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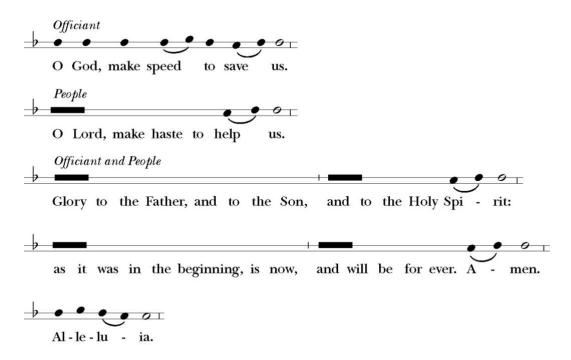
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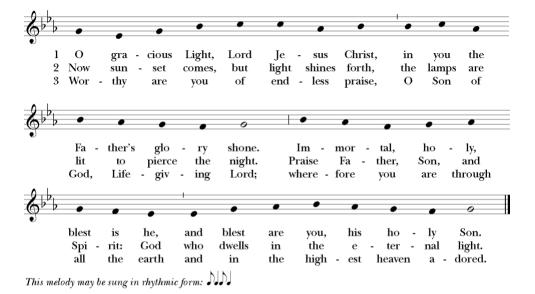
The Procession

The Invitatory, S26 (stand)



The Phos hilaron, Hymn 26, O gracious Light

CONDITOR ALME SIDERUM



The Psalm

Psalm 34

Benedicam Dominum

Joseph Harris

Anglican chant composed by Joseph Harris (1743-1814), an English organist and composer. He graduated from the University of Oxford with a Bachelor of Music in 1773, and was hired as organist at St. Martin's Church in Birmingham in 1787.

- 1 I will bless the / LORD at / all times; * his praise shall / ever be / in my / mouth.
- 2 I will / glory in the / LORD; * let the / humble / hear and re / joice.
- 3 Proclaim with me the / greatness of the / LORD; * let us ex / alt his / Name to / gether.
- 4 I sought the / LORD <u>and he</u> / answered me * and delivered me / out of / all my / terror.
- 5 Look upon / him <u>and be</u> / radiant, * and let not your / faces / be a / shamed.
- 6 I called in my affliction and the / **LORD** / heard me * and / saved me from / all my / troubles.
- 7 The angel of the LORD encompasses / those who / fear him, * and / he / will de / liver them.
- 8 Taste and see that the / LORD is / good; * -- / happy are / they who / trust in him!
- 9 Fear the LORD you that / are his / saints, * for / those who / <u>fear him</u> lack / nothing.
- 10 The young lions lack and / suffer / hunger, * but those who seek the LORD lack / nothing / that is / good.
- 11 Come children and / <u>listen</u> to / me; *
 I will / teach you the / fear of the / LORD.

- 12 Who among / you loves / life * and desires long / life to en / joy pros / perity?
- 13 Keep your tongue from / evil / speaking * and your / lips from / lying / words.
- 14 Turn from evil and / **do** / good; * seek / **peace** / and pur / sue it.
- 15 The eyes of the LORD are up / on the / righteous, * and his ears are / open / to their / cry.
- 16 The face of the LORD is against / those who do / evil, * to root out the re / membrance of / them from the / earth.
- 17 The righteous cry and the / **LORD** / hears them * and de / <u>livers them</u> from / all their / troubles.
- 18 The LORD is near to the / broken / hearted * and will save / those whose / spirits are / crushed.
- 19 Many are the / <u>troubles of the</u> / righteous, * but the LORD will de / <u>liver him / out of them / all.</u>
- 20 He will keep safe / all his / bones; * not / one of / them shall be / broken.
- 21 Evil shall / slay the / wicked, * and those who hate the / righteous / will be / punished.
- 22 The LORD ransoms the / <u>life of</u> his / servants, * and / <u>none will</u> be / <u>punished</u> who / trust in him.
- Glory to the Father and / to the / Son, * and / to the / Holy / Spirit:
- As it was in the be / ginning is / now, * and will be for / ever. / A / men.

The First Lesson, Ecclesiasticus 46:11-20

Revised Standard Version

The judges also, with their respective names, those whose hearts did not fall into idolatry and who did not turn away from the Lord— may their memory be blessed! May their bones revive from where they lie, and may the name of those who have been honored live again in their sons! Samuel, beloved by his Lord, a prophet of the Lord, established the kingdom and anointed rulers over his people. By the law of the Lord he judged the congregation, and the Lord watched over Jacob. By his faithfulness he was proved to be a prophet, and by his words he became known as a trustworthy

seer. He called upon the Lord, the Mighty One, when his enemies pressed him on every side, and he offered in sacrifice a sucking lamb. Then the Lord thundered from heaven, and made his voice heard with a mighty sound; and he wiped out the leaders of the people of Tyre and all the rulers of the Philistines. Before the time of his eternal sleep, Samuel called men to witness before the Lord and his anointed: "I have not taken any one's property, not so much as a pair of shoes." And no man accused him. Even after he had fallen asleep he prophesied and revealed to the king his death, and lifted up his voice out of the earth in prophecy, to blot out the wickedness of the people.

Lector The Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

The Song of Mary

Magnificat in Bb Major

Charles Villiers Stanford

My soul doth magnify the Lord, and my spirit hath rejoiced in God my Savior. For he hath regarded the lowliness of his handmaiden. For behold from henceforth all generations shall call me blessed. For he that is mighty hath magnified me, and holy is his Name. And his mercy is on them that fear him throughout all generations. He hath showed strength with his arm; he hath scattered the proud in the imagination of their hearts. He hath put down the mighty from their seat, and hath exalted the humble and meek. He hath filled the hungry with good things, and the rich he hath sent empty away. He remembering his mercy hath holpen his servant Israel, as he promised to our forefathers, Abraham and his seed for ever.

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost: as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

Music composed by the Irishman Charles Wood (1866-1926), who studied composition with Charles Villiers Stanford at the Royal College of Music in London, and was Professor of Music at the University of Cambridge.

The Second Lesson, Matthew 18:1-14

Revised Standard Version

The disciples came to Jesus, saying, "Who is the greatest in the kingdom of heaven?" And calling to him a child, he put him in the midst of them, and said, "Truly, I say to you, unless you turn and become like children, you will never enter the kingdom of heaven. Whoever humbles himself like this child, he is the greatest in the kingdom of heaven. Whoever receives one such child in my name receives me; but whoever causes one of these little ones who believe in me to sin, it would be better for him to have a great millstone fastened round his neck and to be drowned in the depth of the sea. Woe to the world for temptations to sin! For it is necessary that temptations come, but woe to the man by whom the temptation comes! And if your hand or your foot causes you to sin, cut it off and throw it away; it is better for you to enter life maimed or lame than with two hands or two feet to be thrown into the eternal fire. And if your eye causes you to sin, pluck it out and throw it away; it is better for you to enter life with one eye than with two eyes to be thrown into the hell of fire. See that you do not despise one of these little ones; for I tell you that in heaven their angels always behold the face of my Father who is in heaven. What do you think? If a man has a hundred sheep, and one of them has gone astray, does he not leave the ninety-nine on the mountains and go in search of the one that went astray? And if he finds it, truly, I say to you, he rejoices over it more than over the ninety-nine that never went astray. So it is not the will of my Father who is in heaven that one of these little ones should perish."

Lector The Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

The Song of Simeon

Nunc Dimittis in Bb Major

Charles Villiers Stanford

Lord, now lettest thou thy servant depart in peace, according to thy word; for mine eyes have seen thy salvation, which thou hast prepared before the face of all people, to be a light to lighten the Gentiles, and to be the glory of thy people Israel.

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost: as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

The Apostles' Creed (sung on tone)

Officiant I believe in God,

All the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth

And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord;

who was conceived by the Holy Ghost,

born of the Virgin Mary,

suffered under Pontius Pilate,

was crucified, dead, and buried.

He descended into hell.

The third day he rose again from the dead.

He ascended into heaven,

and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father almighty.

From thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Ghost,

the holy catholic Church,

the communion of saints,

the forgiveness of sins,

the resurrection of the body,

and the life everlasting. Amen.

Officiant The Lord be with you.

All And with thy spirit.

Officiant Let us pray.

The Our Father (kneel)

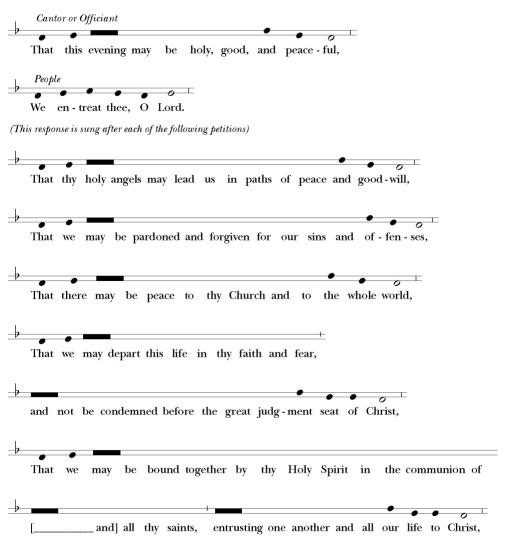
Officiant Our Father,

All who art in heaven,
hallow'd 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,

for ever and ever. Amen.

The Suffrages, S29



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The Collect of the Day

Keep, O Lord, we beseech thee, thy household the Church in thy steadfast faith and love, that by the help of thy grace we may proclaim thy truth with boldness, and minister thy justice with compassion; for the sake of our Savior Jesus Christ, who liveth and reigneth with thee and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. *Amen*.

The Collect for Sundays

Lord God, whose Son our Savior Jesus Christ triumphed over the powers of death and prepared for us our place in the new Jerusalem: Grant that we, who have this day given thanks for his resurrection, may praise thee in that City of which he is the light; and where he liveth and reigneth for ever and ever. *Amen.*

The Collect for Mission

O God, who dost manifest in thy servants the signs of thy presence: Send forth upon us the Spirit of love, that in companionship with one another thine abounding grace may increase among us; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen*.

The Anthem Victor Michels

Show me your ways, O Lord, and teach me your paths. Lead me in your truth and teach me, for you are the God of my salvation; in you have I trusted all the day long.

Music composed by one of our parishioners, Victor Michels (b. 1948), who began singing as a chorister in the Boy Choir at All Saints' in 1960. He studied composition and music theory at the University of Texas at Austin with Hunter Johnson and Janet McGaughey.

The General Thanksgiving

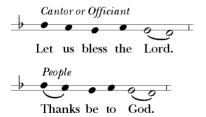
Officiant and People

Almighty God, Father of all mercies,

we thine unworthy servants
do give thee most humble and hearty thanks
for all thy goodness and loving-kindness
to us and to all men.
We bless thee for our creation, preservation,
and all the blessings of this life;
but above all for thine inestimable love
in the redemption of the world by our Lord Jesus Christ;
for the means of grace, and for the hope of glory.
And, we beseech thee,
give us that due sense of all thy mercies,
that our hearts may be unfeignedly thankful;

and that we show forth thy praise, not only with our lips, but in our lives, by giving up our selves to thy service, and by walking before thee in holiness and righteousness all our days; through Jesus Christ our Lord, to whom, with thee and the Holy Ghost, be all honor and glory, world without end. Amen.

The Dismissal, S31



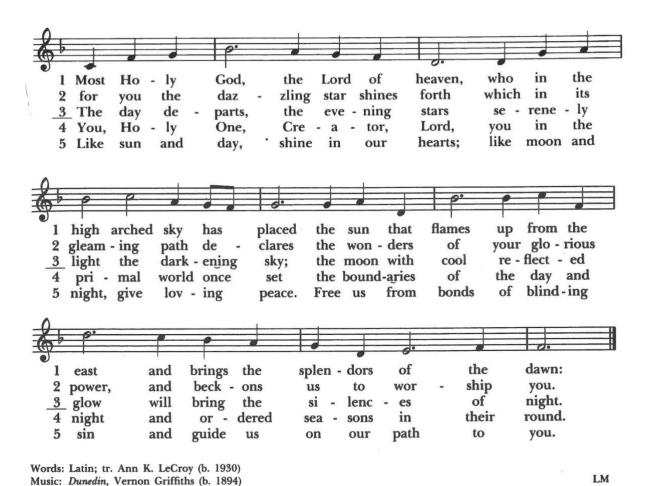
The Grace

Officiant

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Ghost, be with us all evermore. *Amen.*

The Office Hymn, Hymn 31, Most Holy God, the Lord of heaven

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The Procession