



Anglicanism: Common Prayer

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PRELUDE/ COUNTDOWN

PRAISE SONGS

WELCOME / ANNOUNCEMENTS

WELCOMING OF GUESTS

PASSING THE PEACE

Pastor

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CALL TO WORSHIP

Liturgist

Liturgist: Let us prepare our hearts as we await the coming of our Lord.

Congregation: Let us watch for the one who heard our cries and shouldered the suffering of our world.

Liturgist: Let us anticipate the coming of Christ's eternal world with wholeness, reconciliation and plenty for all.

Congregation: Let us wait in expectation for the day when God's glory is revealed in all its fullness.

*HYMN OF PRAISE

Standing in the Need of Prayer (v. 1-3)

UMH #352

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

A Modern Affirmation

Liturgist: Where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is the one true Church, apostolic and universal, whose holy faith let us now declare:

Congregation: We believe in God the Father, infinite in wisdom, power and love, whose mercy is over all his works, and whose will is ever directed to his children's good.

We believe in Jesus Christ, Son of God and Son of man, the gift of the Father's unfailling grace, the ground of our hope, and the promise of our deliverance from sin and death.

We believe in the Holy Spirit as the divine presence in our lives, whereby we are kept in perpetual remembrance of the truth of Christ, and find strength and help in time of need.

We believe that this faith should manifest itself in the service of love as set forth in the example of our blessed Lord, to the end that the kingdom of God may come upon the earth. Amen.

*GLORIA PATRI

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**Please stand as you are able*

OLD TESTAMENT READING: Psalm 119:162-164 (NKJV)

Liturgist

I rejoice at Your word As one who finds great treasure. ¹⁶³ I hate and abhor lying, *But* I love Your law. ¹⁶⁴ Seven times a day I praise You, Because of Your righteous judgments.

Liturgist: This is the word of God for the people of God.

Congregation: Thanks be to God.

CHILDREN'S SERMON

Pastor

CHILDREN'S PRAYER

Dear Lord, we know it is important to keep in touch with you. Thank you for always taking our call. Help us to take your call even when we are busy. We love you, Lord. Amen.

NEW TESTAMENT READING: 1 Thessalonians 5:16-18 (NKJV)

Liturgist

And we know that all things work together for good to those who love God, to those who are the called according to *His* purpose.

Liturgist: This is the word of God for the people of God.

Congregation: Thanks be to God.

MISSION MOMENT

PRESENTATION OF PRAYERS AND PRAISE

Pastor

If you have a prayer need or praise that you would like to share with the congregation, please fill out a card and pass it toward the center aisle of the congregation as we are singing the Hymn of Preparation. The pastor will collect the cards during the song and pray over the cards at the chancel rail.

*HYMN OF PREPARATION

Sweet Hour of Prayer (v. 1-3)

UMH #496

PASTORAL PRAYER

Pastor

SERMON

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Title: "Christianity's Family Tree: Anglicanism (Common Prayer)"

Theme: Denominations within the Christian Faith

Purpose: To understand that the various forms of worship within the various denominations of Christianity should not be seen or used as a divisive measure within Christendom.

RECEIVING OF TITHES AND SACRIFICES (Celebrating Our Gifts)

OFFERTORY PRAYER

Loving Father, we praise and thank You for Your many and great blessings that You have showered over us all. How great You are and what a gracious God that You should care for such as us. May we grow more and more to be like You. We ask You to continue to pour our Your bountiful blessings and mercy on us and we humbly present this offering as a sign of our thankfulness. Amen.

OFFERTORY SONG

Come to the Table

Sheila Novak

COLLECTION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

*DOXOLOGY

Praise God, From Whom All Blessings

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HOLY COMMUNION

*HYMN OF CELEBRATION

What a Friend We Have in Jesus (v. 1-3)

UMH #526

*COMMUNION / BENEDICTION

Pastor

(Based on 1 Thessalonians 5: 16-24)

Go now, for you are chosen and sent in the Spirit. Pray at all times, be thankful in all circumstances. Keep what is good, avoid every kind of evil. To all in need bear witness that the time has come when the Sovereign Lord will save his people. And may God who gives peace make you holy in every way; May Christ Jesus clothe you with salvation and victory; And may the Holy Spirit speak through you with the good news of hope...and all of God's children said...Amen.

*BENEDICTION RESPONSE

Love and Fellowship

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POSTLUDE