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# THE FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

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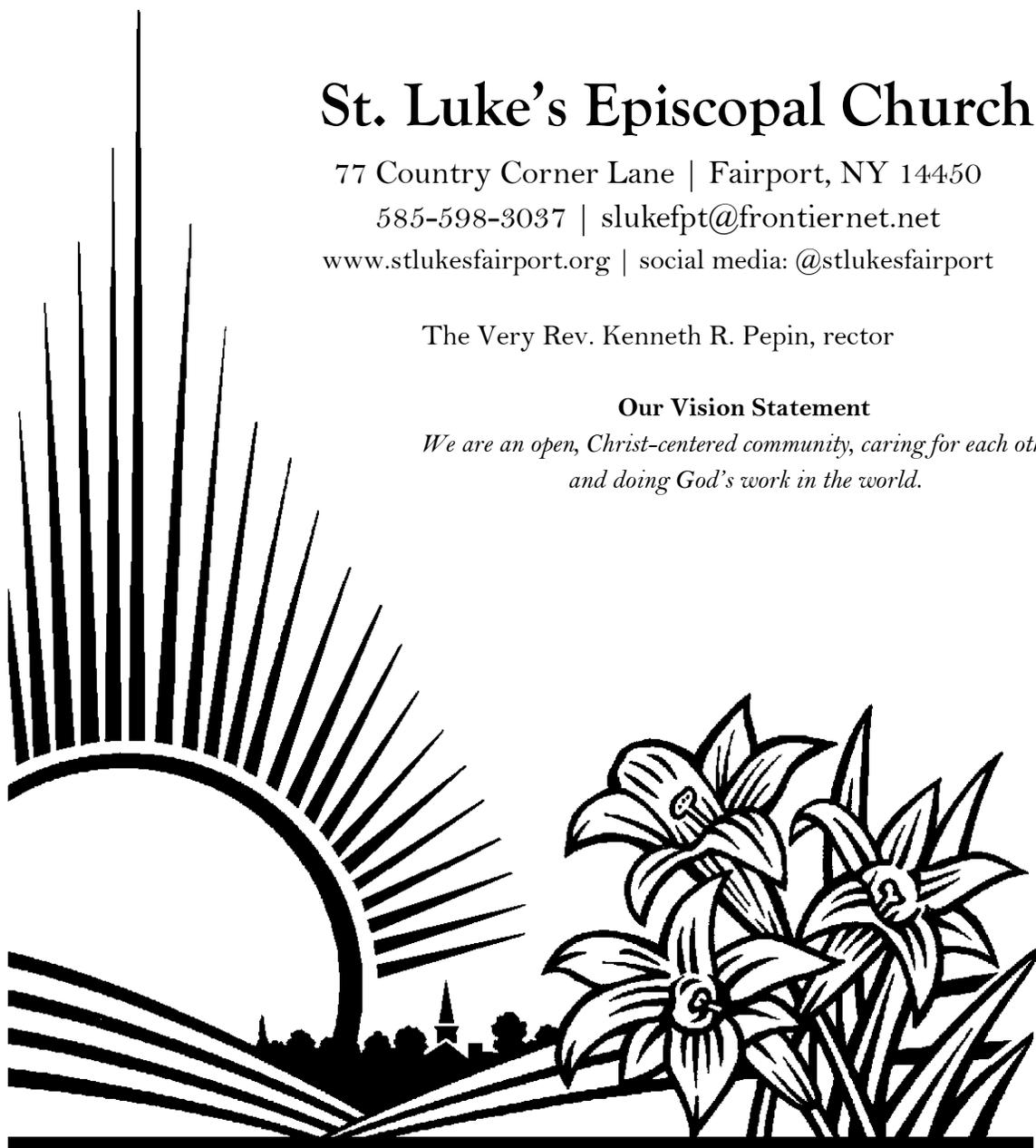
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### Our Vision Statement

*We are an open, Christ-centered community, caring for each other,  
and doing God's work in the world.*



# GATHERING RITE

Processional Hymn

*When Christ was lifted*

Hymn 603, v.1, 4

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Christian Responsibility

1 When Christ was lift - ed from the earth, his  
2 Still east and west his love ex - tends and  
3 Where gen - er - a - tion, class, or race di -  
4 Thus free - ly loved, though ful - ly known, may

arms stretched out a - bove through ev - ery cul - ture,  
al - ways, near or far, he calls and claims us  
vide us to our shame, he sees not la - bels  
I in Christ be free to wel - come and ac -

ev - ery birth, to draw an an - swering love.  
as his friends and loves us as we are.  
but a face, a per - son, and a name.  
cept his own as Christ ac - cept - ed me.

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## The Easter Acclamation

*Presider:* Alleluia! Christ is risen.

*People:* The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia!

## The 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. *Amen.*

## Gloria in Excelsis

Hymn S278



Glo - ry to God in the high-est, and peace to his peo - ple on earth. Lord God,  
heaven - ly King, al - migh - t - y God and Fa - ther, we wor - ship you, we give you thanks, we  
praise you for your glo - ry. Lord Je - sus Christ, on - ly Son of the Fa - ther,  
Lord God, Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the world: have mer - cy on us;  
you are seat - ed at the right hand of the Fa - ther: re - ceive our prayer.  
For you a - lone are the Ho - ly One, you a - lone are the Lord, you a - lone are the  
Most High, Je - sus Christ, with the Ho - ly Spi - rit, in the glo - ry of  
God the Fa - ther. A - men.

*Presider:* The Lord be with you

*People:* **And also with you.**

*Presider:* Let us pray.

## The Collect of the Day

Almighty God, whom truly to know is everlasting life: Grant us so perfectly to know your Son Jesus Christ to be the way, the truth, and the life, that we may steadfastly follow his steps in the way that leads to eternal life; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.*

## **LITURGY OF THE WORD**

### A reading from the book of Acts

Acts 11:1-18

Now the apostles and the believers who were in Judea heard that the Gentiles had also accepted the word of God. So when Peter went up to Jerusalem, the circumcised believers criticized him, saying, "Why did you go to uncircumcised men and eat with them?" Then Peter began to explain it to them, step by step, saying, "I was in the city of Joppa praying, and in a trance I saw a vision. There was something like a large sheet coming down from heaven, being lowered by its four corners; and it came close to me. As I looked at it closely I saw four-footed animals, beasts of prey, reptiles, and birds of the air. I also heard a voice saying to me, 'Get up, Peter; kill and eat.' But I replied, 'By no means, Lord; for nothing profane or unclean has ever entered my mouth.' But a second time the voice answered from heaven, 'What God has made clean, you must not call profane.' This happened three times; then everything was pulled up again to heaven. At that very moment three men, sent to me from Caesarea, arrived at the house where we were. The Spirit told me to go with them and not to make a distinction between them and us. These six brothers also accompanied me, and we entered the man's house. He told us how he had seen the angel standing in his house and saying, 'Send to Joppa and bring Simon, who is called Peter; he will give you a message by which you and your entire household will be saved.' And as I began to speak, the Holy Spirit fell upon them just as it had upon us at the beginning. And I remembered the word of the Lord, how he had said, 'John baptized with water, but you will be baptized with the Holy Spirit.' If then God gave them the same gift that he gave us when we believed in the Lord Jesus Christ, who was I

that I could hinder God?" When they heard this, they were silenced. And they praised God, saying, "Then God has given even to the Gentiles the repentance that leads to life."

*Lector:* The Word of the Lord.

*People:* **Thanks be to God.**

Psalm 148

BCP pg. 805  
*Laudate Dominum*

<sup>1</sup> Hallelujah!

Praise the LORD from the heavens; praise him in the heights.

<sup>2</sup> Praise him, all you angels of his;  
praise him, all his host.

<sup>3</sup> Praise him, sun and moon;  
praise him, all you shining stars.

<sup>4</sup> Praise him, heaven of heavens,  
and you waters above the heavens.

<sup>5</sup> Let them praise the Name of the LORD;  
for he commanded, and they were created.

<sup>6</sup> He made them stand fast for ever and ever;  
he gave them a law which shall not pass away.

<sup>7</sup> Praise the LORD from the earth,  
you sea-monsters and all deeps;

<sup>8</sup> Fire and hail, snow and fog,  
tempestuous wind, doing his will;

<sup>9</sup> Mountains and all hills,  
fruit trees and all cedars;

<sup>10</sup> Wild beasts and all cattle,  
creeping things and winged birds;

<sup>11</sup> Kings of the earth and all peoples,  
princes and all rulers of the world;

<sup>12</sup> Young men and maidens,  
old and young together.

<sup>13</sup> Let them praise the Name of the LORD,  
for his Name only is exalted,  
his splendor is over earth and heaven.

<sup>14</sup> He has raised up strength for his people  
and praise for all his loyal servants,  
the children of Israel, a people who are near him.  
Hallelujah!

## A reading from the book of Revelation

Revelation 21:1-6

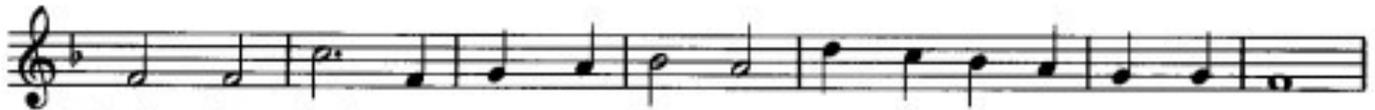
I saw a new heaven and a new earth; for the first heaven and the first earth had passed away, and the sea was no more. And I saw the holy city, the new Jerusalem, coming down out of heaven from God, prepared as a bride adorned for her husband. And I heard a loud voice from the throne saying,

"See, the home of God is among mortals.  
He will dwell with them as their God;  
they will be his peoples,  
and God himself will be with them;  
he will wipe every tear from their eyes.  
Death will be no more;  
mourning and crying and pain will be no more,  
for the first things have passed away."

And the one who was seated on the throne said, "See, I am making all things new." Also he said, "Write this, for these words are trustworthy and true." Then he said to me, "It is done! I am the Alpha and the Omega, the beginning and the end. To the thirsty I will give water as a gift from the spring of the water of life."

*Lector:* The Word of the Lord.

***People:* Thanks be to God.**



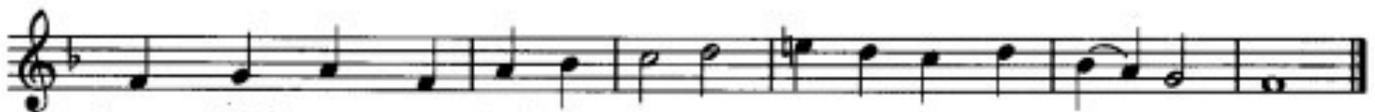
1 Praise the Lord! ye heavens a - dore him; praise him an - gels in the height;  
2 Praise the Lord! for he is glo - rious; nev - er shall his prom - ise fail;



sun and moon, re - joice be - fore him; praise him, all ye stars of light.  
God hath made his saints vic - to - rious; sin and death shall not pre - vail.



Praise the Lord! for he hath spo - ken; worlds his might - y voice o - beyed;  
Praise the God of our sal - va - tion! Hosts on high, his power pro - claim;



laws which nev - er shall be bro - ken for their guid - ance he hath made.  
heaven and earth, and all cre - a - tion, laud and mag - ni - fy his Name.

### The Holy Gospel: John 13:31-35

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

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

At the last supper, when Judas had gone out, Jesus said, "Now the Son of Man has been glorified, and God has been glorified in him. If God has been glorified in him, God will also glorify him in himself and will glorify him at once. Little children, I am with you only a little longer. You will look for me; and as I said to the Jews so now I say to you, 'Where I am going, you cannot come.' I give you a new commandment, that you love one another. Just as I have loved you, you also should love one another. By this everyone will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another."

*Presider:* The Gospel of the Lord.

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

The Nicene Creed

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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.

*Intercessor:* In peace, we pray to you, Lord God.

*Silence*

For all people in their daily life and work;

*People:* **For our families, friends, and neighbors, and for those who are alone.**

*Intercessor:* For this community, the nation, and the world;

*People:* **For all who work for justice, freedom, and peace.**

*Intercessor:* For the just and proper use of your creation;

*People:* **For the victims of hunger, fear, injustice, and oppression.**

*Intercessor:* For all who are in danger, sorrow, or any kind of trouble;

*People:* **For those who minister to the sick, the friendless, and the needy.**

*Intercessor:* For Trinity Church, Greece; Province II; The Rev. Michael Hopkins; The Disciplinary Board; Refugees; The Scottish Episcopal Church and the Most Revd Mark Strange, Primus of the Scottish Episcopal Church and Bishop of Moray, Ross, and Caithness; for the peace and unity of the Church of God;

*People:* **For all who proclaim the Gospel, and all who seek the Truth.**

*Intercessor:* For Michael, our Presiding Bishop; Steve, our Provisional Bishop; Ken, our Rector; Sherry and Gail, our wardens; and for all bishops and other ministers;

*People:* **For all who serve God in his Church.**

*Intercessor:* For the special needs and concerns of this congregation.

*Silence*

Hear us, Lord;

*People:* **For your mercy is great.**

*Intercessor:* We thank you, Lord, for all the blessings of this life.  
*Silence*

*Intercessor:* We will exalt you, O God our King  
***People:* And praise your Name for ever and ever.**

*Intercessor:* We pray for all who have died, that they may have a place in your eternal kingdom.  
*Silence*

*Intercessor:* Lord, let your loving-kindness be upon them;  
***People:* Who put their trust in you.**

### The Peace

*Presider:* The peace of the Lord be always with you.  
***People:* And also with you.**

## LITURGY OF THE TABLE

*Presider:* Let us with gladness present the offerings and gifts of our lives and labors to the Lord.

### The Great Thanksgiving: Eucharistic Prayer C

BCP pg. 369

*Presider:* The Lord 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 him thanks and praise.**

*Presider:* God of all power, Ruler of the Universe, you are worthy of glory and praise.

***People:* Glory to you for ever and ever.**

*Presider:* At your command all things came to be: the vast expanse of interstellar space, galaxies, suns, the planets in their courses, and this fragile earth, our island home.

*People:* **By your will they were created and have their being.**

*Presider:* From the primal elements you brought forth the human race, and blessed us with memory, reason, and skill. You made us the rulers of creation. But we turned against you, and betrayed your trust; and we turned against one another.

*People:* **Have mercy, Lord, for we are sinners in your sight.**

*Presider:* Again and again, you called us to return. Through prophets and sages you revealed your righteous Law. And in the fullness of time you sent your only Son, born of a woman, to fulfill your Law, to open for us the way of freedom and peace.

*People:* **By his blood, he reconciled us. By his wounds, we are healed.**

*Presider:* And therefore we praise you, joining with the heavenly chorus, with prophets, apostles, and martyrs, and with all those in every generation who have looked to you in hope, to proclaim with them your glory, in their unending hymn:

The Holy Eucharist II

S 128

Holy, holy, holy Lord *Sanctus*

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

*Presider:* And so, Father, we who have been redeemed by him, and made a new people by water and the Spirit, now bring before you these gifts. Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be the Body and Blood of Jesus Christ our Lord.

On the night he was betrayed he took bread, said the blessing, broke the bread, and gave it to his friends, and said, "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper, he took the cup of wine, gave thanks, and said, "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Remembering now his work of redemption, and offering to you this sacrifice of thanksgiving,

*People:* **We celebrate his death and resurrection, as we await the day of his coming.**

*Presider:* Lord God of our Ancestors; God of Rebekah, Sarah, Ruth, Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob; God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ: Open our eyes to see your hand at work in the world about us. Deliver us from the presumption of coming to this Table for solace only, and not for strength; for pardon only, and not for renewal. Let the grace of this Holy Communion make us one body, one spirit in Christ, that we may worthily serve the world in his name.

*People:* **Risen Lord, be known to us in the breaking of the Bread.**

*Presider:* Accept these prayers and praises, Father, through Jesus Christ our great High Priest, to whom, with you and the Holy Spirit, your Church gives honor, glory, and worship, from generation to generation. *Amen.*

*Presider:* And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we now pray:

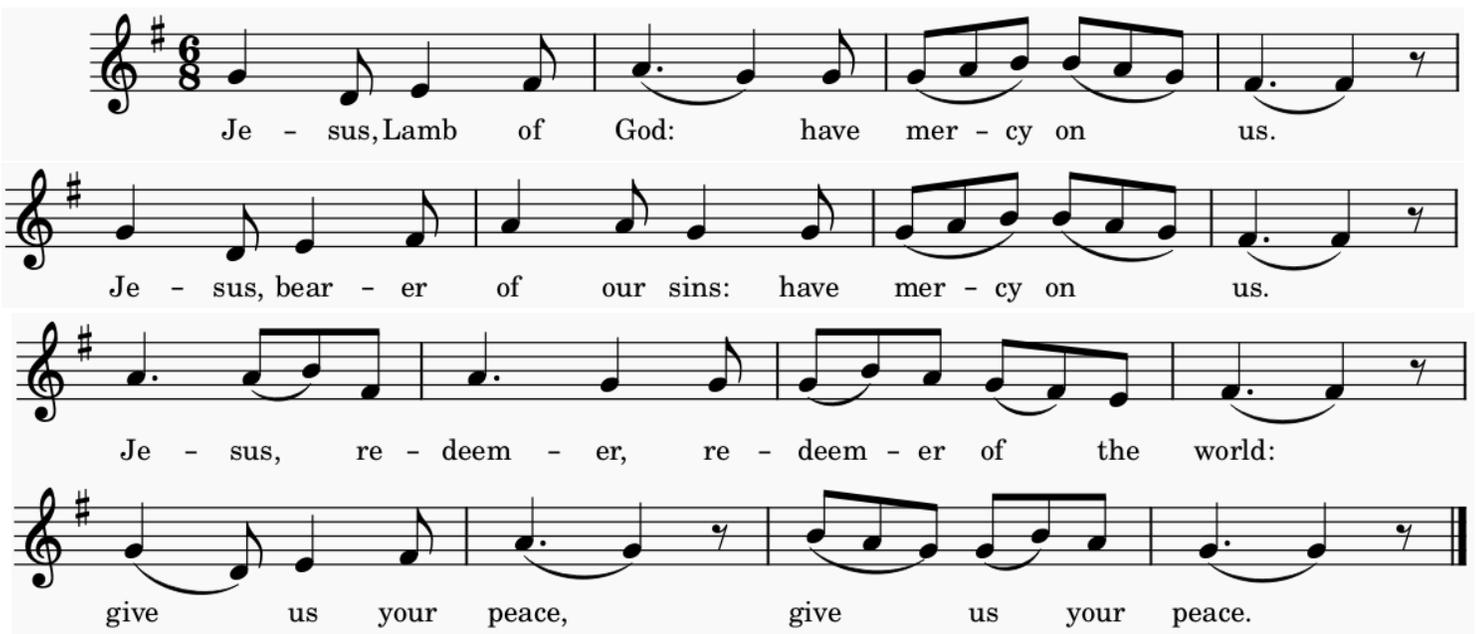
***People:*** **Our Father, who art in heaven**  
**hallowed be thy Name,**  
**thy kingdom come,**  
**thy will be done,**  
**on earth as it is in heaven.**  
**Give us this day our daily bread.**  
**And forgive us our trespasses,**  
**as we forgive those**  
**Who trespass against us.**  
**And 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.**

**Our Father in heaven,**  
**hallowed be your Name,**  
**your kingdom come,**  
**your will be done,**  
**on earth as in heaven.**  
**Give us today our daily bread.**  
**Forgive us our sins**  
**as we forgive those**  
**who sin against us.**  
**Save us from the time of trial,**  
**and deliver us from evil.**  
**For the kingdom, the power,**  
**and the glory are yours,**  
**now and for ever. Amen.**

## Breaking of the Bread

Fraction Anthem

Hymn S164



Je - sus, Lamb of God: have mer - cy on us.

Je - sus, bear - er of our sins: have mer - cy on us.

Je - sus, re - deem - er, re - deem - er of the world:

give us your peace, give us your peace.

*Presider:* The Gifts of God for the People of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.

# The Communion of the People

*This is God's table and All are welcome.*

## SENDING RITE

*Presider:* Let us pray:

***People:* 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.**

## The Blessing

### Dismissal

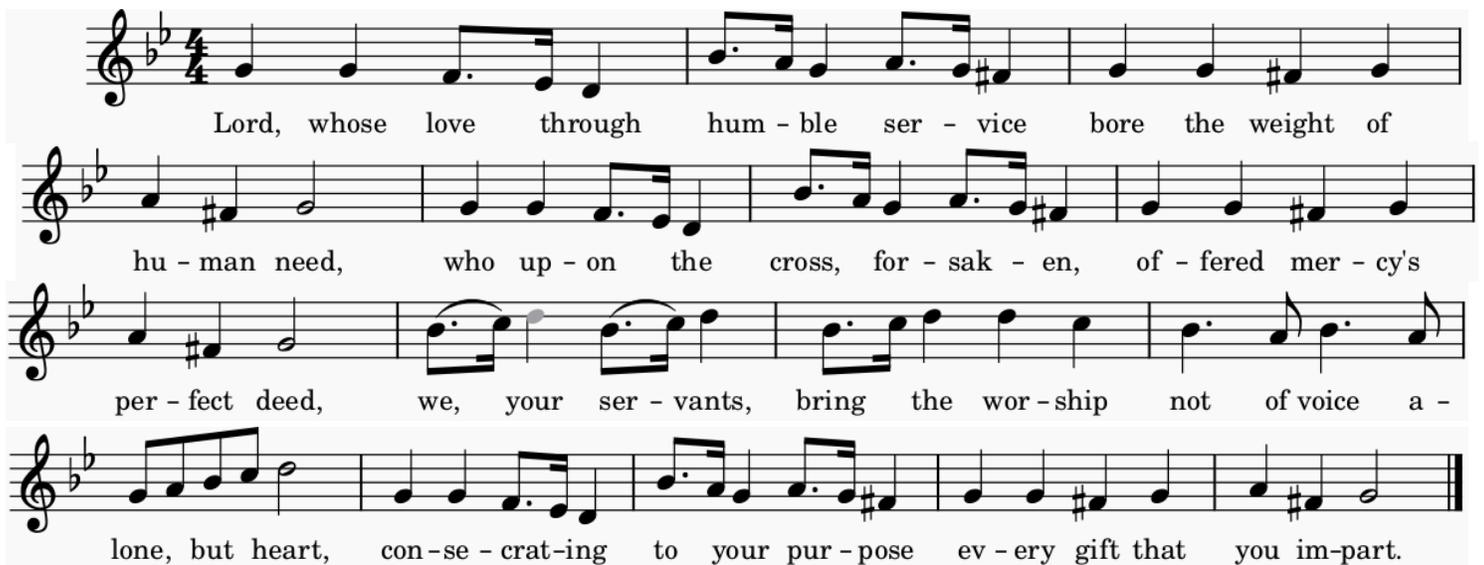
*Presider:* Let us go forth in the name of Christ. Alleluia, alleluia!

***People:* Thanks be to God. Alleluia, alleluia!**

### Sending Hymn

*Lord, whose love*

Hymn 610, v.1



Lord, whose love through hum - ble ser - vice bore the weight of  
hu - man need, who up - on the cross, for - sak - en, of - fered mer - cy's  
per - fect deed, we, your ser - vants, bring the wor - ship not of voice a -  
lone, but heart, con - se - crat - ing to your pur - pose ev - ery gift that you im - part.