First hymn:

Jesus is Lord! Creation's voice proclaims it, for by his power each tree and flower was planned and made. Jesus is Lord! The universe declares it – sun, moon and stars in heaven cry: "Jesus is Lord!"

Jesus is Lord, Jesus is Lord! Praise him with alleluias, for Jesus is Lord.

Jesus is Lord! Yet from his throne eternal in flesh he came to die in pain on Calvary's tree. Jesus is Lord! From him all life proceeding – yet gave his life a ransom thus setting us free.

Jesus is Lord! O'er sin the mighty conqueror; from death he rose and all his foes shall own his name. Jesus is Lord! God send his Holy Spirit to show by works of power that Jesus is Lord.

Words and Music D.J. Mansell

Psalm

We remain seated as the Choir sings Psalm 81 in 4 verses. The congregation join in the response:

Shout for joy to the God of Jacob

The Gospel acclamation is:

Yours words are spirit, Lord, and they are life You have the message of eternal life

Offertory hymn:

I danced in the morning when the world was begun, And I danced in the moon and the stars and the sun. And I came down from heaven and I danced on the earth, At Bethlehem I had my birth.

Dance, then, wherever you may be; I am the Lord of the Dance, said he. And I'll lead you all wherever you may be, And I'll lead you all in the dance, said he.

I danced for the scribe and the Pharisee,
But they would not dance and they would not follow me;
I danced for the fishermen, for James and John;
They came to me and the dance went on.

I danced on the sabbath when I cured the lame,
The holy people said it was a shame;
They whipped and they stripped and they hung me high;
And they left me there on a cross to die.

I danced on a Friday and the sky turned black; It's hard to dance with the devil on your back; They buried my body and they thought I'd gone, But I am the dance and I still go on.

They cut me down and I leapt up high, I am the life that'll never, never die; I'll live in you if you'll live in me; I am the Lord of the Dance, said he

At Communion if you wish to receive from the chalice – the common cup – please come to the front centre. If you would rather have the host intincted in the wine by the Priest, please come to the Lady Chapel (by ramp).

Communion Hymn

Be still, for the presence of the Lord, the Holy One, is here; come, bow before him now with reverence and fear.

In him no sin is found, we stand on holy ground. Be still, for the presence of the Lord the Holy One, is here.

Be still, for the glory of the Lord is shining all around; he burns with holy fire, with splendour he is crowned. How awesome is the sight, our radiant King of Light!

Be still, for the glory of the Lord is shining all around.

Be still for the power of the Lord is moving in this place; he comes to cleanse and heal, to minister his grace. No work too hard for him, in faith receive from him; be still, for the power of the Lord is moving in this place.

Words and Music D.J. Evans (b. 1957)

Final Hymn

Ye servants of God, your Master proclaim, and publish abroad his wonderful name; the name all-victorious of Jesus extol: his kingdom is glorious, and rules over all.

God ruleth on high, almighty to save; and still he is nigh: his presence we have.

The great congregation his triumph shall sing, ascribing salvation to Jesus our King.

Salvation to God who sits on the throne! Let all cry aloud, and honour the Son. The praises of Jesus the angels proclaim, fall down on their faces, and worship the lamb.

Then let us adore, and give him his right: all glory and power, all wisdom and might,

and honour and blessing, with angels above, and thanks never-ceasing, and infinite love.

Charles Wesley 1707-88

Music: Paderborn

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