

Loving God by Loving Others



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INTROIT

Overture 1: Giving Thanks

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GREETING

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PRELUDE

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Andante Tranquillo

Percy W. Whitlock

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CALL TO WORSHIP

Mike Hubbard

Come to worship the One who heals us,
**who opens our eyes to the goodness
of God’s world.**

Come to worship the One who frees us,
**who unbinds our hands from the chains we
have made.**

Come to worship the One who calls us,
who offers us life and showers us with grace.

HYMN

Lift High the Cross

[CRUCIFER]

Refrain

*Lift high the cross, the love of Christ proclaim
till all the world adore his sacred name.*

Verse 1

*Come, Christians, follow where our Savior trod,
the Lamb victorious, Christ, the Son of God.*

Refrain

Verse 2

*All newborn servants of the Crucified
bear on their brow the seal of Christ who died.*

Refrain

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GOSPEL LESSON

John 13:1-4, 12-14

Now before the festival of the Passover, Jesus knew that his hour had come to depart from this world and go to the Father. Having loved his own who were in the world, he loved them to the end. ² The devil had already put it into the heart of Judas son of Simon Iscariot to betray him. And during supper ³ Jesus, knowing that the Father had given all things into his hands, and that he had come from God and was going to God, ⁴ got up from the table, took off his outer robe, and tied a towel around himself. ⁵ Then he poured water into a basin and began to wash the disciples' feet and to wipe them with the towel that was tied around him.

¹² After he had washed their feet, had put on his robe, and had returned to the table, he said to them, "Do you know what I have done to you?" ¹³ You call me Teacher and Lord—and you are right, for that is what I am. ¹⁴ So if I, your Lord and Teacher, have washed your feet, you also ought to wash one another's feet.

MUSICAL INTERLUDE

SCRIPTURE

John 21:15-19

¹⁵ When they had finished breakfast, Jesus said to Simon Peter, “Simon son of John, do you love me more than these?” He said to him, “Yes, Lord; you know that I love you.” Jesus said to him, “Feed my lambs.” ¹⁶ A second time he said to him, “Simon son of John, do you love me?” He said to him, “Yes, Lord; you know that I love you.” Jesus said to him, “Tend my sheep.” ¹⁷ He said to him the third time, “Simon son of John, do you love me?” Peter felt hurt because he said to him the third time, “Do you love me?” And he said to him, “Lord, you know everything; you know that I love you.” Jesus said to him, “Feed my sheep. ¹⁸ Very truly, I tell you, when you were younger, you used to fasten your own belt and to go wherever you wished. But when you grow old, you will stretch out your hands, and someone else will fasten a belt around you and take you where you do not wish to go.” ¹⁹ (He said this to indicate the kind of death by which he would glorify God.) After this he said to him, “Follow me.”

SERMON

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MUSICAL INTERLUDE

COMMUNION

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The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them to the Lord.

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

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Gracious God, pour out your Holy Spirit upon us
and upon these your gifts of bread and wine
that they may be for us the body and blood of Christ
and that we may be his body for the world.
By your Spirit unite us with Christ and one another
until we feast with him and with all your saints

in your eternal realm of justice and peace.
Through Christ, with Christ, in Christ,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
all glory and honor are yours, almighty God,
now and forever more, **Amen.**

PASTORAL PRAYER

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. And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever. Amen.

POSTLUDE

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Psalm XIX

by Benedetto Marcello (1686-1739)

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