

Sunday 17th November, 2024
The Twenty-Sixth Sunday after Pentecost
The Ordination and Admission of Elders
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Members of the congregation who are able to stand are invited to do so as the Bible is brought in and taken out of the Church.

Intimations
Introit
Call to Worship

Hymn 503 I will offer up my life in spirit and truth

1 I will offer up my life
In spirit and truth,
Pouring out the oil of love
As my worship to You.
In surrender I must give my every part;
Lord, receive the sacrifice
Of a broken heart.
*Jesus, what can I give, what can I bring
To so faithful a friend, to so loving a King?
Saviour, what can be said, what can be sung
As a praise of Your name
For the things You have done?
Oh, my words could not tell, not even in part,
Of the debt of love that is owed by this thankful heart.*

2 You deserve my every breath
For You've paid the great cost;
Giving up Your life to death,
Even death on a cross.
You took all my shame away,
There defeated my sin,
Opened up the gates of heaven,
And have beckoned me in.
Refrain

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Call to Prayer
Prayers of Approach and Confession
Children's Address

Hymn 481 Jesus is the name we honour

1 Jesus is the name we honour;
Jesus is the name we praise.
Majestic name above all other names,
the highest Heaven and Earth proclaim
that Jesus is our God.
*We will glorify, we will lift him high,
we will give him honour and praise,
we will glorify, we will lift him high,
we will give him honour and praise.*

2 Jesus is the name we worship;
Jesus is the name we trust.
He is the King above all other kings,
let all creation stand and sing
that Jesus is our God.
We will glorify...

3 Jesus is the Father's splendour;
Jesus is the Father's joy.
He will return to reign in majesty,
and every eye at last will see
that Jesus is our God.
We will glorify...

Hebrews , Chapter 10, verses 11-14, 19-25

Hymn 9 O God, my refuge, keep me safe: (Psalm 16)

1 O God, my refuge, keep me safe:
On you my good depends;
O LORD, you are my Lord alone,
Your saints my choicest friends.

- 2 Whoever turns to other gods
 Will find remorse and shame;
 To them I make no sacrifice,
 Nor will I speak their name.
- 3 The LORD is my inheritance,
 A prize beyond compare;
 His word instructs me day and night,
 His own beloved heir.
- 4 At all times I have set the LORD
 Before my face to stand;
 No trial, no pain can shake my hope
 With him at my right hand.
- 5 My heart and soul rejoice in you
 And in your power to save:
 You will not leave your Holy One
 To perish in the grave.
- 6 You lead me to the path of life,
 Before your face to stand
 And drink my fill of endless joys
 That flow at your right hand.

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St. Mark, Chapter 13, verses 1-8

The Anthem

Sermon

The Apostles' Creed (Hymn 628)

The Offering (& Sung Doxology: Hymn 807)

Prayers of Intercession

Hymn 678 Here is the place, now is the time,

- 1 Here is the place,
 now is the time:
 an inner voice
 has bid me come -
 here in the company where Christ is known
 he claims my life,
 he speaks my name.
- 2 Here I declare
 a seed of faith,
 a will to learn,
 a gleam of truth,
 and ask for singleness of heart to speak
 what God has put
 into my mouth.
- 3 I seek the real
 and face the cost,
 I give away
 my lack of trust,
 in joyful hope I take the Spirit's lead -
 I go with all
 who follow Christ.

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 The Lord's Prayer

Hymn 192 All my hope on God is founded;

- 1 All my hope on God is founded;
 all my trust he will renew;
 safe through change and chance he guides me,
 only good and only true:
 God unknown,
 he alone
 calls my heart to be his own.

- 2 Human pride and earthly glory,
sword and crown betray God's trust;
though with care and toil we build them,
tower and temple fall to dust.
But God's power,
hour by hour,
is my temple and my tower.
- 3 God's great goodness lasts for ever,
deep his wisdom, passing thought;
splendour, light and life attend him,
beauty springing out of naught.
Evermore
from his store
new-born worlds rise and adore.
- 4 Day by day the mighty Giver
showers gifts on us below;
his desire our souls delight in,
pleasure leads us where we go.
See love stand
at his hand,
joy awaits at his command!
- 5 Still from earth to God in heaven
sacrifice of praise be done,
high above all praises praising
for the gift of Christ his Son.
Hear Christ call
one and all:
those who follow shall not fall.

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Benediction

Choral Amen