

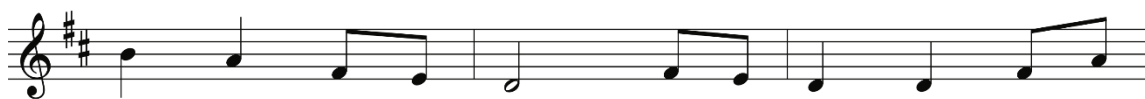
# Twenty-seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time – October 4, 2026

## Opening:

### Sing a New Church



1. Sum - moned by the God who made us Rich in  
2. Ra - diant ris - en from the wa - ter, Robed in  
3. Trust the good - ness of cre - a - tion; Trust the  
4. Bring the hopes of ev - 'ry na - tion; Bring the  
5. Draw to - geth - er at one ta - ble All the



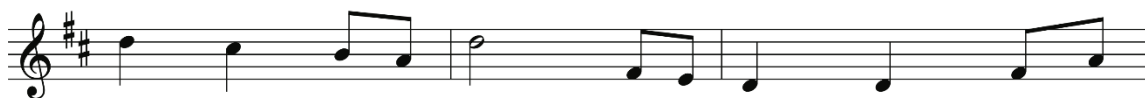
our di - ver - si - ty, Gath - ered in the name of  
ho - li - ness and light, Male and fe - male in God's  
Spir - it strong with - in. Dare to dream the vi - sion  
art of ev - 'ry race. Weave a song of peace and  
hu - man fam - i - ly; Shape a cir - cle ev - er



Je - sus, Rich - er still in u - ni - ty:  
im - age, Male and fe - male, God's de - light:  
prom - ised, Sprung from seed of what has been.  
jus - tice; Let it sound through time and space.  
wid - er And a peo - ple ev - er free.



Let us bring the gifts that dif - fer And, in



splen - did, var - ied ways, Sing a new Church in - to



be - ing, One in faith and love and praise.

## Psalm:



**℣. The vine - yard of the Lord is the house of Is - ra - el.**

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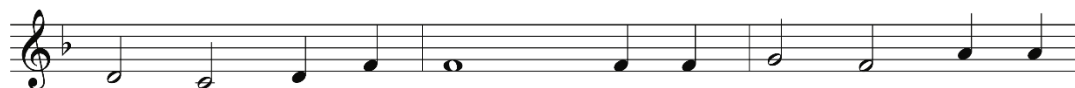
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## Preparation:

### As a Fire Is Meant for Burning



1. As a fire is meant for burn - ing With a  
2. We are learn - ers; we are teach - ers; We are  
3. As a green bud in the spring - time Is a



bright and warm - ing flame, So the Church is meant for  
pil - grims on the way. We are seek - ers; we are  
sign of life re - newed, So may we be signs of



mis - sion, Giv - ing glo - ry to God's name. As we  
giv - ers; We are ves - sels made of clay. By our  
one - ness Mid earth's peo - ples, man - y hues. As a



wit - ness to the gos - pel, We would  
gen - tle, lov - ing ac - tions, We would  
rain - bow lights the heav - ens When a



build a bridge of care, Join - ing hands a - cross the  
show that Christ is light. In a hum - ble, lis - t'ning  
storm is past and gone, May our lives re - flect the



na - tions, Find - ing neigh - bors ev - 'ry - where.  
Spir - it, We would live to God's de - light.  
ra - diance Of God's new and glor - ious dawn.

# Communion:

## We Have Been Told

### Refrain

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We have been told, we've seen his face and  
heard his voice a - live in our hearts:  
"Live in my love with all your heart;  
as the Fa - ther has loved me, so I have loved  
you."

### Verse 1

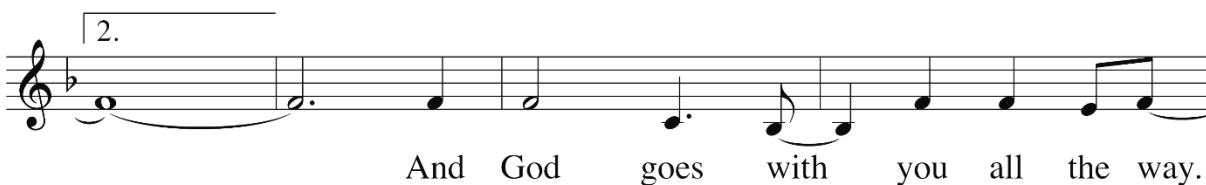
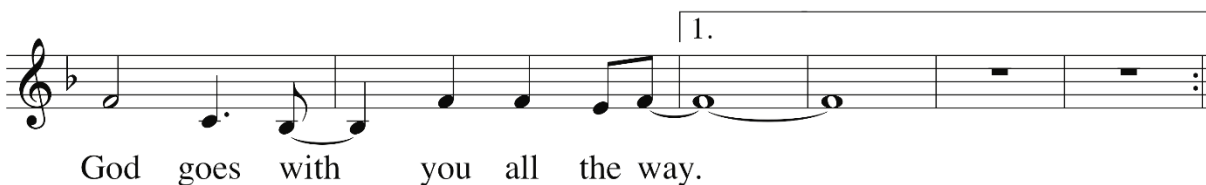
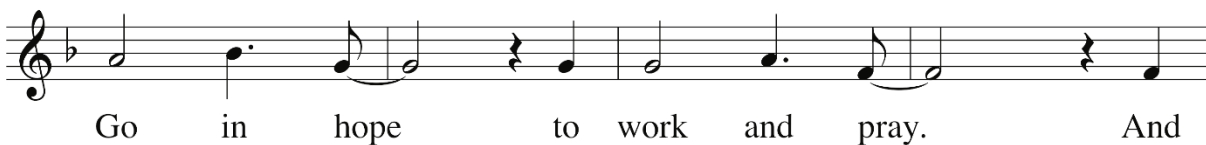
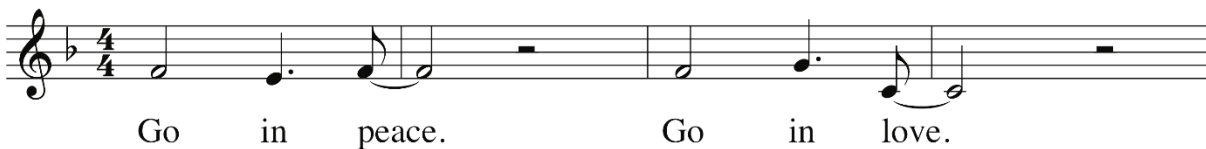
1. "I am the vine, you are the branch-es, and  
all who live in me will bear great fruit." D.C.

### Verses 2, 3

2. "You are my friends, if you keep my com-mands;  
3. "No great-er love is there than this: to  
no long - er slaves, I call you friends."  
lay down one's life for a friend." D.C.

Closing:

## Go in Peace, Go in Love



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