

Prayer after Communion

Blessing & Dismissal



Go in the peace of Christ, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - - - lu - ia.
Thanks be to God, al - le - lu ia, al - le - - - lu - ia.

Recessional

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- ❖ **A special welcome to guests and visitors!** Thank you for joining us. We welcome you and hope that you will find a spiritual home with us. We'd love to know that you were here. Please sign our guest book on the table near the entrance. For more information about Sunday Assembly, the monastery or the sisters' community please see <https://HolyWisdomMonastery.org> or contact Lynn Lemberger, Director of Worship & Music at llemberger@HolyWisdomMonastery.org
- ❖ **Gender Neutral Restrooms** can be found in the Hospitality Room in the hallway just after the coat racks.
- ❖ **Join Sunday Assembly!** Have you been worshipping with us frequently over the last few months? We hope that you've found a spiritual home with us and invite you to consider becoming a member of Sunday Assembly. It's simple. Yellow membership forms can be found at the monastery entrance. Just fill it out and return in the collection basket next Sunday or send by mail. Or sign-up through our website.
- ❖ **Next Sunday, June 5 is Pentecost Sunday** To begin our liturgy, everyone will meet in the gathering space and then process into the Assembly Room two by two in the monastic practice of *Statio*. We will use both entrances to the Assembly room and process up several aisles at once. When each pair arrives in front of or to the side of the altar they will bow to the altar then turn and bow to each other. Then we will proceed to our seats. We bow to the altar as a sign of honoring the Holy One. We bow to each other to honor the Spirit that dwells in each of us.
- ❖ **June 12, "Sustainable Transportation"** After Sunday Assembly, members of the Social Justice Group will be leading another Climate Action event in the boardroom. Mahanth Joishy will talk about the Madison city vehicle fleet going green. Electric vehicles and bikes and hybrids will be on display outside. For more information, contact Charles Bradley, scbradlevjr@gmail.com.

LITURGICAL MINISTERS

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First Reading Roberta Felker

Second Reading Charles McLimans

Piano/Organ Lynn Lemberger

Sacristan Ann McBride

Technology Assistant Tony Gibart

Greeters Denise West, OSB, John

Whalen, Dave Topp

Cantor Sarah Wilkin Gibart

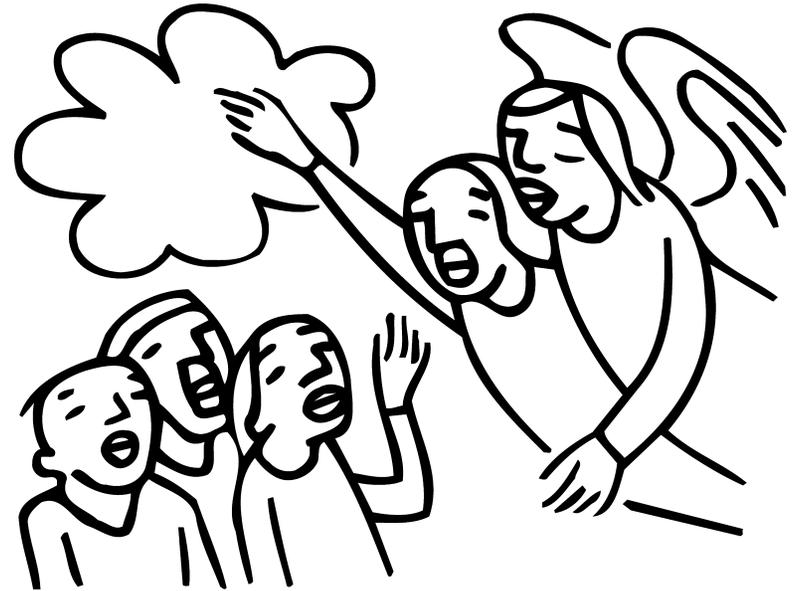
Communion Ministers Jane Ahlstrom,

Charles Bradley, Nancy Didion

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THE ASCENSION OF JESUS

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Welcome to Sunday Assembly and Holy Wisdom Monastery.

*For your safety, **masks are required unless you are eating or drinking.***

Please respect one another's personal space.

You are invited to sing and participate as you feel comfortable.

Gathering Hymn

A Hymn of Glory Let Us Sing



1. A hymn of glo - ry let us sing, new
 2. You are a pres - ent joy, O Christ, tri -
 3. O ris - en Christ, as - cend - ed now, to



hymns through - out the world shall ring. Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le -
 um - phant love brought forth new life. Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le -
 your blessed name all knees shall bow. Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le -



lu - ia! By a new way none ev - er trod Christ
 lu - ia! And great the light in you we see to
 lu - ia! You are, while end - less a - ges run, in



shares once more the throne of God. Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le -
 guide us to e - ter - ni - ty. Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le -
 Tri - une God - head ev - er One. Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le -



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Text: The Venerable Bede, (673-735), St. 1-2 tr. by Elizabeth R. Charles, 1858; alt.; St. 3, tr. by Benjamin Webb, 1854; alt.
 Tune: LASST UNS ERFREUEN 8.8.4.8.8 with Alleluias, Geistliche Kirchengesang, Cologne, 1623

Sprinkling Rite



1, 4. Lead us_ to the wa - ter, bring us
 2. Hold us_ in your mer - cy, heal us
 3. Fill us_ with your fire, lead us



to the feast. Wash us_ in the
 with your pow'r. Lift us_ from the
 from the night. Guide us_ in your



riv - er and fill us with your peace.
 dark - ness and teach us with your love.
 wis - dom and draw us to your light.

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All So all of us are one body,
 all who share the one bread and drink from the cup.

Communion Rite

Our Communion bread is gluten-free. All are welcome to receive Communion. Come to any one of the four locations in the room Two stations are behind the altar, one at the side exit, and one near the piano.

Hymn

Spirit, Open My Heart



Refrain
 Spir - it, o - pen my heart to the joy and pain of
 liv - ing. As you love may I love, in re -
 ceiv - ing and in giv - ing, Spir - it, o - pen my heart.



Verses
 1. God, re - place my ston - y heart with a
 2. Write your love up - on my heart as my
 3. May I weep with those who weep, share the



heart that's kind and ten - der. All my cold - ness and
 law, my goal, my sto - ry. In each thought and word and
 joy of friend or fam - ly. In the wel - come of



to Refrain
 fear_ to your grace I now sur - ren - der.
 deed, may my liv - ing bring you glo - ry.
 Christ, may we wel - come one an - oth - er.

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A time of silent reflection follows our sharing of Communion.

**We pray for people everywhere who yearn for life and peace.
 We pray for those who lead us in government and in faith.
 We pray for reverence and care for the earth and all its creatures.
 We pray for those who search for meaning in their lives.
 We pray for the sick and the dying.
 We lift up to you all our beloved dead.**

O Fire of Eternal Light, receive our table prayer of praise.
 Gathered in the brilliance of this feast,
 with unfettered joy we sing your victory!

Through Christ, with Christ, in Christ..... forever and ever.

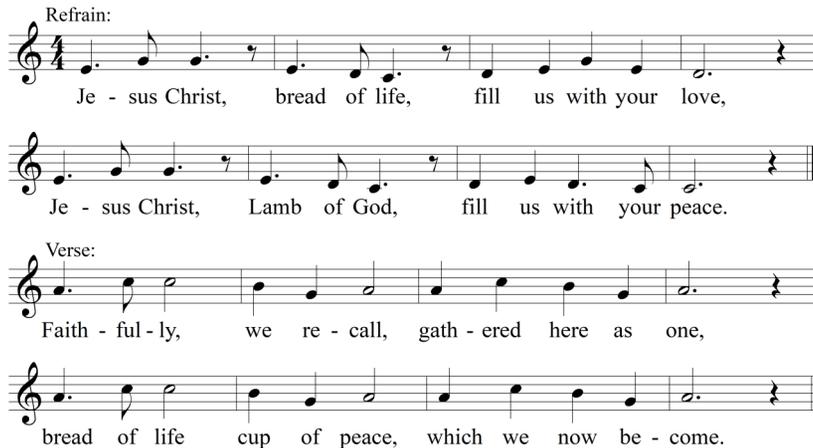


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The Prayer of Jesus

**Holy One, our only Home, blessed be your name.
 May your day dawn, your will be done, here, as in heaven.
 Feed us today, and forgive us as we forgive each other.
 Do not forsake us at the test, but deliver us from evil.
 For the glory, the power, and the mercy are yours,
 now and forever. Amen.**

Breaking of the Bread



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Presider The bread which we break,
 is it not communion in the body of Christ?
 The cup of blessing which we share,
 is it not communion in the blood of Christ?

Opening Prayer

Liturgy of the Word

Acts 1:1-11

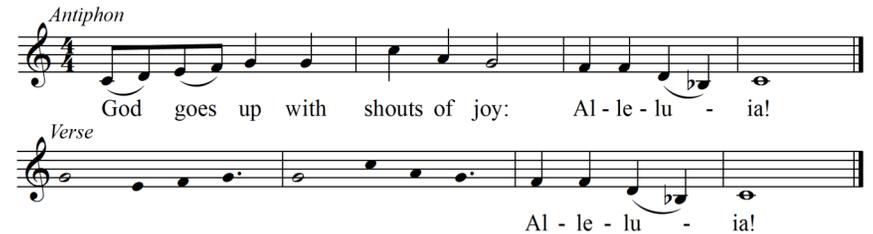
First Reading

Following each reading:

Reader The Word of Salvation
 All Thanks be to God

*A time of silent reflection follows each reading
 as we practice the Benedictine value of listening.*

Psalm 47



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Second Reading

Hebrews 9:24-28; 10:19-23

Gospel Acclamation

Honduran Alleluia



Traditional Honduran melody

Gospel

Luke 24:46-53

Before the Gospel,

Reader A reading from the holy Gospel according to Luke

All **Glory to you, O Christ**

Following the Gospel,

Reader The holy Gospel

All **Praise to you, O Jesus Christ**

Homily

Profession of Faith *Response:* This is our faith. This is our hope.

General Intercessions *Response:* Risen Savior, hear our prayer.

Sign of Peace

Presentation of the Gifts

A basket is available on the table to receive your donations. Thank you for your generosity. The gifts of bread, wine and our offering are brought to the altar.

Liturgy of the Eucharist Eucharistic Prayer III for Easter

All join in proclaiming the Eucharist Prayer. The Assembly parts are in bold.

Presider: May the Holy One be with you.

All: And also with you.

Presider: Lift up your hearts.

All: We lift them up to our God.

Presider: Let us give thanks to the God of all.

All: It is right to give God thanks and praise.

All praise and thanks be yours, O God of life,
through Jesus Christ, whose victory has become an eternal dawn
and has brought new life to all people.

**Bursting through the darkness of evil and despair,
you swept away the empty power of death
and raised your beloved above the heights,
making Jesus the eternal Christ of all.**

On this day every creature steps in joy.

On this day every bruise gives way to blessing.

On this day every angel and ancient joins our song.

Hosanna for the victory of the cross!

Therefore, O loving God, we give you praise,
and we raise our song with all the hosts of heaven
for the victory of Christ this day over death,
and the bright promise of life that never ends:

Ho-ly, ho-ly, ho - ly One, God of pow-er, God of might,
heav-en and earth are full of your glo-ry. Ho - san - na in the high-est.
Blest is the one who comes in the name of our God. Ho - san - na
in the high-est, ho - san - na in the high- est.

When Jesus gave himself into your loving hands,
he breathed forth the Spirit on all the world.
Breathe now that same Spirit on us and on our table, +
making us into the Body of Christ.

**As we gather in the joy of the resurrection,
we pray for the gift of your Spirit.
Descend upon us with the fire of your anointing,
that all the world might be renewed in everlasting life.**

On the night before Jesus met with death,
he came to table with those he loved.
He took bread and praised you, God of all creation.
He broke the bread among his friends and said:
“Take this, all of you and eat. This is my body given up for you.”

When supper was ended, he poured a final cup of wine
and blessed you, God of all creation.
He passed the cup among his friends and said:
“Take this, all of you, and drink. This cup is a new covenant
in my blood, shed for you and for people everywhere
for the reconciliation of all. Do this in memory of me.”

Let us proclaim the mystery of faith.

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

Gathered from every time and place, we bring to you the needs of all.
Pour out your Spirit of life upon our world.
Grant us the fullness of your lasting peace.