



CHURCH *of the*  
**INCARNATION**

**The Third Sunday after Pentecost**

**June 13, 2021**

*Contemporary Service*

# ORDER OF SERVICE

## SONG

*Here For You*

*Verse 1* Let our praise be Your welcome, let our songs be a sign  
We are here for You, we are here for You  
Let Your breath come from heaven, fill our hearts with Your life  
We are here for You, we are here for You

*Chorus* To You our hearts are open  
Nothing here is hidden  
You are our one desire  
You alone are holy  
Only You are worthy  
God, let Your fire fall down

*Verse 2* Let our shout be Your anthem, Your renown fill the skies  
We are here for You, we are here for You  
Let Your Word move in power, let what's dead come to life  
We are here for You, we are here for You

*Bridge* We welcome You with praise, we welcome You with praise  
Almighty God of love be welcomed in this place

Let every heart adore, let every soul awake  
Almighty God of love be welcomed in this place

## OPENING ACCLAMATION

*Celebrant* Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

*People* And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.

*All* Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy Name; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

## SONG

*Spirit Break Out*

*Verse 1*      Our Father, all of Heaven roars Your name  
Sing louder, let this place erupt with praise  
Can you hear it, the sound of Heaven touching earth  
The sound of Heaven touching earth

*Chorus*      Spirit break out  
Break our walls down  
Spirit break out  
Heaven come down

*Verse 2*      King Jesus, You're the name we're lifting high  
Your glory shaking up the earth and skies  
Revival, we wanna see Your kingdom here  
We wanna see Your kingdom here

## THE COLLECT

*Celebrant*    The Lord be with you.

*People*        And with your spirit.

*Celebrant*    Let us pray.

O Lord, make us have perpetual love and reverence for your holy Name, for you never fail to help and govern those whom you have set upon the sure foundation of your loving-kindness; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.*

## READING

Genesis 12:1–4

Now the Lord said to Abram, “Go from your country and your kindred and your father’s house to the land that I will show you. And I will make of you a great nation, and I will bless you, and make your name great, so that you will be a blessing. I will bless those who bless you, and him who curses you I will curse; and by you all the families of the earth shall bless themselves.” So Abram went, as the Lord had told him; and Lot went with him. Abram was seventy-five years old when he departed from Haran.

*Reader*        The Word of the Lord.

*People*        Thanks be to God.

## GRADUAL SONG

*Deliver Me (Psalm 120)*

*Verse 1*        Deliver, rescue, save  
My Lord, I cry distress to You  
Deceitful lips and lying tongues  
A siege around my soul

*Chorus*        Oh deliver me from treachery  
Oh deliver from deceit  
Oh deliver me from treachery  
Oh deliver me from deceit

*Verse 2*        Despondent, retched, oh my Lord,  
I live with those at war  
Too long have I lived with those who hate peace,  
Their lies devour all

*Verse 3*        Forever, have I lived, my Lord  
Within this war and hate  
I am for peace but when I speak  
I run to all the lies

## GOSPEL

Luke 14:16–24

*Deacon* ✠ The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Saint Luke.  
*People* Glory to you, Lord Christ.

Jesus said, "A man once gave a great banquet, and invited many; and at the time for the banquet he sent his servant to say to those who had been invited, 'Come; for all is now ready.' But they all alike began to make excuses. The first said to him, 'I have bought a field, and I must go out and see it; I pray you, have me excused.' And another said, 'I have bought five yoke of oxen, and I go to examine them; I pray you, have me excused.' And another said, 'I have married a wife, and therefore I cannot come.' So the servant came and reported this to his master. Then the householder in anger said to his servant, 'Go out quickly to the streets and lanes of the city, and bring in the poor and maimed and blind and lame.' And the servant said, 'Sir, what you commanded has been done, and still there is room.' And the master said to the servant, 'Go out to the highways and hedges, and compel people to come in, that my house may be filled. For I tell you, none of those men who were invited shall taste my banquet.'"

*Deacon* The Gospel of the Lord.  
*People* Praise to you, Lord Christ.

## SERMON

Fr. Thomas Kincaid

## THE NICENE CREED

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father. Through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven: by the power of the Holy Spirit he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary, and was made man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son. With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified. He has spoken through the Prophets. We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

## PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

*Leader* Let us pray for the Church and for the world.

Grant, Almighty God, that all who confess your Name may be united in your truth, live together in your love, and reveal your glory in the world. Lord, in your mercy

*People* Hear our prayer.

*Leader* Guide the people of this land, and of all the nations, in the ways of justice and peace; that we may honor one another and serve the common good.

Lord, in your mercy

*People* Hear our prayer.

*Leader* Give us all a reverence for the earth as your own creation, that we may use its resources rightly in the service of others and to your honor and glory.

Lord, in your mercy

*People* Hear our prayer.

*Leader* Bless all whose lives are closely linked with ours, and grant that we may serve Christ in them, and love one another as he loves us. Lord, in your mercy

*People* Hear our prayer.

*Leader* Comfort and heal all those who suffer in body, mind, or spirit; give them courage and hope in their troubles, and bring them the joy of your salvation.  
Lord, in your mercy

*People* Hear our prayer.

*Leader* We commend to your mercy all who have died, that your will for them may be fulfilled; and we pray that we may share with all your saints in your eternal kingdom. Lord, in your mercy

*People* Hear our prayer.

*The Celebrant adds a concluding Collect.*

## **CONFESSION & ABSOLUTION**

*Deacon* Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

*All kneel.*

*Deacon & People*

Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, 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.

*The Celebrant stands and gives the Absolution, after which all stand.*

## **THE PEACE**

*Celebrant* The peace of the Lord be always with you.

*People* And with your spirit.

*All greet one another from your seats with a sign of peace in the name of the Lord.*

## WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

### BIRTHDAY BLESSING

Watch over your children, O Lord, as their days increase; bless and guide them wherever they may be. Strengthen them when they stand; comfort them when discouraged or sorrowful; raise them up if they fall; and in their hearts may your peace which passes understanding abide all the days of their lives; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

### OFFERTORY SONG

*Psalm 46 (Lord of Hosts)*

*The Minister begins the Offertory with a sentence of Scripture.*

*Verse 1*      O come behold the works of God  
                  The nations at His feet  
                  He breaks the bow and bends the spear, and tells the wars to cease  
                  O Mighty One of Israel, You are on our side  
                  We walk by faith in God who burns the chariots with fire

*Chorus*        Lord of Hosts, You're with us  
                  With us in the fire  
                  With us as a shelter  
                  With us in the storm  
                  You will lead us  
                  Through the fiercest battle  
                  Oh where else would we go  
                  But with the Lord of Hosts

*Verse 2*        O God of Jacob, fierce and great  
                  You lift Your voice to speak  
                  The earth it bows and all the mountains move into the sea  
                  O Lord You know the hearts of men, and still You let them live  
                  O God, who makes the mountains melt  
                  Come wrestle us and win

*Bridge*        Though oceans roar, You are the Lord of all  
                  The one who calms the wind and waves and makes my heart be still  
                  Though the earth gives way, the mountains move into the sea  
                  The nations rage, I know my God is in control



## **THE GREAT THANKSGIVING**

*Celebrant* The Lord be with you.

*People* And with your spirit.

*Celebrant* Lift up your hearts.

*People* We lift them to the Lord.

*Celebrant* Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

*People* It is right to give him thanks and praise.

*The Celebrant continues with the Preface, which concludes*

Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who forever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

## **SANCTUS & BENEDICTUS**

*Celebrant & 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.

*All kneel. The Celebrant continues with the Eucharistic Prayer.*

*Celebrant* Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

*All* Christ has died.

Christ is risen.

Christ will come again.

*The Celebrant continues with the Eucharistic Prayer, which concludes*

By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours,  
Almighty Father, now and for ever. *AMEN.*

And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say,

*Celebrant & 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 Celebrant breaks the consecrated bread and a period of silence is kept.*

*Celebrant* Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;  
*People* Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.

## **THE PRAYER OF HUMBLE ACCESS**

*Celebrant* We do not presume  
*All* to come to this your table, O merciful Lord,  
trusting in our own righteousness,  
but in your abundant 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 property 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 we may evermore dwell in him, and he in us. Amen.

*Celebrant* The Gifts of God for the People of God.

*Please remain kneeling. Holy Communion will be brought to you in your pew.*

### **Instructions for Holy Communion**

All Christians who have been baptized with water and in the Name of the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit, who come forward in faith and are permitted to receive Holy Communion in their own church, are welcome to do so on this occasion.

Communion is received in the following way: a priest places the Bread in the palm of your hand, which you then consume. If you do not wish to receive Communion, simply cross your arms over your chest.

Please feel free to consult with a member of the clergy if you have more questions.

## SONG

*Come, Holy Spirit, Heavenly Dove*

- Verse 1*      Come, Holy Spirit, heavenly Dove  
                  With all Thy quickening powers  
                  Kindle a flame of sacred love  
                  In these cold hearts of ours
- Verse 2*      Look how we grovel here below  
                  Fond of these earthly toys  
                  Our souls can neither fly nor go  
                  To reach eternal joys
- Verse 3*      In vain we tune our formal songs  
                  In vain we strive to rise  
                  Hosannas languish on our tongues  
                  And our devotion dies
- Verse 4*      Dear Lord! and shall we ever live  
                  At this poor dying rate  
                  Our love so faint, so cold to Thee,  
                  And Thine to us so great!

## POST-COMMUNION PRAYER

*Celebrant & People*

Eternal God, heavenly Father, you have graciously accepted us as living members of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ, and you have fed us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood. Send us now into the world in peace, and grant us strength and courage to love and serve you with gladness and singleness of heart; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

## BLESSING

## DISMISSAL

- Deacon*      Let us go forth into the world, rejoicing in the power of the Spirit.  
*People*        Thanks be to God.

# ON THE CALENDAR

## THE SUMMER OF LEWIS

SUNDAYS IN JUNE • 10:20 AM

**ED BLDG, ROOM 205 & ONLINE VIA ZOOM**

Join us for a 4-week Sunday School class in June looking at selected essays from noted Anglican apologist and author, C.S. Lewis' book "Weight of Glory."

## GAMERS

MONDAYS IN JUNE, JULY & AUGUST • 1 PM

**EDUCATION BUILDING LOBBY, NEAR ROOM 205**

Calling all Gamers! Bridge and American Mah Jong. Supervised play with Instructor only for Bridge.

## THEOLOGY LIVE

MONDAY, JUNE 13 • 6 PM

**WELCOME CENTER & ONLINE LIVESTREAM**

Erika Bachiochi will share the journey that led her from pro-choice feminist activist in college to pro-life feminist scholar today, a journey that prominently features both C.S. Lewis and early American women's rights advocates. More details at [incarnation.org/tl](http://incarnation.org/tl). Registration not required.

## EVERYTHING'S BETTER WITH BACON:

**FATHER'S DAY BREAKFAST**

SATURDAY, JUNE 19 • 9 AM **WELCOME CENTER**

Dads, enjoy a special breakfast just for you! Register at [incarnation.org/dads](http://incarnation.org/dads).

## DISCIPLESHIP: JOURNEYING WITH JESUS

SUNDAY, JUNE 20 • 9 AM & 11:15 AM

**EDUCATION BUILDING, 2nd FLOOR**

DiscipleShip is a fun and engaging 30-minute children's program that teaches the Bible through liturgy, story and activities, and shares how we can all grow up to be like Jesus!

## POPS WITH POP

SUNDAY, JUNE 20 • 10:20 AM **HERITAGE PLAZA**

Celebrate Father's Day and enjoy a gourmet popsicle with Pop!

## ST. AIDAN'S GUILD TRAINING

SATURDAY, JUNE 26 • 8:30 AM **ED BLDG, RMS. 115-116**

This training provides an opportunity for existing youth servers to brush up on what they know and new volunteers to be trained to serve. Food, fun, and training for ministry!

## FOURTH OF JULY PARADE

SATURDAY, JULY 3 • 9 AM to 12 NOON **PARK CITIES**

Grab friends, family, and some comfortable shoes to walk through the streets of Highland Park and University Park with us at the Park Cities July 4th Parade. Don't forget the stroller for small children. Sign up at [incarnation.org/july4](http://incarnation.org/july4).

EVENT DETAILS & REGISTRATION

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## WEEKLY ENEWS

The weekly eNews, our official church electronic newsletter, is the most up-to-date way to receive info about upcoming events. Make sure that you are registered to receive this email by going to [incarnation.org/enews](http://incarnation.org/enews).



## WEEKLY READINGS

This week's readings may be found in the Book of Common Prayer, pg. 970, Proper 6.

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