

3 August 2025 EIGHTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

We Sing

Shout to the Lord

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Verse

My Jesus my Savior
Lord there is none like You
All of my days I want to praise
The wonders of Your mighty love
My comfort my shelter
Tower of refuge and strength
Let every breath all that I am
Never cease to worship You

Chorus

Shout to the Lord
All the earth let us sing
Power and majesty
Praise to the King
Mountains bow down
And the seas will roar
At the sound of Your name
I sing for joy
At the work of Your hands
Forever I'll love You
Forever I'll stand
Nothing compares to the promise
I have in You

We Pray

Prayers are led, then all say together:

Generous God,

in abundance you give us things both spiritual and physical.

Help us hold lightly the fading things of this earth,
and grasp tightly the lasting things of your kingdom,
so that what we are and do and say,
may be our gifts to you,
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

We Hear God's Word

First Lesson

A Reading from the Book of the Prophet Hosea (11:1-11)

When Israel was a child, I loved him, and out of Egypt I called my son. The more I called them, the more they went from me; they kept sacrificing to the Baals, and offering incense to idols. Yet it was I who taught Ephraim to walk, I took them up in my arms; but they did not know that I healed them. I led them with cords of human kindness, with bands of love. I was to them like those who lift infants to their cheeks. I bent down to them and fed them. They shall return to the land of Egypt, and Assyria shall be their king, because they have refused to return to me. The sword rages in their cities, it consumes their oracle-priests, and devours because of their schemes. My people are bent on turning away from me. To the Most High they call, but he does not raise them up at all. How can I give you up, Ephraim? How can I hand you over, O Israel? How can I make you like Admah? How can I treat you like Zeboiim? My heart recoils within me; my compassion grows warm and tender. I will not execute my fierce anger; I will not again destroy Ephraim; for I am God and no mortal, the Holy One in your midst, and I will not come in wrath. They shall go after the Lord, who roars like a lion; when he roars, his children shall come trembling from the west. They shall come trembling like birds from Egypt, and like doves from the land of Assyria; and I will return them to their homes, says the Lord.

The Word of the Lord.

People – Thanks be to God.

Please stand

Gospel Song Seek Ye First Hymnal 711

Verse I

Seek ye first the kingdom of God and its righteousness, and all these things will be added unto you Al – le – lu. al-le-lu-ia

Verse 2

Ask, and it shall be given unto you seek and ye shall find knock and the door shall be opened unto you Al – le – lu, al-le-lu-ia

Refrain

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!
Alleluia, alleluia!

Gospel Lesson

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke (12:13-21)

People – Glory to you, Lord Christ

Someone in the crowd said to Jesus, "Teacher, tell my brother to divide the family inheritance with me." But he said to him, "Friend, who set me to be a judge or arbitrator over you?" And he said to them, "Take care! Be on your guard against all kinds of greed; for one's life does not consist in the abundance of possessions." Then he told them a parable: "The land of a rich man produced abundantly. And he thought to himself, 'What should I do, for I have no place to store my crops?' Then he said, 'I will do this: I will pull down my barns and build larger ones, and there I will store all my grain and my goods. And I will say to my soul, 'Soul, you have ample goods laid up for many years; relax, eat, drink, be merry.' But God said to him, 'You fool! This very night your life is being demanded of you. And the things you have prepared, whose will they be?' So it is with those who store up treasures for themselves but are not rich toward God."

The Gospel of the Lord

People – Praise to you, Lord Christ

Please be seated

Sermon

We Set the Table

Holy Forever

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Verse I

A thousand generations falling down in worship

To sing the song of ages to the Lamb And all who've gone before us and all who will believe Will sing the song of ages to the Lamb

Pre-Chorus

Your name is the highest Your name is the greatest Your name stands above them all All thrones and dominions All powers and positions Your name stands above them all

Chorus I

And the angels cry holy All creation cries holy You are lifted high, holy Holy forever

Verse 2

If you've been forgiven and if you've been redeemed Sing the song forever to the Lamb

If you walk in freedom and if you bear His name

Sing the song forever to the Lamb We'll sing the song forever and amen

Chorus 2

Hear Your people sing holy To the King of kings, holy You will always be: holy Holy forever

Bridge

Your name is the highest
Your name is the greatest
Your name stands above them all
All thrones and dominions
All powers and positions
Your name stands above them all

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Christ Feeds Us

The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

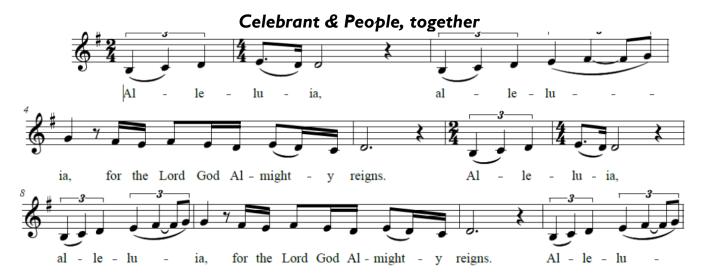
Deacon Lift up your hearts.

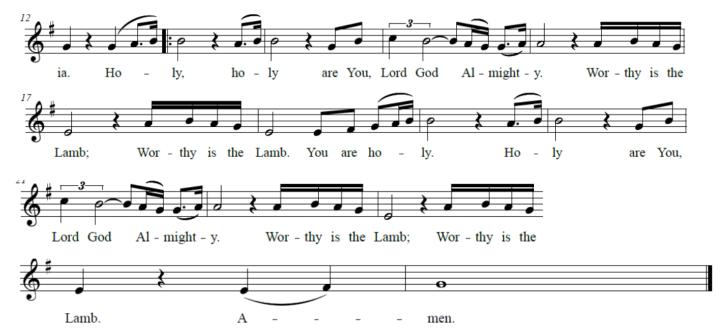
People We lift them to the Lord.

Deacon Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People It is right to give God thanks and praise.

The Deacon continues It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty. 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 Deacon continues In fellowship with the whole Church of God; with all who have been brought together by the Holy Spirit to worship on this day; and with all who have celebrated the Eucharist, let us rejoice that we are called to be part of the body of Christ.

Deacon We thank you, Lord our God, for this world you have given us. You never cease to make it new, and you call us to share in your ministry. Accept, we pray, the work of our hands. We pray to you, O God:

People Glory to you for ever.

Deacon You made us in your image and fashioned us in your likeness. Help us to see your face in others. We pray to you, O God:

People Glory to you for ever.

Deacon You call us to live in relationship with you and one another, and you have taught us to know you through the Law and the Prophets, the Apostles and Evangelists, who told us the marvelous story of your love. We pray to you, O God:

People Glory to you for ever.

Deacon And you have come to us in your Son Jesus Christ. In him you have shared our human life, looked at us with human eyes, and showed us what it means to dwell in communion with you. Through him, you offer us a share in eternal life. We pray to you, O God:

People Glory to you for ever.

Deacon Now you give us this Sacrament of his Body and Blood, and we give

ourselves to you. Through the death and resurrection of your Son, you

have become for us our eternal home. We pray to you, O God:

People Glory to you for ever.

Deacon So with all Christians who are gathered together today everywhere, throughout the world, and with the great procession of your Saints, we

pray to you as our Savior has taught us:

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.

Alleluia! Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;

People - Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia!

The gifts of God for the People of God

During Communion

I Surrender All

¹ All to Jesus I surrender, all to Him I freely give; I will ever love and trust Him, In His presence daily live.

Refrain

I surrender all, I surrender all, All to thee, my blessed Savior, I surrender all.

- ² All to Jesus I surrender Humbly at His feet I bow; Worldly pleasures all forsaken, Take me, Jesus, take me now. [Refrain]
- ³ All to Jesus I surrender Make me, Savior, wholly thine; Let me feel the Holy Spirit Truly know that thou art mine. [Refrain]
- ⁴ All to Jesus I surrender Lord, I give myself to thee; Fill me with thy love and power, Let thy blessings fall on me. [Refrain]

Post-Communion Prayer

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.

Announcements & Blessing

We Sing

Soon and Very Soon LEVAS 14

Soon and very soon we are goin' to see the King Soon and very soon we are goin' to see the King Soon and very soon we are goin' to see the King Hallelujah, Hallelujah, we're goin' to see the King

- V.2 No more cryin' there, we are goin' to see the King
- V.3 No more dyin' there, we are goin' to see the King
- V.4 Soon and very soon, we are goin' to see the King

We're Sent

Deacon – Alleluia! Alleluia! Let us go forth, rejoicing in the power of the Spirit **People – Thanks be to God. Alleluia! Alleluia!**

Shout To The Lord

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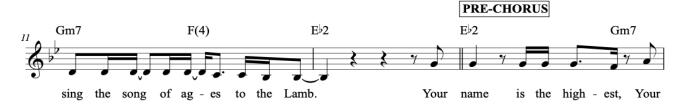
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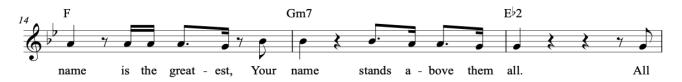


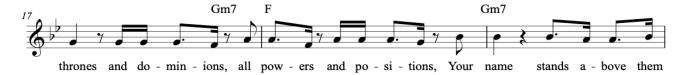


thou - sand gen - er - a - tions fall - ing down in wor - ship to sing the song of ag - es to the Lamb,





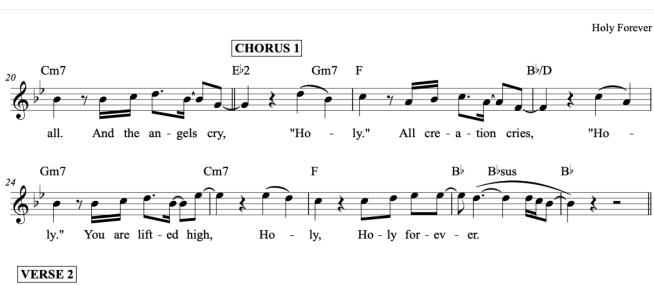




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2. If you've been for - giv - en and if you've been re - deemed, sing the song for - ev - er to the Lamb.







