

## A SERVICE OF HOLY COMMUNION

Grace, mercy and peace from God our Father, and from the Lord Jesus Christ, be with you all.  
**Amen. Thanks be to God.**

HYMN

*I Come With Joy (stanzas 1 & 2)*

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DOVE OF PEACE

*I come with joy to meet my Lord, forgiven, loved, and free,  
in awe and wonder to recall his life laid down for me, his life laid down for me.*

*I come with Christians far and near to find, as all are fed,  
the new community of love in Christ's communion bread, in Christ's communion bread.*

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING AND LORD'S PRAYER

WORDS OF CONSECRATION

Our Lord Jesus Christ, on the night he was betrayed, took bread, and when he had given thanks, he broke it, gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, eat, this is my body which is given for you.  
Do this in remembrance of me."

SERVING THE BREAD

HYMN

*Let Us Break Bread Together*

SPIRITUAL

*Let us break bread together on our knees,  
let us break bread together on our knees.  
When I fall on my knees with my face to the rising sun,  
O Lord, have mercy on me.*

*Let us drink wine together on our knees,  
let us drink wine together on our knees.  
When I fall on my knees with my face to the rising sun,  
O Lord, have mercy on me.*

*Let us praise God together on our knees,  
let us praise God together on our knees.  
When I fall on my knees with my face to the rising sun,  
O Lord, have mercy on me.*

PARTAKING OF THE BREAD

Our Lord Jesus Christ said: "Take, eat; this is my body which is given for you."  
(All partake together)

SILENT PRAYER

By your divine presence, by the holy sacraments,  
by all the merits of your life, sufferings, death, and resurrection,  
**Bless and comfort us, gracious Lord and God. Amen.**

In the same way, after supper our Lord Jesus Christ took the cup, gave thanks, and gave it to his disciples, saying: “Drink from this, all of you; this is my blood of the new covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sin. Do this, whenever you drink it, in remembrance of me.”

#### SERVING THE CUP

HYMN 662

“Jesus Makes My Heart Rejoice”

*Jesus makes my heart rejoice, I'm his sheep, and know his voice;  
He's a Shepherd, kind and gracious, and his pastures are delicious;  
constant love to me he shows, yea, my very name he knows.*

*Trusting his mild staff always, I go in and out in peace;  
he will feed me with treasure of his grace in richest measure;  
when athirst to him I cry, living water he'll supply.*

*Should not I for gladness leap, led by Jesus as his sheep?  
For when these blessed days are over to the arms of my dear Savior  
I shall be conveyed to rest. Amen, yea, my lot is blessed.*

#### PARTAKING OF THE CUP

Our Lord Jesus Christ said: “Drink from this, all of you.  
Do this, whenever you drink it, in remembrance of me.  
(All partake together)

#### SILENT PRAYER

Christ, the Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world;  
**Grant us your peace.**

Whenever you eat this bread and drink this cup, you proclaim the Lord's death,  
**Until he comes.**

HYMN 680

“Blest Be the Tie That Binds”

*Blest be the tie that binds our hearts in Christian love;  
The fellowship of kindred minds is like to that above.*

*Before our Father's throne we pour our ardent prayers;  
Our fears, our hopes, our aims are one, our comforts and our cares.*

*When we asunder part, it gives us inward pain;  
But we shall still be joined in heart, and know we'll meet again.*

#### BENEDICTION

The Lord bless you and keep you;  
the Lord make his face to shine upon you and be gracious to you;  
the Lord lift up his countenance upon you and give you peace.  
**Amen.**