

# The Church of the Good Shepherd



The 23<sup>rd</sup> Sunday after Pentecost

October 27, 2024



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## We Welcome Our Guests

The Good Shepherd faith community welcomes those who are visitors. Your presence and participation in our worship service is a blessing to us all. All are welcome, whoever you are, just as you are!

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### Good Shepherd's Sunday School

Sunday School is held during the first half of our 10am Sunday Service, on the first and third Sunday of the month. All Sunday School volunteers have undergone CORI background checks and received training, including the Safe Church training required by the Episcopal Church for all those who work with children.

### Good Shepherd's Sunday Nursery

Children of all ages are always welcome at our Sunday Services. Good Shepherd operates a nursery on Sunday from 9:50 –11:10am for infants and children through kindergarten (age 5-6) for those who wish to use it. The nursery is staffed by two adults who have completed Safe Church Training and a CORI background check.

For more information about our Good Shepherd Community please go to our website at [www.goodshepherdwareham.org](http://www.goodshepherdwareham.org) or scan the QR Code here.



Again, thank you for blessing us with your presence and participation this morning!

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OCTOBER 27, 2024		NOVEMBER 3, 2024	
8AM	10AM	8AM	10AM
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## **THE LITURGY OF THE WORD**

**The Gathering Song**  
(10am Service)

“We Walk By Faith”  
(please stand as you are able)

(see page 8)

### **The Opening Acclamation**

*Presider:* Blessed be the one, holy, and living God.

*People:* **Glory to God forever and ever. Amen.**

### **The Service Introduction**

### **The Confession**

*Deacon:*

Remembering that we are loved and that we sometimes fall short in following Jesus' commandment to love one another, let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

*People:*

**Most merciful God,**

**we confess of the ways we have sinned against you**

**in thought, word, and deed,**

**by what we have done,**

**and by what we have left undone.**

**For the times we have not loved you with our whole heart;**

**and have not loved our neighbors as ourselves.**

**We are truly sorry and we humbly repent.**

**Have mercy on us and forgive us;**

**that we may delight in your will,**

**and walk in your ways,**

**to the glory of your name. Amen.**

### **Absolution**

*Presider:* Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you your sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life. **Amen.**

## **The Opening Prayer**

*Presider:* The Lord be with you.

*People:* **And also with you.**

*Presider:* Together, let us pray.

**Eternal light, shine in our hearts.**

**Eternal wisdom, scatter the darkness of our ignorance.**

**Eternal compassion, have mercy on us.**

**Turn us to seek your face,**

**and enable us to reflect your goodness,**

**through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. *Amen.***

*(please be seated)*

## **First Reading: Job 42:1-6, 10-17**

Job answered the LORD:

“I know that you can do all things,  
and that no purpose of yours can be thwarted.  
‘Who is this that hides counsel without knowledge?’  
Therefore I have uttered what I did not understand,  
things too wonderful for me, which I did not know.  
‘Hear, and I will speak;  
I will question you, and you declare to me.’  
I had heard of you by the hearing of the ear,  
but now my eye sees you;  
therefore I despise myself,  
and repent in dust and ashes.”

And the LORD restored the fortunes of Job when he had prayed for his friends; and the LORD gave Job twice as much as he had before. Then there came to him all his brothers and sisters and all who had known him before, and they ate bread with him in his house; they showed him sympathy and comforted him for all the evil that the LORD had brought upon him; and each of them gave him a piece of money and a gold ring. The LORD blessed the latter days of Job more than his beginning; and he had fourteen thousand sheep, six thousand camels, a thousand yoke of oxen, and a thousand donkeys. He also had seven sons and three daughters. He named the first Jemimah, the second Keziah, and the third Keren-happuch. In all the land there were no women so beautiful as Job’s daughters; and their father gave them an inheritance along with their brothers. After this Job lived for one hundred and

forty years, and saw his children, and his children's children, four generations. And Job died, old and full of days.

*Reader:* The Word of the Lord

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

### Psalm 34:1-8

*Reader:* Let us recite Psalm 34 responsively by half verse

- <sup>1</sup> I will bless the LORD at all times; \*  
**his praise shall ever be in my mouth.**
- <sup>2</sup> I will glory in the LORD; \*  
**let the humble hear and rejoice.**
- <sup>3</sup> Proclaim with me the greatness of the LORD; \*  
**let us exalt his Name together.**
- <sup>4</sup> I sought the LORD, and he answered me \*  
**and delivered me out of all my terror.**
- <sup>5</sup> Look upon him and be radiant, \*  
**and let not your faces be ashamed.**
- <sup>6</sup> I called in my affliction and the LORD heard me \*  
**and saved me from all my troubles.**
- <sup>7</sup> The angel of the LORD encompasses those who fear him, \*  
**and he will deliver them.**
- <sup>8</sup> Taste and see that the LORD is good; \*  
**happy are they who trust in him!**

### Gospel Acclamation:

"Alleluia"

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(10AM Service)

*(please stand as you are able)*

Al - le - lu - ia.      Al - le - lu - ia.      Al - le - lu - ia.

Al - le - lu - ia.      Al - le - lu - ia.      Al - le - lu - ia.

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## **The Holy Gospel: Mark 10:46-52**

*Deacon:* The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Mark.

*People:* **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

Jesus and his disciples came to Jericho. As he and his disciples and a large crowd were leaving Jericho, Bartimaeus son of Timaeus, a blind beggar, was sitting by the roadside. When he heard that it was Jesus of Nazareth, he began to shout out and say, "Jesus, Son of David, have mercy on me!" Many sternly ordered him to be quiet, but he cried out even more loudly, "Son of David, have mercy on me!" Jesus stood still and said, "Call him here." And they called the blind man, saying to him, "Take heart; get up, he is calling you." So throwing off his cloak, he sprang up and came to Jesus. Then Jesus said to him, "What do you want me to do for you?" The blind man said to him, "My teacher, let me see again." Jesus said to him, "Go; your faith has made you well." Immediately he regained his sight and followed him on the way.

*Deacon:* The Gospel of the Lord.

*People:* **Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

## **The Gospel Acclamation (10AM Service)**

*Repeat Gospel Acclamation Refrain once (page 3)*

## **The Message (please be seated)**

## **The Prayers of the People (please stand as you are able)**

*Leader:* God in your love for us.

*People:* **Hear our prayer.**

## **The Peace**

*Presider:* The peace of the Lord be always with you.

*People:* **And also with you.**

*Let us take a moment to turn and share the sign of peace verbally with those around us. We will then pray together the Prayer of St. Francis.*

## **The Prayer of St. Francis**

*Presider and People:*

**Lord, make us instruments of your peace.**

**Where there is hatred, let us sow love;**

**where there is injury, pardon;**

**where there is discord, union;**

**where there is doubt, faith;**

**where there is despair, hope;**

**where there is darkness, light;**

**where there is sadness, joy.**

**Grant that we may not so much seek to be consoled as to console;**

**to be understood as to understand;**

**to be loved as to love.**

**For it is in giving that we receive;**

**it is in pardoning that we are pardoned;**

**and it is in dying that we are born to eternal life. Amen.**

**The Announcements**                      *(please be seated)*

## **Our Sunday Offerings:**

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**The Offertory Anthem:**

*(10AM Service)*

**"Bartimaeus"**

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# THE LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

*(please stand as you are able)*

## **The Great Thanksgiving**

*Presider:* The Lord be with you.

*People:* **And also with you.**

*Presider:* Lift up your hearts.

*People:* **We lift them to the Lord.**

*Presider:* Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

*People:* **It is right to give God thanks and praise.**

*The Presider continues with the Eucharistic Prayer.*

## **The Words of Praise**

*Presider and People:*

**Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and 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.**

*The Presider continues with the Eucharistic Prayer.*

## **The Memorial Acclamation**

*Presider & People:*

We remember his death.

We proclaim his resurrection.

We await his coming in glory.

*The Presider continues with the Eucharistic Prayer.*

## **The Lord's Prayer**

*Presider 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.**

### **The Breaking of the Bread**

*Presider:* We who break this bread, share in the Body of Christ.

*People:* **We who are many are one body in Christ.**

### **Communion**

*All are invited to receive communion, no exceptions. Please come to the front of the church as directed by the hospitality minister. To receive the communion bread, please extend your hands, one on top of the other, with your palms up. To receive from the communion cup you may dip the communion wafer into the wine in the cup or take the cup into your hands and drink from it. The response to receiving communion is "Amen". If you need to have communion brought to you, please inform the hospitality minister. Gluten free wafers are available. If you would like a gluten free wafer, please inform the priest when you come up for communion.*

*(please be seated after receiving communion)*

**Communion Music:** "Remember Me" Instrumental      WORSHIPcast License #15291  
*(10AM Service)*      Robert Lopez and Kristen Anderson-Lopez

### **The Prayer after Communion**      *(please stand as you are able)*

*Presider:* Together let us pray.

*Presider and People:*

**God of unbounded love and compassion,  
you have united us with Christ and one another;  
and have made us one  
with all your people in heaven and on earth.  
May this time of worship transform our hearts,  
as we go forth to proclaim in word and deed  
your message of love;  
through Christ our Lord. Amen.**

### **The Blessing**

#### **Dismissal**

*People's Response:* **Thanks be to God.**

**The Concluding Song:** "Every Day I Will Sing"      *(see page 9-10)*  
*(10AM Service)*

**The Postlude:** "Remember Me"      WORSHIPcast License #15291  
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"We Walk By Faith"

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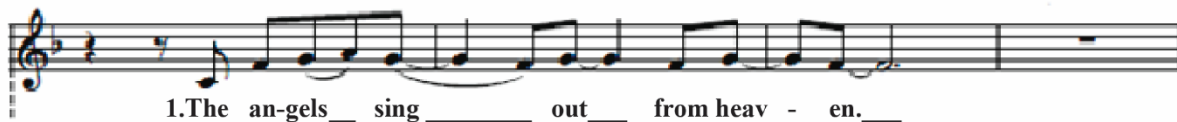


- 1,5. We walk by faith, and not by sight: no gra - cious words we hear  
2. We may not touch his hands and side, nor fol - low where he trod;  
3. Help then, O Lord, our un - be - lief, and may our faith a - bound;  
4. That when our life of faith is done in realms of clear - er light



- 1,5 \_ of him who spoke as none e'er spoke but we be - lieve him near.\_\_\_\_  
2. \_ yet in his prom - ise we re - joice and cry "My Lord and God!"\_\_\_\_  
3. \_ to call on you when you are near, and seek where you are found:\_\_\_\_  
4. \_ we may be - hold you as you are in full and end - less sight.\_\_\_\_

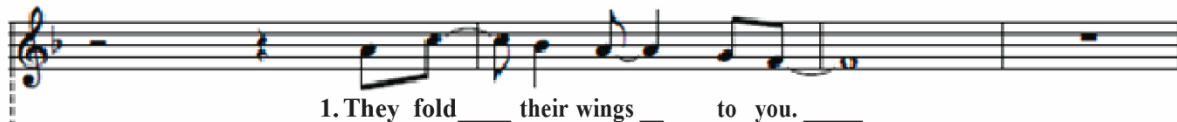
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1. The an-gels sing out from heav - en.



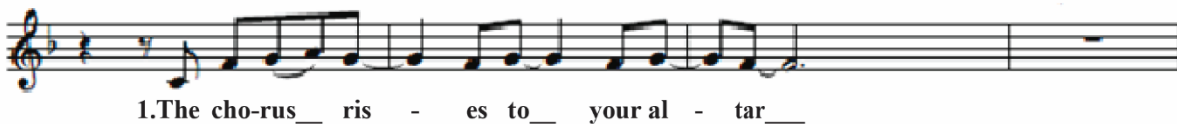
2. You lift me up from out of dark - ness.



1. They fold their wings to you.



2. Your love brings heal - ing to my soul.



1. The cho-rus ris - es to your al - tar.



2. You are the pow - er-ful and ev - er-liv - ing God.



1. sing - ing, “Ho - ly are you, Lord”.



2. You fill my heart and make me whole.



Melody  
1.2. Great are you. my Lord.

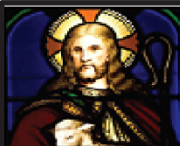


1.2. Great are you. my Lord.

Refrain

Ev-ery day I will sing of your glo - ry, ev-ery  
 day I will sing of your grace, ev-ery day I will lift  
 my hands. You are my God, you are my king.  
 my king.  
 Ev-ery day I will raise  
 my hands, I will raise my eyes, I will raise my voice.

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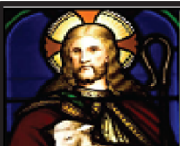
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