

The Morning Worship

Liturgists
9:00am – *Pastor MacLean*
10:00am – *Pastor Kalland*
11:00am – *Pastor Cornils*
12noon – *Pastor Enoch*

The Prelude *O God Beyond All Praising* - - - - Charles Callahan

The Processional Hymn - - - - - **842:1, 2, 3, 5**
(Please stand as you are able as the pastors enter the Chancel)

Oh, worship the King, all-glorious above.
Oh, gratefully sing God’s power and love;
our shield and defender, the Ancient of Days,
pavilioned in splendor, and girded with praise.

The earth with its store of wonders untold,
Almighty, your pow’r has founded of old;
established it fast by a changeless decree,
and round it has cast, like a mantle, the sea.

Your bountiful care what tongue can recite?
It breathes in the air, it shines in the light,
it streams from the hills, it descends to the plain,
and sweetly distills in the dew and the rain.

O measureless might, ineffable love,
while angels delight to hymn you above,
the humbler creation, though feeble their lays,
with true adoration shall sing to your praise.

The Invocation

Pastor: In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.
Congregation: Amen. *(Please sing)*

The Confession of Sins and Assurance of Forgiveness

Pastor: Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known,
and from whom no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts
by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you
and worthily magnify your holy name, through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Congregation: Amen. *(Please sing)*

Pastor: If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is
not in us. But if we confess our sins, God who is faithful and just will
forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

Congregation: Most merciful God, we confess that we are in bondage
to sin and cannot free ourselves. We have sinned against you in
thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have
left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have
not loved our neighbors as ourselves. For the sake of your Son, Jesus
Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we
may delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the glory of your
holy name. **Amen.** *(Please sing)*

Pastor: In the mercy of almighty God, Jesus Christ was given to die
for you, and for his sake God forgives you all your sins. To those who
believe in Jesus Christ he gives the power to become the children of
God and bestows on them the Holy Spirit.

Congregation: Amen. *(Please sing)*

The Hymn of Praise - - - - - 853:1

When morning gilds the skies,
my heart awaking cries:
may Jesus Christ be praised!
When evening shadows fall,
this rings my curfew call:
may Jesus Christ be praised!

The Salutation and Prayer of the Day

Pastor: The Lord be with you.

Congregation: And also with you. *(Please sing)*

Pastor and Congregation: Lord God, your lovingkindness always
goes before us and follows after us. Summon us into your light, and
direct our steps in the ways of goodness that come through the cross
of your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Amen. *(Please sing)*

(Please be seated)

The Lesson - - - - - Genesis 1:1-3 (page 1)

*This first creation story reached its current form during the crisis of the Babylonian
exile of the people of Israel. God, not their captors’ god, Marduk, was responsible
for their existence. God created women and men as rulers over creation, to preserve
and protect it. God also rested on the seventh day, hallowing that day forever as the
sabbath.*

The Gradual Hymn - - - - - 886:1, 6

Oh, for a thousand tongues to sing
my great Redeemer’s praise,
the glories of my God and King,
the triumphs of his grace!

To God all glory, praise, and love
be now and ever giv’n
by saints below and saints above,
the church in earth and heav’n.

(Before the reading, please stand as you are able and sing)

Glory to you, O Lord.

The Gospel - - - - - Matthew 4:18-22 (page 785)

*Jesus begins his public ministry shortly after John the Baptist is imprisoned by
Herod. He proclaims the nearness of God’s reign and calls four fishermen to be his
first disciples.*

(After the reading, please sing)

Praise to you, O Christ.

The Profession of Faith - The Apostles’ Creed

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 into hell. 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 catholic Church, the communion
of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the
life everlasting. Amen.

(Please be seated)

The Anthem

9:00 and 10:00 — *Canon-* - - - - Joseph Pachelbel
Joyful Noise!

11:00 and 12:00 — *Let Thy Holy Presence-* - - - Pavel Tchesnokoff
Senior Choir

The Welcome

The Offertory

9:00 and 10:00 — *Seek Ye First* - - - - - arr. Wagner
Cathedral Choir

11:00 and 12:00 — *God So Loved the World* - - - - - John Stainer
Senior Choir

