

THE ORDER OF WORSHIP

*Thou art coming to a King, large petitions with thee bring;
For his grace and pow'r are such, none can ever ask too much.... (John Newton)*

God Calls Us to Worship Him

Call to Worship:

Psalm 61.1-5, 8

Leader: Hear my cry, O God,
Listen to my prayer;

**People: From the ends of the earth I call to you
When my heart is faint.**

Lead me to the rock that is higher than I.

Leader: For you have been my refuge,
A strong tower against the enemy.

People: Let me dwell in your tent forever!

Let me take refuge under the shelter of your wings!

Leader: For you, O God, have heard my vows;
You have given me the heritage of those
Who fear your name.

**People: So will I ever sing praises to your name,
As I perform my vows day after day.**

Leader: Let's worship the Lord!

Prayer of Invocation

***Hymn of Praise: All Praise to God, Who Reigns Above
Trinity Hymnal #4***

God Cleanses Us by His Grace

Conviction of the Gospel: 1 Peter 5.6-7

Humble yourselves, therefore, under the mighty hand of God so that at the proper time he may exalt you, casting all your anxieties on him, because he cares for you.

Confession of Sin

Comfort of the Gospel: 1 Peter 3.18

For Christ also suffered once for sin, the righteous for the unrighteous, that he might bring us to God, being put to death in the flesh but made alive in the spirit.

God Consecrates Us by Praise and Prayer

***Hymn of Thanksgiving: We Praise You, O God,
Our Redeemer, Creator. Trinity Hymnal #97***

Prayer of Intercession: The Lord's Prayer

**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 debts, as we forgive our debtors
And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil.**

For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen.

***Presentation of Tithes and Offerings: Sweet Hour of Prayer
Trinity Hymnal #634***

**Children dismissed to Little Church*

God Counsels Us through His Word

Scripture Reading: Luke 11.5-13

Sermon: The Fruit of the Spirit Is...Impudence?

God Communes with Us in the Sacrament

Creed: Westminster Larger Catechism

Q. 178. What is prayer?

A. Prayer is an offering up of our desires unto God, in the name of Christ, by the help of his Spirit; with confession of our sins, and thankful acknowledgment of his mercies.

Q. 185. How are we to pray?

A. We are to pray with an awful apprehension of the majesty of God, and deep sense of our own unworthiness, necessities, and sins; with penitent, thankful, and enlarged hearts; with understanding, faith, sincerity, fervency, love, and perseverance, waiting upon him, with humble submission to his will.

Hymn of Preparation: Jesus, I Come

Out of my bondage, sorrow and night, Jesus, I come, Jesus, I come;
Into Thy freedom, gladness, and light, Jesus, I come to Thee;
Out of my sickness, into Thy health, out of my want and into Thy wealth,
Out of my sin and into Thyself, Jesus, I come to Thee.

Out of my shameful failure and loss, Jesus, I come, Jesus, I come;
Into the glorious gain of Thy cross, Jesus, I come to Thee;
Out of earth's sorrows, into Thy balm, out of life's storms and into Thy calm,
Out of distress to jubilant psalm, Jesus, I come to Thee.

Out of unrest and arrogant pride, Jesus, I come, Jesus, I come;
Into Thy blessed will to abide, Jesus, I come to Thee;
Out of myself to dwell in Thy love, out of despair, into raptures above,
Upward for aye on wings like a dove, Jesus, I come to Thee.

Out of the fear and dread of the tomb, Jesus, I come, Jesus, I come;
Into the joy and light of Thy home, Jesus, I come to Thee;
Out of the depths of ruin untold, into the peace of Thy sheltering fold,
Ever Thy glorious face to behold, Jesus, I come to Thee.

Sursum Corda:

Leader: Lift up your hearts!

People: We lift them up to the Lord!

Leader: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People: It is right for us to give thanks and praise.

Prayer of Adoration and Assistance

Invitation to the Table: Revelation 3.20

Fencing of the Table: 1 Corinthians 11.27-32

Words of Institution: 1 Corinthians 11.23-26

Distribution of the Elements

God Commissions Us to Serve Him

***Hymn of Response: I Know That My Redeemer Lives
Trinity Hymnal #690***

Benediction: Numbers 6.24-26

The Lord bless you and keep you; the Lord make his face to shine upon you and be gracious to you; the Lord lift up his countenance upon you and give you peace.