

Changed from glory into glory,  
till in heaven we take our place,  
till we cast our crowns before thee,  
lost in wonder, love, and praise!

*Charles Wesley, 1707 - 88*

**FIRST READING**

read by Margaret Baumbach  
Book of Tobit, 8: 4-8  
*Bring us to old age together.*

**RESPONSORAL PSALM 102**

read by Barbara McVeigh  
The people's response is:  
**The Lord is compassion and love.**

**SECOND READING**

Read by Barbara McVeigh  
1 Corinthians, 12:31-13:8

The Gospel Acclamation is said by all:

**Alleluia, Alleluia! God is love;  
let us love one another as God has loved us. Alleluia!**  
**(1 John 4: 8b and 11)**

**The Gospel - Saint John 15: 9-12**

*Remain in my love*

**The Homily** - Father Edmund Eggleston

## **THE MARRIAGE**

### **The Exchange of Vows and the Blessing and Giving of Rings.**

#### **The Prayer of the Faithful (Bidding Prayers)**

read by Deacon Mike Vipond.

*Response:* **Lord, we ask you, hear our prayer.**

## **OFFERTORY HYMN**

Praise, my soul, the king of heaven;  
to his feet thy tribute bring!  
Ransomed, healed, restored, forgiven,  
who like me his praise should sing?  
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 for ever,  
slow to chide, and swift to bless!  
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!  
Widely as his mercy flows!

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 with us the God of grace!

**H.F. Lyte, 1793-1847**

## ***THE EUCHARISTIC PRAYER***

**The Lord's Prayer**

**The Nuptial Blessing**

**Holy Communion**

## Hymn

Now thank we all our God,  
with heart and hands and voices,  
who wondrous things has done,  
in whom this world rejoices:  
who from our mothers' arms  
has blessed us on our way  
with countless gifts of love,  
and still is ours today

O may this bounteous God  
through all our life be near us,  
with ever joyful hearts  
and blessed peace to cheer us;  
and keep us in his grace,  
and guide us when perplexed;  
and free us from all ills.  
in this world and the next!

All praise and thanks to God  
the Father now be given;  
the Son and him who reigns  
with them in highest heaven:  
the one eternal God,  
whom heaven and earth adore;  
for thus it was, is now,  
and shall be evermore.

*Martyn Rinkart, 1586-1649*