

The Twenty-first Sunday after Pentecost

10:30 Zoom

October 25, 2020



**COMPASSION INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY**

**MORNING PRAYER**

CHRIST CHURCH ANGLICAN  
SAVANNAH, GA

OPENING HYMN

“Sing praise to God who reigns above”

1 Sing praise to God who reigns a - bove, the God of all cre -  
 2 What God's al - might - y power hath made, his gra - cious mer - cy  
 3 Let all who name Christ's ho - ly Name give God all praise and

a - tion, the God of power, the God of love, the God of  
 keep - eth; by morn - ing glow or eve - ning shade his watch - ful  
 glo - ry; let all who know his power pro - claim a - loud the

our sal - va - tion; with heal - ing balm my soul he fills, and  
 eye ne'er sleep - eth. With - in the king - dom of his might, lo!  
 won - drous sto - ry! Cast each false i - dol from its throne, the

ev - ery faith - less mur - mur stills: to God all praise and glo - ry.  
 all is just and all is right: to God all praise and glo - ry.  
 Lord is God, and he a - lone: to God all praise and glo - ry.

Words: Johann Jacob Schütz (1640-1690); tr. Frances Elizabeth Cox (1812-1897), alt.  
 Music: *Mit Freuden zart*, melody from “Une pastourelle gentille,” 1529;  
 adapt. *Pseaumes cinquante de David*, 1547, and *Kirchengeseng darinnen die Heubtartikel  
 des Christlichen Glaubens gefasset*, 1566

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*The Officiant may begin Morning Prayer by reading an opening sentence of Scripture.*

Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ.  
I was glad when they said unto me, “We will go into the house of the Lord.”

*Philippians 1:2  
Psalm 122:1*

CONFESSION OF SIN

*The Officiant says to the People*

Let us humbly confess our sins to Almighty God.

*Silence is kept. All kneeling, the Officiant and People say*

**Almighty and most merciful Father,**

**we have erred and strayed from your ways like lost sheep.**

**We have followed too much the devices and desires of our own hearts.**

**We have offended against your holy laws.**

**We have left undone those things which we ought to have done,  
and we have done those things which we ought not to have done;**

**and apart from your grace, there is no health in us.**

**O Lord, have mercy upon us.**

**Spare all those who confess their faults.**

**Restore all those who are penitent,**

**according to your promises declared to all people in Christ Jesus our Lord.**

**And grant, O most merciful Father, for his sake,**

**that we may now live a godly, righteous, and sober life,**

**to the glory of your holy Name. Amen.**

The Almighty and merciful Lord grant you absolution and remission of all your sins, true repentance, amendment of life,  
and the grace and consolation of his Holy Spirit. **Amen.**

CHILDREN’S HOMILY

## INVITATORY

*Officiant* O Lord, open our lips;

*People* **And our mouth shall proclaim your praise.**

*Officiant* O God, make speed to save us;

*People* **O Lord, make haste to help us.**

*Officiant* Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit;

*People* **As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.**

*Officiant* Praise the Lord.

*People* **The Lord's Name be praised.**

*Officiant* The earth is the Lord's for he made it: \*

*People* **O come, let us adore him.**

*VENITE* O Come

**O come, let us sing unto the Lord; \***

**let us heartily rejoice in the strength of our salvation.**

**Let us come before his presence with thanksgiving \***

**and show ourselves glad in him with psalms.**

**For the Lord is a great God \***

**and a great King above all gods.**

**In his hand are all the depths of the earth, \***

**and the heights of the hills are his also.**

**The sea is his, for he made it, \***

**and his hands prepared the dry land.**

**O come, let us worship and fall down, \***

**and kneel before the Lord our Maker.**

**For he is our God, \***

**and we are the people of his pasture, and the sheep of his hand.**

*Officiant* The earth is the Lord's for he made it: \*

*People* **O come, let us adore him.**

PSALM 1

1 Blessed is the man who has not walked in the counsel of the ungodly, \*  
**nor stood in the way of sinners, and has not sat in the seat of the scornful;**

2 But his delight is in the law of the LORD, \*  
**and on his law will he meditate day and night.**

3 And he shall be like a tree planted by the waterside, \*  
**that will bring forth his fruit in due season.**

4 His leaf also shall not wither; \*  
**and look, whatever he does, it shall prosper.**

5 As for the ungodly, it is not so with them; \*  
**but they are like the chaff, which the wind scatters away from the face of the earth.**

6 Therefore the ungodly shall not be able to stand in the judgment, \*  
**neither the sinners in the congregation of the righteous.**

7 For the LORD knows the way of the righteous, \*  
**but the way of the ungodly shall perish.**

*At the end of the Psalms the Gloria Patri (Glory be...) is sung or said*

**Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit; \***

**as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.**

THE LESSONS

THE FIRST LESSON 1 Thessalonians 2:1-8

*Reader* The Word of the Lord.

*People* **Thanks be to God.**

*TE DEUM LAUDAMUS* We Praise You, O God

**We praise you, O God; we acclaim you as Lord; \*  
all creation worships you, the Father everlasting.**

**To you all angels, all the powers of heaven, \*  
the cherubim and seraphim, sing in endless praise:**

**Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God of power and might, \*  
heaven and earth are full of your glory.**

**The glorious company of apostles praise you. \*  
The noble fellowship of prophets praise you.**

**The white-robed army of martyrs praise you. \*  
Throughout the world the holy Church acclaims you:**

**Father, of majesty unbounded, your true and only Son, worthy of all praise, \*  
and the Holy Spirit, advocate and guide.**

**You, Christ, are the king of glory, \*  
the eternal Son of the Father.**

**When you took our flesh to set us free \*  
you humbly chose the Virgin's womb.**

**You overcame the sting of death \*  
and opened the kingdom of heaven to all believers.**

**You are seated at God's right hand in glory. \*  
We believe that you will come to be our judge.**

**Come then, Lord, and help your people, \*  
bought with the price of your own blood,**

**and bring us with your saints \*  
to glory everlasting.**

THE SECOND LESSON Matthew 22:34-46

*Reader* The Word of the Lord.

*People* **Thanks be to God.**

ANNOUNCEMENTS

THE HYMN BEFORE THE SERMON

"I Love You, Lord"

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# I Love You, Lord

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F Eb F C F

I love You, Lord, \_\_\_\_\_ and I lift my voice \_\_\_\_\_

F7 Bb F/A Gm' F/A

\_\_\_\_\_ to wor - ship You. O my

C7sus C F Eb

soul, re - joice. Take joy, my King, \_\_\_\_\_

F C F F7

\_\_\_\_\_ in what You hear. \_\_\_\_\_ Let me be a

Bb F/A Gm7 C7 F Bb F

sweet, sweet, sound in Your ear. \_\_\_\_\_

THE APOSTLES' CREED

*Officiant and People together, all standing*

**I believe in God, the Father almighty,  
creator of heaven and earth.**

**I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord.**

**He was conceived by the Holy Spirit  
and born of the Virgin Mary.**

**He suffered under Pontius Pilate,  
was crucified, died, and was buried.**

**He descended to the dead.**

**On the third day he rose again.**

**He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father.**

**He will come again to judge the living and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit,  
the holy catholic Church,  
the communion of saints,**

**the forgiveness of sins,**

**the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.**

THE PRAYERS

*Officiant* The Lord be with you.

*People* **And with your spirit.**

*Officiant* Let us pray.

*The People kneel or stand.*

*Officiant* Lord, have mercy upon us.

*People* **Christ, have mercy upon us.**

*Officiant* Lord, have mercy upon us.

*Officiant and People*

**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,**

**for ever and ever. Amen.**

*Officiant* O Lord, show your mercy upon us;

*People* **And grant us your salvation.**

*Officiant* O Lord, guide those who govern us;

*People* **And lead us in the way of justice and truth.**

*Officiant* Clothe your ministers with righteousness;

*People* **And let your people sing with joy.**

*Officiant* O Lord, save your people;

*People* **And bless your inheritance.**

*Officiant* Give peace in our time, O Lord;

*People* **And defend us by your mighty power.**

*Officiant* Let not the needy, O Lord, be forgotten;

*People* **Nor the hope of the poor be taken away.**

*Officiant* Create in us clean hearts, O God;

*People* **And take not your Holy Spirit from us.**

THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

Almighty and everlasting God, you govern all things both in heaven and on earth: Mercifully hear the supplications of your people, and in our time grant us your peace; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

FOR AN ELECTION

Almighty God, to whom we must account for all our powers and privileges: Guide and direct, we humbly pray, the minds of all those who are called to elect fit persons to serve. Grant that in the exercise of our choice we may promote your glory, and the welfare of this *nation*. This we ask for the sake of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. **Amen.**

A LITANY OF THANKSGIVING

Let us give thanks to God our Father for all his gifts so freely bestowed upon us:

For the beauty and wonder of your creation, in earth and sky and sea,

**We thank you, Lord.**

For our daily food and drink, our homes and families, and our friends,

**We thank you, Lord.**

For minds to think, and hearts to love, and hands to serve,

**We thank you, Lord.**

For health and strength to work, and time to rest and worship,

**We thank you, Lord.**

For all who are patient in suffering and faithful in adversity,

**We thank you, Lord.**

For all who earnestly seek after truth, and all who labor for justice,

**We thank you, Lord.**

For all that is good and gracious in the lives of men and women, revealing the image of Christ,

**We thank you, Lord.**

For the communion of saints, in all times and places,

**We thank you, Lord.**

Above all, we give you thanks for the great mercies and promises given to us in Christ Jesus our Lord;

**To him be praise and glory, with you, O Father, and the Holy Spirit, now and for ever. Amen.**

O Lord our heavenly Father, whose blessed Son came not to be served, but to serve: We ask you to bless all who, following in his steps, give themselves to the service of others, especially for Compassion International; endue them with wisdom, patience, and courage, that they may strengthen the weak and raise up those who fall, and, being inspired by your love, may worthily minister to the suffering, the friendless, and the needy; for the sake of him who laid down his life for us, your Son our Savior Jesus Christ. **Amen.**

A PRAYER OF ST. JOHN CHRYSOSTOM

Almighty God, you have given us grace at this time, with one accord to make our common supplications to you; and you have promised through your well-beloved Son that when two or three are gathered together in his Name you will grant their requests: Fulfill now, O Lord, our desires and petitions as may be best for us; granting us in this world knowledge of your truth, and in the age to come life everlasting. **Amen.**

*Officiant* Let us bless the Lord.

*People* **Thanks be to God.**

CLOSING HYMN

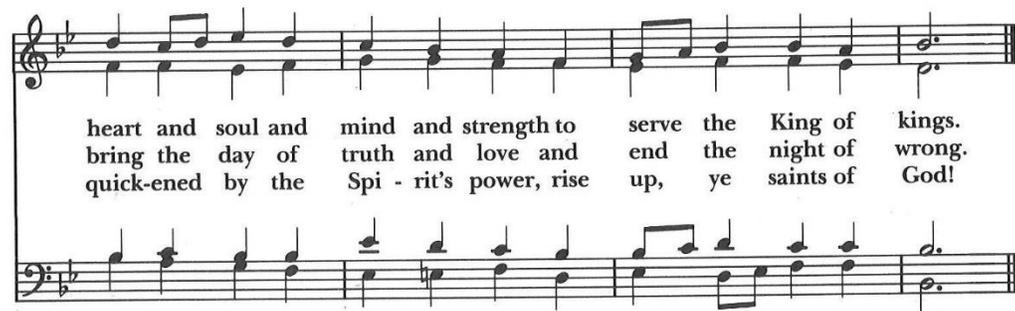
“Rise up, ye saints of God!”

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# Rise up, ye saints of God!



1 Rise up, ye saints of God! Have done with less - er things, give  
2 Rise up, ye saints of God! His king - dom tar - ries long: Lord,  
3 Lift high the cross of Christ! Tread where his feet have trod; and



heart and soul and mind and strength to serve the King of kings.  
bring the day of truth and love and end the night of wrong.  
quick-ened by the Spi - rit's power, rise up, ye saints of God!

Words: William Pierson Merrill (1867-1954), alt.  
Music: *Festal Song*, William H. Walter (1825-1893)

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*The Officiant says one of these concluding sentences*

Glory to God whose power, working in us, can do infinitely more than we can ask or imagine: Glory to him from generation to generation in the Church, and in Christ Jesus for ever and ever. **Amen.**

*Ephesians 3:20-21*