



Worship Participants

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Acts 9:40-42

Peter put all of them outside, and then he knelt down and prayed. He turned to the body and said, "Tabitha, get up." Then she opened her eyes, and seeing Peter, she sat up. He gave her his hand and helped her up. Then calling the saints and widows, he showed her to be alive. This became known throughout Joppa, and many believed in the Lord.

God Gathers Us for Worship

Welcome

*Call to Worship

Alleluia! Christ is risen.

He is risen indeed. Alleluia!

Praise the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ.

He has given us new life and hope.

He has raised Jesus from the dead.

God has claimed us as his own.

He has brought us out of darkness.

He has made us light to the world.

Alleluia! Christ is risen.

He is risen indeed. Alleluia!

*Song: "Alleluia! Jesus Is Risen"

LUYH 205:1-3

*God Greet Us, We Greet One Another

*Song: "All Creatures of Our God and King"

LUYH 551:1,4,6

We Are Reconciled & Renewed

Prayer of Confession

Words of Assurance: Psalm 23:6

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**Surely goodness and mercy will follow me
all the days of my life.**

And I will dwell in the house of the Lord forever.

Thanks be to God.

Song of Dedication: "The Lord's My Shepherd"

1. The Lord's my shepherd, I'll not want.

He makes me lie in pastures green.

He leads me by the still, still waters, his goodness restores my soul.

Chorus:

**And I will trust in You alone. And I will trust in You alone,
for your endless mercy follows me, your goodness will lead me home.**

*Chorus: Take this bread and eat. Take this cup and drink.
Remember how He loved us; rejoice and keep the feast.*

**2. Who is fit to feast with such a Savior? Who His sandals could untie?
Who are we that He would show us favor? Granting us this gift of life.**

**3. Happy sign of friendship and reunion with the blessed Three in One.
Foretaste of that glorious communion, vision of the world to come.**

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Communion Song: "Jesus Loves Me"

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*Acclamation of Praise: Revelation 7:9-12

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After this I looked, and there was a great multitude that no one could count,
from every nation, from all tribes and peoples and languages,
standing before the throne and before the Lamb, robed in white,
with palm branches in their hands. They cried out in a loud voice, saying,

"Salvation belongs to our God

who is seated on the throne and to the Lamb!"

And all the angels stood around the throne and around the elders

and the four living creatures,

and they fell on their faces before the throne and worshiped God, singing,

"Amen! Blessing and glory and wisdom and thanksgiving

and honor and power and might be to our God forever and ever!

Amen."

We Are Sent with God's Blessing

*Benediction

*Closing Song: "Jerusalem the Golden"

LUYH 488:1-3

God Meets Us at the Table

Great Prayer of Thanksgiving

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them up to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right for us to give thanks and praise.

Song: "Holy, Holy, Holy Is the Lord of Hosts"

Holy, holy, holy is the Lord of hosts.

Holy, holy, holy is the Lord of hosts.

***The whole earth is full of his glory, the whole earth is full of his glory,
the whole earth is full of his glory. Holy is the Lord.***

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The Institution: 1 Corinthians 11

Memorial Acclamation

Let us proclaim the mystery of our faith:

Christ has died, Christ is risen, Christ will come again.

Dying he destroyed our death.

Rising he restored our life.

Lord Jesus, come in glory.

Prayer of Consecration, concluding with the Lord's Prayer

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 debts, as we forgive our debtors.

Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.

**For thine is the kingdom and the power
and the glory forever. Amen.**

The Invitation

We invite you to come down the center aisle to the communion table at the front of the sanctuary. You may partake at the table or take it back to your seats to partake there.

Gluten-free bread is available on the table.

Communion Song: "Keep the Feast"

1. Joyfully we join You at Your table, pleading not our righteousness.

By Your wealth of mercy, we are able now to feast in confidence.

**2. He guides my ways in righteousness, and he anoints my head with oil,
and my cup, it overflows with joy,
I feast on his pure delights. (to chorus)**

**3. And though I walk the darkest path, I will not fear the evil one,
for you are with me, and your rod and staff
are the comfort I need to know. (to chorus)**

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Installation of New Elders and Deacons

Do you, people of the Lord,

pledge to receive these officebearers as you have been charged?

We do, God helping us.

Prayers for the Church and World

God Speaks to Us through His Word

Children In Worship Dismissal: "O Breath of God (The Risen Christ)"

***O Breath of God, come fill this place;
revive our hearts to know Your grace
and from our slumber make us rise,
that we may know the risen Christ.***

***O Word of God, so clear and true,
renew our minds to trust in You;
and give to us the Bread of Life,
that we may know the risen Christ.***

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Children ages 3 years old through kindergarten are invited to a time of worship designed especially for young children and can gather in the fellowship hall with the helpers. Our young guests are welcome to participate in this service.

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture Reading: Acts 9:32-43

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Message: "Jesus' Body of Saints"

Pastor Joel Kok

*Song of Response: "See My Hands and Feet"

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