

**HYMNS**  
**9:15 AM TRADITIONAL WORSHIP SERVICE**  
**10/27/24**

**GATHERING HYMN**  
*The Church's One Foundation*  
**#654**

The church's one foundation  
is Jesus Christ, her Lord;  
she is his new creation  
by water and the word.  
From heav'n he came and sought her  
to be his holy bride;  
with his own blood he bought her,  
and for her life he died.

Elect from ev'ry nation,  
yet one o'er all the earth,  
her charter of salvation  
one Lord, one faith, one birth:  
one holy name she blesses,  
partakes one holy food,  
and to one hope she presses,  
with ev'ry grace endued.

Though with a scornful wonder  
this world sees her oppressed,  
by schisms rent asunder,  
by heresies distressed,  
yet saints their watch are keeping;  
their cry goes up: "How long?"  
And soon the night of weeping  
shall be the morn of song.

Through toil and tribulation  
and tumult of her war,  
she waits the consummation  
of peace forevermore;  
till with the vision glorious  
her longing eyes are blest,  
and the great church victorious  
shall be the church at rest.

Yet she on earth has union  
with God, the Three in One,  
and mystic sweet communion  
with those whose rest is won.  
Oh, blessed heav'nly chorus!  
Lord, save us by your grace,  
that we, like saints before us,  
may see you face to face.

Text: Samuel J. Stone, 1839-1900

**KYRIE**  
**#157**

In peace, in peace, let us pray to the Lord.  
ALL: Lord, have mercy. Christ, have mercy.  
Lord, have mercy.

For the reign of God, and for peace throughout the world,  
for the unity of all, let us pray to the Lord.  
ALL: Lord, have mercy. Christ, have mercy.  
Lord, have mercy.  
For your people here who have come to give you praise,  
for the strength to live your word, let us pray to the Lord.

ALL: Lord, have mercy. Christ, have mercy.  
Lord, have mercy.

Help, save, and defend us, O God.  
ALL: Amen.

**SONG OF PRAISE**  
***Now the Feast***  
**#167**

Refrain

Now the feast and celebration,  
all of creation sings for joy  
to the God of life and love and freedom;  
praise and glory forevermore!

- 1 Now is the feast of the Lamb once slain,  
whose blood has freed and united us  
to be one great people of God. *Refrain*
- 2 Power and riches, wisdom and might,  
all honor and glory to Christ forever. *Refrain*
- 3 For God has come to dwell with us,  
to make us people of God;  
to make all things new. *Refrain*

**HYMN OF THE DAY**  
***Lord Christ, When First You Came to Earth***  
**#727**

- 1 Lord Christ, when first you came to earth,  
upon a cross they bound you,  
and mocked your saving kingship's worth  
by thorns with which they crowned you.  
And still our wrongs may fashion now  
new thorns to pierce that steady brow,  
and robe of sorrow round you.
- 2 O awesome Love, which finds no room  
in life where sin denies you,  
and, doomed to death, shall bring to doom  
the pow'r that crucifies you,  
till not a stone is left on stone,  
and then the nations' pride, o'erthrown,  
will nevermore defy you!
- 3 New advent of the love of Christ,  
will we again refuse you,  
till in the night of hate and war  
we perish as we lose you?  
From ancient doubts our minds release  
to seek the kingdom of your peace,  
by which alone we choose you.
- 4 O wounded hands of Jesus, build  
in us your new creation;  
our pride is dust, our vaunt is stilled;  
we wait your revelation.

O Love that triumphs over loss,  
we bring our hearts before your cross;  
come, finish your salvation.

Text: W. Russell Bowie, 1882-1969, alt.

**SANCTUS (HOLY)**  
**#191**

ALL: Holy, holy, holy are you,  
God of power and might;  
Heaven and earth are filled with your glory. Hosanna in the highest!

ALL: Blessed is the One who comes in your name. Hosanna in the highest, hosanna in the highest!

**LAMB OF GOD**

ALL: Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us, mercy on us, mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you break the chains of hatred and fear: have mercy on us, mercy on us, mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you are the way of justice and peace: have mercy on us, mercy on us, mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you are the way of mercy and love: have mercy on us, mercy on us, mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world: grant us peace, grant us peace, grant us peace.

**COMMUNION MUSIC**  
***My Vision, My Shepherd***  
**Philip Kern**  
**Choir**

**SENDING HYMN**  
***A Mighty Fortress is Our God***  
**#504**

- 1 A mighty fortress is our God,  
a sword and shield victorious;  
he breaks the cruel oppressor's rod  
and wins salvation glorious.  
The old satanic foe  
has sworn to work us woe!  
With craft and dreadful might  
he arms himself to fight.  
On earth he has no equal.
  
- 2 No strength of ours can match his might!  
We would be lost, rejected.  
But now a champion comes to fight,  
whom God himself elected.  
You ask who this may be?  
The Lord of hosts is he!  
Christ Jesus, mighty Lord,  
God's only Son, adored.  
He holds the field victorious.
  
- 3 Though hordes of devils fill the land  
all threat'ning to devour us,  
we tremble not, unmoved we stand;  
they cannot overpower us.  
Let this world's tyrant rage;  
in battle we'll engage!  
His might is doomed to fail;  
God's judgment must prevail!  
One little word subdues him.
  
- 4 God's Word forever shall abide,  
no thanks to foes, who fear it;  
for God himself fights by our side  
with weapons of the Spirit.  
Were they to take our house,  
goods, honor, child, or spouse,  
though life be wrenched away,  
they cannot win the day.

**The kingdom's ours forever!**

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