

**We allow differences to divide us and lead to brokenness.
Holy God, forgive us.
Restore in us, and in our life together,
the divine image you intend.
Make us tender in mutuality.
Make us generous in equality.
Make us grateful in diversity.
We pray to be one with you and one another,
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**
(Time of silent reflection)

Friends, we are still standing in the grace of Christ.
Because God's love has been poured into our hearts
through the Holy Spirit,
we are set free to love God and neighbor,
and to work for the reconciliation of the world.

**We have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ.
Thanks be to God!**

***THE PEACE**

Since God has forgiven us in Christ, let us forgive one another.
The peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.
And also with you.

***SONG OF RESPONSE**

Glory Be to the Father

Hymnal, No. 581

TIME WITH YOUNG DISCIPLES

PROCLAIMING THE WORD

PRAYER FOR UNDERSTANDING

Alice Lanning

SCRIPTURE READING

Proverbs 8:1-4, 22-31

The Word of the Lord

Thanks be to God.

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RESPONSIVE PSALM

Psalm 8

O Lord, our Sovereign, how majestic is your name in all the earth! You have set your glory above the heavens.

Out of the mouths of babes and infants you have founded a bulwark because of your foes, to silence the enemy and the avenger.

When I look at your heavens, the work of your fingers, the moon and the stars that you have established;

what are human beings that you are mindful of them, mortals that you care for them?

Yet you have made them a little lower than God, and crowned them with glory and honor.

You have given them dominion over the works of your hands; you have put all things under their feet,

all sheep and oxen, and also the beasts of the field,

the birds of the air, and the fish of the sea, whatever passes along the paths of the seas.

O Lord, our Sovereign, how majestic is your name in all the earth!

SCRIPTURE READING

Romans 5:1-5

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The Word of the Lord

Thanks be to God.

MESSAGE

Participation in Christ

Samuel McCann

*SONG OF FAITH

My Hope is Built on Nothing Less

Hymnal, No. 353

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

**Jesus Christ is God with humankind.
He is the eternal Son of the Father,
who became human and lived among us
to fulfill the work of reconciliation.
He is present in the church
by the power of the Holy Spirit
to continue and complete his mission.
This work of God,
the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit,
is the foundation of all confessional statements
about God, humanity, and the world.
Therefore, the church calls all people
to be reconciled to God and to one another.**

Adapted from the Confession of 1967, 9.07

SHARING OF JOYS AND CONCERNS and PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

Response... In your love and mercy, **hear our prayer.**

The Lord's Prayer

Hymnal, p. 35

THE OFFERING

OFFERTORY

Touch the Earth Lightly

*DOXOLOGY

Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow

Hymnal, No. 606

*DEDICATION PRAYER

FOLLOWING THE WORD INTO THE WORLD

*SENDING SONG

Take Thou Out Minds, Dear Lord

Hymnal, No. 707

*BLESSING AND CHARGE

*POSTLUDE

Send Me, Jesus

*Please rise in body or spirit.

We invite anyone who wishes to consider membership in this church to contact the pastor or a member of the session. You may also indicate interest in membership by checking the appropriate column in the ritual of friendship booklet. Membership in this church is a step made by profession of faith, reaffirmation of faith or transfer of church letter.

Lectionary Readings for June 12: Proverbs 8:1-4, 22-31 and Psalm 8; Romans 5:1-5; John 16:12-15

The Food & Shelter item of the month for **June is pasta and pasta sauce**. Please place your donations in the box by the church information table.

Hearing-assistance devices and **large print hymnals** are available from the head usher.

It's back to camp week! Our youth are leaving Sunday, June 12 for camp at Ferncliff Camp and Conference Center in Little Rock, Arkansas, returning on Friday, June 17. Thanks in part goes to the donors to Memorial's Camp and Conference fund. Please pray for Tony, Reina, Ryan, Arabella, Odette, Abigail, Faith, Blessing and Prosper this week.

1 Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty!

Descant

4 Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly!

1 Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! Lord God Al - mighty!
2 Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! all the saints a - dore thee,
3 Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! though the dark - ness hide thee,
4 Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! Lord God Al - mighty!

The first system of the musical score consists of three staves. The top staff is a vocal line in treble clef with a key signature of two sharps (D major) and a 4/4 time signature. It begins with a descant marked '4 Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly!' and features a long, sweeping melodic line. The middle staff is a piano accompaniment in treble clef, providing harmonic support with chords and moving lines. The bottom staff is a piano accompaniment in bass clef, featuring a steady bass line with chords. The lyrics are printed below the middle staff, with four numbered lines of text.

ho - ly,

Ear - ly in the morn - ing our song shall rise to thee.
cast - ing down their gold - en crowns a - round the glass - y sea;
though the eye of sin - ful - ness thy glo - ry may not see,
All thy works shall praise thy name, in earth and sky and sea.

The second system of the musical score also consists of three staves. The top staff continues the vocal line from the first system, with the lyrics 'ho - ly,'. The middle staff continues the piano accompaniment in treble clef. The bottom staff continues the piano accompaniment in bass clef. The lyrics for this system are printed below the middle staff, including a four-line stanza.

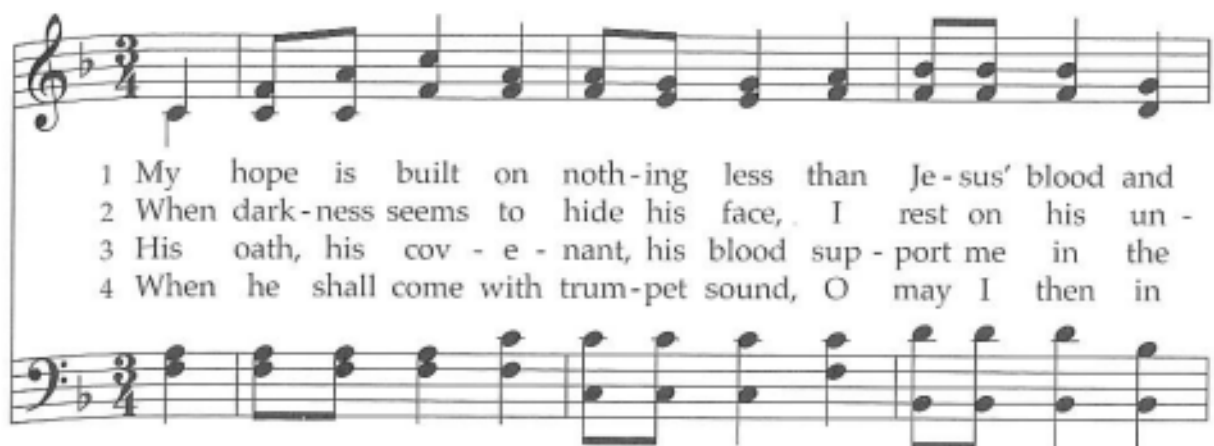
ho - ly,

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! mer - ci - ful and might - y!
 cher - u - bim and ser - a - phim fall - ing down be - fore thee,
 on - ly thou art ho - ly; there is none be - side thee,
 Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! mer - ci - ful and might - y!

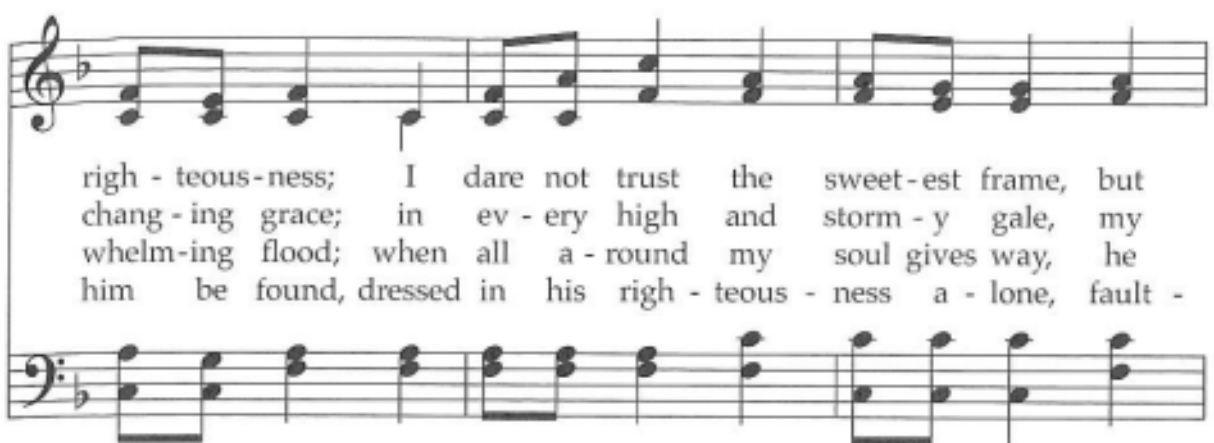
God in three per - sons, bless - ed Trin - i - ty.

God in three per - sons, bless - ed Trin - i - ty!
 who wert, and art, and ev - er - more shalt be.
 per - fect in power, in love and pu - ri - ty.
 God in three per - sons, bless - ed Trin - i - ty!

My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less 353



1 My hope is built on noth-ing less than Je - sus' blood and
2 When dark-ness seems to hide his face, I rest on his un -
3 His oath, his cov - e - nant, his blood sup - port me in the
4 When he shall come with trum-pet sound, O may I then in



right - teous-ness; I dare not trust the sweet-est frame, but
chang - ing grace; in ev - ery high and storm - y gale, my
whelm-ing flood; when all a - round my soul gives way, he
him be found, dressed in his right - teous - ness a - lone, fault -

Refrain



whol-ly lean on Je - sus' name.
an - chor holds with - in the veil. On Christ, the sol - id Rock, I stand; all
then is all my hope and stay.
less to stand be - fore the throne.



oth-er ground is sink-ing sand; all oth - er ground is sink-ing sand.

707 Take Thou Our Minds, Dear Lord



1 Take thou our minds, dear Lord, we hum - bly pray;
2 Take thou our hearts, O Christ; they are thine own;
3 Take thou our wills, Most High! Hold thou full sway;
4 Take thou our - selves, O Lord, heart, mind, and will;



give us the mind of Christ each pass - ing day;
come thou with - in our souls and claim thy throne;
have in our in - most souls thy per - fect way;
through our sur - ren - dered souls thy plans ful - fill.



teach us to know the truth that sets us free;
help us to shed a - broad thy death - less love;
guard thou each sa - cred hour from self - ish ease;
We yield our - selves to thee: time, tal - ents, all;



grant us in all our thoughts to hon - or thee.
use us to make the earth like heaven a - bove.
guide thou our or - dered lives as thou dost please.
we hear, and hence - forth heed, thy sov - ereign call.

