

October 18, 2026
The Twentieth Sunday After Trinity

Opening Song: Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah

Based on the Israelites' journey through the wilderness (Exodus 16&17; Joshua 3&4)

Lyrics: William Williams, 1700's; Translator: Peter Williams, 1700's; Tune: CWM Rhondda, by John Hughes, 1900's. Public domain.

1. Guide me, O thou great Jehovah,
pilgrim through this barren land.
I am weak, but thou art mighty;
hold me with thy powerful hand.
Bread of heaven, bread of heaven,
feed me til I want no more,
feed me til I want no more.

2. Open now the crystal fountain
whence the healing streams doth flow.
Let the fire and cloudy pillar
lead me all my journey through.
Strong Deliverer, strong Deliverer,
be thou still my strength and shield,
be thou still my strength and shield.

3. When I tread the *verge of Jordan
bid my anxious fears subside.
Death of death and hell's destruction,
land me safe on Canaan's side.
Songs of praises, songs of praises
I will ever give to thee,
I will ever give to thee.

**the edge of the Jordan River*

Song 1: The King of Love My Shepherd Is *Based on Psalm 23*

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1. The King of love my Shepherd is,
Whose goodness faileth never
I nothing lack if I am His,
And He is mine forever.

2. Where streams of living water flow
My ransomed soul He leadeth;
And where the verdant pastures grow
With food celestial feedeth.

3. Perverse and foolish oft I strayed,
But yet in love He sought me
And on His shoulder gently laid
And home, rejoicing, brought me.

4. In death's dark vale I fear no ill
With Thee, dear Lord, beside me
Thy rod and staff my comfort still
Thy cross before to guide me.

5. Thou spread'st a table in my sight
Thy unction grace bestoweth
And O, what transport of delight
From Thy pure chalice floweth.

6. And so through all the length of days
Thy goodness faileth never;
Good Shepherd, may I sing Thy praise
Within Thy house forever.

Song 2: Be Unto Your Name

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1. We are a moment; you are forever
Lord of the ages, God before time
We are a vapor; you are eternal
Love everlasting, reigning on high

Chorus:

Holy, holy, Lord God Almighty,
Worthy is the Lamb who was slain!
Highest praises, honour, and glory
Be unto your name,
Be unto your name.

2. We are the broken; you are the healer,
Jesus, Redeemer, mighty to save;
You are the love song we'll sing forever,
Bowing before you, blessing your name

(Chorus)

Song 3: Stricken, Smitten, and Afflicted

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1. Stricken, smitten, and afflicted,
See Him dying on the tree
'Tis the Christ by man rejected,
Yes, my soul, 'tis He 'tis He
'Tis the long-expected Prophet,
David's Son, yet David's Lord
By His Son, God now has spoken
'Tis the true and faithful Word.

2. Tell me, ye who hear Him groaning,
Was there ever grief like His?
Friends through fear His cause disowning
Foes insulting His distress
Many hands were raised to wound Him;
None would interpose to save
But the deepest stroke that pierced Him
Was the stroke that Justice gave

3. Ye who think of sin but lightly
Nor suppose the evil great,
Here may view its nature rightly,
Here its guilt may estimate
Mark the sacrifice appointed,
See Who bears the awful load!
'Tis the Word, the Lord's Anointed,
Son of Man and Son of God.

4. Here we have a firm foundation,
Here the refuge of the lost
Christ the Rock of our salvation,
His the name of which we boast
Lamb of God, for sinners wounded,
Sacrifice to cancel guilt
None shall ever be confounded
Who on Him their hope have built.

Sermon Response Song: Rejoice, the Lord is King

Words: Charles Wesley 1744 Music: John Goss, 1800s (Tune: ARTHUR'S SEAT)

1. Rejoice, the Lord is King
Your Lord and King adore!
Mortals give thanks and sing
And triumph evermore
Lift up your heart, lift up your voice,
Rejoice; again, I say rejoice!

2. Jesus the Saviour reigns,
The God of truth and love!
When He had purged our stains
He took His seat above
Lift up your heart, lift up your voice,
Rejoice; again, I say rejoice!

3. His kingdom cannot fail;
He rules o'er earth and heaven
The keys of death and hell
Are to our Jesus given
Lift up your heart, lift up your voice,
Rejoice; again, I say rejoice!

4. Rejoice in glorious hope:
Jesus the Judge shall come,
And take His servants up
To their eternal home
We soon shall hear th' archangel's voice;
The trump of God shall sound - Rejoice!

Closing Song: O Christ, Our Hope, Our Hearts' Desire

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1. O Christ, our hope, our hearts' desire,
Redemption's only spring
Creator of the world art Thou,
Its Saviour and its King.

2. How vast the mercy and the love
Which laid our sins on Thee,
And led Thee to a cruel death
To set Thy people free.

3. But now the bonds of death are burst,
The ransom has been paid!
And Thou art on Thy Father's throne
In glorious robes arrayed.

4. O Christ, be Thou our lasting joy,
Our ever great reward
Our only glory may it be
To glory in the Lord.