

Sunday 27 August 2023
TRINITY 12

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ST JAMES

Islington N1 8PH

Collect: God of glory, the end of our searching, help us to lay aside all that prevents us from seeking your kingdom, and to give all that we have for the sake of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Welcomer Maria Flavius
Reader Shirley Chinery
Interceder Lucy Haire
E Min Hilary Roden
Coffee Sergio and Cecy Munoz
Music:
Entry CAHON449 Mine eyes have seen
Gradual CAHON243 Go, tell it on the m.
Baptism AM271 Father in heaven
Offertory AM757 One more step
P-Comm CH595 O, when the saints
Final CAHON819 He's got the whole
Mass Mass of All Nations



MAKING A HABIT OF IT! It was exactly two years ago, on 29th August 2021, that Scott, Amy and Freddie Kinch brought Callum for his baptism. Today we are all together on another August Bank Holiday week-end to welcome Benjamin, their third son into the family of Jesus - and many of the songs we will be singing, and many of our guests will be the same! It is great to be together again. Among the many things we will be celebrating is 'family life' and there are few families who work so hard at 'being a family' as Scott and Amy do all that they can to make each and every day as special as possible. There is barely a day that goes by without an exciting trip being planned! Part of this mix involves making sure the Church feels like a second home and we are grateful to the Kinchs and to all our young families for helping us to make St James' 'family friendly', a place where, as today's Gospel reminds us, we give and receive freely and everyone is appreciated for who they are. May Benjy feel that love every day of his life.

WELCOME to everyone in Church today, especially those visiting for the first time.

- Please ask the nearest person to you in the pews if there is anything you need. There is a carpeted area in the south aisle for our smallest children. A full service booklet is available and the T-loop system works well.
- A collection of money is taken during Mass. We are very grateful for your kind support.
- At the time of communion, please feel free to come forward to the front of Church - either to receive communion or a blessing. Jesus invites everyone, you too!
- Finally, do stay for a drink after Mass if you can and say hello before you leave. If you would like to keep in touch, please fill in a white Contact Card and we'll respond asap.

St James' Islington: discovering how to live like Jesus in the 21st century

LEAVING It has just been announced that Fr Seamus O'Boyle will be leaving St John's RC Church in Duncan Terrace this coming week-end. In his time he has had to take on several additional responsibilities, Blessed Sacrament Church in Copenhagen Street and also the Safeguarding brief for the Archdiocese of Westminster. On top of that St John's has been subject to a lot of vandalism including the toppling of some of its famous 19th century statues. I am sorry we have not been able to do rather more together but we have had some good ecumenical visits - to St Paul's, both Westminster Abbey and Westminster Cathedral, Charterhouse and Southwark Anglican Cathedral. Fr Seamus will continue his safeguarding work from a smaller parish in Hertford.

SURVEY Just to remind you that Friday 8th September is the deadline for the return of the parish surveys. Please don't forget!

To help the selection of a new vicar to join us next year, please tell us what YOU would like to see our church do in 2024 and beyond. You can take our survey online at <https://forms.gle/1Y1qNwWabfvdzPYP9> or use the QR code here. Or pick up a survey form at the back of the church.



Please reply by 8 September!

THIS WEEK (and next)

Sun	TRINITY 12	8am Mass	10am PARISH MASS and SUNDAY SCHOOL, together with the Baptism of Benjamin Kinch.
Mon		3-4pm Rehearsal.	
Tues		8.30am Morning Prayer. 9am Mass.	11-2pm Rehearsal and concert.
Wed		10am Mass.	11am HC to Kingsley Lewis, Bridgeside Lodge. 11-5.30pm Beaufort Singers rehearsal.
Thurs		6pm Evening Prayer.	6.15pm Office session. 6.30-9.30pm Rehearsal.
Sun 3	TRINITY 13	8am Mass. 10am PARISH MASS and SUNDAY SCHOOL.	1pm Proms Art Exhibition set up in Church - to 2nd October.
Mon		1-6pm Rehearsal.	Freddie Crowley.
Tues		8.30am Morning Prayer. 9am Mass.	
Wed		10am Mass.	7.30pm PCC Meeting at the Vicarage.
Thurs		6pm Evening Prayer.	6.15pm Office session. 7-9pm Cantalini.
Fri		6.30-8.30pm	Caroline Griffiths exhibition Private View.
Sun 10	TRINITY 14	8am Mass	10am PARISH MASS and SUNDAY SCHOOL

Calendar and Daily prayer themes

Sun 27	TRINITY 11	Luigi, Jane, Luca, Francesca, Matteo and Gloria Falcioni
Mon 28	DEL Week 21	Veronica, Andrea, Anita, Orlando and Diana Losito
Tues 29	Beholding of John the Baptist	Wendy Fisher-Gordon; Maria Flavius
Wed 30	John Bunyan	Tom G; Luke Gillman, Kia and Parker
Thurs 31	St Aidan	Mostyn, Nieve, Ilaria and Arlo Goodwin
Fri 1	Feria	Karensa and Amariah Greenaway; Lucy Haire and Sam Lewis
Sat 2	Martyrs of Papua New Guinea	Mark and Norah Hodge; Alastair Hume
Sun 3	TRINITY 12	Rebecca, Rob, Evelyn and Alice Holtom; Eddie Jenkyns

PRAYER BOARD/NOTICES Requests for prayer welcome

- BIRTHDAYS** Many Happy Returns to Alfie Kennedy who will be three on Thursday and to new Eucharistic Minister Anneke Pol whose special day is on Saturday.
- WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES** Our warmest congratulations to Chris and Chrissie Wright whose 57th anniversary is today, and to Lebby and Sarah Anafu whose second anniversary is also today. Ad multos annos - many more happy years!
- SICK** Elizabeth Batchelor, Denise Clarke, Peter Freeth, Kris Hyde, Hayley Jenkins, John, Kingsley Lewis, Delia Rockett, Hazel Saunders, John Scott, Charlie Sharpe, Julia Taylor, Arthur Ward, Revd Marjorie Ward and Mary Whalley.
- INDOOR MEMBERS** Annie Bryan, Vivien Carlton, Kingsley Lewis (Bridgeside Lodge) and Wendy Fisher Gordon.
- ANNIVERSARIES** 28th: Grace Clark (2003), a great stalwart who helped to save St James' from closure in the 1970s and in whose memory the large sanctuary cross was given; 30th: Lilian Ladele (2015), Dave Church (2020).
- INTERNATIONAL LINKS** *In the US:* Fr Travis Smith, Rector of Holy Comforter, Angleton and Mth Suzanne Smith, Rector of Grace Church, Alvin, Texas. *In Japan:* Fr Sebastian and Yuki Naniwa, now transferred to a university chaplaincy in Tokyo.
- PRISONER OF CONSCIENCE** We pray for the release of **Peter Jouvenal**, held by the Taliban since December 2021 and for all political prisoners.



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PARISH MASS
for Trinity 12 and the Baptism
Benjamin
George William Kinch
Sunday August 27th 2023

as streamed from
St James' Church
Islington N1



May God bless every
£1 we give so that St
James' will be here,
not just for today and
for tomorrow, but for
the future he wants to
create.

PARISH MASS FOR TRINITY 13
together with the baptism of Benjamin Kinch

Two small requests:

- Please turn your mobile phone off before Mass begins.
- Please say all the words printed in **bold** print.

Entry Hymn: **CAHON449 Mine eyes have seen**

*Mine eyes have seen the glory of the coming of the Lord.
He is trampling out the vintage where the grapes of wrath are stored.
He has loosed the fateful lightening of his terrible swift sword.
His truth is marching on.
Glory, glory, alleluia!
Glory, glory, alleluia!
Glory, glory, alleluia!
His truth is marching on.*

*He has sounded forth the trumpets that shall never sound retreat.
He is sifting out all human hearts before his judgement seat.
O, be swift my soul to answer him, be jubilant my feet!
Our God is marching on. Glory, glory...*

*In the beauty of the lilies Christ was born across the sea,
with a glory in his bosom that transfigures you and me.
As he died to make us holy, let us live that all be free,
whilst God is marching on. Glory, glory...* (Words: Julia Ward Howe)

Greeting

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. **Amen.**

Grace, mercy and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ be
with you
and also with you.

All sit. Scott and Amy, together with Freddie and Callum, bring Benjamin to the front of the Church.

THE PREPARATION AND WELCOME

Benjamin is introduced to the congregation. The priest then asks the family

What do you want for Benjamin?
We want him to be baptised.

Scott, Amy, Freddie and Callum return to their seats with Benjamin

Scott and Amy, together with Freddie and Callum, have made very firm roots at St James' over the last few years. As adults they both made their First Holy Communion here in November 2018 and they were the catering team for our anniversary Lamb's Feast in September 2021.

So at Benjamin's Baptism Mass today we remember how God gently guides and encourages us through the good days - and the more difficult days too. When we take the time to think about our lives we remember how he has been there for us every step of the way; and when we forget about him, he is there too - waiting for the moment when we realise just how much we need him in our lives.

We remain sitting for a moment of silence during which we recall those things we would like God to forgive. Then we say this prayer together:

Loving God, we know our sins have upset you. We have hurt you and the people we know by our words, by our thoughts and by our actions. We are very sorry for all these things. They make us selfish and they break our friendship with you.

By the power of Jesus who died on the Cross, forgive us for everything that we have done wrong in the past. Wash away our sin and make us your friends, now and for ever. Amen.

May the God of love bring us back to himself, forgive us our sins and assure us of his eternal love, in Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Stand

Glory to God, glory to God, glory to the Father

Glory to God, glory to God, glory to the Father.

To him be glory for ever

To him be glory for ever.

Alleluia, amen

Alleluia, amen.

Alleluia, amen

Alleluia, amen!

Glory to God, glory to God, Son of the Father...

Glory to God, glory to God, glory to the Spirit...

Gloria

God of glory, the end of our searching, help us to lay aside all that prevents us from seeking your kingdom, and to give all that we have for the sake of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Sit

THE WORD OF GOD

1st reading: (From Psalm 15, CEV) Lord, who do you welcome into your Temple? Who do you encourage to live close to you? You reply: 'Those who live lives caring for others and all those who do what is right. My favour rests on those who tell the truth and on those who do not gossip, those who look after their neighbour, respecting those they live with.

I will bless those who hold back from criticising other people just for the sake of it and those who trust in me. I will love those who keep their word, even when it costs them something; those who gladly lend money to those who need it and those who refuse to take what doesn't belong to them. Those who do all these things will always be honoured and they will be welcome in my holy house.'

This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Stay sitting for the Gradual: **CAHON243 Go, tell it on the mountain**

**Go tell it in on the mountain,
over the hills and everywhere.
Go, tell it on the mountain
that Jesus Christ is Lord!**

**For Jesus was a preacher,
he taught and healed and prayed.
Each day he showed what love did
in all those who obeyed. Go tell...**

**Yet many would not listen,
'You're not God's Son' they said.
They killed him without mercy -
but he rose from the dead! Go tell...**

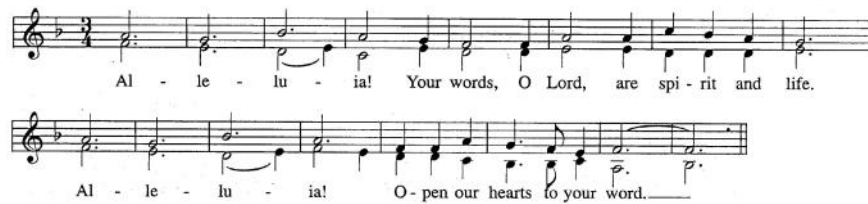
**And when his job was done here,
he rose into the sky.
He said he'd send his Spirit
so faith would never die. Go tell...**

(Words: Traditional, adapted JB)

We keep silent for a moment to think about all we heard so far.

Let us stand and welcome the Gospel.

We sing:



We say:

See how the Father has made us his children, so that we should be the first fruits of all that he has created.

We sing once more: **Alleluia! Your words...**

Gospel

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Hear the Gospel of Our Lord Jesus Christ according to Mark

Glory to you, O Lord.

(St Mark 4: 21-25 CEV) Jesus said, 'When you bring a lamp to light up your house, do you put it under a bowl or hide it underneath the bed? Of course not! Instead you put it on a table where everyone can see it! So I tell you, with God, everything we want to keep a secret will be revealed - and whatever you want to keep from other people will all be brought out into the open. If you are wise, you will not keep secrets! All those with ears to hear, let them hear and let them listen carefully!'

Jesus told them another parable too: 'When you are giving to other people, you will be judged by your generosity. If you are mean, others will be mean to you; if you give freely then you will receive freely so that no one keeps a record of what they give you. For whoever has much, even more will be given to them; but those who keep everything to themselves, even what they have will be taken away.'

This is the Gospel of the Lord. **Praise to you, O Christ.**

Sit

Address

THE BAPTISM

The Paschal Candle is held in the centre of the Church. The family and the godparents stand together with Benjamin facing the congregation. Everyone else remains sitting.

My friends, will you welcome Benjamin and actively support him in his new life in Christ?

With the help of God, we will.

The priest then says to the sponsors and godparents

The Church welcomes Benjamin with great joy. Today we are trusting God to bless him as he grows in faith. Will you pray for him? Will you encourage him by your example as he begins to find his own place in the Church and discover the joy of being a friend of Jesus?

With the help of God, we will.

At a Christening, God calls us out of the darkness of the past so that we can start again in the light of his friendship. To be a Christian means leaving sin behind and accepting a new life with him.

As a sign of this new beginning I am going to ask each of you:

Do you turn to Jesus as your friend? **I do.**

Do you repent of all your sins? **I do.**

Do you promise to fight against temptation, sin and evil wherever you find it?
I do.

Now Christ claims Benjamin for his own. Receive the sign of the † Cross.

Do not be ashamed to tell others about the faith of Jesus who was crucified.
Fight with all your strength as a disciple of Christ against sin and all that is evil and remain a faithful friend of Jesus to the end of your life.

May Almighty God deliver you from the powers of darkness † make you pure as he is pure and lead you to follow the light of Christ, now and every day. **Amen.**

As the Paschal Candle is carried down to the back of Church, Benjamin's family and his godparents follow this symbol of the Light of Christ to the Font. We invite everyone, especially children, to join us.

Processional hymn: **AM271 Father in heaven** [t Bunessan]

**Father in heaven, grant to your children
mercy and blessing, faith without end;
love to unite us, grace to forgive us.
Father in heaven, your name be praised.**

**Jesus, Redeemer, may we remember
you died on Calvary, and rose again.
Worship we bring you, praise we will sing you,
Jesus redeemer, your name be praised.**

**Spirit descending, you give the blessing,
strength for the weary, help for the young.
Grant by these waters your sons and daughters,
Spirit descending, may praise your name.** (Words: Daniel Niles, adapted JB)

At the Font:

God uses water to give his divine life to those who believe in him. Let us turn to him and ask him to pour his gift of new life on to Benjamin whom he has chosen.

Praise God who made heaven and earth;
who keeps his promise for ever.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God
It is right to give thanks and praise.

For your Spirit, sweeping over the waters, bringing light and life,
we give you thanks and praise.

For your Son Jesus Christ our Lord, baptised in the River Jordan,
we give you thanks and praise.

For Benjamin and all new Christians,
brought to new birth by water and the Spirit,
we give you thanks and praise.

For the graces bestowed on us, your children, of forgiveness and hope,
we give you thanks and praise.

Father, accept our offering of praise
and may your holy and life-giving Spirit move upon these waters.
May they restore the beauty of your creation
and bring Callum and all who are baptised to new birth
in the family of your Church.

Anoint him with power from on high
and make him one with Christ in the freedom of your kingdom;
for all might, majesty, dominion and power are yours,
now and for ever. **Amen.**

But before Benjamin is baptised, we need to hear from you, his family,
his godparents and all his friends, what it is that you believe:

**I believe and trust in God the Father who made the world.
I believe and trust in his Son Jesus Christ
who died for our sins and has won for us a place in heaven.
I believe and trust in the Holy Spirit
who lives and works with us every day.**

This then is our faith:
**We believe and trust in one God,
Father, Son and Holy Spirit.**

Now there is nothing to stop those who believe and trust in God from being baptised:

Benjamin George William, I baptise you in the name of the Father, and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit. **Amen.**

After Benjamin has been baptised, he is wrapped around with a towel or a christening robe:

Benjamin, today you have 'put on Christ'. May he guard and protect you all the days of your life, and lead you, one day, into his home in heaven.

The priest anoints Benjamin:

Benjamin, may God who has received you into his friendship by baptism pour upon you † the riches of his grace, that with Christians everywhere, you may be filled each day with his anointing Spirit, and come to enjoy the promise of life eternal in heaven. **Amen.**

We remain standing for the Prayers. At the end we say:

**God of grace and life,
in your love you have given us a place
among your people;
keep us faithful to our baptism,
and prepare us for that glorious day
when the whole of creation
may be made perfect in your Son
our Saviour Jesus Christ. Amen.**

Rejoicing in the fellowship of the Church on earth, we join our prayers with Our Lady, St James and all the saints in glory. Merciful Father:
accept these prayers for the sake of your Son, our Saviour Jesus Christ. Amen.

The Peace

We are baptised into Christ: let us love by the Spirit of Christ.

The peace of the Lord be always with you.
And also with you.

The Christening party and the Sanctuary party return to their places at the front of Church .

*One more step along the world I go,
one more step along the world I go.
From the old things to the new
keep me travelling along with you.
And it's from the old I travel to the new,
keep me travelling along with you.*

*Round the corners of the world I turn,
more and more about the world I learn.
All the new things that I see
you'll be looking at along with me. And it's from the old...*

*As I travel through the bad and good,
keep me travelling the way I should.
Where I see no way to go,
you'll be telling me the way, I know. And it's from the old...*

*Give me courage when the world is rough,
keep me loving though the world is tough.
Leap and sing in all I do,
keep me travelling along with you. And it's from the old...*

*You are older than the world can be,
you are younger than the life in me.
Ever old and ever new,
keep me travelling along with you. And it's from the old...*

At the Offertory

Blessed are you, Lord, God of all creation.
Through your goodness we have this bread to offer,
which earth has given and human hands have made.
It will become for us the bread of life.

Blessed be God for ever.

Blessed are you, Lord, God of all creation.
Through your goodness we have this wine to offer,
fruit of the vine and work of human hands.
It will become our spiritual drink.

Blessed be God for ever.

Pray, my friends, that our thanksgiving may be acceptable to God,
the almighty Father.

**May the Lord accept this sacrifice from our hands
for the praise and glory of his name,
for our good, and the good of all his Church.**

God of glory, receive all we offer this day as a symbol of our love, and increase in us that true and perfect gift. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

THE EUCHARISTIC PRAYER

The Lord be with you **and also with you.**
Lift up your hearts. **We lift them to the Lord.**
Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
It is right to give thanks and praise.

Lord of heaven and earth, you have shown us
that to live happily we must follow Jesus.

Teach us to hear his voice
so that whenever we are tempted to do what is selfish and wrong
your Spirit will help us to give and to love
as God loves us.

So now we proclaim your glory
with the angels and archangels
and all the company of heaven
as they sing this hymn of praise:



heart is glad to say the words: you are ho - ly, Lord.
sann - a in the high - est. Praise and thanks to God.



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Sit Father of all, we give you thanks for every gift that comes from heaven.
To the darkness Jesus came as your light.
With signs of faith and words of hope
he touched untouchables with love and washed the guilty clean.
The crowds came out to see your Son, yet at the end they turned on him.

On the night he was betrayed he came to table with his friends
to celebrate the freedom of your people.

The Lord's Prayer

Jesus blessed you, Father, for the food;
he took bread, gave thanks, broke it and said:
This is my body, given for you all.

Jesus then gave thanks for the wine;
he took the cup, gave it to his disciples and said:
This is my blood, shed for you all for the forgiveness of sins.
Do this in remembrance of me.

Therefore, Father, with this bread and this cup
we celebrate the cross on which he died to set us free.

Defying death he rose again
and is alive with you to plead for us and all the world.

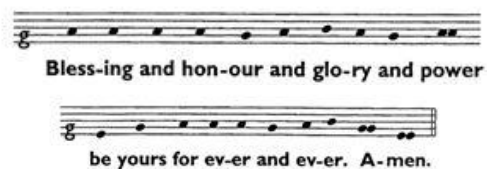
Let us proclaim the mystery of our faith:



You a - lone are ho - ly and you, a - lone are Lord, and
you a - lone are the Most High; Je - sus Christ our Lord.

Send your Spirit on us now
that by these gifts we may feed on Christ
with opened eyes and hearts on fire.

May we and all who share this food
offer ourselves to live for you
and be welcomed at your feast in heaven
where all creation worships you,
Father, Son and Holy Spirit:



Bless-ing and hon-our and glo-ry and power
be yours for ev-er and ev-er. A-men.

Lord Jesus, remember us in your kingdom and teach us to pray:

**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 trespasses,
as we forgive those who trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation;
but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom, the power and the glory,
for ever and ever. Amen.**

Fraction

We break this bread to share in the body of Christ.
**Though we are many, we are one body,
because we all share the one bread.**

Agnus Dei



Je - sus, Lamb of God: have
Mer - cy on us. Je-sus, re deemer of the
world: Give us peace.

Invitation to Communion

Come and kneel at the altar of God, not because you are strong but because you are weak. Come not because any goodness of your own gives you the right to come but because you need mercy and help. Come because you love the Lord a little and would like to love him more. Come because he loves you, and gave himself for you.

COMMUNITY NOTICES

The Lighted Candle

Lift up your hearts above the cares and fears and let this bread and wine be to you the token of the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit, all meant for you if you will accept them in humble faith.

For this is the Lamb of God who takes away the sins of the world. Happy are they who are called to his supper.

Lord, I am not worthy to receive you: but only say the word and I shall be healed.

At the time of Communion, please feel free to come forward to the rail - either for communion or for a blessing. Jesus invites everyone, you too! If you have not been admitted to Communion in this - or in any other - Church, please bring this service booklet with you. Afterwards we keep as quiet as possible as we remember the presence of Christ among us.

After Communion

Post Communion Hymn: **CH595 O, when the saints go marching in**

*O, when the saints go marching in,
O, when the saints go marching in,
O Lord, I want to be in that number
when the saints go marching in.*

*And when the sun refused to shine,
and when the sun refused to shine,
O Lord, I want to be in that number
when the sun refused to shine.*

*O, when they crown him Lord of all,
O when they crown him Lord of all.,
O Lord, I want to be in that number
when they crown him Lord of all.*

*O, when the saints go marching in,
O, when the saints go marching in,
O Lord, I want to be in that number
when the saints go marching in.*

(Words: Traditional)

Post Communion:

Lord, the earth is filled with your gifts from heaven; bread from the earth and wine to cheer our hearts.

Almighty God, we thank you for feeding us with the body and blood of your Son Jesus Christ. Through him we offer you our souls and bodies to be a living sacrifice.

Send us out in the power of your Spirit to live and work to your praise and glory. Amen.

Scott, Amy, Freddie and Callum come the front of Church. The priest gives a baptismal candle to one of them.

So we celebrate this milestone occasion for Benjamin Kinch:

Benjamin, you have begun the Christian journey. One day we pray that you will be admitted to the table of the Lord so that you can receive Holy Communion alongside us here. But that is something to be looked forward to in the future. Today we invite you to receive this light. Walk in the light of Christ all the days of your life.

Blessed are you, Lord God, Creator of day and night.
By the light of Christ, your living Word,
dispel the darkness of our hearts that we may walk as children of light
and sing your praise throughout the world!

**Come, light of the world, come light up our lives;
come, light of the world, light up our hearts.
Dispel all darkness, remove our blindness;
come, light of the world, be light for our eyes.**

Scott, Amy, Freddie, Callum and Benjamin return to their places.

Blessing

May God, who wishes for you total happiness and joy, make you perfect to do his will, now and in the years to come; and the blessing of God almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you and remain with you always. **Amen.**

DISMISSAL

Go in the light and peace of Christ.
Thanks be to God.

Stand for the Final Hymn: **CAHON819 He's got the whole world**

*He's got the whole world in his hands.
He's got the whole world in his hands.
He's got the whole world in his hands
He's got the whole world in his hands.*

**He's got you and me, brother, in his hand.
He's got you and me, brother, in his hand.
He's got you and me, brother, in his hand.
He's got the whole world in his hands.**

**He got you and me, sister, in his hand.
He got you and me, sister, in his hand.
He got you and me, sister, in his hand.
He's got the whole world in his hands.**

**He's got the little tiny baby in his hand.
He's got the little tiny baby in his hand.
He's got the little tiny baby in his hand.
He's got the whole world in his hands.**

**He's got everybody here in his hand.
He's got everybody here in his hand.
He's got everybody here in his hand.
He's got the whole world in his hands.** (Words: African-American traditional]