

The Lord's Day, November 22, A.D. 2020

*Great is the Lord, and greatly to be praised
(Psalm 48:1a)*

Order of Worship

Prelude

Emily Carroll

Welcome and Announcements

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If you have a physical or spiritual need during this crisis, please let Pastor Kevin or a consistory member know. We are here to serve you.

Silent Prayer

***The Call to Worship and Salutation**

Psalm 68:4

*Sing to God, sing praises to His name; Extol Him
who rides on the clouds, by His name YAH, and
rejoice before Him.*

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***The Invocation**

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*Hymn #715 Come, Ye Thankful People, Come

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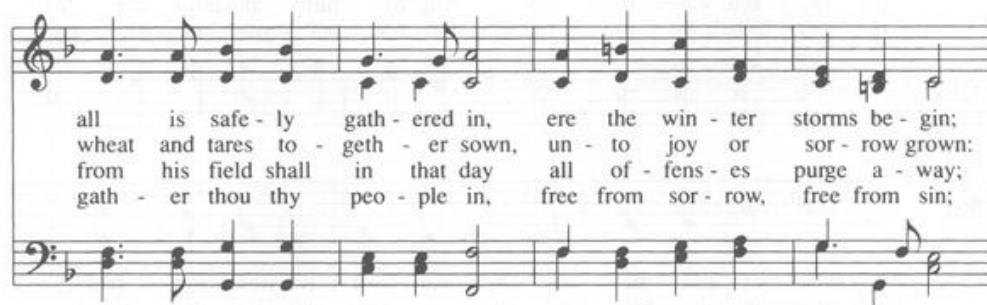
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Come, Ye Thankful People, Come

The harvest is the end of the age, and the harvesters are angels. Matt. 13:39



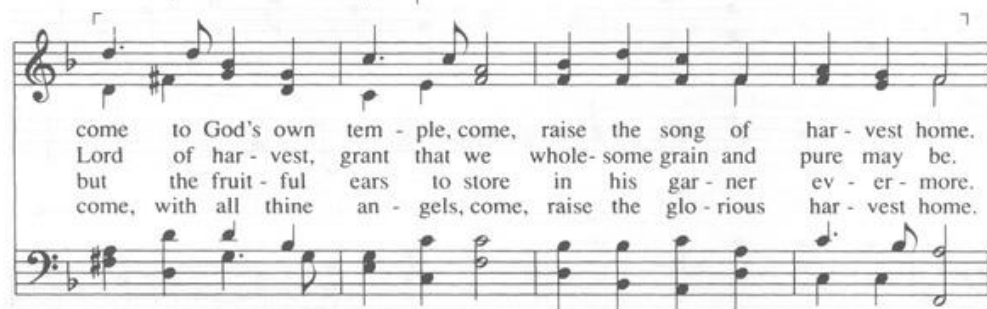
1. Come, ye thank-ful peo-ple, come, raise the song of har-vest home:
2. All the world is God's own field, fruit un-to his praise to yield;
3. For the Lord our God shall come, and shall take his har-vest home;
4. E-ven so, Lord, quick-ly come to thy fi-nal har-vest home;



all is safe-ly gath-ered in, ere the win-ter storms be-gin;
wheat and tares to- geth-er sown, un-to joy or sor-row grown:
from his field shall in that day all of-fens-es purge a-way;
gath-er thou thy peo-ple in, free from sor-row, free from sin;



God, our Mak-er, doth pro-vide for our wants to be sup-plied:
first the blade, and then the ear, then the full corn shall ap-pear:
give his an-gels charge at last in the fire the tares to cast,
there for-ev-er pu-ri-fied, in thy pres-ence to a-bide:



come to God's own tem-ple, come, raise the song of har-vest home.
Lord of har-vest, grant that we whole-some grain and pure may be.
but the fruit-ful ears to store in his gar-ner ev-er-more.
come, with all thine an-gels, come, raise the glo-rious har-vest home.

Heidelberg Catechism Lord's Day 47

122. What is the first petition? *“Hallowed be Your name;” that is, grant us, first, rightly to know You, and to sanctify, magnify, and praise You in all Your works, in which Your power, goodness, justice, mercy, and truth shine forth; and further, that we so order our whole life, our thoughts, words, and deeds, that Your Name may not be blasphemed, but honored and praised on our account.*

Pastoral Prayer

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*Hymn #361

O, Praise Ye the Lord

COVENANT PEOPLE

O Praise Ye the Lord

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Praise the LORD. Sing to the LORD a new song, his praise in the assembly of the saints. Ps. 149:1

The musical score is written in a four-part setting (Soprano, Alto, Tenor, Bass) on a grand staff. The key signature has one flat (B-flat) and the time signature is 4/4. The score consists of six systems of music, each with a vocal line and a piano accompaniment line. The lyrics are printed below the vocal lines. The first system includes four numbered verses. The second system continues the lyrics. The third system continues. The fourth system continues. The fifth system continues. The sixth system concludes the hymn with a final cadence.

1. O praise ye the Lord and sing a new song,
2. With tim - brel and harp and joy - ful ac - claim,
3. In glo - ry ex - ult, ye saints of the Lord;
4. For this is his word: his saints shall not fail,

a - mid all his saints his prais - es pro - long;
with glad - ness and mirth, sing praise to his name;
with songs in the night high prais - es ac - cord;
but o - ver the earth their pow'r shall pre - vail;

the praise of their Mak - er his peo - ple shall sing,
for God in his peo - ple his plea - sure doth seek,
go forth in his ser - vice, be strong in his might
all king - doms and na - tions shall yield to their sway.

and chil - dren of Zi - on re - jice in their King,
with robes of sal - va - tion he cloth - eth the meek,
to con - quer all e - vil and stand for the right.
To God give the glo - ry and praise him for aye.

Psalm 149
alter, 1912

LAUDATE DOMINUM 10.10.11.11.
C. Hubert H. Parry, 1894

The Reading of Scripture:

Hosea 8

¹*“Set the trumpet to your mouth! He shall come like an eagle against the house of the LORD, because they have transgressed My covenant and rebelled against My law.*

²*Israel will cry to Me, ‘My God, we know You!’*

³*Israel has rejected the good; The enemy will pursue him.*

⁴*“They set up kings, but not by Me; They made princes, but I did not acknowledge them. From their silver and gold they made idols for themselves—that they might be cut off.*

⁵*Your calf is rejected, O Samaria! My anger is aroused against them—how long until they attain to innocence?*

⁶*For from Israel is even this: a workman made it, and it is not God; But the calf of Samaria shall be broken to pieces.*

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- ⁷ *“They sow the wind, and reap the whirlwind.
The stalk has no bud; It shall never produce
meal. If it should produce, aliens would
swallow it up.*
- ⁸ *Israel is swallowed up; Now they are among
the Gentiles like a vessel in which is no
pleasure.*
- ⁹ *For they have gone up to Assyria, like a wild
donkey alone by itself; Ephraim has hired
lovers.*
- ¹⁰ *Yes, though they have hired among the
nations, now I will gather them; And they
shall sorrow a little, because of the burden
of the king of princes.*
- ¹¹ *“Because Ephraim has made many altars for
sin, they have become for him altars for
sinning.*
- ¹² *I have written for him the great things of My
law, but they were considered a strange
thing.*

¹³ *For the sacrifices of My offerings they sacrifice flesh and eat it, but the LORD does not accept them. Now He will remember their iniquity and punish their sins. They shall return to Egypt.*

¹⁴ *“For Israel has forgotten his Maker, and has built temples; Judah also has multiplied fortified cities; But I will send fire upon his cities, and it shall devour his palaces.”*

Sermon: **The Danger of Apostasy**
Rev. Dr. Kevin Carroll

***Prayer of Application & the Lord’s Prayer**

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Offering/Hymn #125

Let All Things Now Living

GOD'S WORK:

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Let All Things Now Living

Sing to the LORD, all the earth; proclaim his salvation day after day. 1 Chron. 16:23

Capo 3: Γ F(D) Gm(Em) C(A) 7

1. Let all things now liv - ing a song of thanks - giv - ing
2. His law he en - forc - es: the stars in their cours - es,

F(D) B \flat (G) F(D) C 7 (A 7) F(D)

to God the Cre - a - tor tri - um - phant - ly raise,
the sun in its or - bit, o - be - dient - ly shine;

Gm(Em) C(A)

who fash - ioned and made us, pro - tect - ed and stayed us,
the hills and the moun - tains, the riv - ers and foun - tains,

F(D) B \flat (G) F(D) C 7 (A 7) F(D)

who guides us and leads to the end of our days.
the deeps of the o - cean pro - claim him di - vine.

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His ban - ners are o'er us, his light goes be - fore us,
 We too should be voic - ing our love and re - joic - ing.

a pil - lar of fire shin - ing a forth in the night,
 with glad ad - o - ra - tion a song let us raise,

'til shad - ows have van - ished and dark - ness is ban - ished,
 'til all things now liv - ing u - nite in thanks - giv - ing

as for - ward we trav - el from light in - to light.
 to God in the high - est, ho - san - na and praise!

Katherine K. Davis, 1939
 Arr. 1990, mod.

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 Traditional Welsh melody
 Arr. by Katherine K. Davis, 1939

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