

We do not presume to come to this your table, merciful Lord, trusting in our own righteousness, but in your manifold and great mercies. We are not worthy so much as to gather up the crumbs under your table. But you are the same Lord, whose nature is always to have mercy. Grant us therefore, gracious Lord, so to eat the flesh of your dear Son Jesus Christ and to drink his blood, that our sinful bodies may be made clean by his body, and our souls washed through his most precious blood, and that we may evermore dwell in him, and he in us. Amen.

The Lord Jesus, on the night he was betrayed, took bread, and when he had given thanks, he broke it and said, "This is my body, which is for you; do this in remembrance of me." In the same way, after supper he took the cup, saying, "This cup is the new covenant in my blood; do this, whenever you drink it, in remembrance of me."

Every time we eat this bread and drink this cup,
We proclaim The Lord's death until he comes.

Draw near with faith, receive the body of our Lord Jesus Christ which he gave for you and his blood which he shed for you. Eat and drink in remembrance that he died for you and feed on him in your hearts by faith with thanksgiving.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Father of all, we give you thanks and praise, that when we were still far off you met us in your Son and brought us home. Dying and living, he declared your love, gave us grace, and opened the gate of glory. May we who share Christ's body live his risen life; we who drink his cup bring life to others; we whom the Spirit lights give light to the world. Keep us firm in the hope you have set before us, so we and all your children shall be free, and the whole earth live to praise your name; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

HOW DEEP THE FATHER'S LOVE FOR US,

How vast beyond all measure
That He should give His only Son
To make a wretch His treasure.
How great the pain of searing loss.
The Father turns His face away
As wounds which mar the Chosen One
Bring many sons to glory.

2. Behold the Man upon a cross,
My sin upon His shoulders.
Ashamed, I hear my mocking voice
Call out among the scoffers.
It was my sin that held Him there
Until it was accomplished;
His dying breath has brought me life.
I know that it is finished.

3. I will not boast in anything:
No gifts, no pow'r, no wisdom.
But I will boast in Jesus Christ:
His death and resurrection.
Why should I gain from His reward?
I cannot give an answer.
But this I know with all my heart:
His wounds have paid my ransom.

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Go in peace to speak and shine for Jesus,
In the name of Christ, Amen.

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A Warm Welcome to St. Andrew's

28th July 2024 11:15am Communion Service, the Ninth Sunday after Trinity
Phil Cairns is leading and **Joe Dent** is preaching on **Job 1: 6-22**

We meet in the name of God
Father Son and Holy Spirit.

TO GOD BE THE GLORY!

Great things He has done;
So loved He the world
That He gave us His Son.
Who yielded His life
An atonement for sin.
And opened the life-gate
That all may go in.

*Praise the Lord, praise the Lord!
Let the earth hear His voice;
Praise the Lord, praise the Lord!
Let the people rejoice.
Come to the Father
Through Jesus the Son,
Give Him the glory;
Great things He has done.*

O, perfect redemption,
The purchase of blood!
To every believer
The promise of God;
The vilest offender
Who truly believes.
That moment from Jesus
A pardon receives.

Great things He has taught us,
Great things He has done.
And great our rejoicing
Through Jesus the Son:
But purer, and higher,
And greater will be
Our wonder, our worship
When Jesus we see!

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NO ONE IS GOOD.

No one is holy before God.
I need someone to cleanse me.
No one is pure.
No one is righteous in Your sight.
I need someone to save me.

But I'm so glad You died and rose again
For helpless sinners like me.

*What a mighty, mighty Saviour You are.
What a mighty, mighty Saviour You are.
You can wash away my sin.
You can change my heart within.
What a mighty, mighty Saviour You are.*

Sin is too strong
For me to conquer on my own.
I need someone to help me.
I am too weak.
I cannot change my evil heart.
I need someone to save me.

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Prayers

*Lord in your mercy,
Hear our prayer.
Ending with...*

*Merciful Father,
Accept these prayers for the sake of your Son, our Saviour Jesus Christ. Amen.*

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins, as we forgive those who sin against us. Lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power and the glory are yours, now and for ever. Amen.

MY HOPE IS BUILT ON NOTHING LESS,

Than Jesus' blood and righteousness.
I dare not trust the sweetest frame,
But wholly trust in Jesus' Name.

*Christ alone. Cornerstone.
Weak made strong in the Saviour's love.
Through the storm, He is Lord.
Lord of all.*

When darkness seems to hide His face,
I rest on His unchanging grace.
In every high and stormy gale,
My anchor holds within the veil.
My anchor holds within the veil.

When He shall come with trumpet sound,
Oh may I then in Him be found.
Dressed in His righteousness alone.
Faultless I stand before the throne.

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Reading- **Job 1:6-22 p 509-510**

This is the word of The Lord
Thanks be to God.

Sermon—Joe Dent

BEHOLD THE LAMB WHO BEARS OUR SINS AWAY,

Slain for us: and we remember
The promise made that all who come in
faith
Find forgiveness at the cross.
So, we share in this Bread of Life,
And we drink of His sacrifice,
As a sign of our bonds of peace
Around the table of the King.

2. The body of our Saviour, Jesus Christ,
Torn for you: eat and remember
The wounds that heal, the death that brings
us life,
Paid the price to make us one.
So, we share in this Bread of Life,
And we drink of His sacrifice,
As a sign of our bonds of love
Around the table of the King.

3. The blood that cleanses every stain of
sin,
Shed for you: drink and remember
He drained death's cup that all may enter in
To receive the life of God.
So, we share in this Bread of Life,
And we drink of His sacrifice,
As a sign of our bonds of grace
Around the table of the King.

4. And so with thankfulness and faith we
rise
To respond and to remember
Our call to follow in the steps of Christ
As His body here on earth.
As we share in His suffering,
We proclaim: Christ will come again!
And we'll join in the feast of heaven
Around the table of the King.

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Confession

God of mercy, we acknowledge that we are all sinners. We turn from the wrong that we have thought and said and done, and are mindful of all that we have failed to do. For the sake of Jesus, who died for us, forgive us for all that is past, and help us to live each day in the light of Christ our Lord. Amen.