

**HYMN** . . . . . "O Bless the Lord" 814

- 1) O bless the Lord, my soul!  
Let all within me join  
And aid my tongue to bless His name  
Whose favors are divine.
- 2) O bless the Lord, my soul,  
Nor let His mercies lie  
Forgotten in unthankfulness  
And without praises die!
- 3) 'Tis He forgives thy sins;  
'Tis He relieves thy pain;  
'Tis He that heals thy sicknesses  
And makes thee young again.
- 6) His wondrous works and ways  
He made by Moses known,  
But sent the world His truth and grace  
By His beloved Son.

**RESPONSES**

P: In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.  
**C: Amen.**

P: Beloved in the Lord! Let us draw near with a true heart and confess our sins unto God our Father, beseeching Him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to grant us forgiveness. Our help is in the name of the Lord,  
**C: who made heaven and earth.**

P: I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the Lord,  
**C: And You forgave the iniquity of my sin.**

P: O almighty God, merciful Father,  
**C: I, a poor, miserable sinner, confess unto You all my sins and iniquities with which I have ever offended You and justly deserved Your temporal and eternal punishment. But I am heartily sorry for them and sincerely repent of them, and I pray You of Your boundless mercy and for the sake of the holy, innocent, bitter sufferings and death of Your beloved Son, Jesus Christ, to be gracious and merciful to me, a poor, sinful being.**

P: Upon this your confession, I, by virtue of my office, as a called and ordained servant of the Word, announce the grace of God unto all of you, and in the stead and by the command of my Lord Jesus Christ I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.  
**C: Amen.**

**ANTIPHON AND INTROIT** . . . . . chanted by Pastor

P: *(Last line)* O Israel, hope | in the Lord\*  
from this time forth and for- | evermore.

**GLORIA PATRI** *(Sung)*

**C: 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.**  
*(Pastor Repeats the Antiphon)*

**KYRIE** *(Sung)*

**C: Lord, have mercy upon us. Christ have mercy upon us. Lord, have mercy upon us.**

**GLORIA IN EXCELSIS** *(Sung)*

P: Glory be to God on high:

**C: and on earth peace, good-will toward men.**

We praise Thee, we bless Thee, we worship Thee, we glorify Thee, we give thanks to Thee, for thy great glory.

O Lord God, heav'nly King, God the Father Almighty. O Lord, the only-begotten Son, Jesus Christ; O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father; that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us. Thou that takest away the sin of the world, receive our prayer. Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father, have mercy upon us.

For Thou only art holy; Thou only art the Lord. Thou only, O Christ, with the Holy Ghost, art most high in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

**SALUTATION AND COLLECT** *(Sung)*

P: The Lord be with you. **C: And with thy spirit.**

P: Let us pray. . . . one God, now and forever. **C: Amen.**

**READINGS FROM HOLY SCRIPTURE**

1<sup>st</sup> ~ Jeremiah 31:7-9    2<sup>nd</sup> ~ Hebrews 7:23-28

P: *(After each lesson)* This is the Word of the Lord.

**C: Thanks be to God.**

P: Let us rise for the Gospel reading.

**C: (Sing) Allelu - ia. Allelu - ia. Allelu - ia.**

P: The Holy Gospel is Mark 10:46-52

**C: (Sing) Glo - ry be to Thee, O Lord.**

P: This is the Gospel of the Lord.

**C: (Sing) Praise be to Thee, O Christ.**

**THE CREED**

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth.

And in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried. He descended into hell. The third day He rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From thence He will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Christian Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life **✠ everlasting. Amen.**

**HYMN** . . . . . "Amazing Grace" 744

1) Amazing grace—how sweet the sound—  
That saved a wretch like me!  
I once was lost but now am found,  
Was blind but now I see!

2) The Lord has promised good to me,  
His Word my hope secures;  
He will my shield and portion be  
As long as life endures.

- 3) Through many dangers, toils, and snares  
I have already come;  
His grace has brought me safe thus far,  
His grace will lead me home.
- 4) Yes, when this flesh and heart shall fail  
And mortal life shall cease,  
Amazing grace shall then prevail  
In heaven's joy and peace.
- 5) When we've been there ten thousand years,  
Bright shining as the sun,  
We've no less days to sing God's praise  
Than when we'd first begun.

**SERMON**

**OFFERTORY** *(Sung)*

Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit with in me.

Cast me not away from Thy presence and take not Thy Holy Spirit from me.

Restore unto me the joy of Thy salvation, and uphold me with Thy free spirit. Amen.

**OFFERING** . . . . . *Please fill out Welcome Cards*

**PRAYER OF THE CHURCH**

P: Let us pray for the whole people of God in Christ Jesus, and for all people according to their needs. *(Following each petition)* Lord, in your mercy,

**C: Hear our prayer.**

P: Into your hands, O Lord, we commend all for whom we pray, through Your Son, Jesus Christ, our Lord.

**C: Amen.**

**SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT. . . Saturday only**

P: *(Chanted)* The Lord be with you.

**C: And with thy spirit.**

P: Lift up your hearts.

**C: We lift them up unto the Lord.**

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

**C: It is meet and right so to do.**

P: It is truly meet, right, and salutary . . . .

**C: (Sing) Holy, holy, holy Lord God of Sabaoth; heav'n and earth are full of Thy glory.**

Hosanna, hosanna, hosanna in the highest.

Blessed is He, blessed is He, blessed is He that cometh in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna, hosanna, hosanna in the highest.

P: Our Father who art in heaven . . .

**C: (Sing) For Thine is the kingdom – and the power – and the glory forever and ever. A – men.**

P: *(Consecration)* The peace of the Lord be with you always.

**C: Amen.**

**AGNUS DEI** *(Sung)*

O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that takes away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us. (3x)

grant us Thy peace. A - - - men.

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**THE NUNC DIMITTIS** *(Sung after Distribution) p. 199*

**C:** Lord, now lettest Thou Thy servant depart in peace according to Thy word,

for mine eyes have seen Thy salvation, which Thou hast prepared before the face of all people, a light to lighten the Gentiles, and the glory of Thy people Israel.

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.

**PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING & BLESSING**

P: *(Chanted)* O give thanks unto the Lord, for He is good.

**C: and His mercy endureth forever.**

P: Let us pray . . . one God, now and forever. **C: Amen.**

P: The Lord be with you. **C: And with thy spirit.**

P: Bless we the Lord. **C: Thanks be to God.**

P: The Lord bless you . . . . . and give you peace.

**C: Amen, amen. a - men.**

**HYMN. . . . . "Sing Praise to God" 819**

1) Sing praise to God, the highest good,  
The author of creation,  
The God of love who understood  
Our need for His salvation.  
With healing balm our souls He fills  
And ev'ry faithless murmur stills:  
To God all praise and glory!

3) We sought the Lord in our distress;  
O God, in mercy hear us.  
Our Savior saw our helplessness  
And came with peace to cheer us.  
For this we thank and praise the Lord,  
Who is by one and all adored:  
To God all praise and glory!

4) He never shall forsake His flock,  
His chosen generation;  
He is their refuge and their rock,  
Their peace and their salvation.  
As with a mother's tender hand,  
He leads His own, His chosen band:  
To God all praise and glory!

5) All who confess Christ's holy name,  
Give God the praise and glory.  
Let all who know His pow'r proclaim  
Aloud the wondrous story.  
Cast ev'ry idol from its throne,  
For God is God, and He alone:  
To God all praise and glory!

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