

# Installation of a Bishop

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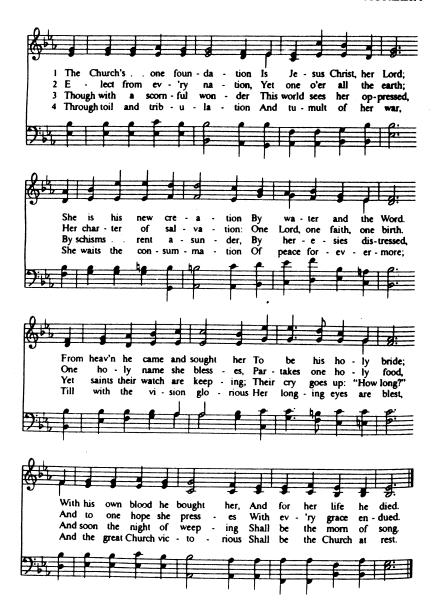


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**PRELUDE** 

Stand



- 5 Yet she on earth has union With God, the Three in One, And mystic sweet communion With those whose rest is won.
- O blessed heav'nly chorus! Lord, save us by your grace, That we, like saints before us, May see you face to face.

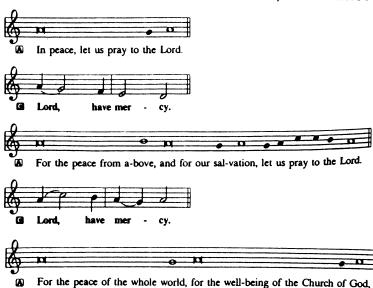
#### **GREETING**

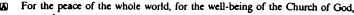
The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

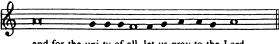
# And also with you.

## KYRIE

LORD. HAVE MERCY

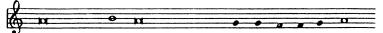






and for the uni-ty of all, let us pray to the Lord.





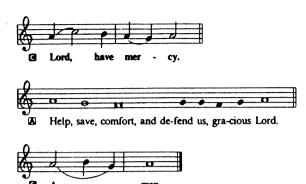
For this holy house, and for all who offer here their wor-ship and praise,



let us pray to the Lord.

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## KYRIE (continued)



# **HYMN OF PRAISE**

#### **WORTHY IS CHRIST**





#### PRAYER OF THE DAY

- P The Lord be with you.
- And also with you.
- P Let us pray.

Almighty God, through your Son Jesus Christ you gave the holy apostles many gifts and commanded them to feed your flock. Inspire all pastors to proclaim your Word diligently and your people to receive it willingly, that finally we may receive the crown of eternal glory; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

C Amen.

Sit

#### **ANTHEM**

Sing Praises Medley.....arr. by Doug Holck

# FIRST LESSON: Isaiah 52:7-10 The Messenger of the Lord

# PSALM 84 - sung in unison



- How dear to me is your dwelling, O Lord of hosts!\* My soul has a desire and longing for the courts of the LORD; my heart and my flesh rejoice in the living God.
- <sup>2</sup> The sparrow has found her a house and the swallow a nest where she may lay her young.\* by the side of your altars, O LORD of hosts, my King and my God.
- <sup>3</sup> Happy are they who dwell in your house!\* They will always be praising you.
- 4 Happy are the people whose strength is in you,\* whose hearts are set on the pilgrim's way.
- 5 Those who go
  through the desolate valley
  will find it a place of springs,\*
  for the early rains have covered it
  with pools of water.

SECOND LESSON: II Cor. 4:1-7
Proclaim Christ, not ourselves

- <sup>6</sup> They will climb from height to height!\*
  and the God of gods
  will reveal himself in Zion.
- <sup>7</sup> Lord God of hosts, hear my prayer;\*
  hearken, O God of Jacob.
- Behold our defender, O God;\* and look upon the face of your anointed.
- For one day in your courts is better than a thousand in my own room,\* and to stand at the threshold of the house of my God than to dwell in the tents of the wicked.
- For the LORD God is both sun and shield;\* he will give grace and glory;
- 11 no good thing will the LORD withhold\* from those who walk with integrity.
- 12 O LORD of hosts,\*

  happy are they

  who put their trust in you!

Stand



#### THE GOSPEL

The Gospel is announced.



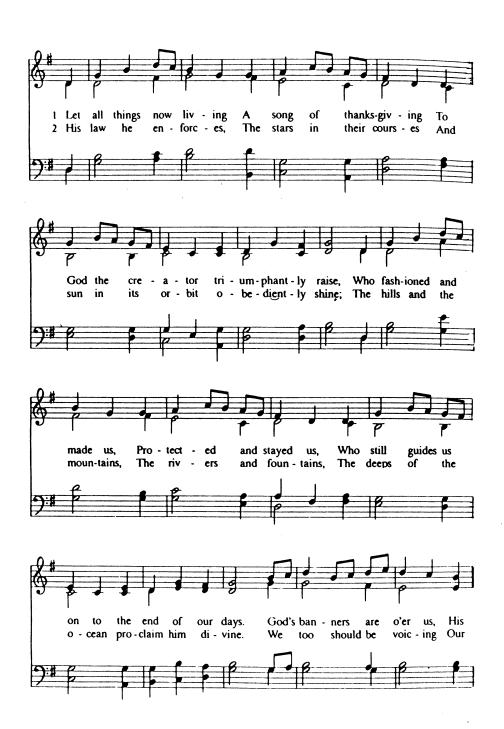
Mark 10:42-25 Leaders are also servants



Sit

SERMON: The Reverend Arild Borch Isaiah 40:27-31

Stand





#### INSTALLATION OF THE SASKATCHEWAN SYNOD BISHOP

The secretary of the Synod presents the bishop-elect to the presiding minister: I present Allan Andreen Grundahl, who has been elected and called by the Church, for installation into the office of Synodical Bishop.

Sit

The secretary steps aside. The minister addresses the bishop-elect:

P: Our Lord Jesus Christ says: "Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, even so I send you. Receive the Holy Spirit. If you forgive the sins of any, they are forgiven; if you retain the sins of any, they are retained."

And again; "All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you; and lo, I am with you always, to the close of the age."

Hear also the words of the apostles: "Take heed to yourselves and to all the flock, in which the Holy Spirit has made you guardians, to feed the Church of the Lord which he obtained with his own blood."

"Try hard to show yourself worthy of God's approval, as a labourer who need not be ashamed; be straightforward in your proclamation of the truth."

"Follow the pattern of the sound words which you have heard from me, in the faith and love which are in Christ Jesus; guard the truth that has been entrusted to you by the Holy Spirit who dwells within us."

The minister questions the bishop-elect:

P: To you is being given the care of the pastors and congregations of this church. I ask you in the presence of God and of this assembly: Will you assume the office of synodical bishop of the Church?

R: I will, and I ask God to help me.

P: Will you be faithful in your office? Will you discharge your duties in accordance with the Holy Scriptures and the Confessions of the Lutheran Church, and in harmony with the constitution of this church?

R: I will, and I ask God to help me.

P: Will you be diligent in your study of the Holy Scriptures and in your use of the means of grace? Will you pray for God's people, nourish them with the Word and Holy sacraments, and lead them by your own example in faithful service and holy living?

R: I will, and I ask God to help me.

P: Will you give faithful witness in the world, that God's love may be known in all that you do?

R: I will, and I ask God to help me.

P: Will you guide, encourage and support the pastors and the congregations of this synod in their ministries?

R: I will, and I ask God to help me.

P: Almighty God, who has given you the will to do these things, graciously give you the strength and compassion to perform them.

C: Amen

Stand

The minister addresses the congregation:

P: Will you pray for him, help and honor him for his work's sake, and in all things strive to live together in the peace and unity of Christ?

C: We will.

The minister addresses the bishop-elect:

P: The office of bishop is now committed to you in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

The newly installed bishop may kneel for the blessing: (chosen representatives gather around the bishop)

P: The God of peace who brought again from the dead our Lord Jesus, the great shepherd of the sheep, by the blood of the eternal covenant, equip you with everything good that you may do his will, working in you that which is pleasing in his sight, through Jesus Christ; to whom be glory forever and ever.

C: Amen

#### PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

A: Let us pray for Allan Andreen Grundahl, for the whole people of God in Christ Jesus, and for all people according to their needs.

After each portion of the prayers:

A: Lord, in your mercy,

C: hear our prayer.

The prayers conclude:

P: Into your hands, O Lord, we commend all for whom we pray, trusting in your mercy; through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord.

C: Amen

The bishop remains kneeling.

P: Remember to rekindle the gift of God that is within you. For God did not give us a spirit of timidity but a spirit of power and love and self-control. Amen.

The minister places a pectoral cross around the bishop's neck and says:

P: Receive this cross, as a sign of your calling to serve the Lord and his people, and as an emblem of the office to which you have been elected.

The bishop stands and the minister presents him to the people. The people may offer acclamation with applause.

#### **PEACE**

P: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

C: And also with you.

The ministers and congregation greet one another.

Sit

#### **OFFERING**

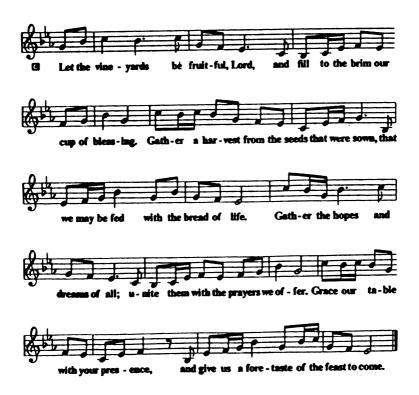
Tonight's offering is directed to the Bishop's Discretionary Fund, as authorized by our Saskatchewan Synod Church Council, to provide for counselling ministry and assistance in the Synod where confidentiality is required. Thank you for your sharing. Cheques should be written to: Saskatchewan Synod ELCIC.

INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC:

Ponderings......Original Composition, Joel Grundahl

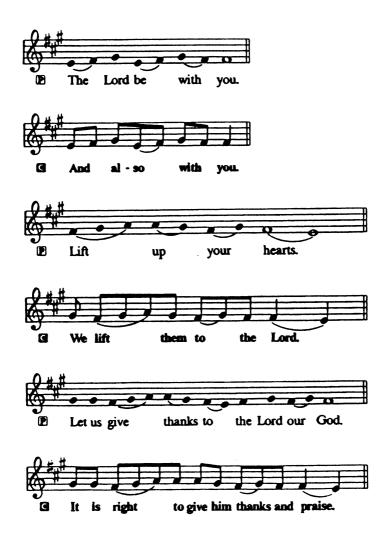
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#### **OFFERTORY**



# P: Blessed are you,

C: O Lord our God, maker of all things, Through your goodness you have blessed us with these gifts. With them we offer ourselves to your service and dedicate our lives to the care and redemption of all that you have made, for the sake of him who gave himself for us, Jesus Christ our Lord, Amen.



P: It is indeed right and salutary ... we praise your name and join their unending hymn:



The minister continues with the Thanksgiving...

P: For as often as we eat of this bread and drink from this cup, we proclaim the Lord's death, until he comes.

C: Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.

P: Therefore, gracious Father ... to share with us the great and promised feast.

C: Amen. Come, Lord Jesus.

P: Send now, we pray ... with all your saints in light.

C: Amen. Come, Holy Spirit.

P: Join our prayers ... as victorious Lord of all.



C: 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.
Save us from the time of trial
and deliver us from evil.
For the kingdom, the power,
and the glory are yours,
now and forever. Amen

Sit

#### **COMMUNION**

The elements are available at each of the four serving stations just below the chance steps. Bread may be dipped if you wish. You may choose either wine in the first chalice or grape juice in the second chalice.

Please follow the directions of the ushers; approach the altar by the centre aisle, turn to right or left to a station to receive bread and cup, and return to your seat by the side aisles.

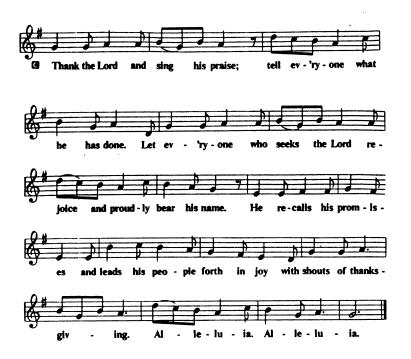
#### **INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC:**

#### Stand

P: The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen you and keep you in his grace.

C: Amen.

#### **POST COMMUNION**



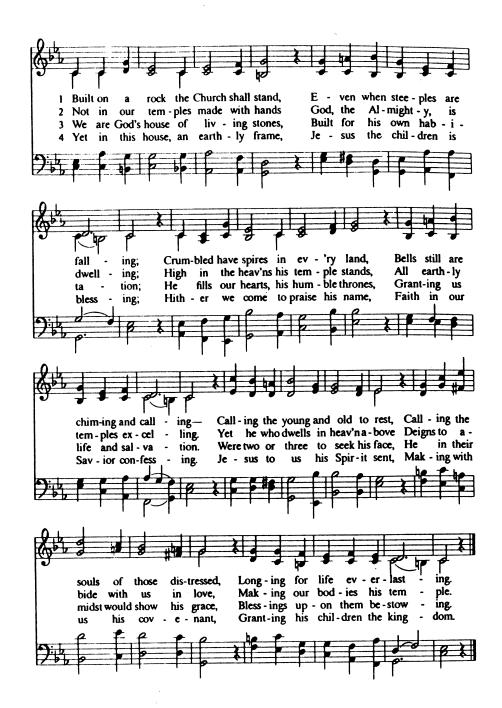
A: Let us pray. Pour out upon us the spirit of your love, O Lord, and unite the wills of those whom you have fed with one heavenly food; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

#### C: Amen

Silence for reflection.

#### **BENEDICTION**





5 Through all the passing years, O Lord, Grant that, when church bells are ringing, Many may come to hear God's Word Where he this promise is bringing: I know my own, my own know me; You, not the world, my face shall see; My peace I leave with you. Amen

P: Go in peace. Serve the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

#### **POSTLUDE**

Psalm 19, The Heavens Declare ......Marcello

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Special thanks to the people of Zion Lutheran Church, Saskatoon, for hosting this major synodical event...especially to President Muriel Jarvis for organizing the reception following, in fine cooperation with other congregations of the area.

Grateful thanks to those in the massed choir as well as all the musicians and those who helped in varied capacities for this time of worship and fellowship.

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