

“We Want Barabbas (Ecce Homo)” by Honore Daumier (circa 1842)

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June 25, 2023

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Director of Music: Douglas Kostner

THE SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

June 25, 2023

PRELUDE

Pass Me Not
Douglas Kostner, piano

Robert Powell

WELCOME

Rev. Dr. Peter Bynum

CALL TO WORSHIP

John Greenleaf Whittier
"Divine Compassion" (1868)

*OPENING HYMN 265 *Jesus Shall Reign Where'er the Sun (verses 1, 4, and 5)*

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Rev. Anna Grace Claunch

Gracious God, we try to follow your word: to put others above ourselves, to remember that we are all bound together as your beloved children, to seek the common good instead of our own interests.

But it is so easy for our lesser selves to get the better of us. It is so easy to grow numb to the pain of the world. It is so easy to say "Well, that's just the way it is." In your mercy, O Lord, fill our hearts with your compassion. Give us eyes to see as you see. And give us the guts to act as you act: with faith, hope and love... Amen.

(Silent prayer and reflection)

ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

*GLORIA PATRI

HYMN 581

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen, amen.

RECEPTION OF NEW MEMBER & SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

PRESENTATION

RECEPTION OF NEW MEMBERS

Corrina and Alex Nodell

BAPTISMAL QUESTIONS FOR PARENTS & CONGREGATION

BAPTISM *Sloane Kinsey Nodell, child of Corrina and Alex Nodell*

HYMN 486 *Child of Blessing, Child of Promise (verse 1)*

***Child of blessing, child of promise, baptized with the Spirit's sign,
With this water God has sealed you unto love and grace divine.***

***THE PEACE**

The Peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you! **And also with you!**

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION (in unison)

Anthony Manson

O Lord as your Word is read and proclaimed today, open us to understand its wisdom, help us to feel its power, and move us to act as disciples of Christ. Amen.

PSALTER

Psalm 30

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CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

Rev. Claunch

ANTHEM

Pass Me Not, O Gentle Savior

Dale Wood

Nic Dávila, soloist

*Pass me not, O gentle Savior, hear my humble cry.
While on others thou art calling, do not pass me by.
Savior, Savior, hear my humble cry;
While on others thou art calling, do not pass me by.

Trusting only in thy merit, I would seek thy face.
Heal my wounded, broken spirit, save me by thy grace.
Savior, Savior, whom have I but thee?
Thou the source of all my comfort, more than life to me.

Savior, Savior, thou hast heard my plea!
Thou the source of all my comfort, more than life to me.*

NEW TESTAMENT

LUKE 7:11-17

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SERMON

“Compassion Takes Guts”

Rev. Bynum

***HYMN 466**

Come and Fill Our Hearts (4 repetitions)

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

Rev. Claunch

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.

THE GREAT AMEN

(congregation singing)

Amen. Amen. Amen. Hosanna in the highest! Hosanna in the highest! Hosanna in the highest!

INVITATION TO OFFERING

Financial gifts may be shared electronically via the Realm Connect app or by scanning the QR code to the right. Additional pledge cards are available at the Usher Station at the rear of the sanctuary.



OFFERTORY

This Little Light of Mine
Robin Hruska and Douglas Kostner, piano

Mark Hayes

*DOXOLOGY

Hymn 607

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise Christ, all people here below; Praise Holy Spirit evermore; praise Triune God, whom we adore. Amen

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

*HYMN 543

God, Be the Love to Search and Keep Me

*BENEDICTION

Rev. Bynum

POSTLUDE

Duke Street

Robert Hobby

*NOTE: While all are welcome to stay and listen,
there is no expectation that you remain seated for the duration of the Postlude.*

**please stand if you are able*

MENTIONS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Your voice and presence would be a gift to our worship! If you would be willing to be a liturgist, please scan the QR code to the right or email the office at broodal@lacny.org.



If you are interested in **sponsoring flowers** in honor or memory of a loved one, please either scan the QR code to the right or contact the office at broodal@lacny.org to sign-up for an upcoming Sunday!



Nursery Care: ground floor of the education wing (Classroom114) for infants and toddlers age 2 and below.

SUNDAY, JUNE 25

10:00 am Worship (Sanctuary/Online)
11:15 am Coffee Hour (Lindsley/Russell)

MONDAY, JUNE 26

9:30 am Vacation Bible School (Carhart)
7:00 pm Session (Library)

TUESDAY, JUNE 27

Election Day – Primary (Russell Hall)
9:30 am Vacation Bible School (Carhart)
3:15 pm At Home on The Sound (Library)
6:45 pm Al Anon (Library)
7:15 pm AA (Carhart/Chapel)

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 28

9:30 am Vacation Bible School (Carhart)
11:00 am Staff Meeting (Lindsley)

THURSDAY, JUNE 29

9:30 am Vacation Bible School (Carhart)
7:15 pm AA (Carhart/Chapel)

FRIDAY, JUNE 30

9:30 am Vacation Bible School (Carhart)

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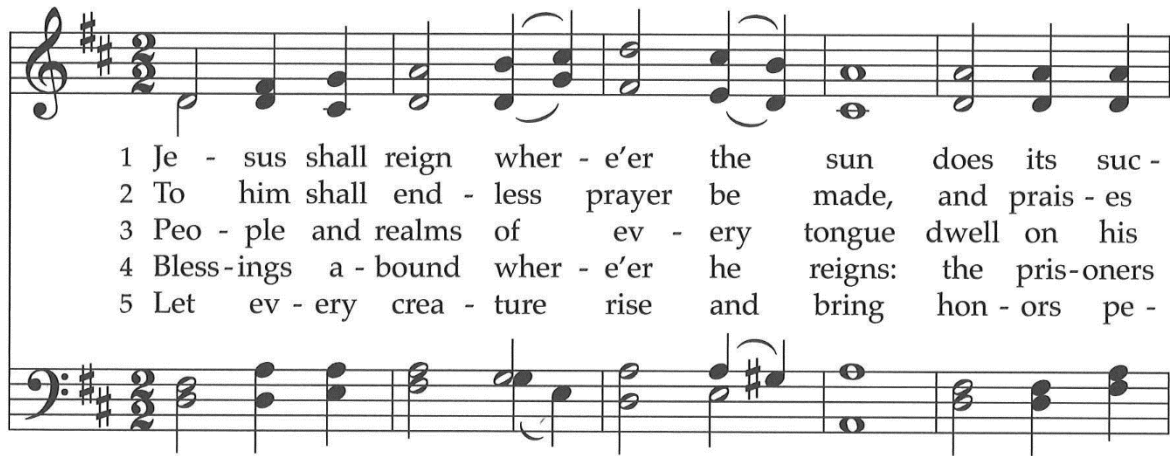
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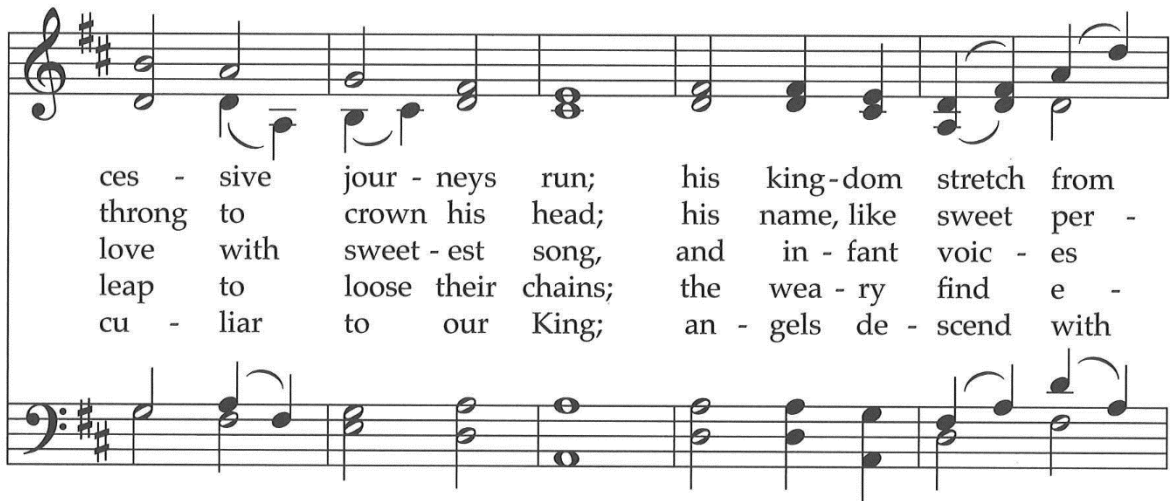
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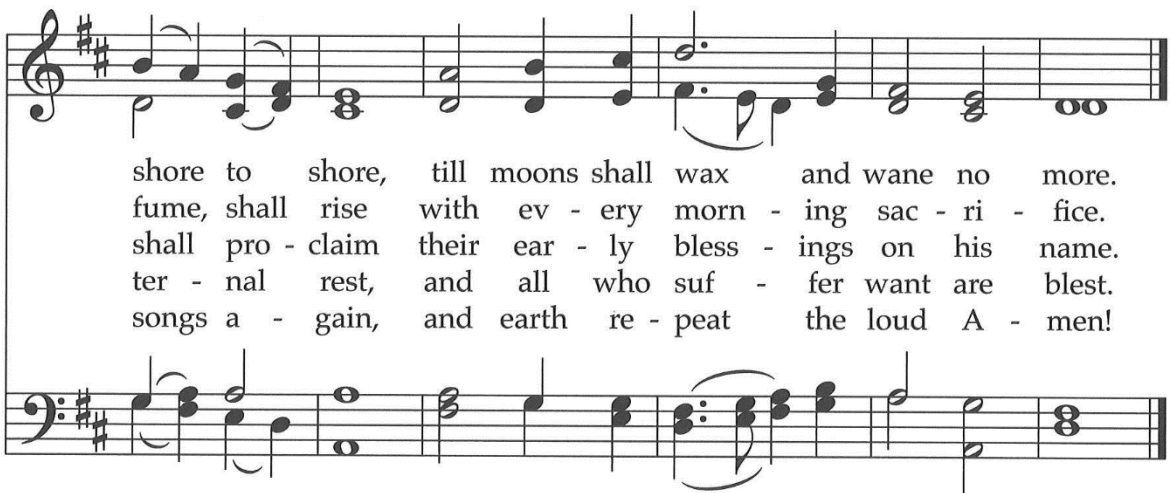
265 Jesus Shall Reign Where'er the Sun



1 Je - sus shall reign wher - e'er the sun does its suc -
 2 To him shall end - less prayer be made, and prais - es
 3 Peo - ple and realms of ev - ery tongue dwell on his
 4 Bless - ings a - bound wher - e'er he reigns: the pris - oners
 5 Let ev - ery crea - ture rise and bring hon - ors pe -



ces - sive jour - neys run; his king - dom stretch from
 throng to crown his head; his name, like sweet per -
 love with sweet - est song, and in - fant voic - es
 leap to loose their chains; the wea - ry find e -
 cu - liar to our King; an - gels de - scend with



shore to shore, till moons shall wax and wane no more.
 fume, shall rise with ev - ery morn - ing sac - ri - fice.
 shall pro - claim their ear - ly bless - ings on his name.
 ter - nal rest, and all who suf - fer want are blest.
 songs a - gain, and earth re - peat the loud A - men!

Come and Fill Our Hearts

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Confitemini Domino

The first system of music is written in treble and bass staves. The key signature has two sharps (F# and C#), and the time signature is 3/4. The melody in the treble staff is accompanied by chords in the bass staff. The lyrics are written below the treble staff.

D Bm D A

Come and fill our hearts with your peace. You a-lone, O Lord, are ho-ly.
Con - fi - te - mi - ni Do - mi - no quo - ni - am bo-nus.

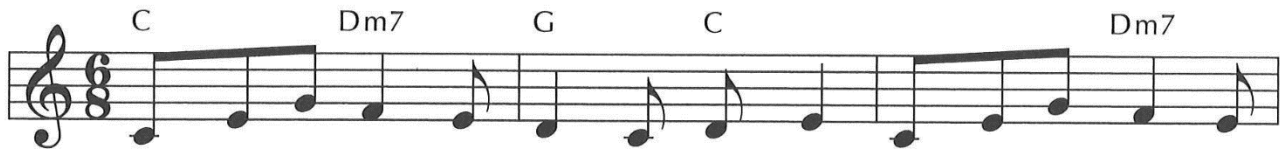
The second system of music continues the melody and accompaniment. The lyrics are written below the treble staff.

Em C Em A D

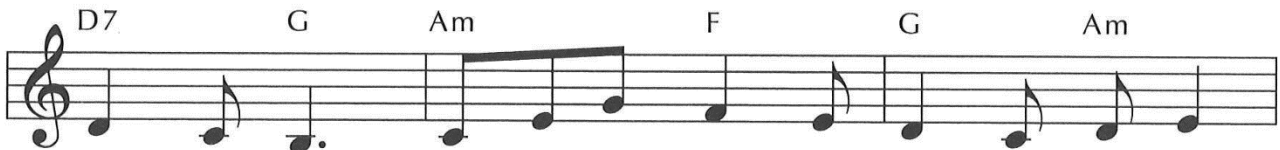
Come and fill our hearts with your peace. Al-le-lu - ia!
Con - fi - te - mi - ni Do - mi - no. Al-le-lu - ia!

God, Be the Love to Search and Keep Me

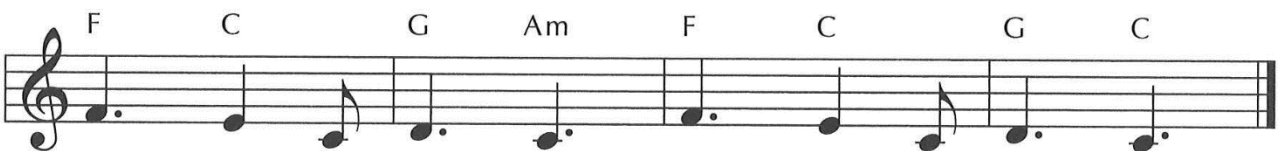
O Christ, Surround Me



1 God, be the love to search and keep me; God, be the prayer to
 2 Bind to my-self the Name of Ho - ly, great cloud of wit - ness-
 3 Bright-ness of sun and glow of moon-light, flash - ing of light-ning,
 4 Walk - ing be-hind to hem my jour - ney, go - ing a - head to
 5 Christ in the eyes of all who see me, Christ in the ears that



move my voice; God, be the strength to now up - hold me:
 es en - fold; proph - ets, a - pos - tles, an - gels wit - ness:
 strength of wind, depth of the sea to soil of plan - et:
 light my way, and from be - neath, a - bove, and all ways:
 hear my voice, Christ in the hearts of all who know me:



O Christ, sur-round me; O Christ, sur-round me.