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supportively with one another and
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o are homeless, poor, unemployed,
ed aside by society,
ropriate ways to work together
umstances
y to our God.

o offer care and assistance to others,
joy in their serving
ities a delight.

o are hospitalized and sick,
ence the healing and mercy of Jesus.

o serve God faithfully throughout all
od's grace we are united with all the

Carthage College

**Family Weekend Worship
Fallfest**

Sunday, October 1, 2006, 10:00 a.m.
Siebert Chapel

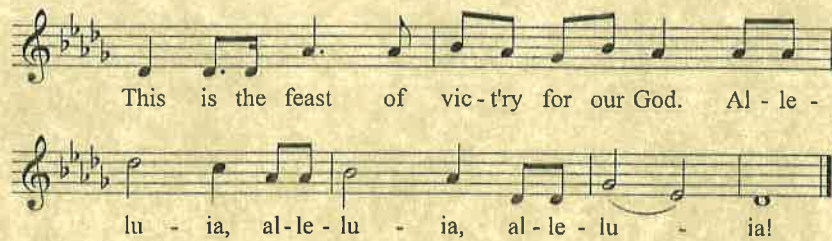


Prelude

Who Puts His Trust in God Most Just

Hymn of Praise

All: REFRAIN



This is the feast of vic-t'ry for our God. Al - le -
lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!

Choir:

Worthy is Christ, the Lamb who was slain,
whose blood set us free to be people of God.
Power, riches, wisdom, and strength,
and honor and blessing and glory are his.

All: REFRAIN

Choir:

Sing with all the people of God,
and join in the hymn of all creation:
Blessing, honor, glory, and might
be to God and the Lamb forever. Amen.

All: REFRAIN

Prayer of the Day

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Let us pray . . . Raise us up, O Lord, for it is you alone who restores life and health to the suffering and to those who wander from the truth. By your grace, may we offer prayers for one another and the world, in the name of Jesus Christ.

Amen.

Anthem

Let All the World in Every Corner Sing, 2000
Kenneth Jennings
Lincoln Chamber Singers

Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven

Herman G. Stuempfle (b. 1923)

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PRAISE, MY SOUL

John Goss (1800-1880)



1. Praise, my soul, the King of heav - en;
2. Praise him for his grace and fa - vor
3. Ten - der - ly he shields and spares us;
4. An - gels help us to a - dore him,



To his feet your trib - ute bring.
To our fore - bears in dis - tress.
Well our fee - ble frame he knows.
Who be - hold him face to face.



Ran - somed, healed, re - stored, for - giv - en,
Praise him, still the same for - ev - er,
In his hand he gent - ly bears us,
Sun and moon bow down be - fore him;



Ev - er - more his prais - es sing.
Slow to chide and swift to bless.
Res - cues us from all our foes.
All who dwell in time and space.



Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!
Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!
Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!
Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!



Praise the ev - er - last - ing King!
Glo - rious is his faith - ful - ness.
Wide - ly as his mer - cy flows.
Praise with us the God of grace.

Amazing Grace

NEW BRITAIN

Southern Harmony, 1835

William Walker (1809-1875)

John Newton (1725-1807)



all in unison 1. A - maz - ing grace! how sweet the sound
 all in unison 2. The Lord has prom - ised good to me,
 all in canon 3. Through man - y dan - gers, toils, and snares
 all in unison 4. When we've been there ten thou - sand years,



That saved a wretch like me!
 God's word my hope se - cures;
 I have al - read - y come;
 Bright shin - ing as the sun,



I once was lost, but now am found,
 God will my shield and por - tion be
 'Tis grace has brought me safe thus far,
 We've no less days to sing God's praise,



Was blind, but now I see.
 As long as life en - dures.
 And grace will lead me home.
 Than when we first be - gun.

Lord, Dismiss Us with Your Blessing

St. 1-2, attr. John Fawcett, 1740-1817

SICILIAN MARINERS

St. 3, Godfrey Thring, 1923-1903

Sicilian, 18th cent.

1. Lord, dis - miss us with your bless - ing, Fill our hearts with
 SATB 2. Thanks we give and ad - o - ra - tion For your Gos - pel's
 3. Sav - ior, when your love shall call us From our strug - gling

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

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

oh, re - fresh us, Trav - 'ling through this wil - der - ness.
 ev - er faith - ful To your truth may we be found.
 may we ev - er Reign with you in end - less day.

Today's Worship Leaders

Carthage Wind Orchestra
James Ripley, conductor
Lincoln Chamber Singers
Peter Dennee, director
Carthage Choir
Michael Burkhardt, director
Carthage Women's Ensemble
Peter Dennee, director
Carthage Jazz Ensemble
David Ness, conductor
Gospel Messengers
Gloria Tillman-Kemp, director

Pastor Harvard Stephens
Dean of Chapel
Michael Burkhardt
College Organist

Old Testament Reading

Numbers 11:4-6, 10-16, 24-29

After the reading is spoken:

This is the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Alleluia Verse

Alleuia, 1987

Ralph Manuel

Carthage Choir

Gospel

Mark 9:38-50

After the reading is spoken:

This is the Gospel of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Sermon

Celebrating the Grace We Never Saw Coming

Hymn of the Day

Amazing Grace - *See insert*

Three Musical Offerings

Lily of the Valley
Spiritual, *arr.* Moses Hogan
Carthage Women's Ensemble

Come Sunday
Duke Ellington (1899-1974)
Carthage Jazz Ensemble

I Need You To Survive
Hezekiah Walker
Gospel Messengers

Prayers of the People

Filled with God's grace, let us offer our prayers for the world,
the church, and for all people according to their needs.

Let us pray for the leaders of the nations,
that empowered by the Holy Spirit they would strive for
justice and peace in all the earth.

God of grace,
Hear our prayer.