come give to us, O sav - ing Lord, the bread of life to eat.



1 As when the shep - herd calls his sheep, they know and heed his voice;
 2 With joy - ful lips we sing to you our praise and grat - i - tude
 3 Is not the cup we bless and share the blood of Christ out - poured?
 4 The mys - t'ry of your pres - ence, Lord, no mor - tal tongue can tell:
 5 You give your - self to us, O Lord; then self - less let us be,



so when you call your fam - 'ly, Lord, we fol - low and re - joice.
 that you should count us wor - thy, Lord, to share this heav' n - ly food.
 Do not one cup, one loaf, de - clare our one - ness in the Lord?
 whom all the world can - not con - tain comes in our hearts to dwell.
 to serve each oth - er in your name in truth and char - i - ty.



1 I come with joy, a child of God, for - giv - en, loved, and
 2 I come with Chris - tians far and near to find, as all are
 3 As Christ breaks bread, and bids us share, each proud di - vi - sion
 4 The Spir - it of the ris - en Christ, un - seen, but ev - er
 5 To - geth - er met, to - geth - er bound by all that God has



free, the life of Je - sus to re - call in
 fed, the new com - mu - ni - ty of love in
 ends. The love that made us, makes us one, and
 near, is in such friend - ship bet - ter known, a -
 done, we'll go with joy, to give the world the



love laid down for me, in love laid down for me.
 Christ's com - mu - nion bread, in Christ's com - mu - nion bread.
 strang - ers now are friends, and strang - ers now are friends.
 live a - mong us here, a - live a - mong us here.
 love that makes us one, the love that makes us one.

SENDING

BLESSING AFTER THE MEAL *(Stand)*

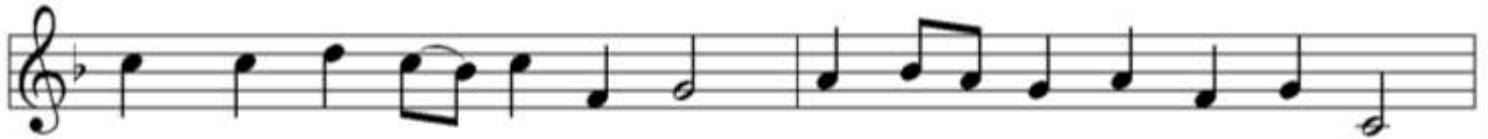
The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen you and keep you in his grace.
Amen.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Let us pray together:

Holy God,
you have welcomed us to this meal
and fed us with dignity at your table.
Send us now to welcome others
and to be at peace with one another,
through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.

POST-COMMUNION CANTICLE



☩ Thank the Lord and sing his praise; tell ev-'ry-one what he has done.



Let all who seek the Lord re - jice and proud-ly bear his name.



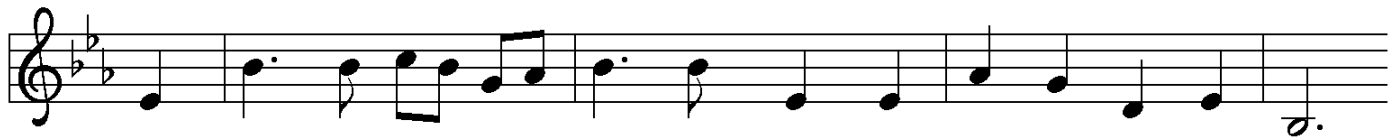
He re - calls his prom - is - es and leads his peo - ple forth in joy with



shouts of thanks - giv - ing. Al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia.

BENEDICTION

The Lord bless you and keep you.
The Lord's face shine on you with grace and mercy.
The Lord look upon you with favor and ☩ give you peace.
Amen.



1 How clear is our vo - ca - tion, Lord, when once we heed your call
 2 But if, for - get - ful, we should find your yoke is hard to bear;
 3 We mar - vel how your saints be - come in hin - dranc - es more sure;
 4 In what you give us, Lord, to do, to - geth - er or a - lone,



to live ac - cord - ing to your word and dai - ly learn, re - freshed, re - stored,
 if world - ly pres - sures fray the mind and love it - self can - not un - wind
 whose joy - ful vir - tues put to shame the ca - sual way we wear your name,
 in old rou - tines or ven - tures new, may we not cease to look to you,



that you are Lord of all and will not let us fall.
 its tan - gled skein of care: our in - ward life re - pair.
 and by our faults ob - scure your pow'r to cleanse and cure.
 the cross you hung up - on, all you en - deav - ored done.

ANNOUNCEMENTS *(Sit)*

POSTLUDE

We Are Climbing Jacob's Ladder

*Please take this time to ponder what Christ may be calling you/us to do through today's prayers, readings, sermons, and hymns as we listen to the Postlude. **If you are particularly moved by the Postlude, please hold your applause and congratulate the musician in person after worship.***

DISMISSAL

Go in peace. Serve the Lord.
Thanks be to God.



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The flowers today are given to the Glory of God by Rick and Lynn Graves in celebration of our grandson, Anderson's, 18th birthday.

CHILDREN'S BULLETINS are available for each Sunday's service on the table in the Atrium.

PARENTS, if you would like your child to have a coloring book and colored pencils during worship, please ask an usher.

RESTROOMS are located in the Atrium.

INDIVIDUAL HEARING AIDS are available from the ushers. Please return them to an usher after the service.

#1—Serving Today

CROSS AND CROWN: MacKenna Behan, Dallam Brown,
Wade Brown
GREETER: Michelle Robertson
LAY ASSISTANT: Sarah Olsen
READER: Dan Singer
TECHNICAL TEAM: Barry Hutchison, Derry Mace, Mike Riley,
Aaron Sutherland, Jenny Sutherland
USHERS: Brown Cornwell, Josh Lowman

#2—All Saints Sunday

Loved ones who have died in the past year will be remembered on All Saints' Sunday, November 3. You may add the name(s) of your loved ones who have died in the past year to the All Saints' list by writing their name on the list located on the table in the Narthex as you enter or leave the Nave. You may also call, 757-851-2838, or email, psipes@gloriadei.net, by **12:00 noon on Tuesday, October 29**. We will remember your loved ones with the lighting of a candle, and they will be included in the prayers. You are also invited to remember your loved ones with an offering to the Memorial Fund.

#3—Community Bible Study

Our weekly Community Bible Study, is held at H.E.L.P., 329 Buckroe Avenue, on **Wednesdays at noon**. All are invited to attend. This is a great opportunity for us to learn the needs of our community and help us to become more outreach-oriented.

#4—Fellowship Bible Study

You are invited to join us in Bible study every Tuesday at 10:00 a.m. We are meeting in the Simeon Center and using the Augsburg Adult Bible Study Series. This is a small group study, where you will find fellowship and a relaxed atmosphere. For information, email Sharon L. Padula at spadula1@gmail.com.

#5—Daylight Saving Time

Please set your clocks back one hour on Saturday, November 2, before you go to bed, as daylight saving time ends at 2:00 a.m. on **Sunday, November 3**.

#6—Evangelism Summit

Evangelism 101

After worship on **Sunday, November 3, 2024**, 11:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m., Pastor John Wertz, Assistant to the Bishop, will be presenting a summit on evangelism. We will meet in the Simeon Center and everyone is expected to come.

#7—Wear Red for Reformation Sunday

Why do Lutherans wear red on Reformation Day?

On **Sunday, October 27**, the day we are celebrating the festival of the Reformation, the clergy wear RED vestments to signify the work of the Spirit. It is also a custom in many churches for the people in the congregation to wear RED for Reformation as well.

#8—Zooming on Over to YouTube

We are excited to make our worship more accessible to those who want to worship with us at Gloria Dei who are not physically able to be with us in the nave. Zoom has served us well, but it limits folks to participate at the same time we worship in person. Facebook allowed those who used it to go back and watch it, but fewer and fewer people have or use a Facebook account. YouTube is available to anyone with the internet to worship with us – broadening our field. Statistics show, people looking to join a church are worshipping online before coming on campus. With YouTube, we will be placing the front door of our building into everyone's home.

If you are unable to physically be with us in the Nave, you will go to the link below or scan the QR code below with your smartphone to worship with us by way of YouTube. You can worship live, or at a more convenient time.

Use this link:

<https://www.youtube.com/@gloriadelutheranchurchhampton>

OR

Scan this QR code with your smartphone:



#9—Cereal Offering on Sunday Mornings

Running late? Short on time? We will have milk and a small selection of cereals available before worship each Sunday morning. Please visit the Coffee Bar for available cereal choices.

#10—Our Love and Prayers go out to...

If you have any prayer requests during the week, you may email psipes@gloriadei.net, or call the church office, 757-851-2838.

Our members: Judy Wagner St. Pierre, Buzz Hamilton, Vickie Roark, Abby Hella, Joann Morrison, Russ Morrison, Madeleine Etheridge, Dorie Scherer, Sharon Rose, Joan Ehlers, Tommy Vanorsdale, Donna Vanorsdale, Ernie Atkins, Chris Tucker, Craig Ruhl, Debbi Ortiz, Susan Krebs, Roger Ward, Marna Mayo, Wivi Pelt-Dettie, Bill Siefers, Max Vanpelt, Nancy Monroe, Bill Monroe, Bill Swanson, Joan Hudgins, Emily Urban, Jill Ruhl

All names below will remain on the prayer list for the current month. Should you wish your loved one to remain on this list for another month, please call the church office the first week of each month to have them added.

Prayers for our families and friends:

Joe Grist, cousin of Leonard Mayo
Pete Squires, friend of Leonard Mayo
Lane Yarrington, grandson of Sherri Yarrington (GDLS employee)
Lonnie Slaughter, of Slaughter Tree Farm, friend of Gloria Dei
All those affected by Hurricane Helene
Cyndee Hayden, friend of Peggy Todd
Mike and Roni Hull, grandparents of Amelia Venable
Sheri Yarrington, GDLS employee
Nedra Clark, friend of Sharon Bennett
Chuck Gravley, friend of Sharon Bennett
Jane Barefoot, GDLS employee
Michelle Nisbet, GDLS employee
Larry Mullins, friend of the Fullens
Siggi Williams, friend of the Fullens and Atkins
Charlotte Tyeryar, mother of Pam Hess
Rick Thomas, nephew of Carol Godley
Bernard Allen family, friends of Jim and Jeane Fullen
Julia Mutch, friend of Jim and Jeane Fullen
Jude (GDLS student) and Monte (GDLS parent) Kuligowski
Erin Weigel, friend of the Pfahls
Marc Schaub, brother of Kim Miller
Corie Amell, niece of Julie Hutchison
Mike May, brother of Deborah Walker, GDLS employee
Sheila May, mother of Deborah Walker, GDLS employee
Tom Vanorsdale, husband of Donna Vanorsdale

#11—Little Library

Our Little Library, located at the middle set of doors, gets a lot of action from parents as they are dropping off or picking up their children. We are asking that you please consider donating any children's books by placing them on the back counter at the Information Desk. These books will be used to refill when the Little Library gets low on books. Thank you for your generosity.

#12—Birthdays

13 Anderson Rice
14 Sophia Williams
16 Cate Bayles, Susan Grimm, James Green
18 Casey Payne
19 Nicholas Griese

#13—Members and friends serving in the military who have asked for our prayers:

Ian Bogy, USN	Husband of Tamara Bogy
Mark Bradford, USN	Husband of Marilyn Bradford
Colin Chambers, USA	Friend of Mike Canny
Ryan Curtis, USAF	Son of Lynn and Cathy Curtis
Crystal Curtis, USAF	Daughter-in-law of Lynn and Cathy Curtis
John Demitraszek, USMC	Son-in-law of Bill and Carolyn Swanson
Matthew Dudek, USA	Friend of the Venables
Tyler Green, USAF	Son-in-law of Judy Wagner St. Pierre
Nicholas Griese, USAF	Son of Vivian Griese
Megan Haskell, USA	Granddaughter of Buzz and Anita Hamilton
Jack Jones, USA	Family friend of Mike Canny
Dylan Kremp, USMC	Member of Gloria Dei
Kerri Masters, USA	Member of Gloria Dei
W. Allan Monroe, MSC	Son of Bill and Nancy Monroe
Matthew Morse, USMC	Son of Kevin Morse
Troy Newton, USN	Friend of Laura and Berto Lopez
Marc St. Pierre, USMC	Son of Judy Wagner St. Pierre
Paul St. Pierre, II, USCG/FSO	Son of Judy Wagner St. Pierre
Bradley Rollyson, USMC	Son of Mark and Marilyn Bradford
Steve Swanson, USN	Son of Bill and Carolyn Swanson
Nick Tavarez, USN	Grandson-in-law of Donna and Tom Vanorsdale
J.P. Venable, III, USAF	Member of Gloria Dei
Richard Williams, USAF	Husband of Stephanie Williams and Son of Joan Ehlers

#14—Next Week at Gloria Dei

Today..... TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
9:30 a.m. **WORSHIP**
10:45 a.m. Prayer Shawl Ministry

Monday..... *Indigenous People's Day - Church Office Closed*
6:00 p.m. Pack Meeting
7:00 p.m. Troop 10 Meeting
WELCA Book Club

Tuesday..... 10:00 a.m. Fellowship Bible Study

Wednesday 12:00 p.m. Community Bible Study
5:45 p.m. Wonderful Wednesday

Saturday 2:00 p.m. Shaffer Funeral

Next Sunday..... TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
9:30 a.m. **WORSHIP**
9:00 a.m. Blood Drive
11:00 a.m. ExAdCom
Choir Rehearsal
2:00 p.m. Trunk or Treat

#15—Anniversaries

October
1 Bo and Amiee Lomax
5 Brian and Sara Yohn

#16—Trunk or Treat - Volunteers Needed!

Girl Scout Troop 1041 will once again host a Trunk or Treat for the community on Sunday, October 20, and they need your help.

1. Sign up to host a decorated car and hand out candy
2. Help at a craft table or game stations (great job for Youth Groups!)
3. Donations of candy - a box will be located by the fireplace

If you would like to help, please contact vicki.oneill@gmail.com.

#17—H.E.L.P. Donations

Please, join us in filling up the red wagon to feed the hungry in our community. The following are items on their most needed list:

- * Peanut Butter
- * Crackers
- * Mac & Cheese
- * Shelf-stable milk
- * Canned veggies—corn, beans, green beans
- * Soap
- * Canned or Boxed Potatoes
- * Toilet Paper
- * Juice (individual size)

#18—WELCA Book Group

The book group of Gloria Dei meets on the second Monday of the month. A book is selected by the hostess and read by all. Discussion then follows about the content of the book. If you have any questions, please contact Rita Foringer at rforinger@verizon.net.

On **Monday, October 14**, we will gather at the home of Mary Mace, 106 Towler Dr., Hampton, at 7:00 p.m. As always, please let Mary know if you'll be there. We'll be reading, "*The Magnificent Lives of Marjorie Post*," by Allison Pataki.

#19—Wonderful Wednesdays

You are invited to

WONDERFUL WEDNESDAYS

5:45 PM - 7:30 PM

BIBLE STUDY • FOOD • MUSIC • CRAFTS

1st Session

Oct. 2, 9 & 16

2nd Session

Oct. 30
Nov. 6, 13, 20
Dec. 4 & 11

3rd Session

Jan. 8, 15, 22, 29
Feb. 5 & 12

4th Session

Apr. 23, 30
May 7, 14, 21 & 28

We are excited to offer this program to all students in **Grades K-12**.



Please scan this QR Code to register your child.

#20—Fit For Heaven Live Workshop



**Sunday,
November 10, 2024
2:00 p.m.**

The Fit For Heaven Workshop is an interactive experience designed to help believers grasp the fundamental concepts of a biblical approach to health and fitness. During this workshop on **November 10**, attendees learn the five pillars of the Kingdom Fit Blueprint: Biblical Nutrition, Meaningful Movement, Stress Management, Passionate Support, and Commitment to God. With each pillar presented, FIT Church founder and author Matthew Gay will provide a proven strategy for implementation. This workshop has inspired and convicted many believers to create a healthy life in Christ while moving them into clear action with practical information for real-life application. Participants should come prepared to move, ask questions, and be challenged in empowering ways. Of those who attend, one person will be randomly selected to win the FIT for Heaven 12-week Program!

The goals of this workshop are to:

- Establish a clear connection between following Christ and living a healthy life.
- Provide clear and actionable steps for attendees to build healthier bodies and lifestyles.
- Demonstrate the freedom and fulfillment in a Christ-centered health journey.
- Offer clarity to those confused about some aspect of their health journey.
- Determine the next steps with those who are ready to take them.
- Distribute tools and resources to put the teaching of the workshop into action.

Those who desire to attend should RSVP to Peggy in the Church Office, psipes@gloriadei.net. Please invite others to join you.

The Fit Church book will be available for purchase, and those who desire the Fit for Heaven program can sign up during the workshop.

More information can be found here: <https://www.fitchurchunited.com/workshop>.

#21—Women of Gloria Dei



Christmas Bow Making

Round 2

Sunday, November 3

1:00 p.m.– 3:00 p.m.

It's time to update our Christmas bows.
Come join us for an afternoon of fun, fellowship, and bow making.

BBQ DRIVE THRU

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 26, 2024

3:00 PM - 6:00 PM



ADULT PLATE \$12	CHILD'S PLATE \$6
PULLED PORK SANDWICH COLE SLAW, BAKED BEANS, CHIPS & DESSERT	HOT DOG BAKED BEANS, CHIPS, & A GOODIE BAG

GLORIA DEI LUTHERAN CHURCH • 250 FOX HILL RD • HAMPTON, VA

You're Invited!



Sunday, October 20, 2024

2:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Trunk or Treat, Games, Crafts & Fun!

Gloria Dei Parking Lot
250 Fox Hill Road
Hampton, VA 23669

Hosted by girl scouts
Troop 1041





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RETREAT

A CUP OF UNCONDITIONAL LOVE

NOVEMBER 7-9, 2024

REGISTRATION DEADLINE OCTOBER 11

HOTEL DEADLINE OCTOBER 14

Hilton Garden Inn Innsbrook, Glen Allen, VA

To register: alwretreat.org

Bring a favorite mug or teacup to use for
retreat devotionals



Be the change.

Help change a life. Give blood.



Blood Drive **Gloria Dei Lutheran Church**

Fellowship Hall
250 Fox Hill Road
Hampton, VA 23669

Sunday, October 20, 2024
9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

Please visit RedCrossBlood.org and enter: GloriaDei to schedule an appointment.

Streamline your donation experience and save up to 15 minutes by visiting RedCrossBlood.org/RapidPass to complete your pre-donation reading and health history questions on the day of your appointment.



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