NOVEMBER 25, 2026 – THANKSGIVING EVE

Prelude – *"Andante Con Moto"* by G, F, Handel.

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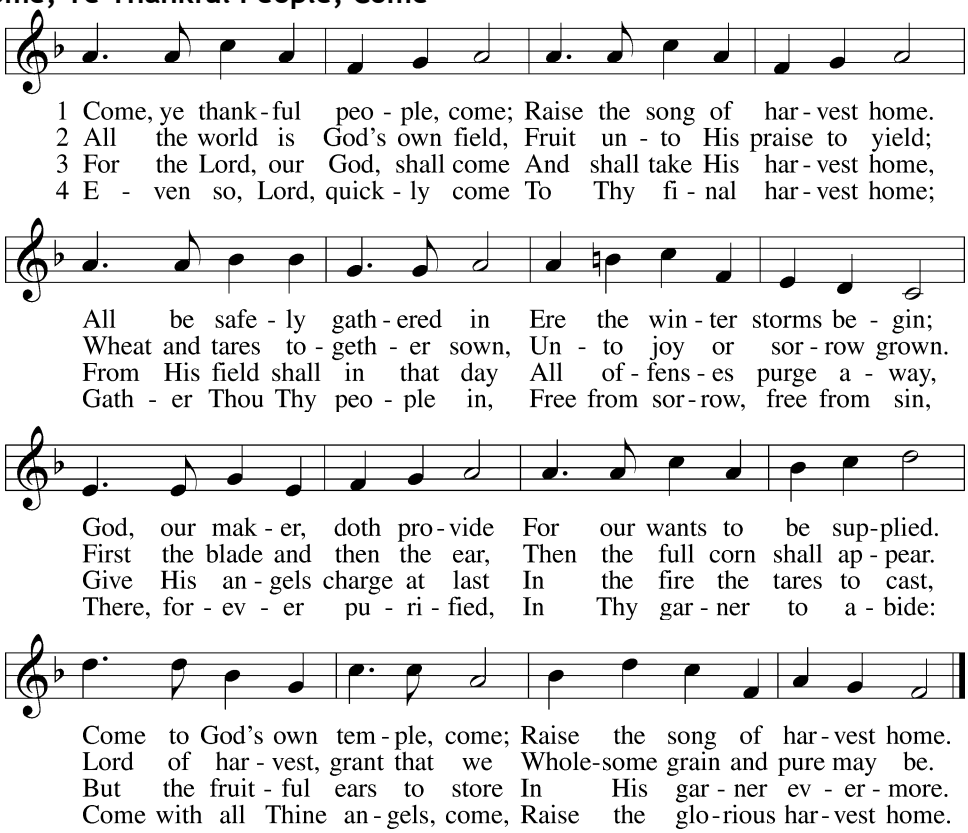
892 Come, Ye Thankful People, Come



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The sign of the cross may be made by all in remembrance of their Baptism.

Invocation

P In the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.
C **Amen.**

Litany

P O give thanks unto the Lord, for He is good,
C **For His mercy endures forever!**

P O give thanks unto God the Father, who has made us and all creatures:
C **Who has given us body and soul, eyes, ears, and all our members, our reason and all our senses and still preserves them.**

P Who gives us clothing and shoes, food and drink, house and home, spouse and children.
C **Who daily and richly provides us with all that we need to support this body and life.**

P O give thanks unto Christ Jesus, His Son, who has redeemed us, although we were lost and condemned creatures:
C **Who purchased and won us from all sin, death, and the power of the devil.**

P Not with gold or silver, but with His holy, precious blood and His innocent suffering and death.
C **That we may be His own and live under Him in His kingdom.**

P O give thanks unto the Holy Spirit, who has called us to faith by the Gospel, enlightened us with His gifts, sanctified and kept us in the true faith,

C **Even as He calls, gathers, enlightens and sanctifies the whole Christian Church on earth, and keeps it with Jesus Christ in the one true faith.**

P O give thanks unto the Lord, for He is good:

C **O give thanks to our God, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, for His mercy endures forever! Amen.**

Salutation and Collect of the Day

P The Lord be with you.

C **And also with you.**

P Let us pray.

C **Almighty God, Your mercies are new every morning and You graciously provide for all our needs of body and soul. Grant us Your Holy Spirit that we may acknowledge Your goodness, give thanks for Your benefits, and serve You in willing obedience all our days; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.**

Sit

Old Testament Reading

Deuteronomy 8:1–10

[1]"The whole commandment that I command you today you shall be careful to do, that you may live and multiply, and go in and possess the land that the LORD swore to give to your fathers. [2]And you shall remember the whole way that the LORD your God has led you these forty years in the wilderness, that he might humble you, testing you to know what was in your heart, whether you would keep his commandments or not. [3]And he humbled you and let you hunger and fed you with manna, which you did not know, nor did your fathers know, that he might make you know that man does not live by bread alone, but man lives by every word that comes from the mouth of the LORD. [4]Your clothing did not wear out on you and your foot did not swell these forty years. [5]Know then in your heart that, as a man disciplines his son, the LORD your God disciplines you. [6]So you shall keep the commandments of the LORD your God by walking in his ways and by fearing him. [7]For the LORD your God is bringing you into a good land, a land of brooks of water, of fountains and springs, flowing out in the valleys and hills, [8]a land of wheat and barley, of vines and fig trees and pomegranates, a land of olive trees and honey, [9]a land in which you will eat bread without scarcity, in which you will lack nothing, a land whose stones are iron, and out of whose hills you can dig copper. [10]And you shall eat and be full, and you shall bless the LORD your God for the good land he has given you."

A This is the Word of the Lord.

C **Thanks be to God.**

Psalm

We speak the Psalm in unison. *Psalm 67*

[1]May God be gracious to us and bless us
and make his face to shine upon us,
[2]that your way may be known on earth,
your saving power among all nations.

[3]Let the peoples praise you, O God;
let all the peoples praise you!

[4]Let the nations be glad and sing for joy,
for you judge the peoples with equity
and guide the nations upon earth.

[5]Let the peoples praise you, O God;
let all the peoples praise you!

[6]The earth has yielded its increase;
God, our God, shall bless us.

[7]God shall bless us;
let all the ends of the earth fear him!

Glory be to the Father and to the Son
and to the Holy Spirit;

as it was in the beginning
is now, and will be forever. Amen.

Epistle

Philippians 4:6–20

6Do not be anxious about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests
be made known to God. 7And the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and your
minds in Christ Jesus.
8Finally, brothers, whatever is true, whatever is honorable, whatever is just, whatever is pure, whatever is lovely,
whatever is commendable, if there is any excellence, if there is anything worthy of praise, think about these things.
9What you have learned and received and heard and seen in me—practice these things, and the God of peace will be
with you.
10I rejoiced in the Lord greatly that now at length you have revived your concern for me. You were indeed concerned
for me, but you had no opportunity. 11Not that I am speaking of being in need, for I have learned in whatever situation I
am to be content. 12I know how to be brought low, and I know how to abound. In any and every circumstance, I have
learned the secret of facing plenty and hunger, abundance and need. 13I can do all things through him who strengthens
me.
14Yet it was kind of you to share my trouble. 15And you Philippians yourselves know that in the beginning of the
gospel, when I left Macedonia, no church entered into partnership with me in giving and receiving, except you only.
16Even in Thessalonica you sent me help for my needs once and again. 17Not that I seek the gift, but I seek the fruit that
increases to your credit. 18I have received full payment, and more. I am well supplied, having received from
Epaphroditus the gifts you sent, a fragrant offering, a sacrifice acceptable and pleasing to God. 19And my God will
supply every need of yours according to his riches in glory in Christ Jesus. 20To our God and Father be glory forever
and ever. Amen.

A This is the Word of the Lord.
C **Thanks be to God.**

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Alleluia and Verse

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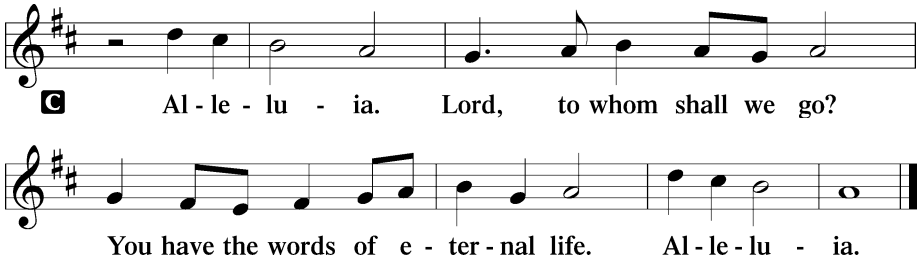

Holy Gospel

Luke 17:11–19

P The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke, the seventeenth chapter.
C **Glory to You, O Lord.**

11On the way to Jerusalem [Jesus] was passing along between Samaria and Galilee. 12And as he entered a village, he
was met by ten lepers, who stood at a distance 13and lifted up their voices, saying, "Jesus, Master, have mercy on us."
14When he saw them he said to them, "Go and show yourselves to the priests." And as they went they were cleansed.
15Then one of them, when he saw that he was healed, turned back, praising God with a loud voice; 16and he fell on his
face at Jesus' feet, giving him thanks. Now he was a Samaritan. 17Then Jesus answered, "Were not ten cleansed?
Where are the nine? 18Was no one found to return and give praise to God except this foreigner?" 19And he said to him,
"Rise and go your way; your faith has made you well."

P This is the Gospel of the Lord.
C **Praise to You, O Christ.**

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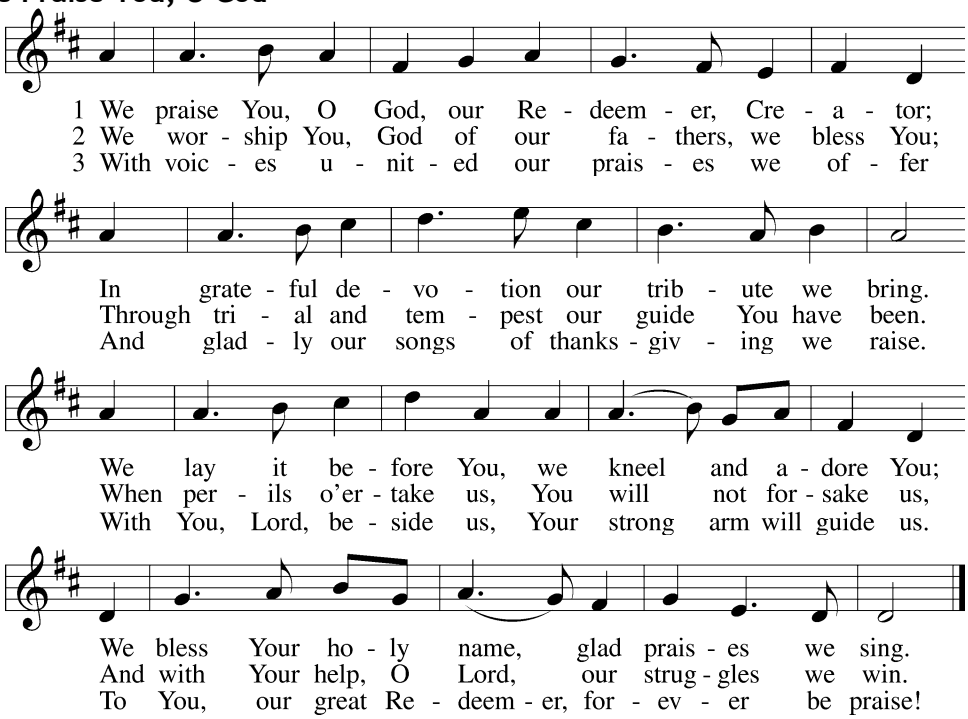
785 We Praise You, O God



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Sermon

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Apostles' Creed

C **I believe in God, the Father Almighty,**
maker of heaven and earth.

And in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died and was buried.
He descended into hell.
The third day He rose again from the dead.
He ascended into heaven
and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty.
From thence He will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy Christian Church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life ☩ everlasting. Amen.

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Anthem - The Parish Choir sings *"The Lord Of Harvest"* by Leavett.

Kneel

Prayer for Thanksgiving

℗ Let us give thanks to Almighty God for all His gifts so freely bestowed upon us.

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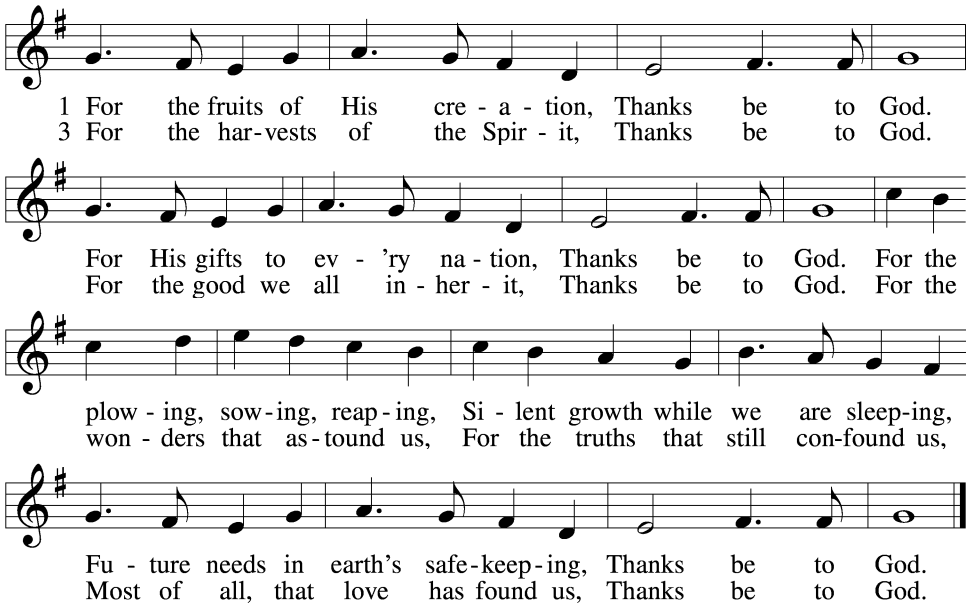

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℗ For all that is gracious in the lives of men and women, revealing the image of Christ,
C Thanks be to God.

℗ For our food and drink, our homes and families, and our friends,
C Thanks be to God.

℗ For minds to think, and hearts to love, and hands to serve,
C Thanks be to God.

℗ For health and strength to work, and leisure to rest and play,
C Thanks be to God.

℗ For the faithful, who are patient in suffering and steadfast in adversity,
C Thanks be to God.

℗ For all who promote truth, liberty, and justice,
C Thanks be to God.

℗ For the communion of saints, in all times and places,
C Thanks be to God.

℗ Above all, we give thanks to God for the great mercies and promises given to us in Christ Jesus our Lord;
C to Him be praise and glory, with the Father and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

Lord's Prayer

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℗ Lord, remember us in Your kingdom and teach us to pray:
C 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 and ever. Amen.

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Benediction

P May God be gracious to us and bless us and make His face shine upon us.

C **May Your ways be known on earth, Your salvation among all nations. May the peoples praise You, O God; may all the peoples praise You!**

P May the nations be glad and sing for joy, for You rule the people justly and guide the nations of the earth.

C **May the peoples praise You, O God; may all the peoples praise You. Then the land will yield its harvest, and God, our God, will bless us and all the ends of the earth will fear Him.**

P May almighty God, the Father, the Son ✢ and the Holy Spirit, be gracious to you and bless you and make His face shine upon you.

C **Amen.**

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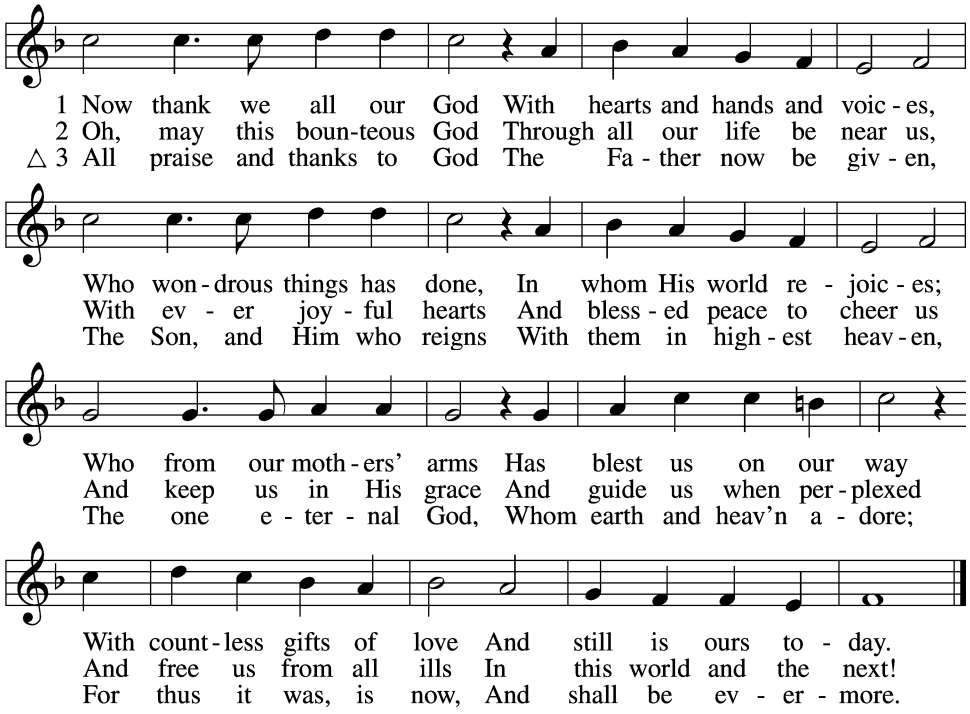

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