Anthem: Panis Angelicus Text: St. Thomas Aquinas

Panis angelicus
Fit panis hominum;
Dat panis coelicus
Figuris terminum;
O res mirabilis!
Manducat dominum
Pauper, pauper,
Servus et humilis.

[translation]
May the Bread of Angels
Become bread for mankind;
The Bread of Heaven puts
All foreshadowings to an end;
Oh, thing miraculous!
The body of the Lord will nourish
the poor, the poor,
the servile, and the humble.

Nobody Knows the Trouble I've Seen Text: American Spiritual

Nobody knows the trouble I've seen, Nobody knows but Jesus. Nobody knows the trouble I've seen, Glory hallelujah!

Sometimes I'm up, sometimes I'm down.
O yes, Lord.
Sometimes I'm almost to the ground.
O yes, Lord.

Nobody knows the trouble I've seen, Nobody knows but Jesus. Nobody knows the trouble I've seen. Glory hallelujah!

If you get there before I do, O yes, Lord. Tell all my friends I'm comin', too. Oh yes, Lord.

Nobody knows the trouble I've seen. Nobody knows but Jesus. Nobody knows the trouble I've seen. Glory hallelujah! Glory hallelujah!

Sunday Worship Service Preview ~ February 14, 2021 - 10 AM Online Rev. William S. Trump Rhonda Kwiecien, Keyboard Musician Jerry Loughney, Violinist and Brett Hanisko, Baritone

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Our Covenant

As followers of Jesus Christ,
we commit ourselves to share in the worship and service of God,
to grow in the knowledge and expression of our faith,
to reach out with compassion to those in need,
to treat each other with love and understanding,
and to return to God a portion of God's gifts.

SUNDAY WORSHIP & COMMUNION ~IN PERSON AND ONLINE

Special Bylaws Meeting /178th Annual Meeting February 7, 2021 ~ 10:00 am 5th Sunday After the Epiphany

To access the service online go to <u>firstchurchtosa.org</u> - home page. Under **Worship** heading, click on **February 7th Service**.

WELCOME

Rev. William S. Trump

THE PRELUDE

Nocturne No. 4, Opus 19 by Peter Tchaikovsky Rhonda Kwiecien, Pianist and Viktor Brusubardis, Cellist

THE CALL TO WORSHIP

Sarah Trump

What shall I render unto the Lord for all His benefits to me? I will lift up the cup of salvation and call on the name of the Lord. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us; therefore, let us keep the feast. O give thanks to the Lord, for He is good; His mercy endures forever.

HYMN (see insert)

We Come to Your Feast Indra Brusubardis, Soprano

WE COME TO YOUR FEAST

PRAYER OF GENERAL CONFESSION

Almighty and most merciful God, we acknowledge and confess that we have sinned against You in thought and word and deed, that we have not loved You with all our heart and soul, with our mind and strength, and that we have not loved our neighbor as ourselves. We ask You, O God, to be forgiving to what we have been, to help us to change so that the love of goodness may ever be first in our hearts, that we may always follow Your commandments, and follow always in the steps of Jesus Christ our Lord, who taught us to pray, saying . . .

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

INSTRUMENTAL RESPONSE

THE LESSON (see insert)

Mark 1:29-39

ANTHEM

Panis Angelicus

by Cesar Franck

Indra Brusubardis, Soprano and Viktor Brusubardis, Cellist

THE MESSAGE

"Solitude and Society"

Rev. Trump

SPECIAL MUSIC

Nobody Knows the Trouble I've Seen

arr. by Jay Althouse

OFFERING PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

PASTORAL PRAYER AND RESPONSE

THE CELEBRATION OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

THE INVITATION

PRAYER OF CONSECRATION

OFFERING OF THE BREAD

(The bread is received individually, symbolizing our individuality before God.)

OFFERING OF THE CUP

(The cup is held and received together, symbolizing our unity in Christ.)

INSTRUMENTAL BENEDICTION

THE BENEDICTION

MODERATOR CALLS THE SPECIAL BYLAWS MEETING TO ORDER*

Following the Bylaws vote:

MODERATOR CALLS THE ANNUAL MEETING TO ORDER**

*Participation and voting in the Special Bylaws Meeting is in-person only. You must register with the Office to attend the worship service, Special Bylaws Meeting and Annual Meeting in person. You must register by Thursday at 3 p.m.

**You may *observe* the Special Bylaws Meeting and *vote i*n the Annual Meeting via Zoom. An invitation to the Zoom meeting will be emailed to all members.

The Chancel flowers are given by Dave & Roxanne Trump Miles in honor of our wonderful church family. We miss you very much and can't wait until it is safe for us to be together again!

Caring Corner

As of February 4, 2021

Born to Eternal Life

Richard Jacobus, who passed away on Thursday, January 28, 2021.

Congratulations

Hailey Sgarlata, daughter of Nick and Carrie, on her graduation from St. Norbert College with a Bachelor of Arts degree in Elementary Education and a minor in Math Education.

In Our Prayers

Andrew Meser, son of John & Tracy Meser, who was injured in a skiing accident, and has been moved from the ICU to the Rehabilitation unit at Children's Hospital.

He is the grandson of Jeff & Retta Meser.

HYMN: We Come to Your Feast

We place upon Your table
A gleaming cloth of white;
The weaving of our stories,
The fabric of our lives;
The dreams of those before us,
The ancient hopeful cries,
The promise of our future,
Our needed and our nuture
Lie here before our eyes.

Chorus

We come to your feast,
We come to your feast,
The young and the old,
The frightened, the bold,
The greatest and the least.
We come to Your feast,
We come to your feast
With the fruit of our lands
And the work of our hands,
We come to your feast.

We gather 'round Your table
A pause within our quest,
We stand beside our neighbors,
We name the stranger "guest."
The feast is spread before us;
You bid us come and dine.
In blessing we'll uncover,
In sharing we'll discover
Your subtance and Your sign.

[Chorus]

Mark 1:29-39 (NRSV)

As soon as they left the synagogue, they entered the house of Simon and Andrew, with James and John. Now Simon's mother-in-law was in bed with a fever, and they told him about her at once. He came and took her by the hand and lifted her up. Then the fever left her, and she began to serve them.

That evening, at sunset, they brought to him all who were sick or possessed with demons. And the whole city was gathered around the door. And he cured many who were sick with various diseases, and cast out many demons; and he would not permit the demons to speak, because they knew him.

In the morning, while it was still very dark, he got up and went out to a deserted place, and there he prayed. And Simon and his companions hunted for him. When they found him, they said to him, "Everyone is searching for you." He answered, "Let us go on to the neighboring towns, so that I may proclaim the message there also; for that is what I came out to do." And he went throughout Galilee, proclaiming the message in their synagogues and casting out demons.



You are Invited by the Board of Fellowship to

Warm Hearts Chili Lunch

12 Noon, February 14th on Ridge Court

Join us on Ridge Court for a bowl of warm chili, hot chocolate or coffee, and a Valentine treat.

There will be games for the kids and an opportunity to join in fellowship with your First Church family.

Please wear your mask and bring a chair.

The fire pits will be blazing and the chili simmering!

(If the weather doesn't cooperate, the lunch will be rescheduled to Sunday, February 21st.)

