

ORDER OF SERVICE

Call to Worship and Invocation, all standing

The earth is the Lord's, and the fulness thereof: the world and they that dwell therein. O worship the Lord in the beauty of holiness: let the whole earth stand in awe of Him.

O God, the source of all good gifts, we thank thee for the rich heritage which is ours in thy holy Catholic Church. Thou hast done much for us already and we believe that thou hast also much to give and teach us in our own time. Grant that thy Church may never settle down to mere contentment with the tradition of the past. Grant that it may be alive to all new movements of thy Spirit in the hearts and minds of men. May it stand always for the removal of injustice and the vindication of righteousness and truth; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

HYMN

Praise, my soul, the King of heaven;
To His feet thy tribute bring;
Ransom'd, Heal'd, restor'd, forgiven,
Who like me His praise should sing?
Praise Him, Praise Him, Praise Him,
Praise Him,
Praise the everlasting King.

Praise Him for His grace and favour
To our fathers in distress;
Praise Him, still the same forever,
Slow to chide and swift to bless;
Praise Him, Praise Him, Praise Him,
Praise Him,
Glorious in His faithfulness.

Father-like He tends and spares us;
Well our feeble frame He knows;
In His hands He gently bears us,
Rescues us from all our foes;
Praise Him, Praise Him, Praise Him,
Praise Him,
Widely as His mercy flows.

Frail as summer's flower we flourish;
Blows the wind and it is gone;
But while mortals rise and perish,
God endures unchanging on;
Praise Him, Praise Him, Praise Him,
Praise Him,
Praise the high eternal One.

Angels help us to adore Him;
Ye behold Him face to face;
Sun and moon bow down before him;
Dwellers all in time and space;
Praise Him, Praise Him, Praise Him,
Praise Him,
Praise with us the God of grace.

Amen.

SCRIPTURE LESSON

I Peter 2: 11-17. Philippians 4: 4-8.

PRAYER

Closing with the Lord's Prayer in unison