

**ORDER OF WORSHIP**  
**FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY**  
**SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER**

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**FEBRUARY 1, 2026**

**10:00 A.M.**

***With doors wide open**, we welcome all to come and discover how  
God's love in Christ connects us more deeply with each other,  
our community, the world and with God.*

***With arms wide open**, we welcome all who are looking for something more,  
who have questions, who want to make a difference as  
they learn, serve and reach out in word and deed.*

***With hearts wide open**, we welcome you.*

**PREPARING FOR GOD'S WORD**

**PRELUDE**

**INTROIT: "The Lord Is My Light"**

**CALL TO WORSHIP:**

*(cf. Psalm 80)*

Pastor: Restore us, O God –

**People: and make your face to shine upon us.**

**\*HYMN # 469 "Morning Has Broken"**

**PRAYER OF CONFESSION: Unison**

*Almighty God, you love us, but we do not love you fully. You call, but we do not always listen. We often walk away from neighbors in need, wrapped in our own concerns. We often condone evil, hatred, warfare, and greed.*

*God of grace, help us to admit our sin, so that as you move toward us in mercy, we may repent, turn to you, and receive forgiveness; through Jesus Christ our Redeemer. Amen.*

**SILENT CONFESSION**

**ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

**\*RESPONSE: # 579 Hymnal "Gloria Patri"**

*Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;  
As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world  
without end. Amen. Amen.*

**WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**ANTHEM: "Siyahamba"**

*South African Praise Song*

**CHILDREN'S MESSAGE**

**A TIME TO GREET ONE ANOTHER**

**HEARING GOD'S WORD**

**OLD TESTAMENT:**

Exodus 17:8-13

Pew Bible Page 71

**NEW TESTAMENT:**

(John 13-17)

Pew Bible Page 1044

**SERMON:**

"Intercessory Prayer"

Jeff Prey

## RESPONDING TO GOD'S WORD

\*HYMN # 144 "Alleluia! Sing to Jesus!"

\*APOSTLES' CREED (Hymnal, page 14)

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

PRAYER RESPONSE: Hymn #316 "Breathe on Me, Breath of God"

*Breathe on me, Breath of God, Fill me with life anew,  
That I may love what Thou dost love,  
And do what Thou wouldst do.*

OFFERING OF GIFTS AND TITHES

OFFERTORY: "Lord of All Good"

\*DOXOLOGY #592

*Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all creatures  
Here below; Praise Him above ye heavenly host;  
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.*

\*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

\*HYMN # 501 "Bread of Heaven, on Thee We Feed"

## SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

INVITATION TO THE LORD'S TABLE

GREAT PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

Pastor: The Lord be with you.

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

Pastor: Lift up your hearts.

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

Pastor: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

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

Pastor: How wonderful are Your ways, Gracious God...

RESPONSE: "Holy, Holy, Holy, Is the Lord of Hosts" (to be sung)

*Holy, holy, holy, is the Lord of hosts, (2 x's)*

*The whole earth is full of His glory, (3 x's)*

*Holy is the Lord.*

PRAYER CONTINUES

THE LORD'S PRAYER (debts/debtors)

BREAKING OF THE BREAD

COMMUNION OF THE PEOPLE

*We take the bread together as a reminder we are all part of the one Body of Christ.  
We take the cup as it is passed as a reminder we are individually cleansed by His  
blood.*

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

## TAKING GOD'S WORD INTO THE WORLD

\*HYMN # 538 "Lord, Dismiss Us with Thy Blessing"

\*BENEDICTION

CHORAL AMEN:

PASSING THE PEACE: "*May God's peace be with you.*"

POSTLUDE:

*Worship has ended; let Service begin.*

\* Please stand in body or in spirit.

The Lay Reader this morning is Jennifer N.

*~ Open Doors - Open Arms - Open Hearts ~*

*Thank you for worshiping with us. Please join us next Sunday.*

*Scripture Reading: Psalm 113; Acts 28:1-10*

*Sermon Title: "Healing Prayer"*

**FEBRUARY 1, 2026...** *During the musical prelude we ask that you prepare for worship by quiet prayer and reflection. If you are visiting our virtual worship service, we extend a special welcome. Chancel flowers are a great opportunity to honor, or remember loved ones and to celebrate special occasions. If you like to sign up, the flower chart is located in the office hallway or call the church office to make arrangements. Welcome Packets can be found at either door and are available for visitors, also available to take and share with your neighbors or anyone else, so as to introduce them to the church. Please feel free to visit our website [www.oysterbaypresbyterian.org](http://www.oysterbaypresbyterian.org), or call the church office if you have any questions.*

**OUR SPECIAL MINISTRY OF PRAYER ...** Please keep the following people in your prayers: Sylvie, Darrell, Anne, Jen, Cindy, Richard, Charlie and all those suffering from cancer, special prayers for those suffering from the wars in Ukraine, the Mideast, and other areas where conflict reigns, for the veterans and military personnel returning from service wounded in body, mind or spirit, and all those going through difficult times.

**THE CHANCEL FLOWERS ...** *are given to the glory.*

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY ...**

February 1 Edna S.  
6 Gilbert L.

**HAPPY ANNIVERSARY ...**

February 5 Steve & Ann K.

**COFFEE HOUR ...**

Today: Potluck Luncheon  
Next Week: Suzie & Randy E.

**CIRCLE OF PRAYER ...** If you have need for special prayers, concerns or thanksgivings, please call the church office 922-5477 or Kristine L. 922-3126.

***This week...***

<b>Today</b>	Communion Worship & Sunday School	10:00 a.m.
	Annual Congregational Meeting	11:00 a.m.
	Potluck Luncheon	11:30 a.m.
	C.E. & Sunday School Meeting	11:30 a.m.
Tue 2/3	Deacons	7:00 p.m.
Wed 2/4	House M.T. Meeting	7:00 p.m.
Fri 2/6	A numerically cool date...	
Sun 2/8	Worship & Sunday School	10:00 a.m.

**Coming Up...** Bookies February 11  
Community Dinner February 14

**SERMON OUTLINE**

**“INTERCESSORY PRAYER”**

Introduction: how does that work?

- I. “I Know a Guy...”
  - A. entree
  - B. go-between
- II. Persistence
  - A. encouraged by parables
  - B. strength in numbers
- III. God’s Desire...  
...Our Praxis

**ANNUAL CONGREGATIONAL CALL**

The members of the First Presbyterian Church of Oyster Bay, New York, are called to convene for the Annual Meeting of the congregation on Sunday, February 1 2026, immediately following worship, to:

- ❖ Receive the report of activities of church organizations and officers for 2025
- ❖ Receive the report of the church treasurer
- ❖ Receive the budget recommendations of session
- ❖ Dismiss the 2025 nominating committee
- ❖ Election a nominating committee for 2026
- ❖ Consider other pertinent business if presented

**FOOD PANTRY**

The Food Pantry donations will continue to be collected and delivered to local food pantries. Please place your food donations at the front of the church. Blue Bags are available in the vestibule. Your donations are greatly appreciated,

Thank you!

# Morning Has Broken

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BUNESSAN. 5.5.5.4 D

Eleanor Farjeon, 1931

Gaelic melody  
Arr. Dale Grotenhuis, 1985

C Am Dm G Dm G C



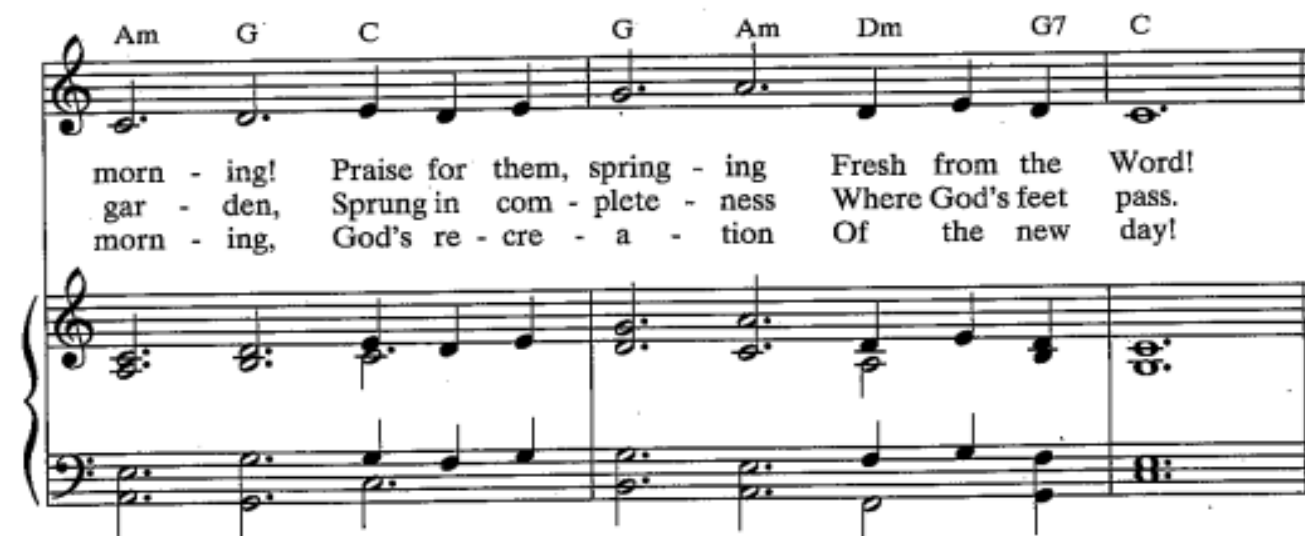
1. Morn-ing has bro - ken Like the first morn - ing, Black-bird has  
2. Sweet the rain's new fall Sun - lit from heav - en, Like the first  
3. Mine is the sun - light! Mine is the morn - ing Born of the

Em Am Em F G C Am F C



spo - ken Like the first bird. Praise for the sing - ing! Praise for the  
dew - fall On the first grass. Praise for the sweet - ness Of the wet  
one light E - den saw play! Praise with e - la - tion, Praise ev - ery

Am G C G Am Dm G7 C



morn - ing! Praise for them, spring - ing Fresh from the Word!  
gar - den, Sprung in com - plete - ness Where God's feet pass.  
morn - ing, God's re - cre - a - tion Of the new day!

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## Alleluia! Sing to Jesus!

HYFRYDOL 8.7.8.7 D

William Chatterton Dix, 1866

Rowland Hugh Prichard, 1831



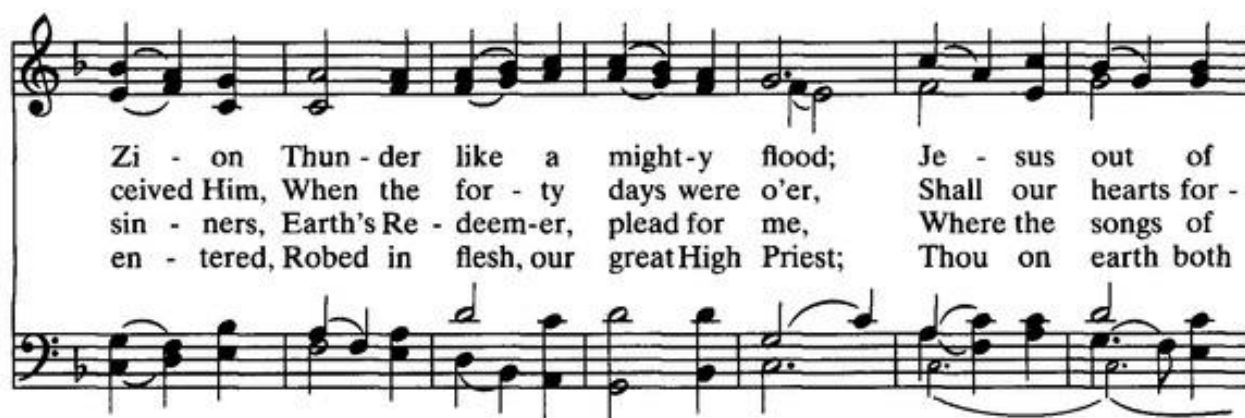
1. Al - le - lu - ia! Sing to Je - sus! His the scep - ter,  
 2. Al - le - lu - ia! Not as or - phans Are we left in  
 3. Al - le - lu - ia! Bread of an - gels, Thou on earth our  
 4. Al - le - lu - ia! King e - ter - nal, Thee the Lord of



His the throne! Al - le - lu - ia! His the tri - umph,  
 sor - row now. Al - le - lu - ia! He is near us;  
 food, our stay. Al - le - lu - ia! Here the sin - ful  
 lords we own; Al - le - lu - ia! Born of Ma - ry,



His the vic - to - ry a - lone! Hark! the songs of peace - ful  
 Faith be - lieves nor ques - tions how. Though the cloud from sight re -  
 Flee to Thee from day to day. In - ter - ces - sor, friend of  
 Earth Thy foot-stool, heaven Thy throne. Thou with - in the veil hast



Zi - on Thun - der like a might-y flood; Je - sus out of  
 ceived Him, When the for - ty days were o'er, Shall our hearts for -  
 sin - ners, Earth's Re - deem - er, plead for me, Where the songs of  
 en - tered, Robed in flesh, our great High Priest; Thou on earth both

## Bread of Heaven, on Thee We Feed 501

ARFON 7.7.7.7.7

French and Welsh melody  
Arr. Hugh Davies, 1906

Josiah Conder, 1824; alt.

1. Bread of heaven, on Thee we feed, For Thou art our  
2. Vine of heaven, Thy love sup - plies This blest cup of

food in - deed; Ev - er may our souls be fed  
sac - ri - fice; 'Tis Thy wounds our heal - ing give;

With this true and liv - ing Bread, Day by day with  
To Thy cross we look and live: Thou our life! O

strength sup - plied Through the life of Christ who died.  
let us be Root - ed, graft - ed, built on Thee.

## Lord, Dismiss Us with Thy Blessing

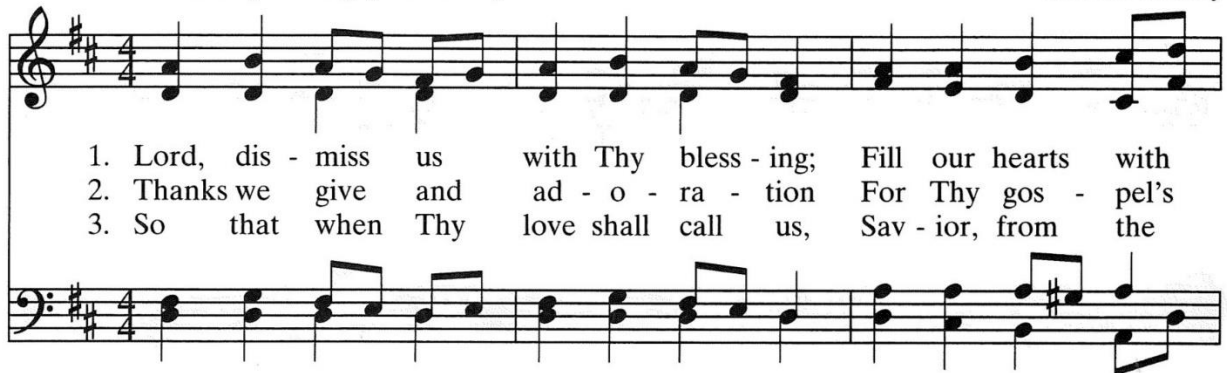
SICILIAN MARINERS 8.7.8.7.8.7

Attr. John Fawcett, 1773

Stanza 1, line 6, alt. 1774, Conyer's *Collection of Psalms*

Stanza 3 alt. Godfrey Thring (1823-1903)

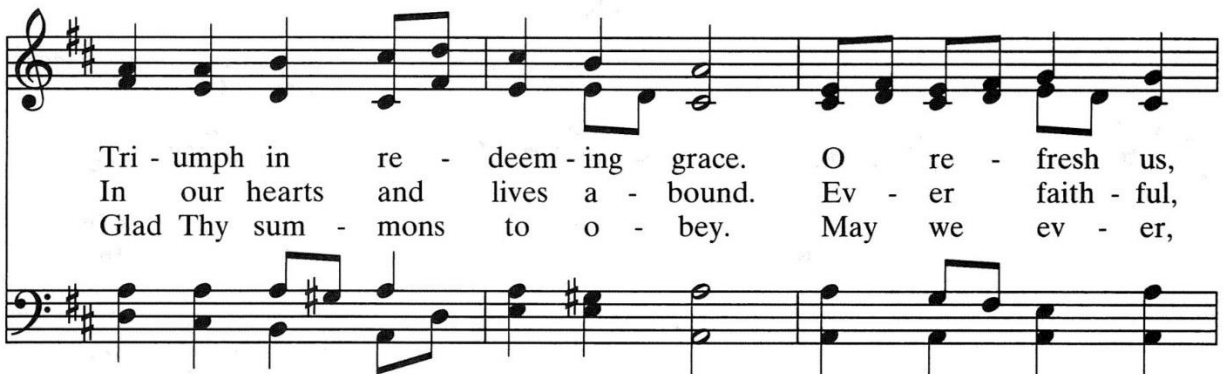
Sicilian melody



1. Lord, dis - miss us with Thy bless - ing; Fill our hearts with  
 2. Thanks we give and ad - o - ra - tion For Thy gos - pel's  
 3. So that when Thy love shall call us, Sav - ior, from the



joy and peace; Let us each, Thy love pos - sess - ing,  
 joy - ful sound; May the fruits of Thy sal - va - tion  
 world a - way, Let no fear of death ap - pall us,



Tri - umph in re - deem - ing grace. O re - fresh us,  
 In our hearts and lives a - bound. Ev - er faith - ful,  
 Glad Thy sum - mons to o - bey. May we ev - er,



O re - fresh us, Trav - eling through this wil - der - ness.  
 Ev - er faith - ful To the truth may we be found;  
 May we ev - er Reign with Thee in end - less day.