JUNE 1, 2025

THE SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION LITURGY

(The congregation please respond with the **bold** type)

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them up to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

It is truly right and our greatest joy to give you thanks and praise, O Lord our God, creator and ruler of the universe.

Your word goes forth to the ends of the earth, accomplishing all that you desire, planting seeds of promise and bearing good fruit.

Therefore, we praise you, joining our voices with the celestial choirs and with all the faithful of every time and place, who forever sing to the glory of your name:

(sung by congregation)

Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power; God of might, heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest. Hosanna in the highest.

You are holy, O God of majesty, and blessed is Jesus Christ your Son, our Lord.

Jesus scatters the seeds of the gospel in every place, so that your holy realm might flourish in the world. May those who receive his word respond with conviction and joy.

Remembering your gracious acts in Jesus Christ, we take from your creation this bread and this wine and joyfully celebrate his dying and rising as we await the day of his coming. With thanksgiving we offer

our very selves to you to be a living and holy sacrifice, dedicated to your service. Great is the mystery of faith:

(sung by congregation)

Christ has died, Christ is risen; Christ will come again. Christ has died, Christ is risen; Christ will come again.

PRAYER

Gracious God, pour out your Holy Spirit upon us and upon these your gifts of bread and wine, so that the bread we break and the cup we bless may truly be for us the communion of the body and blood of Christ. Strengthen us in holiness, faithfulness, joy, and love, so that we may be ready at the coming of the Lord.

BREAKING OF THE BREAD

The blessing of the Bread and Cup with the words of Jesus.

COMMUNION OF THE PEOPLE

Partake the bread and cup with the church together.

UNISON PRAYER

We give thanks, LORD God, for the gift of faith you have planted in us. Help us to share your gospel invitation through the fruit of our lives. Grow your word in us so that we can give it to your hungry, hurting world. Through Jesus, in the power of the Holy Spirit, in gratitude for your grace toward us, we give you our lives, O God our Father. Amen.