

Welcome widely. Thrive deeply. Worship joyfully. Join neighbors.

GATHERING

Prelude in Classic Style

Welcome

Prayer of Invocation

Praise God for This Holy Ground, GTG 405, vs. 1, 2, and 5

Call to Worship

God Is Here, GTG 409

Confession and Assurance

The Peace

THE WORD

Introduction to the Scripture

Prayer of Illumination

Scripture: *John 14:15- 17*

Time for the Child in All of Us

Glory to God, Whose Goodness Shines on Me, GTG 582

Scripture: *Acts 17:22- 31*

Communion Meditation: *The Whole World in God's Hands*

Affirmation of Faith, *from A Declaration of Faith* (words on reverse)

Invitation to Discipleship

OFFERING

Invitation to Present Tithes and Offerings

Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow, GTG 609

Prayer of Dedication

Anthem: *Blessed Assurance* (words on reverse)

THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

Invitation to the Table

Great Thanksgiving

The Lord's Prayer, traditional version

Words of Institution

Communion of the People

We Are One in the Spirit, GTG 300

Prayer after Communion

SENDING

Alleluia, Alleluia! Give Thanks, GTG 240

Charge and Benediction

Hymn to Joy

Sixth Sunday of Easter, May 10, 2026

Affirmation of Faith

from A Declaration of Faith

Jesus was dead and buried,
but God raised him from the dead.

With the apostles and the church universal,
we declare that Jesus is Lord.

Christ is the foundation of the church,
therefore, it will not fall
despite our weakness.

We acknowledge one God alone,
whose demands on us are absolute,
whose help for us is sufficient.

That One is the Lord,
whom we worship, serve and love.

We must not set our ultimate reliance
on any other help.
We must not yield unconditional obedience
to any other power.
We must not love anyone or anything
more than we love God.

Worship is no retreat from the world;
it is part of our mission.

We serve humankind
by discerning what God is doing in the world
and joining with Christ in his work.

To worship God is highest joy.
To serve God is perfect freedom.

Now is the time of our testing
as God's story with the church
moves forward through us.

Jesus is Lord!
He has been Lord from the beginning.
He will be Lord at the end.
Even now he is Lord.

Blessed Assurance

arr. Mark Hayes

*Blessed assurance, Jesus is mine!
O what a foretaste of glory divine!
Heir of salvation, purchase of God,
Born of His Spirit, washed in His blood.*

*This is my story, this is my song.
Praising my Savior all the day long;
This is my story, this is my song.
Praising my Savior all the day long.*

*Perfect submission, perfect delight!
Visions of rapture now burst on my sight;
Angels descending, bring from above
Echos of mercy, whispers of love.*

*Perfect submission, all is at rest,
I in my Savior am happy and blest;
Watching and waiting, looking above,
Filled with his goodness, I'm lost in His love.*



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