



NINTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

July 26, 2026 | Anno Mundi 5956

ALL SAINTS
C H U R C H

CALL TO WORSHIP & PROCESSIONAL

†The congregation standing

Prelude

Psalms of the Day (back cover)

Minister: Arise now and ascend to the Heavenly City in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit!

Congregation: Amen!

†Processional Hymn - *Oh, for a Thousand Tongues to Sing*

Oh, for a Thousand Tongues to Sing

1. Oh, for a thou - sand tongues to sing My great Re - deem - er's praise,
2. My gra - cious Mas - ter and my God, As - sist me to pro - claim,
3. Je - sus! the name that charms our fears, That bids our sor - rows cease;
4. He breaks the power of can - celled sin, He sets the pris - 'ner free.
5. He speaks, and, lis - t'ning to His voice, New life the dead re - ceive,
6. Hear Him, ye deaf; His praise, ye dumb, Your loos - ened tongues em - ploy;

The glo - ries of my God and King, The tri - umphs of His grace!
To spread through all the earth a - broad The hon - ors of Thy name.
'Tis mu - sic in the sin - ner's ears, 'Tis life and health and peace.
His blood can make the foul - est clean; His blood a - vailed for me.
The mourn - ful, bro - ken hearts re - joice, The hum - ble poor be - lieve.
Ye blind, be - hold your Sav - ior come; And leap, ye lame, for joy.

Music: Carl Gotthelf Gläser, 1828; arr. Lowell Mason, 1839

Text: Charles Wesley, 1739; alt.

AZMON

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Minister: The grace and peace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you!

Congregation: And also with you!

Minister: When he ascended up on high, he led captivity captive, and gave gifts unto men.

Congregation: He ascended up far above all heavens, that He might fill all things.

CONFESSION: SIN OFFERING + ABSOLUTION

The congregation is invited to kneel.

Unison: O Lord our God, we come to You as Your sons and servants, grateful for the redemption that is ours in Jesus Christ, and yet aware of our continuing need of Your grace. We confess that we have sinned against You. We have broken Your commandments. We have fallen short of Your glory. We have not loved You with all our heart, mind, soul and strength. We have not loved our neighbor as ourselves. We were born in sin and have continued to sin. We acknowledge our guilt. We rightly fall under Your curse and judgment. Blot out our transgressions, wash us from our iniquities, deliver us from bloodguiltiness. Forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness. Have mercy upon us, O Lord, in Jesus' name. Amen.

Silent Confession

Minister: But when the fullness of the time came...sins are forgiven in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost. Amen.

Congregation: Thanks be to God. Our sins are forgiven in Jesus' name. Amen.

Minister: Arise, lift up your heads and believe the good news! God, our heavenly Father, has had mercy on us!

Congregation: O come, let us worship Him. Hallelujah!

†Ascension Hymn - *Amazing Grace*

Amazing Grace!

1. A - maz - ing grace!—how sweet the sound—That saved a wretch like me;
2. 'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear, And grace my fears re-lieved;
3. Through man - y dan - gers, toils and snares, I have al - read - y come;
4. The Lord has prom - ised good to me, His Word my hope se - cures;
5. Yes, when this heart and flesh shall fail, And mor - tal life shall cease,
6. When we've been there ten thou - sand years, Bright shin - ing as the sun,
I once was lost, but now am found; Was blind, but now I see.
How pre - cious did that grace ap - pear The hour I first be - lieved!
'Tis grace hath brought me safe thus far, And grace will lead me home.
He will my shield and por - tion be As long as life en - dures.
I shall pos - sess with - in the veil, A life of joy and peace.
We've no less days to sing God's praise Than when we first be - gun.

Music: Scottish folk tune; arr. *Columbian Harmony*, 1829

Text: st. 1–5, John Newton, 1779; st. 6, *A Collection of Sacred Ballads*, 1790

NEW BRITAIN

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†Collect for Ninth Sunday after Pentecost

Unison: O God, the protector of all who trust in you, without whom nothing is strong, nothing is holy: Increase and multiply upon us your mercy; that, with you as our ruler and guide, we may so pass through things temporal, that we lose not the things eternal; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.*

CONSECRATION: SCRIPTURE & TEACHING

The Lesson - Genesis 29:15-28

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

Congregation: Thanks be to God.

The Psalm - *Psalm 105: O Thank the Lord*, vv. 1-2, next page

Congregation: Amen! (*following the Psalm*)

The Epistle - Romans 8:26-39

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

Congregation: Thanks be to God.

The Psalm - *Psalm 105: O Thank the Lord*, vv. 3-4, next page

Congregation: Amen! (*following the Psalm*)

† The Gospel - Matthew 13:31-33, 44-52

Reader: The Gospel of Christ!

Congregation: Praise be to You, O Christ.

† The Creed (Nicene Creed)

Unison: We believe in one God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and of all things visible and invisible. And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, begotten of the Father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light, very God of very God, begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father; by whom all things were made; who, for us men, and for our salvation, came down from Heaven, and was incarnate by the Holy Ghost of the virgin, Mary, and was made man; and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate; He suffered and was buried; and the third day He rose again, according to the Scriptures; and ascended into Heaven, and sits on the right hand of the Father; and He shall come again, with glory, to judge both the living and the dead; whose kingdom shall have no end. And we believe in the Holy Ghost, the Lord, and Giver of Life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son; who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified; who spoke by the Prophets. And we believe one holy catholic and apostolic Church; we acknowledge one baptism for the remission of sins; and we look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

† *Gloria Patri* - Sung, lifting holy hands (*Psalm 63:4*).

Cantus Christi, p. 436

Sermon - Titus: Faith that Leads to Godliness (Titus 2:1-10)

Matt Reoli, ministerial student

O Thank the LORD

Based on Psalm 105:1-11

1. ¹O thank the LORD; on His name call. His deeds tell peo - ples all.
 2. ⁵Re - mem - ber all His won - drous deeds, The works that He has done,
 3. ⁷He on - ly is the LORD our God; His judg - ments fill the land.
 4. ¹⁰A law to Ja - cob He con - firmed, A bond for Is - ra - el:

⁴2 O sing to Him, sing psalms to Him, His won - ders all re - call.
 The right - eous judg - ments of His mouth His mir - a - cles each one.
⁸He keeps in mind His cov - e - nant That it may al - ways stand.
¹¹"I will to you give Ca - naan's land, Where you as heir may dwell."

⁸3 Let hearts that seek the LORD re - joice, His ho - ly name a - dore.
⁶O you, the seed of Ab - ra - ham, God's ser - vant: you His sons,
 A thou - sand a - ges to en - dure Com - mand - ed He His Word,
 3 Let hearts that seek the LORD re - joice, His ho - ly name a - dore.

¹²4 O seek Je - ho - vah and His strength, His face seek ev - er - more.
 And all who sons of Ja - cob are, His own, His cho - sen ones.
⁹With A - brah'm made a cov - e - nant, The pro - mise I - saac heard.
 4 O seek Je - ho - vah and His strength, His face seek ev - er - more.

Music: Johnson's *Tennessee Harmony*, 1818; adapt. Gregory D. Wilbur, 2012 © greg.wilbur@gmail.com

Text: *Book of Psalms for Singing*, 1973 © 2009, Crown & Covenant Publications

CANAAN

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Leader: Lord in your mercy.... Congregation: Hear our prayers.

† *The Lord's Prayer* - Sung, lifting holy hands (Psalm 63:4).

Cantus Christi, p. 411

† Tribute Offering

† Offertory Prayer

† *Doxology* - Sung, lifting holy hands (Psalm 63:4).

Cantus Christi, p. 437

COMMUNION: THE PEACE OFFERING & EUCHARIST

The Sursum Corda

Minister: Lift up your hearts.

People: We lift them up unto the Lord.

Minister: Let us give thanks unto our Lord God.

People: It is good and right so to do.

Minister: It is truly good, right, and salutary ... evermore praising thee, and singing,

Sanctus

unison

fff Ho - ly! Ho - ly! Ho - ly! Lord, God of hosts. Heav - en and earth are

full of Your glo - ry! Ho - san - na in the high - est! Bless - ed is he who

comes in the name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est!

Music: arr. James B. Jordan, 2015

Text: Traditional

The Sign of Peace - *The peace of Christ to you.*

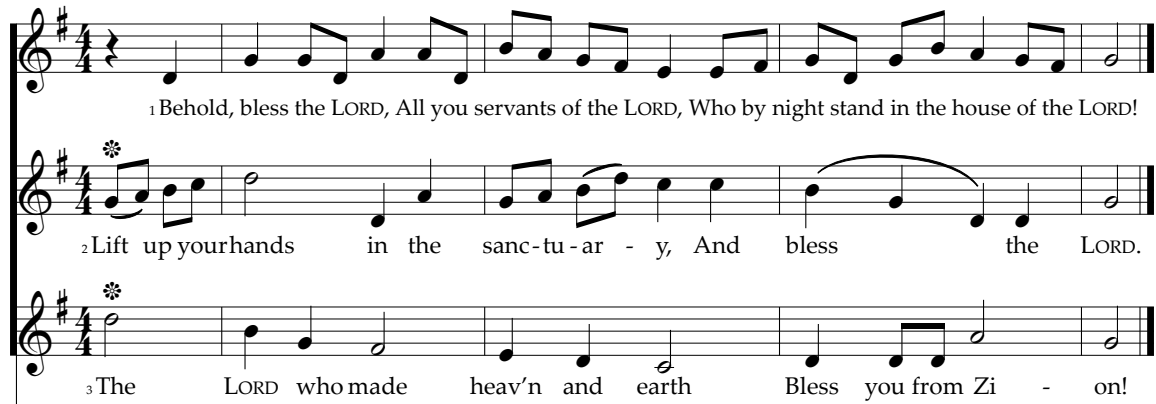
The Bread and the Wine - *All baptized Christians are welcome to the Table. Gluten free bread is available.*

Eucharist Hymns (following pages)

Psalm 134

A Song of Ascents.

3-part canon



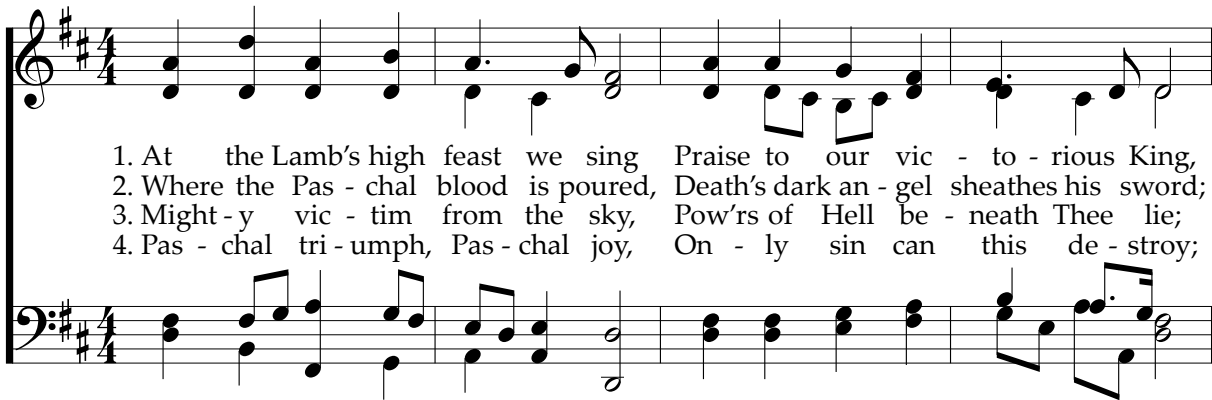
¹ Behold, bless the LORD, All you servants of the LORD, Who by night stand in the house of the LORD!

² Lift up your hands in the sanc-tu-ar-y, And bless the LORD.

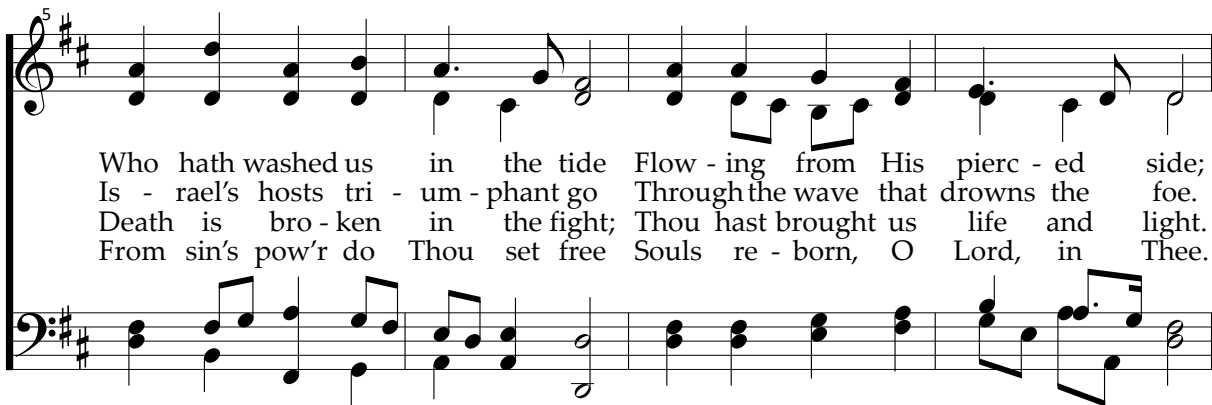
³ The LORD who made heav'n and earth Bless you from Zi-on!

Psalm 134 Instructions: First time, all sing unison. Next, three part round, starting with children, followed by men, and then women. Repeat round two times.

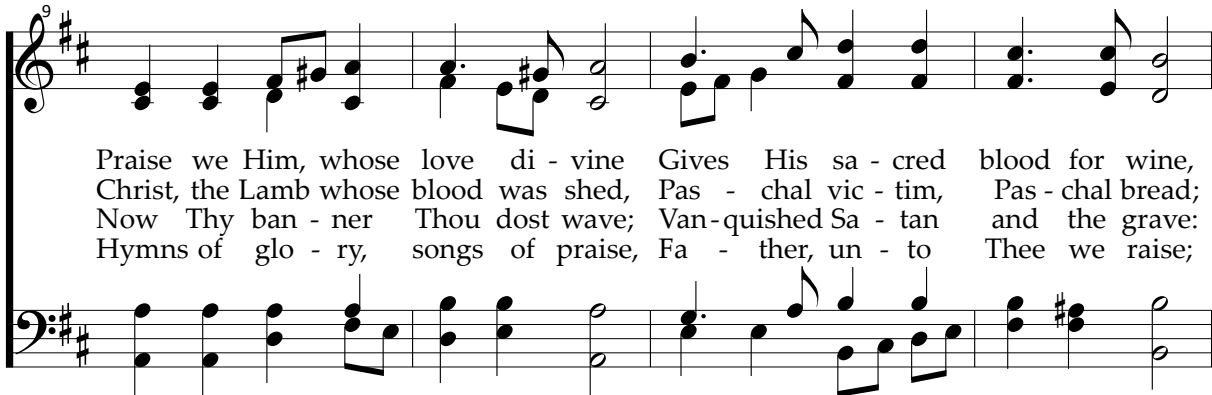
At the Lamb's High Feast We Sing



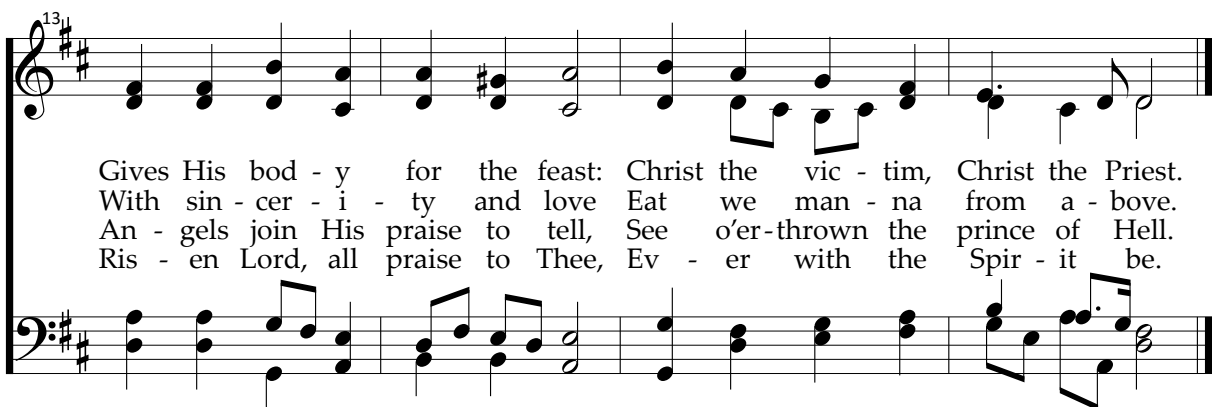
1. At the Lamb's high feast we sing Praise to our vic - to - rious King,
 2. Where the Pas - chal blood is poured, Death's dark an - gel sheathes his sword;
 3. Might - y vic - tim from the sky, Pow'rs of Hell be - neath Thee lie;
 4. Pas - chal tri - umph, Pas - chal joy, On - ly sin can this de - stroy;



Who hath washed us in the tide Flow - ing from His pierc - ed side;
 Is - rael's hosts tri - um - phant go Through the wave that drowns the foe.
 Death is bro - ken in the fight; Thou hast brought us life and light.
 From sin's pow'r do Thou set free Souls re - born, O Lord, in Thee.



Praise we Him, whose love di - vine Gives His sa - cred blood for wine,
 Christ, the Lamb whose blood was shed, Pas - chal vic - tim, Pas - chal bread;
 Now Thy ban - ner Thou dost wave; Van-quished Sa - tan and the grave:
 Hymns of glo - ry, songs of praise, Fa - ther, un - to Thee we raise;



Gives His bod - y for the feast: Christ the vic - tim, Christ the Priest.
 With sin - cer - i - ty and love Eat we man - na from a - bove.
 An - gels join His praise to tell, See o'er-thrown the prince of Hell.
 Ris - en Lord, all praise to Thee, Ev - er with the Spir - it be.

Music: Jakob Hintze, 1678; harm. Johann Sebastian Bach (1685–1750)
 Text: Latin hymn, 1600's; tr. Robert Campbell, 1849

SALZBURG (Hintze)
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To God Be the Glory

Capo 1: G D G D G C G

1. To God be the glo - ry, great things He has done! So loved He the world that
 2. O per - fect re-demp-tion, the pur-chase of blood! To ev - 'ry be - liev - er
 3. Great things He has taught us, great things He has done, And great our re - joic - ing

He gave us His Son Who yield - ed His life an a - tone - ment for sin And
 the pro-mise of God; The vil - est of - fend - er who tru - ly be - liev - es, That
 through Je - sus the Son; But pur - er and high - er and great - er will be Our

o - pened the life - gate that we may go in.
 mom - ent from Je - sus for-give-ness re-ceives. Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord! Let the
 won - der, our trans-port, when Je - sus we see.

earth hear His voice! Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord! Let the peo - ple re - joice! O come

to the Father through Jesus the Son, And give Him the glory, great things He has done!

God's Own Child, I Gladly Say It



1. God's own child, I glad - ly say it: I am bap - tized in - to Christ!
 2. Sin, dis - turb my soul no long - er: I am bap - tized in - to Christ!
 3. Sa - tan, hear this pro - clam - a - tion: I am bap - tized in - to Christ!
 4. Death, you can - not end my glad - ness: I am bap - tized in - to Christ!
 5. There is noth - ing worth com - par - ing To this life - long com - fort sure!

He, be - cause I could not pay it, Gave my full re - demp - tion price.
 I have com - fort e - ven strong - er: Je - sus' cleans - ing sac - ri - fice.
 Drop your ug - ly ac - cu - sa - tion, I am not so soon en - ticed.
 When I die, I leave all sad - ness To in - her - it Par - a - dise!
 O - pen - eyed my grave is star - ing; E - ven there I'll sleep se - cure.

Do I need earth's trea - sures man - y? I have one worth more than an - y
 Should a guilt - y con - science seize me Since my bap - tism did re - lease me
 Now that to the font I've tra - veled, All your might has come un - rav - eled,
 Though I lie in dust and ash - es Faith's as - sur - ance bright - ly flash - es:
 Though my flesh a - waits its rais - ing, Still my soul con - tin - ues prais - ing:

That brought me sal - va - tion free Last - ing to e - ter - ni - ty!
 In a dear for - giv - ing flood, Sprin - kling me with Je - sus' blood?
 And, a - gainst your tyr - an - ny, God my Lord u - nites with me!
 Bap - tism has the strength di - vine To make life im - mor - tal mine.
 I am bap - tized in - to Christ; I'm a child of Par - a - dise!

Music: Johann Caspar Bachofen (1695–1755); alt.

Text: Erdmann Neumeister (1671–1756); tr. Robert E. Voelker (1957–) © rev@mnsi.org

BACHOFEN

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† COMMISSION & BENEDICTION

Minister: Go in peace to love and serve the risen and reigning Lord Jesus Christ.

Congregation: Thanks be to God!

† Hymn - *Psalm 128*

Blest the Man That Fears Jehovah

From Psalm 128

The musical score is written for a four-part choir (Soprano, Alto, Tenor, Bass) in a 3/4 time signature with a key signature of two flats (B-flat and E-flat). The melody is primarily in the Soprano and Alto parts, with the Tenor and Bass parts providing harmonic support. The lyrics are written below the vocal staves, with line numbers 1, 2, 4, 8, 12, and 16 indicating the start of new lines of music.

1. ¹Blest the man that fears Je - ho - vah And that walk - eth in His ways;
2. ⁴Lo, on him that fears Je - ho - vah Shall this bless - ed - ness at - tend,

²Thou shalt eat of thy hands' la - bor And be pros - pered all thy days.
⁵For Je - ho - vah out of Zi - on Shall to thee His bless - ing send.

³Like a vine with fruit a - bound - ing In thy house thy wife is found,
Thou shalt see Je - ru - s'lem pros - per All thy days till life shall cease;

⁶And like ol - ive plants thy chil - dren, Com - pass - ing thy ta - ble 'round,
⁶Thou shalt see thy chil - dren's chil - dren. Un - to Is - ra - el be peace!

And like ol - ive plants thy chil - dren, Com - pass - ing thy ta - ble 'round.
Thou shalt see thy chil - dren's chil - dren. Un - to Is - ra - el be peace!

Music: Robert Lowry, 1875

Text: *The Book of Psalms for Singing*, 1973 ©

ALL THE WAY (Lowry)

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Visiting? Welcome! Use this QR code to check in so we can follow up with you.



Children: We firmly believe that children belong in the worship service, as Jesus himself said, “Let the children come to me, and do not hinder them, for to such belongs the kingdom of God.” While we strive for reverence and order in our worship, we understand that children may occasionally disrupt the service. In such cases, it is important for parents to take appropriate steps to restore order, whether by attending to their child's needs, discreetly stepping out of the sanctuary to discipline, or seeking respite in the nursery. Love your children by bringing them to the Pulpit and the Table, and instruct them in the fear of the Lord by teaching them to worship God with reverence and awe. If you are struggling to do this, we encourage you to seek wisdom from your brothers and sisters in Christ. **The chapel is equipped with a live stream of the service for families who may need to step out momentarily.**

Tithe + Offering: Please use the box at the back of the sanctuary for gifts.

Cover Art: *Fruit Displayed on a Stand* -- A painting by Gustave Caillebotte (1881). This painting illustrates one of today's Psalms, Psalm 128, as well as the sermon text.

PSALM OF THE DAY - PSALM 105

1
Oh give thanks to the Lord; call upon his
name;
make known his deeds among the
peoples!

2
Sing to him, sing praises to him;
tell of all his wondrous works!

3
Glory in his holy name;
let the hearts of those who seek
the Lord rejoice!

4
Seek the Lord and his strength;
seek his presence continually!

5
Remember the wondrous works that he
has done,
his miracles, and the judgments he
uttered,

6
O offspring of Abraham, his servant,
children of Jacob, his chosen ones!

7
He is the Lord our God;
his judgments are in all the earth.

8
He remembers his covenant forever,
the word that he commanded, for a
thousand generations,

9
the covenant that he made with Abraham,
his sworn promise to Isaac,

10
which he confirmed to Jacob as a statute,
to Israel as an everlasting covenant,

11
saying, “To you I will give the land of
Canaan
as your portion for an inheritance.”

All Saints Church is a Reformational and Covenantal Congregation in the Communion of Reformed Evangelical Churches (CREC), founded in 1999. Our vision is to grow in love and to reach out in love because we worship the loving God of the Bible - Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. We gather to renew our relationship with Him and one another in the Biblical pattern of historic Christian liturgy. In this we affirm God's promises to us and our children and are commissioned to live Christ-centered lives in the world.