

Your Story, My Story—God's Story

Welcome to this time of worship, as we gather in the name of Jesus Christ.

*Let me all your love accepting, love you, ever all my days;
Let me seek your kingdom only and my life be to your praise;*

Lisa Gibbs-Smith

Leader: In gratitude for all of this, let us worship God.

God Is Here

We ask you to give us the courage to change.

**We ask that you give us the energy, intelligence, imagination,
and love to be your people in all we say and do.**

Assurance of Pardon

Rev. Scott Duncan Hopkins

Leader: God is gracious and merciful and knows our needs even before they reach our lips. Still, we engage in confession, admitting to God all that rests uneasily in our hearts. Confident of God's love, let us make our confession, first in silent prayers.

People: Amen.

Anthem

From This Bright Hour

Mark A. Miller

Instant Choir

Children's Message

Scripture

Luke 15:1-2, 11b-32

Kelsey White

The word of God for the people of God.

Thanks be to God.

Sermon

Grace Waits

Rev. Hopkins

Morning Prayer

Lisa Gibbs-Smith

Offering

You are invited to make your offering to support the ministry and mission of Clarendon UMC.

*You may text to give at 84321 or go to the Online Worship page of our website
and click "Make your online offering."*

Holy Communion

Rev. Hopkins

*In the United Methodist tradition, all who seek to lead a Christian life,
together with their children, are invited to receive communion.*

The musical score is written for a single melodic line in G major (one flat) and 3/4 time. It consists of three staves of music with lyrics underneath. The first staff begins with a treble clef and a key signature of one flat. The lyrics are: "The Lord be with you. And al - so with you." The second staff begins with a measure rest (8) and the lyrics are: "Lift up your hearts. We lift them up to the Lord." The third staff begins with a measure rest (17) and the lyrics are: "Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. It is right to give our thanks and praise." The score includes dynamic markings: *Leader* and *All* above the first and third staves, and *All* above the second staff. The music ends with a double bar line.

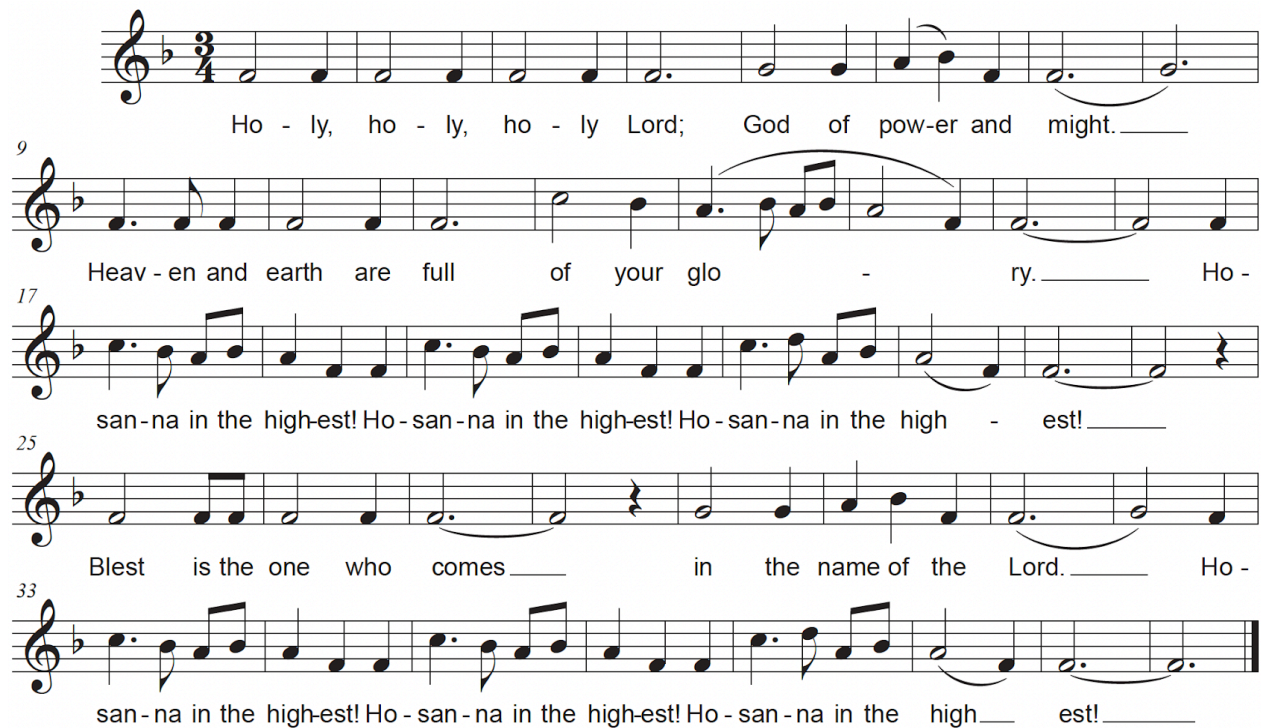
Leader *All*
The Lord be with you. And al - so with you.

8 *Leader* *All*
Lift up your hearts. We lift them up to the Lord.

17 *Leader* *All*
Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. It is right to give our thanks and praise.

The pastor continues...

And so,
with your people on earth
and all the company of heaven
we praise your name and join their unending hymn:



Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord; God of pow-er and might. _____

9 Heav - en and earth are full of your glo - ry. _____ Ho -

17 san-na in the high-est! Ho - san-na in the high-est! Ho - san-na in the high - est! _____

25 Blest is the one who comes _____ in the name of the Lord. _____ Ho -

33 san-na in the high-est! Ho - san-na in the high-est! Ho - san-na in the high _____ est! _____

The pastor continues...

And so,
in remembrance of these your mighty acts in Jesus Christ,
we offer ourselves in praise and thanksgiving
as a holy and living sacrifice,
in union with Christ's offering for us,
as we proclaim the mystery of faith.



Christ has died, Christ is ris - en, Christ will come a - gain.

The pastor continues...

All honor and glory is yours, almighty Father, now and forever.



A - men. A - men. A - men.

And now with the confidence of children of God,
let us pray as our Lord 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. Amen.

Sending Forth

Whitney Maine

***Hymn**

Lord, I Need You

see songsheet

***Benediction**

Rev. Hopkins

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