

Jesus answered him,
“Truly, truly, I say to you,
unless one is born again
he cannot see
the kingdom of God.”

Anglican Church of the Good Shepherd

Knowing Christ and Making Him Known

Rooted in the Word, Nourished by the Sacraments, Alive in Jesus Christ

July 15, 2018 – The Eighth Sunday after Pentecost

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Welcome to Anglican Church of the Good Shepherd! We're delighted to worship God with you this morning. If you're visiting and would like more information about Good Shepherd, please fill out a guest card found inside your bulletin or call the parish office (723-8032). At Good Shepherd you'll find friendly people, engaging sermons, joyful worship, practical teaching, and lots of kids. Welcome! Please join us downstairs in the parish hall after the service for coffee and snacks.

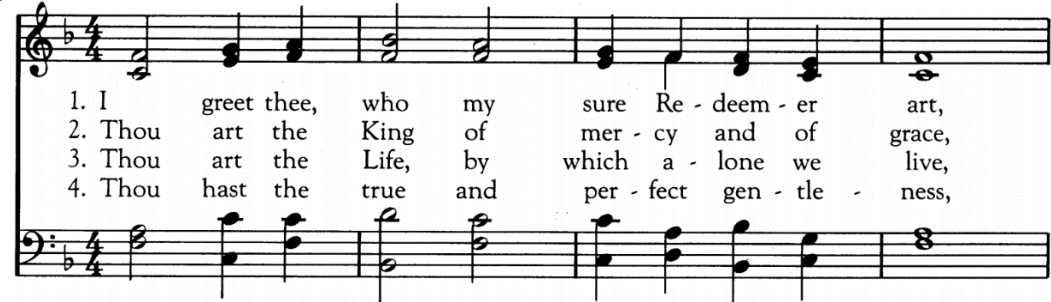
Holy Eucharist

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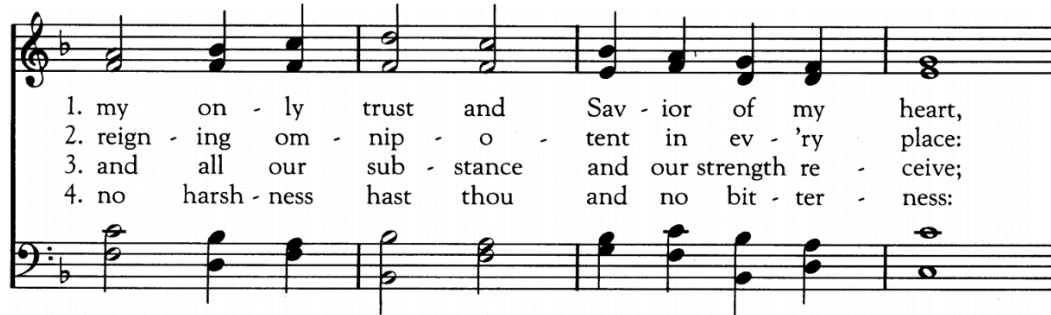
The Hymn in Procession *I Greet Thee, Who My Sure Redeemer Art*

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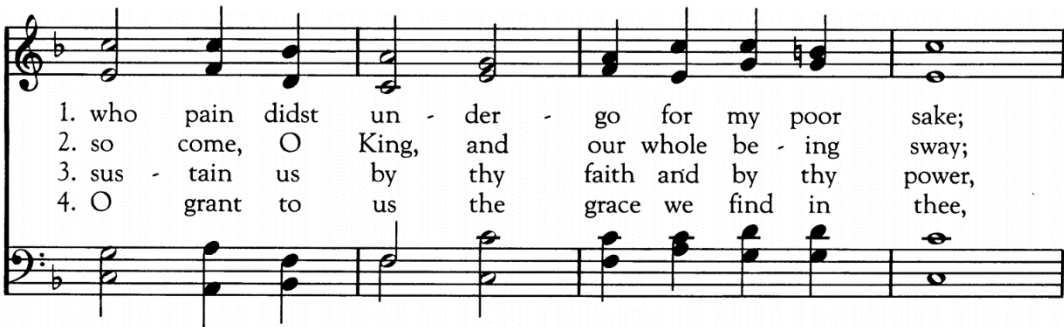
The people stand, if able, and sing



1. I greet thee, who my sure Re - deem - er art,
2. Thou art the King of mer - cy and of grace,
3. Thou art the Life, by which a - lone we live,
4. Thou hast the true and per - fect gen - tle - ness,



1. my on - ly trust and Sav - ior of my heart,
2. reign - ing om - nip - o - tent in ev - 'ry place;
3. and all our sub - stance and our strength re - ceive;
4. no harsh - ness hast thou and no bit - ter - ness:



1. who pain didst un - der - go for my poor sake;
2. so come, O King, and our whole be - ing sway;
3. sus - tain us by thy faith and by thy power,
4. O grant to us the grace we find in thee,

1. I pray thee from our hearts all cares to take.
 2. shine on us with the light of thy pure day.
 3. and give us strength in ev - 'ry try - ing hour.
 4. that we may dwell in per - fect u - ni - ty.

Verse 5

*Our hope is in no other, save in thee;
 Our faith is built upon thy promise free;
 Lord, give us peace, and make us calm and sure,
 That in thy strength we evermore endure*

The Acclamation and Collect for Purity

The people remain standing

Celebrant Blessed be God, the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit.

People **And blessed be his kingdom, now and forever. Amen.**

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.*

The Summary of the Law

Jesus said: You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind. This is the great and first commandment. And a second is like it: You shall love your neighbor as yourself. On these two commandments depend all the Law and the Prophets.

The Gloria

Glory Be To God

Maher | Minter | Townend

1. To You we bring our hymn of praise— glo - ry be to — God.
Hearts and hands to - geth - er raised— glo - ry be to God. Who
spoke be - fore the dawn of time— glo - ry be to — God. Veil of dark - ness torn by
2. Fa - ther, Spir - it, ris - en Son— glo - ry be to — God. Who was, and is, and is to
light— glo - ry be to God. And with un - ceas - ing voice all heav - en
come— glo - ry be to God. And all Your chil - dren cry with loud ac -
sings, “Glo - ry be to God!” Th’an - them of the Lord’s re - deemed,
-claim, “Glo - ry be to God!” Sing, O church, Your sweet re - frain,
1. “Glo - ry be to God!” God!” Glo - ry, glo - ry, glo -
“Glo - ry be to
- ry, glo - ry for - ev - er and ev - er. - Glo - er.

The Collect of the Day

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People **And with your spirit.**

Celebrant Let us pray.

Let your merciful ears, O Lord, be open to the prayers of your humble servants; and, that we may receive what we ask, teach us by your Holy Spirit to ask only those things that are pleasing to you; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who with you and the same Spirit lives and reigns for ever and ever. *Amen.*

The Lessons

The people sit for the reading of the lessons.

The First Lesson

Amos 7:7-15

Pew Bible pg. 769, LP pg. 914

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

Psalm 85

- 1 LORD, you have been gracious to your land; *
 you have turned away the captivity of Jacob.
- 2 You have forgiven the offence of your people *
 and covered all their sins.
- 3 You have taken away all your displeasure *
 and turned yourself from your wrathful indignation.
- 4 Restore us then, O God our Savior, *
 and let your anger cease from us.
- 5 Will you be displeased at us for ever, *
 and will you stretch out your wrath from one generation to another?
- 6 Will you not turn again, and quicken us, *
 that your people may rejoice in you?
- 7 Show us your mercy, O LORD, *
 and grant us your salvation.
- 8 I will hearken to what the LORD God will say, *
 for he shall speak peace unto his people, and to his saints, that they turn not again.
- 9 For his salvation is near them that fear him, *
 that glory may dwell in our land.
- 10 Mercy and truth have met together; *
 righteousness and peace have kissed each other.
- 11 Truth shall flourish up from the earth, *
 and righteousness has looked down from heaven.
- 12 Indeed, the LORD shall show goodness, *
 and our land shall give her increase.
- 13 Righteousness shall go before him, *
 and he shall direct his going in the way.

The Second Lesson

Ephesians 1:1-14

Pew Bible pg. 976, LP pg. 1159

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

The Gradual

Christe Lux Mundi (Christ, You Are Light)

Taize

The people stand facing the procession and sing

Christ, you are light for those who fol-low you. You
come to bring to all the light of life.

The Gospel

Celebrant The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to St. John.

People **Glory to You, Lord Christ.**

John 2:23-3:3

Celebrant The Gospel of the Lord.

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

The Sermon

The Rev. Matthew Kennedy

The Nicene Creed

The people stand, if able

Celebrant Let us confess our faith in the words of the Nicene Creed:

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, visible and invisible.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only-begotten 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: was incarnate from the Holy Spirit and 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. Who, with the Father and the Son, is worshiped and glorified, who 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.*

The Prayers of the People

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People **And with your spirit.**

Celebrant Let us pray.

The Church throughout the World *Pray for for The Anglican Church of Papua New Guinea The Most Revd Allan Migi Archbishop of Papua New Guinea*

CANA East *Christ the King Church Miami, Florida • The Ven. Jorge Finlay • Women's Ministry Leaders in CANA East*

Those in the Church and in the World *Our president, governor, and mayor; Bishop Dobbs, Bishop Bena, and Bishop Okoh*

Missionaries *Bob and Joyce Carlson in Africa, the CHE community in Nicaragua, Carrie Moorhead and Lauren Sluyter with InterVarsity, The Kuinde School, Mustard Seed communities in Jamaica, Garry and Melissa Ingraham with Love and Truth Network.*

Those Who Don't Yet Know Christ *All those seeking Christ; our neighbors and neighborhood*

Those in Sickness or Trouble *Peyton, Rick, Jason D., Doug & Maureen, Nicholas, Annette, Charles, Mary Lou, Russ, Bill, Michelle, Jim, Brad, Laura, Joyce, Fred, Debbie, Roz, Julia, Mark, Hal and Carol, Joe B., Tyler H., Kay, April, Nick Wood, the Penna and Clarke families, Jeannie, Kathy*

The Concerns and Thanksgivings of this Church *Good Shepherd ministries and outreach; youth and children; those with birthdays or anniversaries*

Thanksgiving for Those Who Have Died and Prayers for Their Loved Ones *We bless your holy Name for all your servants who departed this life in your faith and fear, praying you would grant us grace to follow their good examples, that with them we might partake in your heavenly kingdom.*

The Confession of Sin

Celebrant Let us humbly confess our sins to Almighty God.

The people kneel if able and pray together

Almighty God, Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, maker of all things, judge of all people: We acknowledge and bewail our manifold sins and wickedness, which we from time to time most grievously have committed, by thought, word, and deed, against your divine Majesty, provoking most justly your wrath and indignation against us. We do earnestly repent, and are heartily sorry for these our misdoings; the remembrance of them is grievous unto us, the burden of them is intolerable. Have mercy upon us, have mercy upon us, most merciful Father; for your Son our Lord Jesus Christ's sake, forgive us all that is past; and grant that we may ever hereafter serve and please you in newness of life, to the honor and glory of your Name; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Celebrant stands and says

Almighty God, our heavenly Father, who in his great mercy has promised forgiveness of sins to all those who sincerely repent and with true faith turn to him, have mercy upon you, pardon and deliver you from all your sins, confirm and strengthen you in all goodness, and bring you to everlasting life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

The Comfortable Words

The Celebrant says

Come to me, all who labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest.

Matthew 11:28

The Peace

Celebrant The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People **And with your spirit.**

Then the Celebrants and People may greet one another in the name of the Lord.

The Offertory Sentence

Celebrant Ascribe to the Lord the glory due his name; bring an offering, and come into his courts!

Offertory Music

Hail Thou Once Despised Jesus

Hymn 495

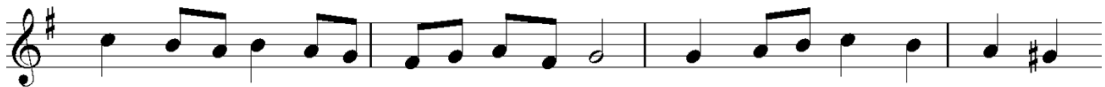
The people remain seated, and sing



1 Hail, thou once de - spis - ed Je - sus! Hail, thou Gal - i -
 2 Pas - chal Lamb, by God ap - point - ed, all our sins on
 3 Je - sus, hail! en - throned in glo - ry, there for ev - er
 *4 Wor - ship, hon - or, power, and bless - ing thou art wor - thy



le - an King! Thou didst suf - fer to re - lease us;
 thee were laid: by al - might - y love a - noint - ed,
 to a - bide; all the heaven - ly hosts a - dore thee,
 to re - ceive; high - est prais - es, with - out ceas - ing,



thou didst free sal - va - tion bring. Hail, thou u - ni - ver - sal
 thou hast full a - tone - ment made. All thy peo - ple are for -
 seat - ed at thy Fa - ther's side. There for sin - ners thou art
 right it is for us to give. Help, ye bright an - gel - ic



Sa - vior, bear - er of our sin and shame! By thy mer - it
 giv - en through the vir - tue of thy blood: o - pened is the
 plead - ing: there thou dost our place pre - pare; ev - er for us
 spi - rits, all your no - blest an - thems raise; help to sing our



we find fa - vor: life is giv - en through thy Name
 gate of hea - ven, re - con - ciled are we with God.
 in - ter - ced - ing, till in glo - ry we ap - pear.
 Sa - vior's mer - its, help to chant Em - man - uel's praise!

**If you are a guest with us today, please do not feel obligated to give an offering.
 Instead we invite you to fill out the guest card which may be found in your bulletin.*

The Presentation of the Gifts

The people stand, if able, and sing

Musical score for 'The Presentation of the Gifts'. The score is written in G major (one sharp) and 2/2 time. It consists of three systems of music, each with a vocal line (treble clef) and a piano accompaniment line (bass clef). The lyrics are: 'Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all creatures here below; praise him above, ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.'

The Great Thanksgiving

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People **And with your spirit.**

Celebrant Lift up your hearts.

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

Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People **It is right to give him thanks and praise.**

Then, facing the Holy Table, the Celebrant proceeds

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth.

Through Jesus Christ our Lord; who on the first day of the week overcame death and the grave, and by his glorious resurrection opened to us the way of everlasting life.

Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

The Sanctus

Holy, Holy

Maher, Le and Ndolo

The people remain standing and sing

D Bm⁷ F#m A G

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord God of

4 D G D A Bm

hosts. _____ Heav-en and earth are full of Your glo - ry. Ho -

7 Gmaj⁷ D/A A^{sus} D G D

-san - na in the high - est. _____ Bless-ed is He who comes in the

10 A Bm Gmaj⁷ D/A A Bm D D/F#

name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est. Ho -

13 Gmaj⁷ D/A A D

-san - na in the high - est. _____

The Prayer of Consecration

The people kneel. The Celebrant continues

All praise and glory is yours, O God our heavenly Father, for in your tender mercy, you gave your only Son Jesus Christ to suffer death upon the cross for our redemption. He made there, by his one oblation of himself once offered, a full, perfect, and sufficient sacrifice, oblation, and satisfaction, for the sins of the whole world; and he instituted, and in his Holy Gospel commanded us to continue, a perpetual memory of his precious death and sacrifice, until his coming again.

And now, O merciful Father; in your great goodness, we ask you to bless and sanctify, with your Word and Holy Spirit, these gifts of bread and wine, that we, receiving them according to your Son our Savior Jesus Christ's holy institution, in remembrance of his death and passion, may be partakers of his most blessed Body and Blood.

For on the night that he was betrayed, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying, "Take, eat; this is my Body which is given for you: Do this in remembrance of me." Likewise, after supper, Jesus took the cup, and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, saying, "Drink this, all of you; for 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 in remembrance of me." Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith-

Celebrant and People say together

Christ has died, Christ is risen, Christ will come again

And here we offer and present to you, O Lord, ourselves, our souls and bodies, to be a reasonable, holy, and living sacrifice; humbly pleading that all those who shall partake of this Holy Communion may worthily receive the most precious Body and Blood of your Son Jesus Christ; that, by the Holy Spirit, we may be filled with your grace and heavenly benediction, and made one body with him, so that he may dwell in us, and we in him.

By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and forever. *Amen.*

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

The Lord's Prayer

The people remain kneeling, and say

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.

The Fraction

Celebrant Alleluia, Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us

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

The Prayer of Humble Access

Celebrant and people say together

We do not presume to come to this your Table, O merciful Lord, trusting in our own righteousness, but in your manifold and great mercies. We are not worthy so much as to gather up the crumbs under your Table. But you are the same Lord whose property is always to have mercy. Grant us, therefore, gracious Lord, so to eat the flesh of your dear Son Jesus Christ, and to drink his blood, that we may evermore dwell in him, and he in us. *Amen.*

The Agnus Dei

Celebrant Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world,

People *have mercy on us.*

Celebrant Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world,

People *have mercy on us.*

Celebrant Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world,

People *grant us your peace.*

The Invitation

Celebrant

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

All Christians baptized in any denomination are welcome to take Communion. If you are not a Christian or are unbaptized, you are warmly invited to the rail for a prayer and blessing: just place your hands across your chest and one of the pastors will bless and pray for you. If you are in a wheelchair or are unable to come forward for any reason, please let an usher know and we will bring the Sacrament to you in your pew.

Communion Music

Across the Lands

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The people sing, sitting or kneeling

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VERSE

A D A



1. You're the Word of God the Fa - ther, ___ from be - fore the world be -
(2. Yet You) left the gaze of an - gels, ___ came to seek and save the
(3. With a) shout You rose vic - to - rious, ___ wrest - ing vic - t'ry from the



-gan; ___ Ev - 'ry star and ev - 'ry pla - net ___ has been fash - ioned by Your hand. All cre -
lost, ___ and ex - changed the joy of heav - en ___ for the an - guish of a cross. With a
grave, ___ and as - cend - ed in - to heav - en ___ lead - ing cap - tives in Your wake. Now You



-a - tion holds to - geth - er ___ by the pow - er of Your voice: ___ Let the
prayer You fed the hung - ry, ___ with a word You stilled the sea. ___ Yet how
stand be - fore the Fa - ther ___ in - ter - ced - ing for Your own. ___ From each

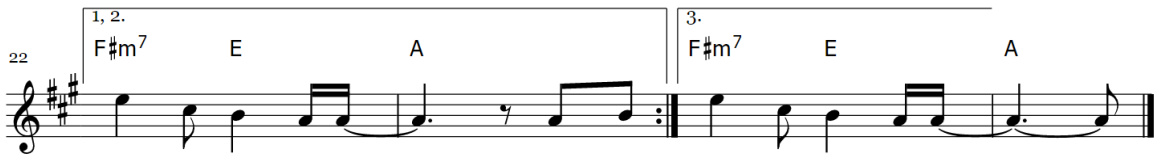
CHORUS



skies de - clare Your glo - ry, ___ let the land and seas re - joice! ___ You're the au - thor of cre -
si - lent - ly You suf - fered ___ that the guilt - y may go free. ___
tribe and tongue and na - tion ___ You are lead - ing sin - ners home. ___



-a - tion, ___ You're the Lord of ev - 'ry man; ___ And Your cry of love rings



out a - cross the lands. ___ 2. Yet You out a - cross the lands. ___
3. With a

The Post Communion Prayer

Celebrant Let us pray.

The people kneel. Celebrant and People

Almighty and ever-living God, we thank you for feeding us, in these holy mysteries, with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ; and for assuring us, through this Sacrament, of your favor and goodness towards us; and that we are true members of the mystical body of your Son, the blessed company of all faithful people; and are also heirs, through hope, of your everlasting kingdom. And we humbly ask you, heavenly Father, to assist us with your grace, that we may continue in that holy fellowship, and do all such good works as you have prepared for us to walk in; through Jesus Christ our Lord, to whom with you and the Holy Spirit, be all honor and glory, now and forever. Amen.

The Blessing

Celebrant

The peace of God, which passes all understanding, keep your hearts and minds in the knowledge and love of God, and of his Son Jesus Christ our Lord; and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be upon you, and remain with you forever and ever. *Amen.*

The Hymn in Recession

Jesus, Lover of My Soul

Hymn 699

The people stand, if able, and sing

1 Je - sus, Lov - er of my soul, let me to thy bos - om
2 O - ther ref - uge have I none, hangs my help - less soul on
3 Plen-teous grace with thee is found, grace to cleanse from ev - ery

fly, while the near - er wa - ters roll, while the tem - pest
thee; leave, ah! leave me not a - lone, still sup - port and
sin; let the heal - ing streams a - bound, make and keep me

still is high: hide me, O my Sa - vior, hide,
com - fort me! All my trust on thee is stayed;
pure with - in. Thou of life the foun - tain art,

till the storm of life be past; safe in - to the
all my help from thee I bring; cov - er my de -
free - ly let me take of thee: spring thou up with -

ha - ven guide, O re - ceive my soul at last.
fense - less head with the sha - dow of thy wing.
in my heart, rise to all e - ter - ni - ty.

The Dismissal

Celebrant Let us go forth into the world, rejoicing in the power of the Holy Spirit.

Alleluia, Alleluia.

People **Thanks be to God. Alleluia, Alleluia.**

Thank you for worshipping at Anglican Church of The Good Shepherd this morning!

Please join us for coffee and a light snack in the fellowship hall downstairs immediately following the service.

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