

St. James Worship Service



9th Sunday after Pentecost

July 21, 2024

Serving Today

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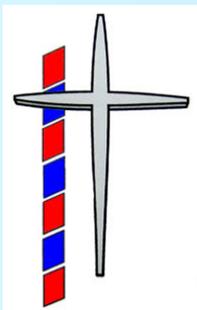
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Today's Music

645 *Christ is Made the Sure Foundation*

676 *Lord, Speak to Us, That We May Speak*

654 *The Church's One Foundation*

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Christ is Made the Sure Foundation

**1. Christ is made the sure foundation,
Christ, our head and cornerstone,
chosen of the Lord and precious,
binding all the church in one;
holy Zion's help forever
and our confidence alone.**

**2. To this temple, where we call you,
come, O Lord of hosts, and stay;
come, with all your lovingkindness,
hear your people as they pray;
and your fullest benediction
shed within these walls today.**

**3. Here bestow on all your servants
what they seek from you to gain;
what they gain from you, forever
with the blessed to retain;
and hereafter in your glory
evermore with you to reign.**

**4. Praise and honor to the Father,
praise and honor to the Son,
praise and honor to the Spirit,
ever three and ever one:
one in might and one in glory
while unending ages run!**

Text: Latin hymn, c. 7th cent.;
tr. John Mason Neale, 1818-1866, alt.

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Lord, Speak to Us, That We May Speak

**1. Lord, speak to us, that we may speak
in living echoes of your tone;
as you have sought, so let us seek
your straying children, lost and lone.**

**2. Oh, lead us, Lord, that we may lead
the wand'ring and the wav'ring feet;
oh, feed us, Lord, that we may feed
your hungering ones with manna sweet.**

**3. Oh, teach us, Lord, that we may teach
the precious truths which you impart;
and wing our words, that they may reach
the hidden depths of many a heart.**

**4. Oh, fill us with your fullness, Lord,
until our very hearts o'erflow
in kindling thought and glowing word,
your love to tell, your praise to show.**

Text: Frances R. Havergal, 1836-1879, alt.

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The Church's One Foundation

**1. The church's one foundation
is Jesus Christ, her Lord;
she is his new creation
by water and the word.**

**From heav'n he came and sought her
to be his holy bride;
with his own blood he brought her,
and for her life he died.**

**2. Elect from ev'ry nation,
yet one o'er all the earth,
her charter of salvation
one Lord, one faith, one birth:**

**one holy name she blesses,
partakes one holy food,
and to one hope she presses,
with ev'ry grace endued.**

**3. Though with a scornful wonder
this world sees her oppressed,
by schisms rent asunder,
by heresies distressed,**

**yet saints their watch are keeping;
their cry goes up: “How long?”
And soon the night of weeping
shall be the morn of song.**

**4. Through toil and tribulation
and tumult of her war,
she waits the consummation
of peace forevermore;**

**till with the vision glorious
her longing eyes are blest,
and the great church victorious
shall be the church at rest.**

**5. Yet she on earth has union
with God, the Three in One,
and mystic sweet communion
with those whose rest is won.**

**Oh, blessed heav'nly chorus!
Lord, save us by your grace,
that we, like saints before us,
may see you face to face.**

Text: Samuel J. Stone, 1839-1900

Go in peace.

You are the body of Christ.

Thanks be to God.

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