



19th Sunday After Pentecost
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Gathering

Music to Prepare Us For Worship

GATHERING SONG – “All Are Welcome”

ALL ARE WELCOME

Hans Peterson
Larry Olson

All are wel - come, friend and stran - ger, at the ban - quet
of the Sav - ior. All are wel - come. All are wel - come
here.
From the wo - man who comes cry - ing,
From the ones to who feel for - got - ten,
Go in - to the streets and cit - ies,
leav - ing tears at Je - sus feet, to the man who
those who sense their place is gone, to the ones who
to the farms and fam - i - lies, tell a - bout the
knows the right way but can - not see.
live in hun - ger, here you be - long.
splen - did ta - ble, God's mer - cy.

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Welcome

Wherever you are on your journey of faith, we believe God meets you right where you are, and you are welcome here.

Greeting

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the community of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

And also with you.

Prayer of the Day

God of Justice,

**we know that in this hard world there are judges
that neither fear God nor respect their fellow people.**

**But you call us to remember
the woman who gave one a hard time,
crying out to him day and night, until he changed his mind -
her sheer stubbornness.**

**And we celebrate all those, women and men,
who persist in the cause of right;
who will not keep quiet;
who insist on raising the issues, again and again;
who campaign for unpopular causes,
write letters, send emails, sign petitions:
people round the world
who pick up their pens or take to the streets -
and young girls determined to go to school.**

**We celebrate them: steadfast, down-to-earth,
blessed with both stubbornness and courage,
to change the world. Amen.**

~ written by Jan Sutch Pickard, and posted on the Monthly Prayers page of the **Christian Aid** website. <http://www.christianaid.org.uk/>

No Longer Strangers Prayer

Creator God, **You created all of creation in your image. Help us to see you in everyone we meet: the stranger, the outcast, the enemy, so that we may learn to love in new ways. Amen.**

Greet Someone New

Music to bring us back together: (Chorus of "All Are Welcome")

Children's Time

The Word

(Reader): *Our story and God's story continues today with a reading from the Gospel of Luke 18:1-8.*

OPEN MY HEART TO YOUR LOVE Hans Peterson

Swing eighth notes

O - pen my heart to your love, oh God. O - pen my eyes to your
Hea - ler of na - tions and bro - ken hearts, you are the path-way to
O - pen my heart to your love, oh God. O - pen my eyes to your

grace. O - pen my life to re - ceive your word. Send
peace. Sing - er of life in the face of death, may
grace. O - pen my life to re - ceive your word. Send

wis - dom and cour - age to fol - low your way.
we be your ves - sels so love will in - crease.
cour-dom and cour - age to fol - low your way.

**Consider singing verse one by itself as a refrain between scripture readings.*

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(Reader): *Jesus was telling them a parable about their need to pray continuously and not to be discouraged. He said, "In a certain city there was a judge who neither feared God nor respected people. In that city there was a widow who kept coming to him, asking,*

(ALL): 'Give me justice in this case against my adversary.'

(Reader): *For a while he refused but finally said to himself, I don't fear God or respect people, but I will give this widow justice because she keeps bothering me. Otherwise, there will be no end to her coming here and embarrassing me." The Lord said, "Listen to what the unjust judge says.*

(ALL): Won't God provide justice to his chosen people who cry out to him day and night?

(Reader): *Will he be slow to help them? I tell you, he will give them justice quickly. But when the Human One comes, will he find faithfulness on earth?"*

(Reader): *Stay tuned for the continuing saga that is our story and God's story*

(ALL): Thanks be to God.

SERMON - Pastor Hans Peterson

SONG OF THE DAY - "Dream God's Dream"

DREAM GOD'S DREAM

Bryan Sirchio

D Em7 D/F#

Dream God's dream. Hol - y Spir - it help us

G Bm F#m7

dream of a world where there is jus - tice and where

G Asus4 A D/F#

ev - 'ry - one is free to build and grow and

G Bm A G

love and to sim - ply have e - nough. The

D/F# Em7 D/A A D

world will change when we dream God's dream.

C G D C

I'm dream - ing of of a world where the col - or
I'm dream - ing of of the call God is of - fer -
I'm dream - ing of of the way that I want my

D C

of one's skin will mean less than what's with -
ing to me, how to use my en - er -
life to go. I've got hopes and I've got

in that per-son's heart. A
 gy and my best gifts. To
 goals I'd like to meet. I'll

world where wa - ter's clean, and where air is
 do the high work of Christ, to say God please
 reach for the stars, but I won't for -

safe to breathe and ev - 'ry child born
 use my life to spread your heal - ing love
 get the scars of Christ who died to show

has e - nough to your eat.
 and to live for your truth.
 that the dream's for all.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE *God, who is mercy: Hear our prayer.*

OFFERING

OFFERING SONG "We are an Offering"

We Are An Offering

Words and Music by
Dwight Liles

CHORUS 1

We lift our voices, we lift our hands, we lift our lives up to You, we are an

of-fer-ing. Lord, use our voices, Lord, use our hands, Lord, use our

lives, they are Yours, we are an of-fer-ing. we are an of-fer-ing.

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The Feast

Setting the Table *the children lead us as we sing together:*

**Hark to the chimes, come bow your heads, Lord we thank you
for Daily Bread (for daily bread) (2X)
Amen, Amen.....**

Thanksgiving at the Table

L: The Lord be with you. All: And al - so with you. L: Lift up your hearts. All: We lift them to the Lord. L: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. All: It is right to give our thanks and praise.

1. Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow'r and might.

2. Heav'n and earth are full of your glo - ry, Ho-san - na in the high - est

3. Bless'd is he who comes in the name of the Lord

As we gather in this place, we remember, that in the night when Jesus was betrayed by his best friends, he took bread. He blessed it and broke it and gave it to these same friends saying, "Take and eat. This is my body given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper he took the cup, blessed it and gave it for all to drink saying, "This is the new covenant, the new promise, for the forgiveness of sins. Do this for the remembrance of me." Lord, remember us in your kingdom and teach us to pray:

The Lord's Prayer

We pray our common prayer that Christ taught us.

**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,
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.**

This is Christ's table. It's a table of love and welcome. It's a table of fellowship with the poor and communion with the earth.

So, come, those of you with great faith and those of you who wish you had more. Come, those of you who have tried to follow Jesus and those of you who have failed. Come, those of you who depend on this meal for your lives, and those of you for whom it is a strange thing.

These are the gifts of God for the people of God.

Communion Songs - "Jesus Loves Me!" "Just As I am, without One Plea"

Jesus Loves Me!

1 Je - sus loves me! this I know, for the Bi - ble tells me so;
2 Je - sus loves me! he who died heav - en's gates to o - pen wide;
3 Je - sus loves me! he will stay close be - side me all the way;

The first system of the song features a treble and bass staff in G major (one sharp). The melody is in the treble staff, and the accompaniment is in the bass staff. The lyrics are written below the staffs.

lit - tle ones to him be - long, they are weak, but he is strong.
he will wash a - way my sin, let his lit - tle child come in.
when at last I come to die, he will take me home on high.

The second system continues the melody and accompaniment. The lyrics are written below the staffs.

Refrain

Yes, Je - sus loves me, yes, Je - sus loves me,

The third system is the beginning of the refrain. It features a treble and bass staff in G major. The melody is in the treble staff, and the accompaniment is in the bass staff. The lyrics are written below the staffs.

yes, Je - sus loves me, the Bi - ble tells me so.

The fourth system concludes the refrain. It features a treble and bass staff in G major. The melody is in the treble staff, and the accompaniment is in the bass staff. The lyrics are written below the staffs.

Just As I Am, without One Plea

1 Just as I am, with - out one plea, but that thy blood was
 2 Just as I am, though tossed a - bout with man - y a con - flict,
 3 Just as I am, thou wilt re - ceive, wilt wel - come, par - don,
 4 Just as I am; thy love un - known has bro - ken ev - 'ry

shed for me, and that thou bidd'st me come to thee,
 man - y a doubt, fight - ings and fears with - in, with - out,
 cleanse, re - lieve; be - cause thy prom - ise I be - lieve,
 bar - rier down; now to be thine, yea, thine a - lone,

O Lamb of God, I come, I come.

Text: Charlotte Elliott, 1789–1871

Music: WOODWORTH, William B. Bradbury, 1816–1868

Blessing after Communion

Now may the body and blood of our Lord, Jesus Christ,
strengthen you and keep you in his peace. **Amen.**

Prayer after Communion

God of the abundant table,
you have refreshed our hearts in this meal
with bread for the journey.
Give us your grace on the road
that we might serve our neighbors with joy;
for the sake of Jesus Christ, our Lord.
Amen.

The Sending

Why does our church exist? What is our purpose?
We go out to transform lives through Jesus Christ.

Purpose Sightings

MILESTONES! Sing Chorus of "Born-ing Cry"

It's time for sharing milestones - a time where we join together as a community to share the big, small, good, and hard milestones in our life.

4 "I was there to hear your born-ing cry, I'll be there when you are old.

I re - joiced the day you were bap - tized to see your life un - fold."

The image shows two staves of musical notation in G major (one sharp). The first staff contains the melody for the first line of the chorus, and the second staff contains the melody for the second line. The lyrics are written below each staff. The first staff begins with a '4' indicating a four-measure phrase. The music consists of eighth and quarter notes, with a final half note in each line.

Text: John C. Ylvisaker, b. 1937
Music: WATERLIFE, John C. Ylvisaker
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Blessing

God, who gives life to all things
and frees us from despair,
bless you with truth and peace.
And may the holy Trinity, ✚ one God,
guide you always in faith, hope, and love.

Amen.

SENDING SONG: "Lord I Lift Your Name on High"

Lord I Lift Your Name On High

Words and Music by
Rick Founds

$\text{♩} = 86$ **VERSE**

G C/G D/G C/G G C/G

Lord, I lift Your name _ on high; Lord, I love to sing _ Your

4 D/G C/G G C/G D/G C/G

prais - es. _ I'm so glad You're in _ my life;

CHORUS

7 G C/G D D^{sus} D C G C

I'm so glad You came _ to save _ us. _ You came from heav - en to earth .

10 D C/D G C D C

_ to show the way, _ from the earth _ to the cross _ my debt to pay; .

13 G C D Em⁷

_ From the cross _ to the grave, _ from the grave _ to the sky; .

15 Am⁷ D G

_ Lord, I lift Your name _ on high.

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Dismissal

Go in peace, with Christ beside you.

Thanks be to God.

Music to Send You Out

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