

Order for the Worship of God
June 21, 2020
3rd Sunday after Pentecost
11:00 AM Worship Service

WE COME TO WORSHIP

CALL TO WORSHIP *(Responsive)*

Leader: I was glad when they said to me, "Let us go to the house of the Lord!"

All: Our God is loving and true, steadfast and faithful.

Leader: How blessed we are to be called children of God,

All: let us worship God who is with us always.

OPENING VOLUNTARY "Breathe on Me, Breath of God"

Alfred V. Fedak

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

HYMN #265 "Jesus Shall Reign Where'er the Sun"
(stanzas 1,2,5)

DUKE STREET

**Jesus shall reign where'er the sun
does its successive journeys run;
His kingdom stretch from shore to shore
till moons shall wax and wane no more.**

**To him shall endless prayer be made,
and praises throng to crown his head;
His name, like sweet perfume, shall rise
with every morning sacrifice.**

**Let every creature rise and bring
honors peculiar to our King;
angels descend with songs again,
and earth repeat the loud Amen!**

CALL TO CONFESSION

Paul Means, Associate Pastor

PRAYER OF CONFESSION *(Together)*

Almighty God, you poured your Spirit upon gathered disciples creating a bold new community of faith. We confess that we hold back the force of your Spirit among us. We often do not speak of your love or live as a people made one in Christ. Have mercy on us, O God. Trans-form our lives by the power of your Spirit. Father, hear our prayer, through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

ANTHEM

"With a Voice of Singing"
(recorded at the 11:00 service, September 15, 2019)

Martin Shaw

With a voice of singing declare ye this, and let it be heard, Alleluia.

*Utter it even unto the ends of the earth.
The Lord hath delivered his people, Alleluia!*

O be joyful in God, all ye lands.

O sing praises to the honor of his name, make his praise to be glorious.

With a voice of singing declare ye this, and let it be heard, Alleluia.

FATHER'S DAY VIDEO

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE & THE 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, forever. Amen.

CALL TO OFFERING

HYMN

"Take Time to Be Holy"

HOLINESS

(stanzas 1,2)

**Take time to be holy, speak oft with thy Lord;
abide in him always, and feed on his word.
Make friends of God's children, help those who are weak,
forgetting in nothing his blessing to seek.**

**Take time to be holy, the world rushes on;
Spend much time in secret with Jesus alone.
By looking to Jesus, like him thou shalt be;
Thy friends in thy conduct his likeness shall see.**

--William D. Longstaff, ca. 1882

WE GROW IN THE WORD

SCRIPTURE READING

2 Corinthians 3:18 (NRSV)

SERMON SERIES

Hear My Prayer
#2 "O Lord, Hear My Prayer, Transform Us!"
Chris Curvin, Pastor

WE GO OUT TO SERVE

HYMN #279

"Come, Holy Spirit, Heavenly Dove"

ST. AGNES

(stanzas 1,2,4)

**Come, Holy Spirit, heavenly Dove, with all thy quickening powers;
kindle a flame of sacred love in these cold hearts of ours.**

**In vain we tune our formal songs; in vain we strive to rise;
Hosannas languish on our tongues, and our devotion dies.**

**Come, Holy Spirit, heavenly Dove, with all thy quickening powers;
Come shed abroad a Savior's love, and that shall kindle ours.**

BENEDICTION

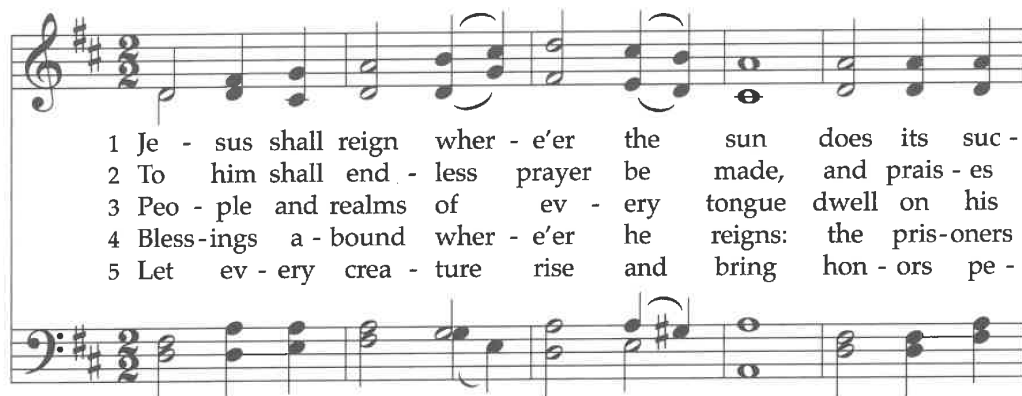
CLOSING VOLUNTARY

“Toccata on DUKE STREET”
(based on the tune of the first hymn, #265)

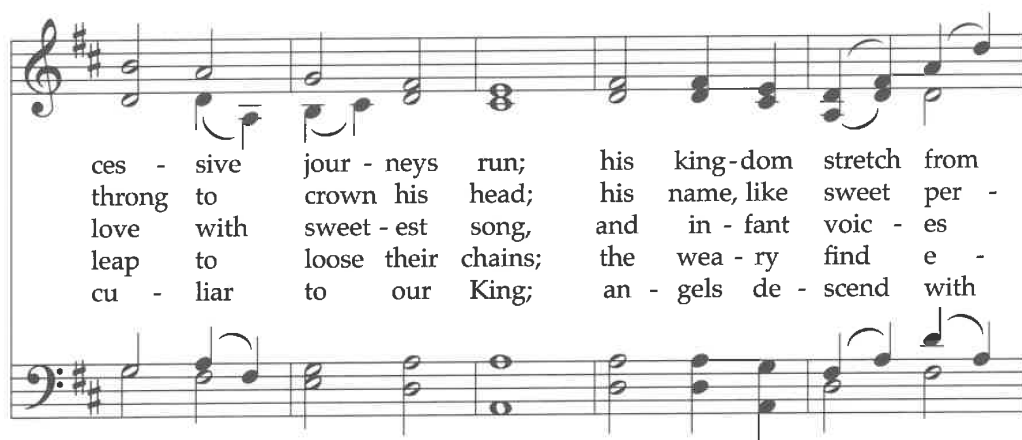
Gilbert M. Martin

Stephanie Carson, Music Director
Tom Huffman, Organist & Associate Music Director

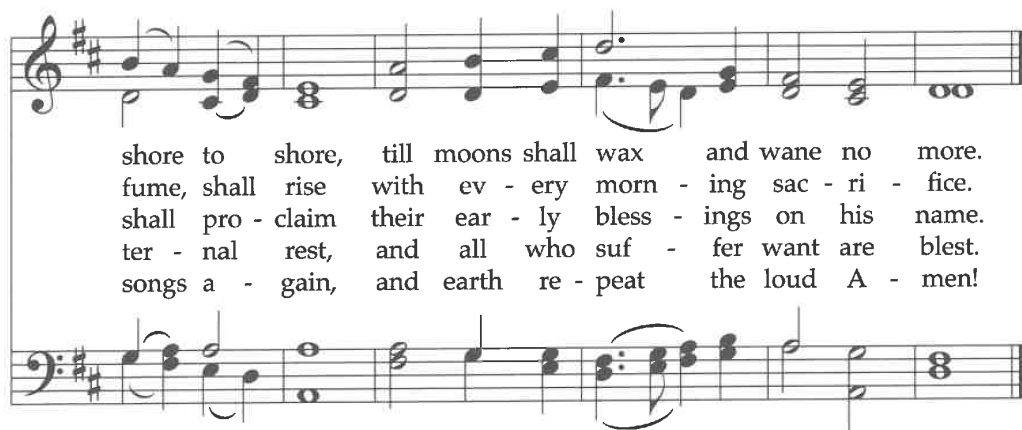
265 Jesus Shall Reign Where'er the Sun



1 Je - sus shall reign wher - e'er the sun does its suc -
 2 To him shall end - less prayer be made, and prais - es
 3 Peo - ple and realms of ev - ery tongue dwell on his
 4 Bless - ings a - bound wher - e'er he reigns: the pris - oners
 5 Let ev - ery crea - ture rise and bring hon - ors pe -



ces - sive jour - neys run; his king - dom stretch from
 throng to crown his head; his name, like sweet per -
 love with sweet - est song, and in - fant voic - es
 leap to loose their chains; the wea - ry find e -
 cu - liar to our King; an - gels de - scend with



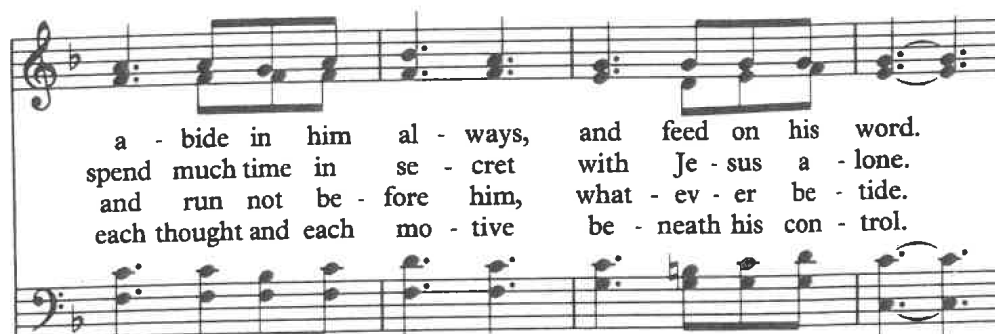
shore to shore, till moons shall wax and wane no more.
 fume, shall rise with ev - ery morn - ing sac - ri - fice.
 shall pro - claim their ear - ly bless - ings on his name.
 ter - nal rest, and all who suf - fer want are blest.
 songs a - gain, and earth re - peat the loud A - men!

This hymn is a classic example of how Isaac Watts Christianized the Psalms, in this case Psalm 72:5–19, by turning their messianic language to New Testament equivalents. The tune was at first nameless and anonymous, but is now called by the address of the supposed composer.

Take Time to Be Holy



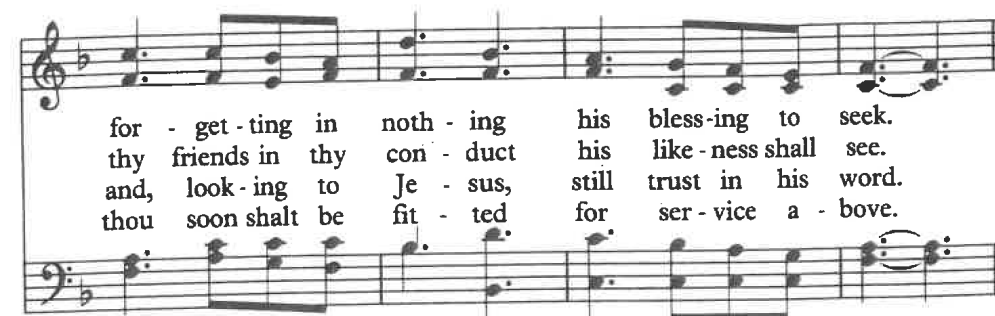
1. Take time to be ho - ly, speak oft with thy Lord;
 2. Take time to be ho - ly, the world rush - es on;
 3. Take time to be ho - ly, let him be thy guide,
 4. Take time to be ho - ly, be calm in thy soul,



a - bide in him al - ways, and feed on his word.
 spend much time in se - cret with Je - sus a - lone.
 and run not be - fore him, what - ev - er be - tide.
 each thought and each mo - tive be - neath his con - trol.



Make friends of God's chil - dren, help those who are weak,
 By look - ing to Je - sus, like him thou shalt be;
 In joy or in sor - row, still fol - low the Lord,
 Thus led by his spir - it to foun - tains of love,

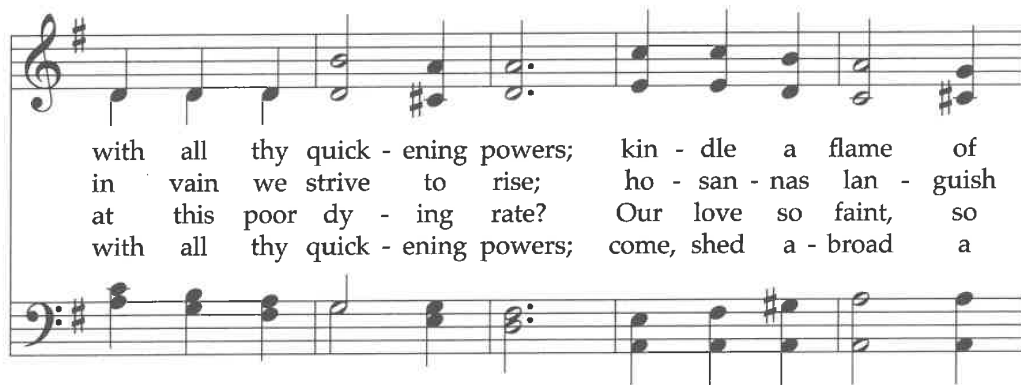


for - get - ting in noth - ing his bless - ing to seek.
 thy friends in thy con - duct his like - ness shall see.
 and, look - ing to Je - sus, still trust in his word.
 thou soon shalt be fit - ted for ser - vice a - bove.

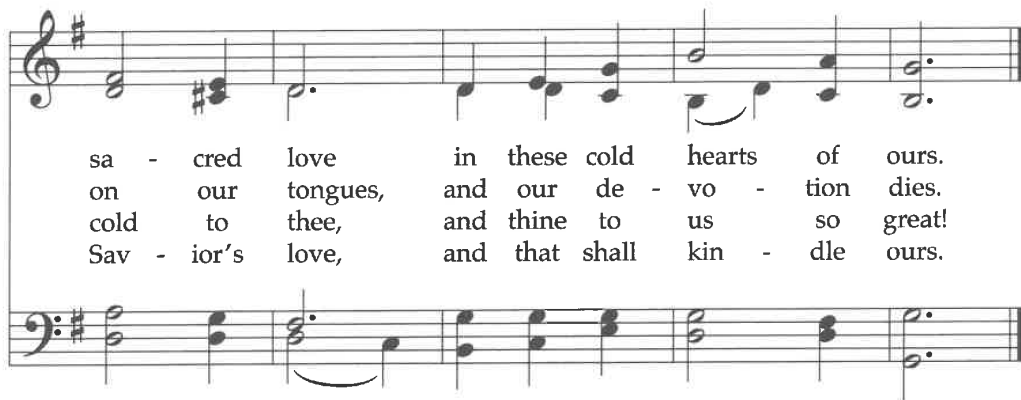
Come, Holy Spirit, Heavenly Dove 279



1 Come, Ho - ly Spir - it, heaven - ly Dove,
 2 In vain we tune our for - mal songs;
 3 Dear Lord, and shall we ev - er live
 4 Come, Ho - ly Spir - it, heaven - ly Dove,



with all thy quick - ening powers; kin - dle a flame of
 in vain we strive to rise; ho - san - nas lan - guish
 at this poor dy - ing rate? Our love so faint, so
 with all thy quick - ening powers; come, shed a - broad a



sa - cred love in these cold hearts of ours.
 on our tongues, and our de - vo - tion dies.
 cold to thee, and thine to us so great!
 Sav - ior's love, and that shall kin - dle ours.

In contrast with many hymns to the Holy Spirit, this one is notable for being in the plural, a valuable reminder that the Holy Spirit has been bestowed on the whole Church, not just on a few individuals. The tune was composed for "Jesus, the Very Thought of Thee" (no. 629).