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St. John the Evangelist Anglican Church

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Ninth Sunday after Pentecost

10:00am Family Eucharist

Celebrant & Preacher: The Reverend Patrick Blaney

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WELCOME

We are glad you have joined us for worship this morning. There are candles in the Chapel for those who wish to light one and say a prayer at any time before and during the service. We ask that you please turn off all cell phones and pagers. After the service, we invite newcomers (and others!) to visit our Welcome Table downstairs in the Lounge. This is a place where you can learn more about the various activities and groups here at St. John's, find contact information, and find ways to get involved and have fun!

Ministering today at our 10:00 a.m. service:

<i>Celebrant & Preacher:</i>	<i>The Reverend Patrick Blaney</i>
<i>Musician:</i>	<i>Galina Martyniuk, piano and organ</i>
<i>Choir Director:</i>	<i>Christie Smith</i>
<i>Clarinet:</i>	<i>Deborah Foster</i>
<i>Liturgical Deacon:</i>	<i>Kingsley Agyeman</i>
<i>Crucifer & Server:</i>	<i>Hazel Breakey</i>
<i>Readers:</i>	<i>Maria Morellato, Leeann Price</i>
<i>Intercessor/Prayers of the People:</i>	<i>Maria Morellato</i>
<i>Eucharistic Administrators:</i>	<i>Marilyn Chotem, Flo Legebokow, Barbara Tobias, Gillian Lyles</i>
<i>Greeter:</i>	<i>Marilyn Chotem</i>
<i>Outreach:</i>	<i>Joan Hodgson, Allison Mulligan</i>

Flowers in the Sanctuary today are given to the Glory of God from Dorothy Delaney in memory of Captain James Delaney.

Processional Hymn

Come Down, O Love Divine 645

1 Come down, O Love di - vine, seek thou this soul of
2 O let it free - ly burn, till earth - ly pas - sions

mine, and vis - it it with thine own ar - dour glow - ing;
turn to dust and ash - es in its heat con - sum - ing;

O Com - fort - er, draw near, with - in my heart ap -
and let thy glo - rious light shine ev - er on my

pear, and kin - dle it, thy ho - ly flame be - stow - ing.
sight, and clothe me round, the while my path il - lum - ing.

The Gathering of the Community

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

All And also with you.

Celebrant Almighty God,
**All to you all hearts are open,
all desires are known,
and from you no secrets are hidden.
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 Christ our Lord. Amen.**

The Collect

Celebrant O God,
**All the protector of all who trust in you,
without whom nothing is strong, nothing is holy,
increase and multiply upon us your mercy,
that with you as our ruler and guide,
we may so pass through things temporal,
that we lose not the things eternal;
through Jesus Christ our Lord,
who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,
one God, for ever and ever. Amen.**

The Proclamation of the Word

The First Reading: *read by Maria Morellato*
A reading from the Book of Kings.

A man came from Baal-shalishah, bringing food from the first fruits to the man of God: twenty loaves of barley and fresh ears of grain in his sack. Elisha said, 'Give it to the people and let them eat.' But his servant said, 'How can I set this before a hundred people?' So he repeated, 'Give it to the people and let them eat, for thus says the Lord, "They shall eat and have some left." ' He set it before them, they ate, and had some left, according to the word of the Lord.

2 Kings 4: 42-44

Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's people.

All Thanks be to God.

Psalm 145: 10-18

**All your works praise you, O Lord, *
and your faithful servants bless you.
They make known the glory of your kingdom *
and speak of your power;**

**That the peoples may know of your power *
and the glorious splendour of your kingdom.
Your kingdom is an everlasting kingdom; *
your dominion endures throughout all ages.**

**The Lord is faithful in all his words *
and merciful in all his deeds.
The Lord upholds all those who fall; *
he lifts up those who are bowed down.**

**The eyes of all wait upon you, O Lord, *
and you give them their food in due season.
You open wide your hand *
and satisfy the needs of every living creature.**

**The Lord is righteous in all his ways *
and loving in all his works.**

Psalm Prayer

**Almighty God, give us grace to know you more and more, that
knowing we may love and loving we may praise, that the whole
world may hear your name and worship you, through Jesus Christ
our Lord. Amen.**

The Second Reading: read by Leeann Price

A reading from the Letter to the Ephesians.

For this reason I bow my knees before the Father, from whom every family in heaven and on earth takes its name. I pray that, according to the riches of his glory, he may grant that you may be strengthened in your inner being with power through his Spirit, and that Christ may dwell in your hearts through faith, as you are being rooted and grounded in love. I pray that you may have the power to comprehend, with all the saints, what is the breadth and length and height and depth, and to know the love of Christ that surpasses knowledge, so that you may be filled with all the fullness of God.

Now to him who by the power at work within us is able to accomplish abundantly far more than all we can ask or imagine, to him be glory in the church and in Christ Jesus to all generations, for ever and ever. Amen.

Ephesians 3: 14-21

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Gradual Hymn All stand for the Gospel. Before the reading of the Gospel, the first half of the Gradual Hymn is sung.

CHRISTIAN LIFE

Come and Journey with a Saviour 482

1 Come and jour - ney with a Sav - iour who has called us from our birth,
 2 Come and jour - ney, jour - ney in - ward, come and seek him deep with - in,
 3 Come and jour - ney, jour - ney out - ward, tell - ing oth - ers of his name,
 4 Come and jour - ney, jour - ney out - ward, where that cross calls us to care,

who has washed us in the wa - ters, and who loved us on the earth.
 where he meets us in our liv - ing, in our striv - ing and our sin.
 tell - ing oth - ers of his glo - ry, of his cross and of the shame.
 where in - jus - tice and where hun - ger and the poor call us to share.

Refrain

Come and jour - ney, come and jour - ney with a Sav - iour who has come.

We are all God's sons and daugh - ters; in the Spir - it we are one.

The Gospel— Ninth Sunday after Pentecost

All stand for the Gospel. Before the reading of the Gospel, the first half of the Gradual Hymn is sung.

Liturgical Deacon

The Lord be with you.

All

And also with you.

Liturgical Deacon

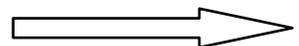
The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John.

All

Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

After this Jesus went to the other side of the Sea of Galilee, also called the Sea of Tiberias. A large crowd kept following him, because they saw the signs that he was doing for the sick. Jesus went up the mountain and sat down there with his disciples. Now the Passover, the festival of the Jews, was near. When he looked up and saw a large crowd coming towards him, Jesus said to Philip, 'Where are we to buy bread for these people to eat?' He said this to test him, for he himself knew what he was going to do. Philip answered him, 'Six months' wages would not buy enough bread for each of them to get a little.' One of his disciples, Andrew, Simon Peter's brother, said to him, 'There is a boy here who has five barley loaves and two fish. But what are they among so many people?' Jesus said, 'Make the people sit down.' Now there was a great deal of grass in the place; so they sat down, about five thousand in all. Then Jesus took the loaves, and when he had given thanks, he distributed them to those who were seated; so also the fish, as much as they wanted. When they were satisfied, he told his disciples, 'Gather up the fragments left over, so that nothing may be lost.' So they gathered them up, and from the fragments of the five barley loaves, left by those who had eaten, they filled twelve baskets. When the people saw the sign that he had done, they began to say, 'This is indeed the prophet who is to come into the world.'

When Jesus realized that they were about to come and take him by force to make him king, he withdrew again to the mountain by himself.



When evening came, his disciples went down to the lake, got into a boat, and started across the lake to Capernaum. It was now dark, and Jesus had not yet come to them. The lake became rough because a strong wind was blowing. When they had rowed about three or four miles, they saw Jesus walking on the lake and coming near the boat, and they were terrified. But he said to them, 'It is I; do not be afraid.' Then they wanted to take him into the boat, and immediately the boat reached the land towards which they were going.

John 6: 1-21

Liturgical Deacon

The Gospel of Christ.

All

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

At the conclusion of the Gospel, the second half of the Gradual Hymn is sung.

Sermon The Reverend Patrick Blaney

Time for Reflection

Creed

Celebrant

Let us confess the faith of the Church, as we say,

All

**I believe in God,
Creator of the universe,
dwelling forever beyond time and space.
I believe in Jesus Christ
who came to live among us
and let us see what God is like.
I believe in the Holy Spirit,
sent from God through Jesus
to be our guide and comforter.
Therefore, I believe in love, in hope,
compassion, joy, and faith,
and forgiveness, and eternal life.**

Frances Somerville

Prayers of the People

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Hear Our Prayer

Hear our prayer. hear our prayer.

Lord, make us whole: peace to all peo - ple,

hope for each soul. God of grace,

in this place, hear now our prayer.

Prayers of the People (cont.)

The Church: Bishop Melissa, Archbishop John, Fred our Primate, and Patrick our Priest. St. Anne, Steveston - The Reverend Brian Vickers.

The Local Community: City & District of North Vancouver, Queen Mary Community School.

The World: *Into the Ordinary (Ann Weems)*

*O Amazing God, you come into our ordinary lives
and set a holy table among us,
filling our plates with the Bread of Life
and our cups with Salvation.
Send us out, O God,
with tenderheartedness
to touch an ordinary everyday world
with the promise of your holiness.*

Those in Need: For those who are sick, hospitalized and in need of our prayers. This week, our prayers are requested especially for these members and friends of our St. John's faith Community: Anna, Berna, Joan T., June, Wendy, Moyra, Bruce & Ann, Gail, Gary D., Frances T., Dianne & James, Connie, Alexandra V, Ingrid, Romilda, Denise, Stan, Luann & George, Barbara, Gordon, George, Camilla, Michele, Rita, Maxene, Elsie, & Howard Ehrlich and loved ones, Barbara and Colin, Yvonne, Howard, and Raf.

The Dearly Departed: Those whom we see no longer, but hold forever in our hearts.

In Thanksgiving: In our cycle of prayer, we pray for these members of our faith community: Melanie St. George, Doreen Stringer, Lois Thiessen, Lillian Thirkell, Christine Thomas, Frances Thomas, Barbara Tobias. Joan Tutty.

Confession and Absolution

Celebrant Dear friends in Christ,
 God is steadfast in love and infinite in mercy;
 God welcomes us
 and invites us to this table.
 Let us confess our sins,
 confident in God's forgiveness.

Silence is kept.

Celebrant Most merciful God,
**All we confess that 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 neighbours as ourselves.
 We are truly sorry and we humbly repent.
 For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ,
 have mercy on us and forgive us,
 that we may delight in your will,
 and walk in your ways,
 to the glory of your name. Amen.**

Celebrant Almighty God have mercy upon you,
 pardon and deliver you from all your sins,
 confirm and strengthen you in all goodness,
 and keep you in eternal life;
 through Jesus Christ our Lord.

All Amen.

Sharing of The Peace

We stand as we are able and greet our neighbours in the peace of Christ.

Celebrant May the peace of Christ always be with you.

All And also with you.

Offertory Hymn

CALL AND VOCATION

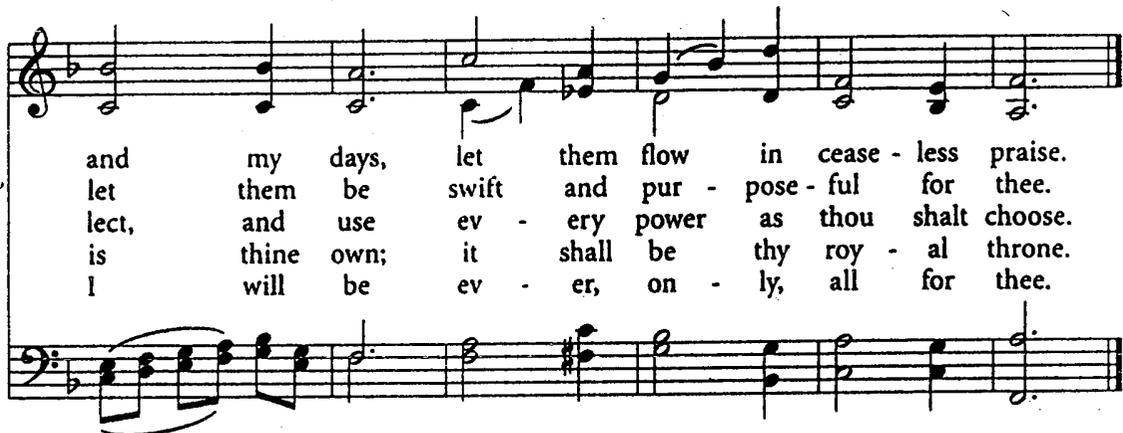
Take My Life, and Let It Be 435



1 Take my life, and let it be con - se -
 2 Take my hands, and let them move at the
 3 Take my lips, and let them be filled with
 4 Take my will, and make it thine; it shall
 5 Take my love: my Lord, I pour at thy



cra - ted, Lord, to thee; take my mo - ments
 im - pulse of thy love; take my feet, and
 mes - sa - ges from thee; take my in - tel -
 be no long - er mine; take my heart, it
 feet its trea - sure store; take my - self, and



and my days, let them flow in cease - less praise.
 let them be swift and pur - pose - ful for thee.
 lect, and use ev - ery power as thou shalt choose.
 is thine own; it shall be thy roy - al throne.
 I will be ev - er, on - ly, all for thee.

Text: Frances Ridley Havergal (1836-1879).
 Music: composer unknown.

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The Celebration of the Eucharist

Preparation of the Gifts

Representatives of the people present the gifts of bread and wine for the Eucharist (with money and other gifts for the needs and responsibilities of the Church) to the deacon or celebrant before the altar.

The Prayer Over the Gifts

Celebrant God of grace,
All **accept all we offer you this day,**
 as we look toward the glory you have promised.
 This we ask in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord.
 Amen.

The Great Thanksgiving /Eucharistic Prayer 2

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

All **And also with you.**

Celebrant Lift up your hearts

All **We lift them to the Lord.**

Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

All **It is right to give our thanks and praise**

Celebrant We give you thanks and praise, almighty God,
 through your beloved Son, Jesus Christ,
 our Saviour and Redeemer.
 He is your living Word,
 through whom you have created all things.

By the power of the Holy Spirit
 he took flesh of the Virgin Mary
 and shared our human nature.
 He lived and died as one of us,
 to reconcile us to you,
 the God and Father of all.

The Great Thanksgiving (cont.)

Celebrant

In fulfilment of your will
he stretched out his hands in suffering,
to bring release to those who place their hope in you;
and so he won for you a holy people.

He chose to bear our griefs and sorrows,
and to give up his life on the cross,
that he might shatter the chains of evil and death,
and banish the darkness of sin and despair.

By his resurrection
he brings us into the light of your presence.
Now with all creation we raise our voices
to proclaim the glory of your name .

All

**Holy, holy, holy Lord,
God of power and might,
Holy, holy, holy Lord,
God of power and might,
heaven and earth are full, full of your glory.
Hosanna in the highest,
Hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna in the highest,
Hosanna in the highest.**

Celebrant

Holy and gracious God, accept our praise,
through your Son our Saviour Jesus Christ;
who on the night he was handed over to suffering and
death, took bread and gave you thanks, saying,
"Take, and eat: this is my body which is broken for you."
In the same way he took the cup, saying,
"This is my blood which is shed for you.
When you do this, you do it in memory of me."

The Great Thanksgiving (cont.)

Celebrant Remembering, therefore, his death and resurrection,
we offer you this bread and this cup, giving thanks that
you have made us worthy to stand in your presence
and serve you.

We ask you to send your Holy Spirit upon the offering
of your holy Church. Gather into one all who share in
these sacred mysteries, filling them with the Holy Spirit
and confirming their faith in the truth, that together we
may praise you and give you glory through your
Servant, Jesus Christ.

All glory and honour are yours, Father and Son,
with the Holy Spirit in the holy Church, now and for
ever.

All Amen.

Celebrant As our Saviour taught us to pray, let us sing,

**All Our Father in heaven,
 hallowed be your name,
 your kingdom come,
 your will be done,
 on earth as in heaven.
 Give us today our daily bread.
 Forgive us our sins
 as we forgive those who sin against us.
 Save us from the time of trial,
 and deliver us from evil.
 For the kingdom, the power,
 and the glory are yours,
 now and forever. Amen.**

The Breaking of the Bread

Celebrant "I am the bread of life," says the Lord.
"Whoever comes to me will never be hungry;
whoever believes in me will never thirst."

**All Taste and see that the Lord is good;
happy are they who trust in him!**

The Communion

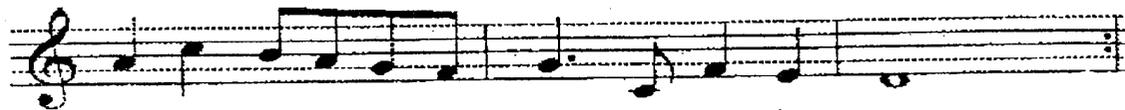
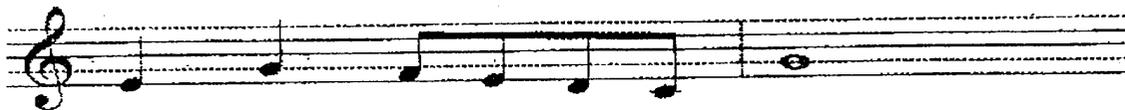
Celebrant The Gifts of God, for the people of God.

All Thanks be to God.

All who love God and desire Christ are welcome to receive communion at this table. Gluten-free wafers are available. Please let the Eucharistic Administrator know if you wish to receive one. Anyone desiring a blessing should fold their arms across their chest after receiving communion, as an indication to the priest.

Communion Hymns

TAKE O TAKE ME AS I AM
WE ARE SENT FORTH

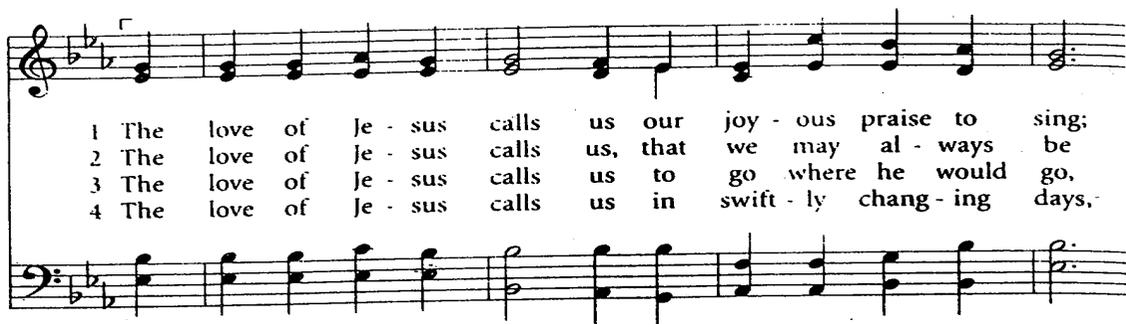


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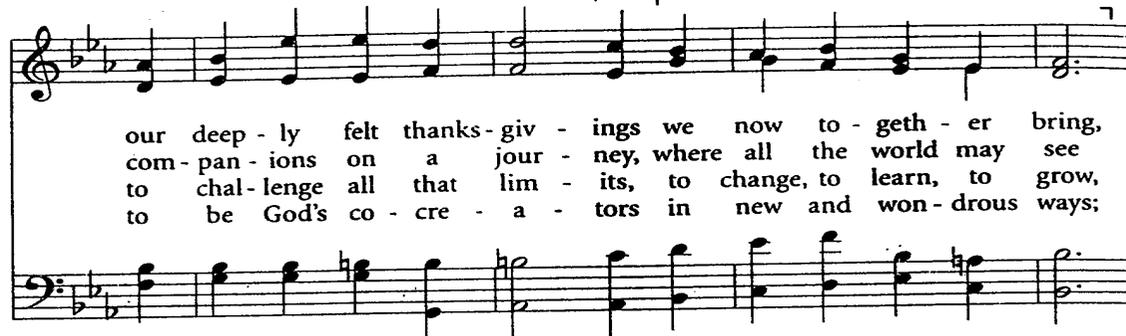
Communion Hymns (cont.)

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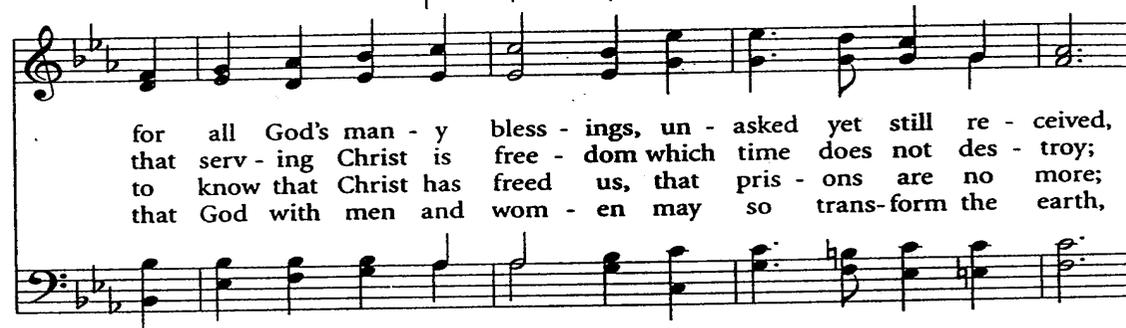
434 The Love of Jesus Calls Us



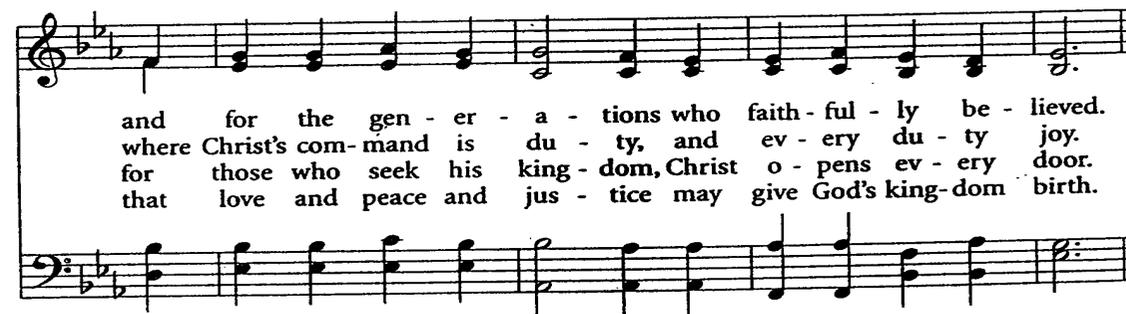
1 The love of Je - sus calls us our joy - ous praise to sing;
 2 The love of Je - sus calls us, that we may al - ways be
 3 The love of Je - sus calls us to go where he would go,
 4 The love of Je - sus calls us in swift - ly chang - ing days,



our deep - ly felt thanks - giv - ings we now to - geth - er bring,
 com - pan - ions on a jour - ney, where all the world may see
 to chal - lenge all that lim - its, to change, to learn, to grow,
 to be God's co - cre - a - tors in new and won - drous ways;



for all God's man - y bless - ings, un - asked yet still re - ceived,
 that serv - ing Christ is free - dom which time does not des - troy;
 to know that Christ has freed us, that pris - ons are no more;
 that God with men and wom - en may so trans - form the earth,



and for the gen - er - a - tions who faith - ful - ly be - lieved.
 where Christ's com - mand is du - ty, and ev - ery du - ty joy.
 for those who seek his king - dom, Christ o - pens ev - ery door.
 that love and peace and jus - tice may give God's king - dom birth.

Text: Herbert O'Driscoll (1928-)
 Music: Samuel Sebastian Wesley (1810-1876).

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Communion Hymns (Cont.)

Choir *Love is the Touch*

John Bell

Prayer after Communion

Celebrant
All

God of grace,
**we have received the memorial
of the death and resurrection of your Son.
May your love, poured into us,
bring us to your promises.
We ask this in the name of our Redeemer Jesus
Christ. Amen.**

Announcements

The Doxology

Celebrant
All

Glory to God,
**Whose power, working in us,
can do infinitely more
than we can ask or imagine.
Glory to God from generation to generation,
in the Church and in Christ Jesus,
for ever and ever. Amen.**

Blessing

Recessional Hymn

Blessed Assurance

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Words by Fanny J. Crosby, Music by Phoebe P. Knapp

Hebrews 10:19

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System 1: Fmaj7/G, C, Dm/C, C, G/B

Bless - ed as - sur - ance, Je - sus is mine! O what a
 Per - fect sub - mis - sion, per - fect de - light! Vi - sions of
 Per - fect sub - mis - sion— all is at rest. l in my

System 2: Am, D7, G, Fmaj7/G

fore - taste of glo - ry di - vine! Heir of sal -
 rap - ture now burst on my sight; An - gels de -
 Sav - ior am hap - py and blest; Watch - ing and

System 3: C, Dm/C, C, Am

va - tion, pur - chase of God, Born of His
 scend - ing, bring from a - bove, Ech - oes of
 wait - ing, look - ing a - bove, Filled with His

System 4: Dm, G7sus, G7, C, G7sus

Spir - it, washed in His blood. This is my
 mer - cy, whis - pers of love. of love.
 good - ness, lost in His love. His love.

C C/E F/C C G/B

sto - ry, this is my song, prais - ing my

Am C/E G/D D G

Sav - ior all the day long; This is my

C F/C C G/B Am7

sto ry. this is my song, prais - ing my

Dm G7sus G7 C

Sav - ior all the day long.

Dismissal

Liturgical Deacon

Go forth into the world,
rejoicing in the power of the Spirit!

All

Thanks be to God.

Postlude

