



Unity. Liberty. Love. Serve.



Calvary Moravian (Gail Morris)

PROPER SIXTEEN
AUGUST 24TH, 2025



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We welcome all members and guests to our service today,
and we are glad that you have joined us for worship at Calvary!

SERVING IN WORSHIP

The Rev. Dr. Chaz Snider, *Preaching*
Amanda Schumpert, *Director of Music*

Chi-Chi Messick, *Organist*

Alexander Stultz, *Violinist*

Violet Carter, *Pianist*

Wendy Goforth, *Lay Reader*

Brian Lott, *Band Director*

The Calvary Band

Bill Seippel, Felix Stultz, & Will Guthrie *Ushers*

Autumn Gwyn, *Nursery Attendant*

The flowers in the sanctuary are given
in loving memory of Patti Ezzell by the Seippel Family.

Nursery is available for all children infant through Pre-K.

There is no Godly Play for the months of July & August. For those children in the sanctuary,
New to the Pew bags can be found up front filled with fun activities to help them in
worship. All children are welcome!

Christ Is Our Cornerstone

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1 Christ is our cor - ner - stone, on him a - lone we build,
 2 O then with hymns of praise these hal - lowed courts shall ring,
 3 Here, gra - cious God, do now for ev - er - more draw near,
 4 Here may we gain from heav'n the grace which we im - plore,

with his true saints a - lone the courts of heav'n are filled,
 our voic - es we will raise the Three in One to sing,
 ac - cept each faith - ful vow, and ev - 'ry sup - pliant hear.
 and may that grace, once giv'n, be with us ev - er - more,

on his great love our hopes we place of
 and thus pro - claim in joy - ful song both
 In co - pious show'r on all who pray each
 un - til that day when all the blessed to

pres - ent grace and joys a - bove.
 loud and long that glo - rious name.
 ho - ly day your bless - ings pour!
 end - less rest are called a - way!

GENERAL LITURGY 1

With the Church Litanies

(Standing)

O Lord, our Lord, your greatness is seen in all the world.

We give thanks to you, for you are good; your love is eternal.

We glorify you, majestic Lord.

We praise your holy name.

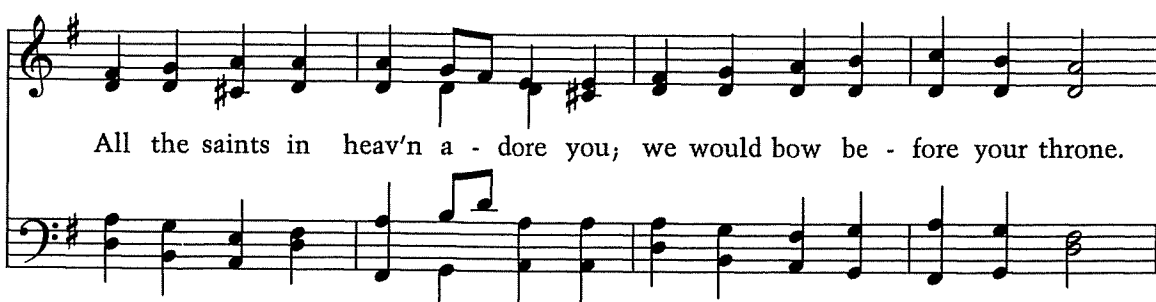
CASSEL (167 A)



Wor - ship, hon - or, glo - ry, bless - ing, Lord, we of - fer un - to you;



young and old, your praise ex - press - ing, sing your mer - cies ev - er new.



All the saints in heav'n a - dore you; we would bow be - fore your throne.



As your an - gels serve be - fore you, so on earth your will be done.

The sacrifice which you desire is a humble spirit: O God, you will not reject a humble and repentant heart.

If we confess our sins, you are just and will keep your promise; you will forgive our sins and will purify us from all wrongdoing.

Come, let us worship and bow down; let us kneel before the Lord our Maker, humbly confessing our sins.

(Kneeling or sitting)

Most holy and almighty God, our Savior, we confess our disobedience. We, like sheep, have gone astray, all of us turning to our own way. We have sinned and have done wrong. The good that we knew to do we have not done. We know that we have been unworthy servants and have fallen short of your glory. Help us, deliver us, and forgive our sins, O God of our salvation, for the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ, who loved us and gave himself for us.

TE DEUM (FROM 235 A)

O Lord, have mer - cy on us all; have mer - cy on us

when we call; Lord, we have put our trust in you; grant

us your word of grace a - new. A - men.

Thus says the Lord: I, even I, am the God who blots out your transgressions for my own sake and will not remember your sins. Go and sin no more.

(Standing)

Lord, make us one in spirit with all your people as we profess our faith, saying:

**I believe in God, the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.**

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord.

**He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit
and born of the Virgin Mary.**

**He suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried.**

He descended to the dead.

On the third day he rose again.

**He ascended into heaven
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.**

He will come again 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.**

*Ancient text reads "catholic," which means "universal."

CHOIR GLORIA PATRI

Glo - ry be to the Fa - ther, and to the Son, and to the Ho - ly

Spir - it; as it was in the be - gin - ning, is now, and ev - er

shall be, world with - out end. A - men, A - men, A - men.

GENERAL 1

CHOIR

Lord God, Fa - ther, hear us as we pray:

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 — OR —
 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,
 forever and ever. Amen.

Our Father in heaven,
 hallowed be your name,
 your kingdom come,
 your will be done,
 on earth as in heaven.
 Give us today our daily bread.
 Forgive us our sins
 as we forgive those
 who sin against us.
 Save us from the time of trial
 and deliver us from evil.
 For the kingdom, the power,
 and the glory are yours
 now and forever. Amen.

CHOIR

Lord God, Son, the Sav - ior of the world, be gra - cious un - to us.

CHOIR

Lord God, Ho - ly Spir - it, a - bide with us for - ev - er. [A - men.]

(All may join in The Church Litany, or The Shorter Church Litany,
 or the service may proceed as the liturgist directs.)

THE CHURCH LITANY

(The Litany is our church's great Prayer of Intercession. It may be used with any of the General, Seasonal, or Occasional Liturgies.)

(Sitting)

CHOIR ALL

Lord, have mer - cy up - on us. Christ, have mer - cy up - on us.

CHOIR ALL

Lord, have mer - cy up - on us. Christ, hear us.

From all sin, from all error, from all evil,

Preserve us, gracious Lord and God.

From famine and disease,
 From disaster by fire or flood, storm or earthquake,
 From war and bloodshed,
 From the violence of wicked people,
 From pride and trust in our own wisdom and strength,
 From needless worry and anxiety,
 From the selfish desire of becoming great,
 From hypocrisy and fanaticism,
 From envy, greed, hatred, and malice,
 From the deceitfulness of sin,
 From the power and destructive ways of Satan,
 From the influence of the secular spirit of this world,

Preserve us, gracious Lord and God.

By your holy incarnation and birth,
 By your baptism, fasting, and temptation,
 By all the merits of your perfect life before God and humanity,

Bless and comfort us, gracious Lord and God.

GENERAL 1: CHURCH LITANY

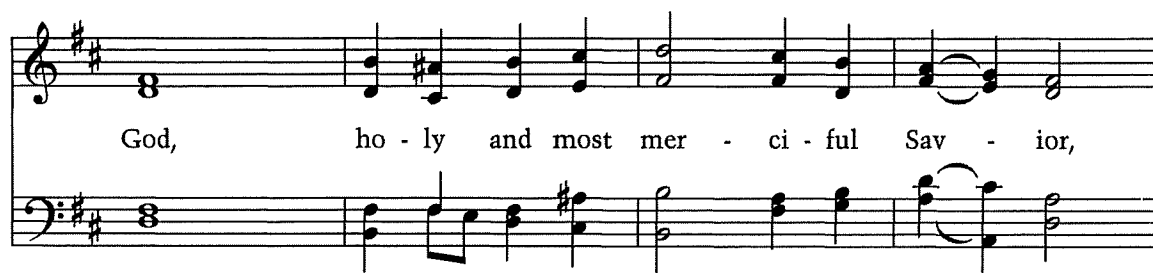
By your agony and bloody sweat,
 By your cross and suffering,
 By your sacred wounds and precious blood,
 By your dying words,
 By your atoning death,
 By your rest in the grave,
 By your triumphant resurrection and ascension,
 By your sending the Holy Spirit,
 By your prevailing intercession,
 By your holy sacraments,
 By your divine presence,
 By your coming again to your church on earth, or our being called home to be
 with you in heaven,

Bless and comfort us, gracious Lord and God.

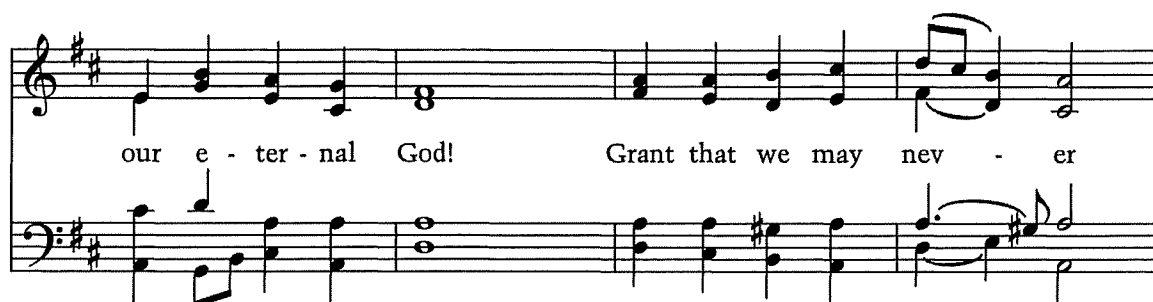
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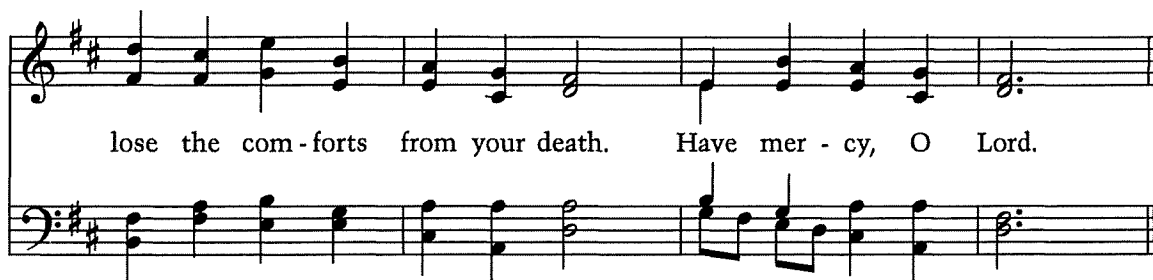
Most ho - ly Lord and God, ho - ly, al - might - y



God, ho - ly and most mer - ci - ful Sav - ior,



our e - ter - nal God! Grant that we may nev - er



lose the com - forts from your death. Have mer - cy, O Lord.

Head and Savior of your body the church, unite all the children of God in one spirit. Send us as faithful laborers into your harvest that all may be gathered into your family. Pour out your Spirit and power on those who preach your word. Prevent division and useless conflict in the church. Put far from your people all who deceive. Bring back all who have gone astray. Defeat the evil intentions of those who oppose and persecute your church, and help them to turn from the error of their ways.

Hear us, gracious Lord and God.

Grant love and unity to all our congregations. Keep our bishops and ministers sound in doctrine and holy in life. May everyone who serves in the church be faithful, not only in great matters, but also in the smallest things. Grant that all of us may pattern our lives after your example, that we may be your holy people to our life's end.

Hear us, gracious Lord and God.

Lord, supply the needs of your people. Bless our labor and make us diligent in our daily tasks. Do not let any of us become entangled by the affairs of this life, but may everything we do or think be for you. Help us to make proper use of your gifts, and make us generous in our giving. Help us to be loving and caring in all our relationships. Be present in our homes, and guide us to bring up our children to love and serve you.

Hear us, gracious Lord and God.

We pray for ourselves and for all Christians; for the people of Israel and Islam, who are close to us in heritage and faith; and for persons of every religion, that we all may come to a fuller knowledge of your truth and love. Grant success to the witness of your gospel throughout the world, that all people may come to know you as Savior and Lord.

Hear us, gracious Lord and God.

Direct all governments in the way of justice and peace, that your will may be known and done among the nations. Bless those who hold office in our land; and may we lead under them a peaceable, godly, and honest life. Deliver us from the sins which lead to war and conflict, and strengthen within us the will to establish righteousness and justice on the earth. Enable us to make wise use of the world you have entrusted to us.

Hear us, gracious Lord and God.

Good Shepherd, we commend to your care those of our congregation who are absent from us today. Watch over those who travel. Send help to all who are in danger, trouble, or anguish. Strengthen and support those who suffer persecution for the sake of the gospel. Protect and provide for the poor, the hungry, and the homeless. Support the aged. Bless and heal the sick and the afflicted, and in their suffering comfort them with your love. Enable the dying to put their trust in you as the atoning sacrifice for the sins of the whole world.

Hear us, gracious Lord and God.

GENERAL 1: CHURCH LITANY

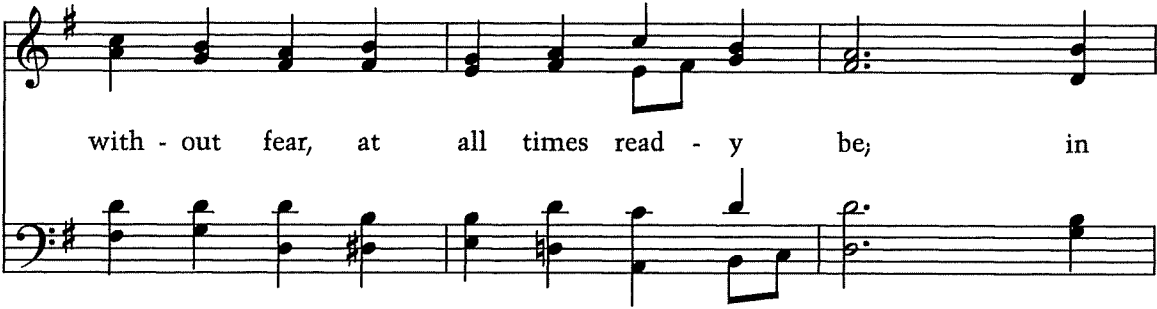
Have mercy on your whole creation. Hasten the day when the kingdom of the world shall become your kingdom, and by grace make us worthy to stand before you.

(Standing)

INNSBRUCK (79 A)



Lord, for thy com - ing us pre - pare; may we, to meet thee



with - out fear, at all times read - y be; in



faith and love pre - serve us sound, O let us day and




night be found wait - ing with joy to wel - come thee.

Keep us in everlasting fellowship with the Church Triumphant in heaven, and let us rest together in your presence from our labors.

GENERAL 1: CHURCH LITANY

CHOIR ALL



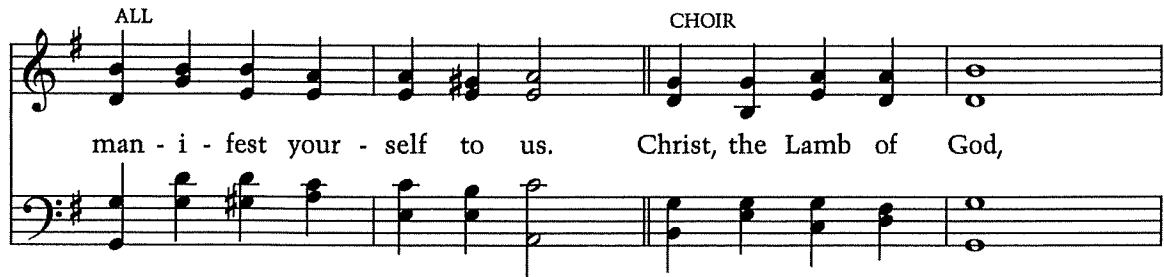
O Christ, Al-might-y God, have mer-cy up-on us.

CHOIR



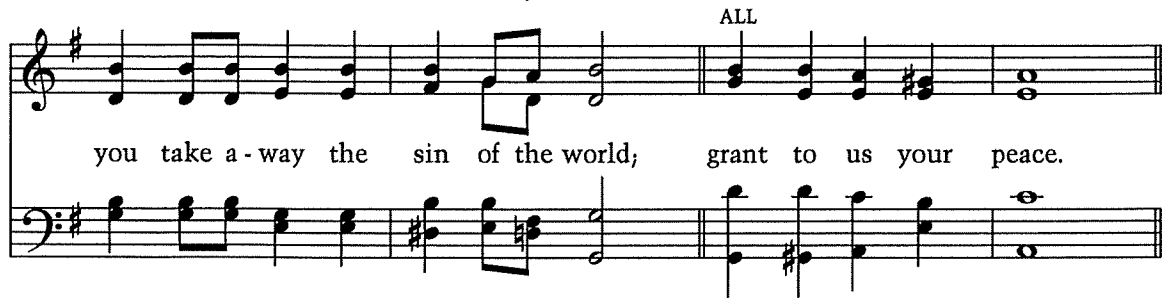
Christ, the Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the world;

ALL CHOIR



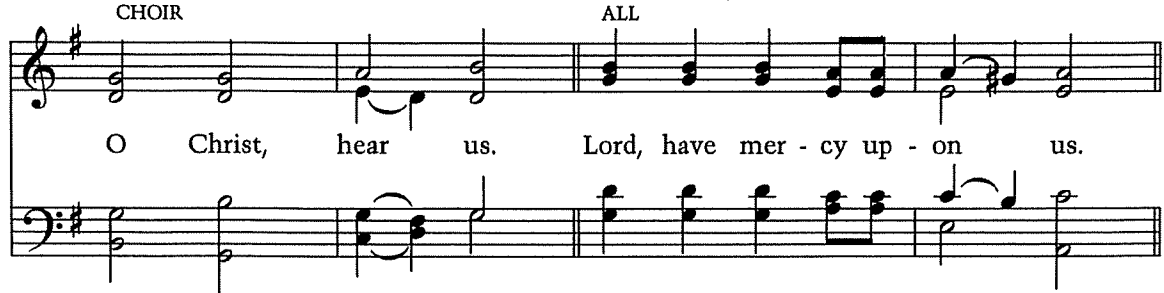
man-i-fest your-self to us. Christ, the Lamb of God,

ALL



you take a-way the sin of the world; grant to us your peace.

CHOIR ALL



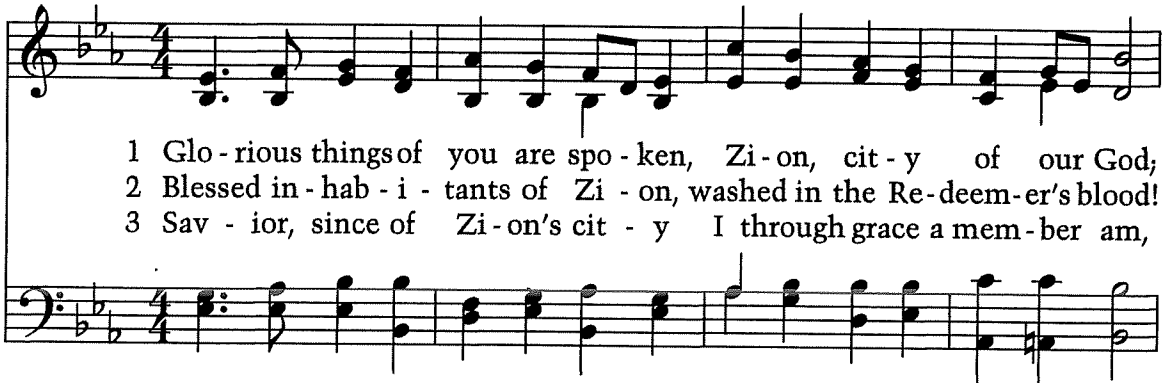
O Christ, hear us. Lord, have mer-cy up-on us.

CHOIR ALL

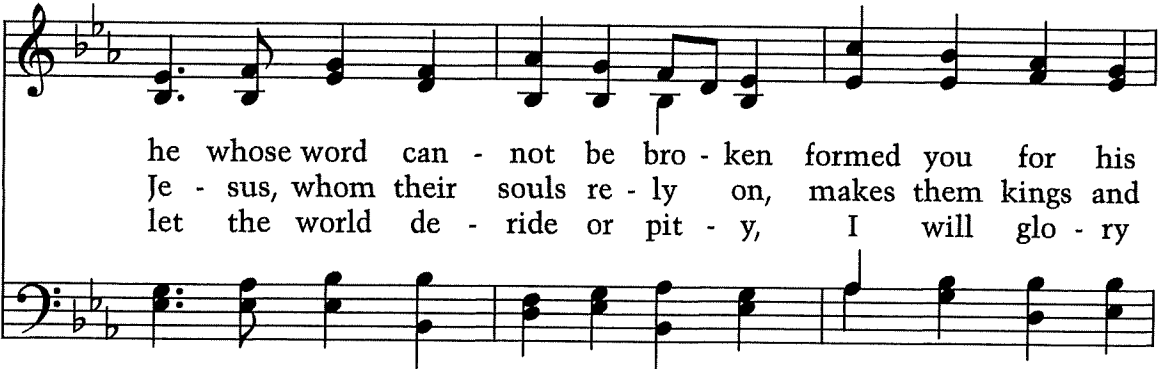


Christ, have mer-cy up-on us. Lord, have mer-cy up-on us. A-men.

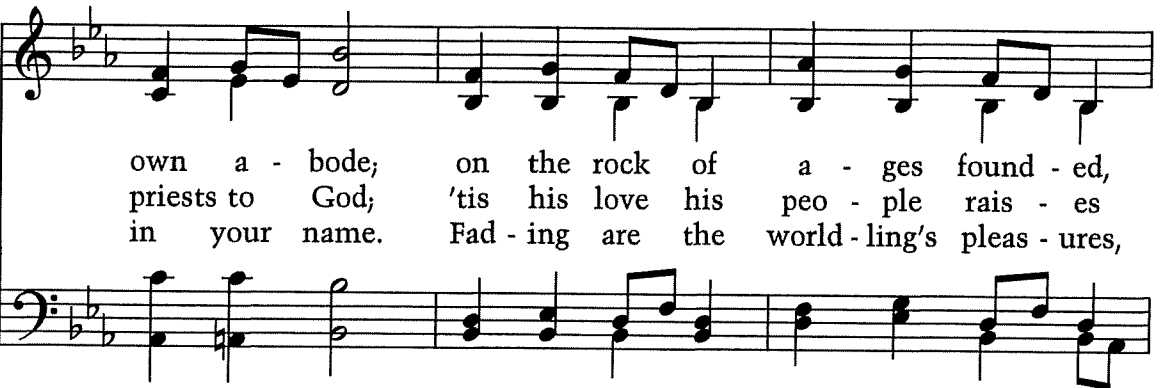
522 Glorious Things of You Are Spoken



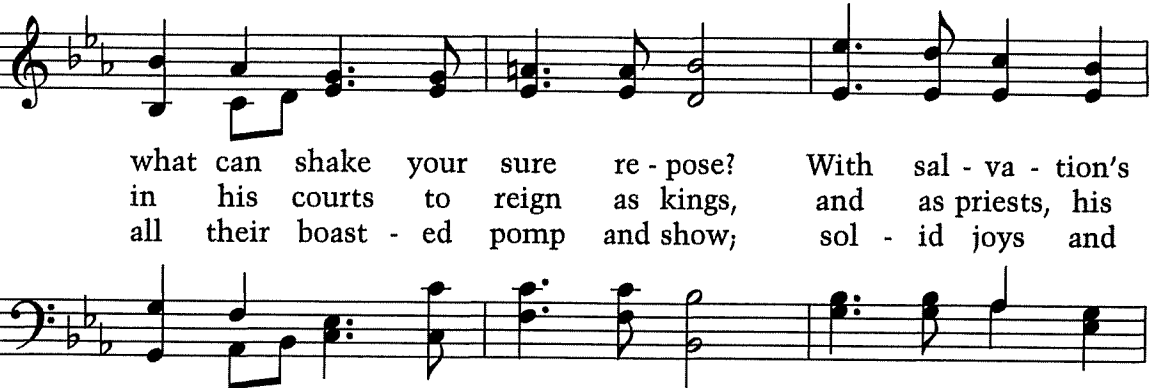
1 Glo - rious things of you are spo - ken, Zi - on, cit - y of our God;
 2 Blessed in - hab - i - tants of Zi - on, washed in the Re - deem - er's blood!
 3 Sav - ior, since of Zi - on's cit - y I through grace a mem - ber am,



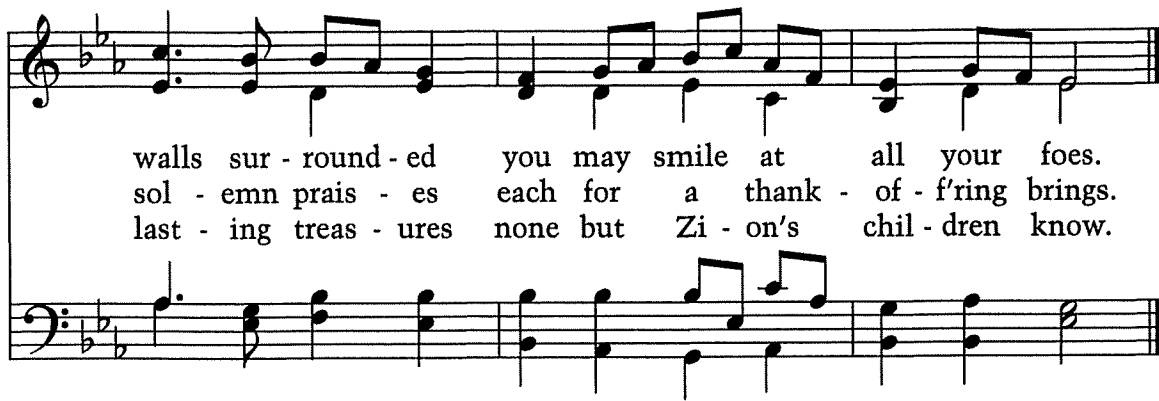
he whose word can - not be bro - ken formed you for his
 Je - sus, whom their souls re - ly on, makes them kings and
 let the world de - ride or pit - y, I will glo - ry



own a - bode; on the rock of a - ges found - ed,
 priests to God; 'tis his love his peo - ple rais - es
 in your name. Fad - ing are the world - ling's pleas - ures,

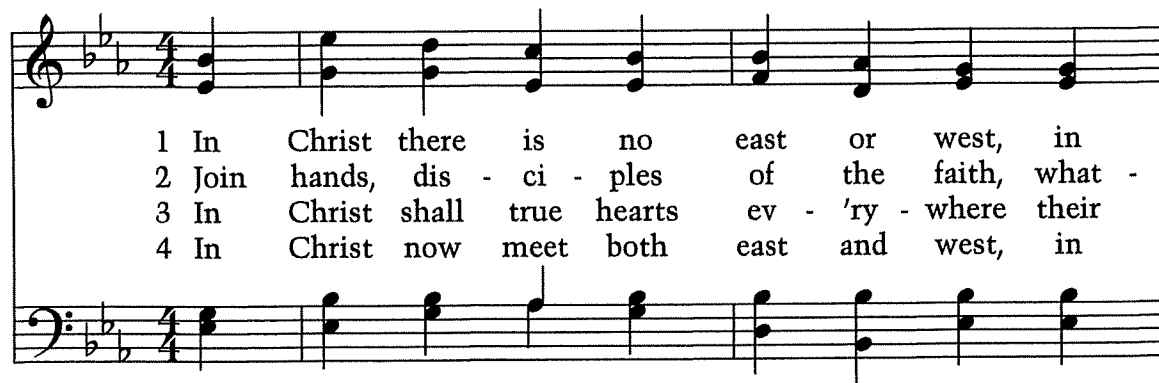


what can shake your sure re - pose? With sal - va - tion's
 in his courts to reign as kings, and as priests, his
 all their boast - ed pomp and show; sol - id joys and

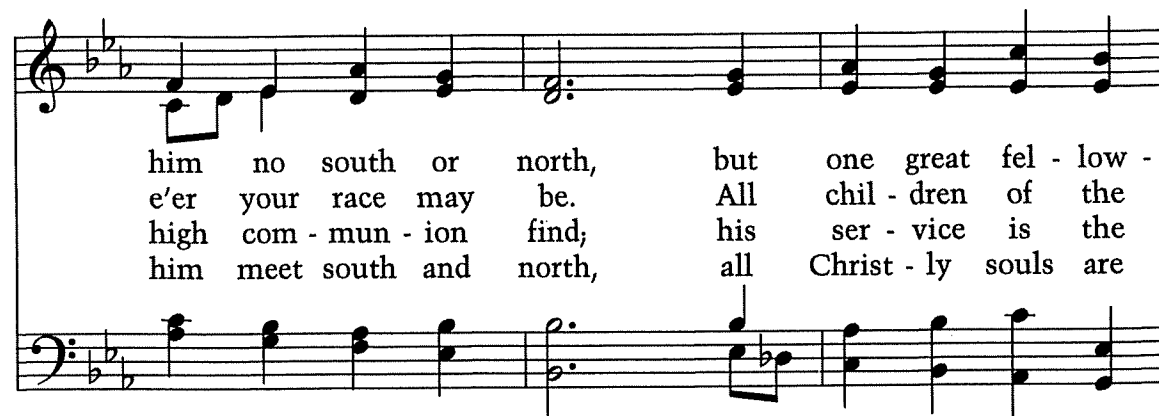


walls sur - round - ed you may smile at all your foes.
 sol - emn prais - es each for a thank - of - f'ring brings.
 last - ing treas - ures none but Zi - on's chil - dren know.

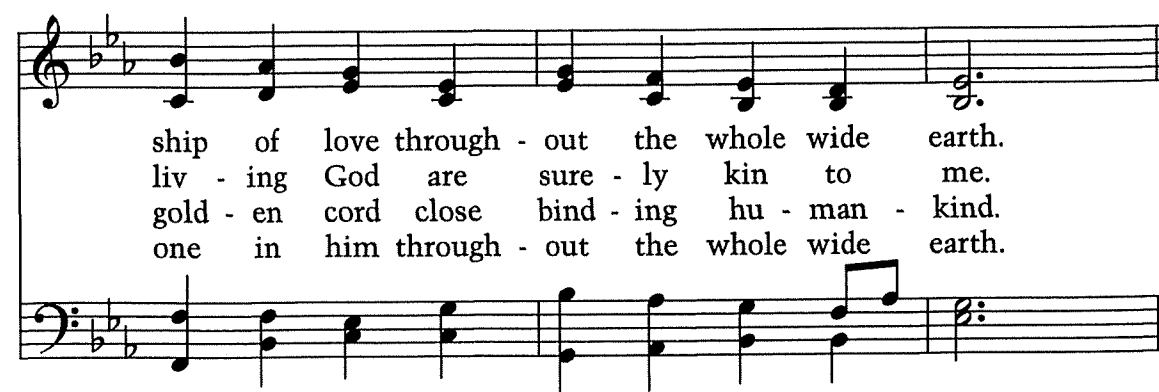
In Christ There Is No East or West 523



1 In Christ there is no east or west, in
 2 Join hands, dis - ci - ples of the faith, what -
 3 In Christ shall true hearts ev - 'ry - where their
 4 In Christ now meet both east and west, in



him no south or north, but one great fel - low -
 e'er your race may be. All chil - dren of the
 high com - mun - ion find; his ser - vice is the
 him meet south and north, all Christ - ly souls are



ship of love through - out the whole wide earth.
 liv - ing God are sure - ly kin to me.
 gold - en cord close bind - ing hu - man - kind.
 one in him through - out the whole wide earth.

386 Holy God, We Praise Your Name

1 Ho - ly God, we praise your name; Lord of all, we
 2 Hark, the glad ce - les - tial hymn an - gel choirs a -
 3 All a - pos - tles join the strain as your sa - cred
 4 Ho - ly Fa - ther, Ho - ly Son, Ho - ly Spir - it:

bow be - fore you. Saints on earth your rule ac - claim;
 bove are rais - ing; cher - u - bim and ser - a - phim,
 name they hal - low; proph - ets swell the glad re - frain,
 three we name you, while in es - sence on - ly One;

all in heav - en a - bove a - dore you. In - fi - nite your
 in un - ceas - ing cho - rus prais - ing, fill the heav - ens with
 and the bless - ed mar - tyrs fol - low, and from morn to
 un - di - vid - ed God we claim you, and a - dor - ing

vast do - main; ev - er - last - ing is your reign.
 sweet ac - cord: ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord.
 set of sun, through the church the song goes on.
 bend the knee while we own the mys - ter - y.

GATHERING IN UNITY

WATCHWORD FOR THE WEEK (PSALM 103:17)

*The steadfast love of the Lord is from
everlasting to everlasting on those who fear him.*

**** Please stand as you are able.***

BAND PRELUDE

TRINITY CHIME

ORGAN PRELUDE

The King of Love my Shepherd Is — Arr. Stearns

WELCOME

PROCLAIMING GOD'S LOVE

***HYMN #517**

Christ is Our Cornerstone — DARWALL

***GENERAL LITURGY I & THE CHURCH LITANY**

Pg. 1-9, Moravian Book of Worship

PIANO OFFERTORY

Ode to Joy — Arr. Wendy Stevens

***DOXOLOGY AND OFFERTORY PRAYER**

OLD HUNDREDTH

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise him, all creatures here below;
Praise him above, ye heav'nly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost!

THE HOLY SCRIPTURES

EPISTLE: HEBREWS 12:18-29

*GOSPEL: LUKE 13:10-17

The Word of God for the People of God

Thanks be to God.

Jesus makes my heart rejoice,
I'm his sheep and know his voice;
he's a Shepherd, kind and gracious,
and his pastures are delicious;
constant love to me he shows,
yea, my very name he knows.

QUIET MEDITATION AND PRAYER

HYMN #522

Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken — AUSTRIAN HYMN

SERMON

UNSHAKEN

SENDING TO SERVE

***HYMN #386**

Holy God, We Praise Your Name — GROSSER GOTT

***BENEDICTION**

ORGAN POSTLUDE

Hail to the Lord's Anointed — Arr. Wilson

TRINITY CHIME

PRAYER REQUESTS

Eddie Johnson; Camilla Williams; Bernard Williams; Patricia Poindexter Garr; Earline Pryor; Misty Hayes and family; Noelle Nichols; Rameth McKnight; Ursula Pierce; Steven Nixa; Gary Willis; Lily Shaw; Patsy Lineback; Patrick Biggam; Lynn Biggam; Tommy & Nancy McKoon; Scott & Elaine Peddycord; Harold & Joeann Settle; Betty Troutman; Judi Chandler; George Tasedan; Sandra Shugart; Bill & Mary Hampton; Haley and Zelda Covert, Richard Hughes, and their family; George Hege; Linda Neighbors; Paul Marshall; Denise Williams; Lisa Hampton; Karen Stewart; Holly and Barry Broadstreet; Robyn Redding; Dan Redding; Ellen Steadman (sister of Jane Sofley); William Hughes Dallas & Ramona Prestwood; Dawn Martin; Charles Mecimore; J. Frank & Jan Trivette; Johnnie Pearson; Romaine Poindexter; Mary Louise Kapp Peeples

THE LIFE OF THE CHURCH

LAY READERS FOR SUNDAY WORSHIP

We are currently looking for people to serve in worship by reading scripture on Sunday mornings. If you would like to sign up for a Sunday to read, please use the Signup Genius link below. We would love to have you share your gifts with the congregation!

www.signupgenius.com/go/4090448AEAF28AAFE3-57929550-2025

UPPER ROOM DEVOTIONALS

We want to thank the Pearsons for donating copies of the Upper Room devotionals to Calvary for so many years! Thank you to all the thoughtful prayer and devotion you've inspired with your gift. Now that they've moved away, Calvary has resumed a subscription and the September/October edition is available in the West Lobby & Narthex.

OPPORTUNITY FOR COMMUNITY & PRAYER

Virtual prayer meetings will be offered on the 2nd and 4th Tuesdays of each month, at 9:00 AM via Zoom. The next meeting will be this Tuesday, August 26th. This Zoom prayer time will last about 15 minutes, and gives us an additional opportunity to check in and share the people and things that we hold in our hearts. The link to join the meeting is <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81364100880>

MEAL TRAIN FOR J AND JAN TRIVETTE

A meal train has been organized for the Trivettes. If you would like to sign up to bring them a meal, please use the following sign-up link: <https://mealtrain.com/rlrg97>. Thank you!

BREAKFAST BUNCH

September 2nd, 9 AM at Carriage House. Please contact Pat George (336) 971-3429 or Linda Smith (336) 978-6082 to RSVP.

BREW YOUR FAITH

September 9th at 7 PM, Pastor Chaz will have his next Brew Your Faith discussion group. This happens on the 2nd Tuesdays of each month. The meetings will be held at Lot 63 in Old Salem (614 S Main St). We hope to see you there for fellowship!

MUSIC REHEARSALS RESUMING

Handbell rehearsals will resume on Sunday, September 7th at 9 AM before worship. Choir rehearsals will resume on Wednesday, September 10th at 7 PM. If you are interested in participating in either Calvary's Chancel Choir or Calvary Ringers, please see Amanda Schumpert. We would love to welcome you as a part of one or both! Additionally, our Calvary Band meets every Sunday morning in the balcony of our sanctuary to practice and provide our worship prelude each week. If you are interested in playing as a part of this beautiful ensemble, please see our band director, Brian Lott. Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all the earth! Serve the Lord with gladness! Come into his presence with singing! (Psalm 100:1-2)

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY AND OPPORTUNITY FOR FELLOWSHIP

Our Wednesday morning women's Bible study will resume on September 10th from 10-11:30 AM in the Burke Room and go through November 19th. It is not necessary to attend every week. Feel free to attend when you can and bring a friend if you'd like. We will be studying Genesis 1-11 this fall with the book "God of Creation" by Jen Wilkins. The book is available on Amazon. For any questions or if you need help getting a book, you can contact Bette Peterson (321-403-1707 or bettepeterson@icloud.com) or Barbara Howard (336-254-4572 or howardbb97@gmail.com).

WEDNESDAY NIGHT BIBLE STUDY

Mid-Week Adult Bible Study with Pastor Chaz will resume on Wednesday evening, September 10th at 6pm in the Burke Conference Room. We will meet in person and via Zoom so all are welcome! The Zoom meeting link is us02web.zoom.us/j/84879938980

CIRCLE #2

Circle #2 meets on the 2nd Thursday of each month at 12 PM at the church. Anyone interested in meeting with us would be welcome. Please contact Betty Troutman (336-403-0207) if interested in getting added to our email list or if you have questions about our meeting. Our next meeting will be on September 11th.

FINANCIAL DEEP DIVE - SEPTEMBER 14TH

On Sunday, September 14th, following worship, our Finance Committee will hold another deep dive session and share financial information connected to the feasibility study, and talk about how the Joint Board plans to address the top priorities identified by our congregation. Lunch will be served. Please RSVP by contacting Jacob (jacob@calvarymoravian.org or 336-722-3703).

CHICKEN PIE MAKING

Who wants to help make chicken pies? Let's get this joyful (and yummy!) tradition re-started here at Calvary! If you're interested in taking part, even if you've never done it before, please contact Jan Bullins (jtbullins@gmail.com, 336-655-9444. We'd like to get started in September!

CALVARY MORAVIAN WOMEN'S DAY

All women who are members and friends of Calvary Moravian Church are invited to the Calvary Women's Day on Saturday, October 4th, here at Calvary! We will gather for coffee and fellowship (and some fun!) around 9:30-10:00 am. The Rt. Rev. Carol Foltz, who served here as Assistant Pastor, will lead us in a Bible study and conversation. Following a meal prepared and served by our brothers, we will share in a service project as directed by David Holston, Executive Director of Sunnyside Ministry. We will close with devotions, and be on our way encouraged and inspired before 3:00 pm. Register at www.calvarymoravian.org (under News & Events) or by calling the church office. Child care will be available. Transportation will be available for those who don't drive! Questions? Contact Pastor Nola.

UPCOMING COMMITTEE MEETINGS

August 26th at 4 PM - Nominating Committee

September 8th at 1 PM - Finance Committee

September 11th at 7 PM - Christian Education Committee

September 15th at 5:30 PM - Joint Board, Elders, & Trustees

TUESDAY NIGHT BAND CLASS

Beginning band class will start on Tuesday September 2, 2025, at Home Moravian Church. Sponsored jointly with Salem Congregation, Beginning Band Class will once again be offered under the leadership of Robah Ogburn and Connie Merritt. Each Tuesday night, the class will meet at 6:30pm for all student's 6th grade and up (we have had students starting in their 80's). If you do not know what instrument you want to learn, the leaders will help you make that decision on the first night. Salem Congregation Chorale Band will meet at 7:30 each Tuesday and is open to all interested players. This group is targeted for all players that have at least completed Beginning Band as well as those that have played for many years. Both bands will meet in the Rehearsal Room on the lower level of the Rhondthaler building. Please contact Connie (kapwing@triad.rr.com) or Robah (RobahOgburn@Yahoo.com) if you have questions or need additional information.

Summer Sunday Mornings at Calvary Moravian

9:45 AM	Friendship Adult Class — 1st Floor Diener Room
10:30 AM	Nursery for Infants through Pre-K
11AM	Worship

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CHURCH OFFICE HOURS

Monday-Thursday 8 AM-4 PM

Lunch Hour: 12:30-1:30 PM

Closed on Fridays

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