

Love Me Tender
ELVIS PRESLEY SUNDAY

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St. Mary of Mo`ili`ili



Music Video: *My Jesus Knows*

We STAND for the Procession of the Cross and the Opening Hymn and Prayer.

Processional Hymn: *Amazing Grace* (verses 1-2-5)

Amazing Grace!
How sweet the sound
That saved a wretch like me
I once was lost but now am found,
Was blind but now I see

'Twas Grace that taught my heart to fear
And Grace my fears relieved
How precious did that grace appear
The hour I first believed

Through many dangers, toils and snares
I have already come
'Tis Grace has brought me safe thus far
And Grace will lead me home

The Lord has promised good to me
His word my hope secures;
He will my shield and portion be,
As long as life endures

Opening Prayer

In Unison

Eternal GOD, in whose kingdom no sword is drawn but the sword of righteousness and love: Spread your Holy Spirit at home and abroad, that all may be gathered under the banner of the Prince of Peace; now and forever. AMEN!

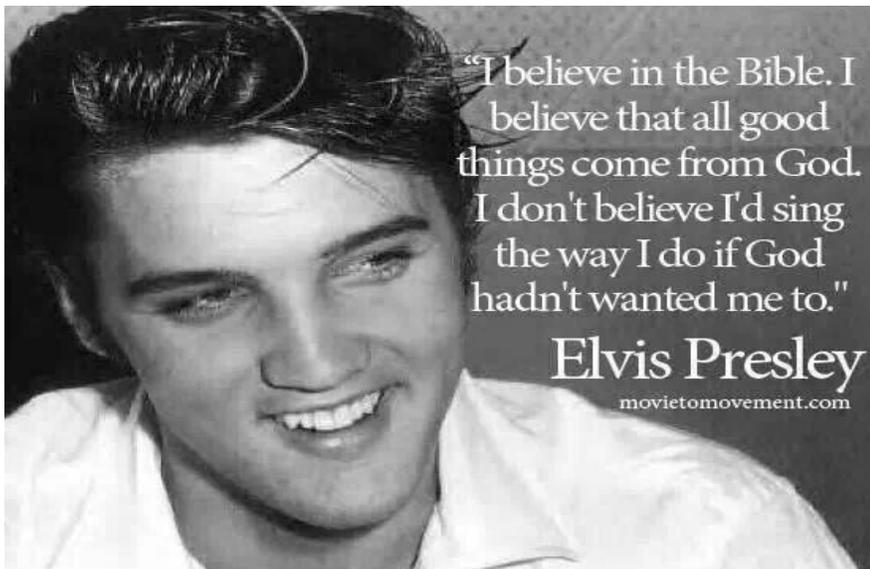
We are SEATED for **THE LESSONS.**

1 Kings 19:4-8

When Elijah went into the wilderness to pray, he sat under a large shrub, hoping GOD would end his life, for he thought he had brought shame upon his ancestors. Later that night, an angel appeared while he was sleeping, saying, “The LORD has need of you, Elijah.” Inspired by the dream, Elijah climbed Mt. Horeb, where he fasted for forty days and forty nights.

Psalm 34

In Unison



Psalm 34

**Happy are they
who trust
in the LORD,
for he
delivers us
from
anxiety
and fear!**

Ephesians 4:25 – 5.2

Let us speak the truth. Let no slander or malice come out of our mouths, that our words may grace all who listen. Let us put away bitterness, discord, and anger. Let us be kind to one another; forgiving one another in the name of Christ, who gave himself as an offering to GOD on our behalf.

We STAND for the Proclamation of the GOSPEL.

Gospel Hymn: *In Christ there is no east or west* [verse 1]

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Gospeller:

Rev. Preston Lentz

Our Deacon proclaims
 The Holy Gospel ... according to St. John.
People **Glory to you Lord Christ!**
 The **GOSPEL: John 6.35, 41-51**
After the lesson, our Deacon says The Gospel of the Lord.
People **Praise to you Lord Christ!**



Gospel Hymn: *In Christ there is no east or west* [verse 2]

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The Sermon:

Rev. Preston Lentz

Don't leave the brain GOD gave you at the door of our chapel. Reason is an important part of our journey of faith. We not only feel Christ's presence, we reflect upon it through WORD and SACRAMENT as well.

Those who are able KNEEL as a community of faith in prayer.

Prayers of the People [Insert]

Intercessor: Tatjana Johnson

Please be SEATED for our Celebrations.

Celebrations: *We celebrate birthdays, baptisms, graduations, anniversaries, and travel blessings!*

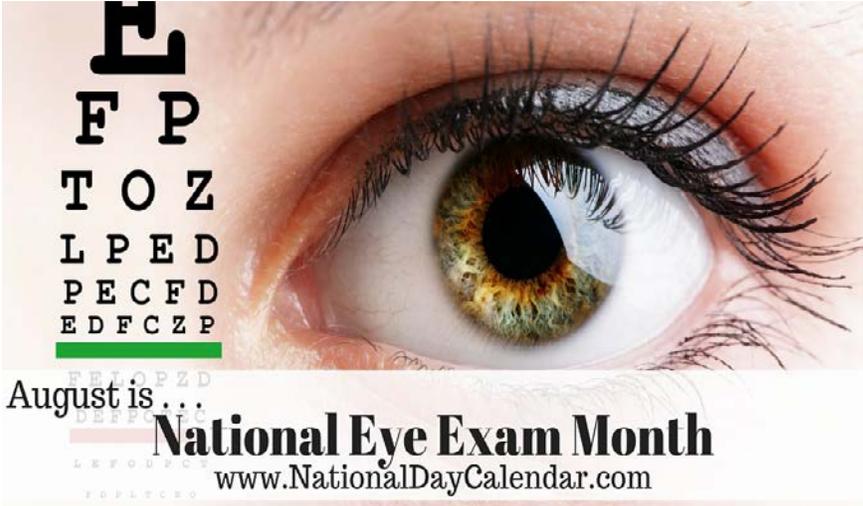
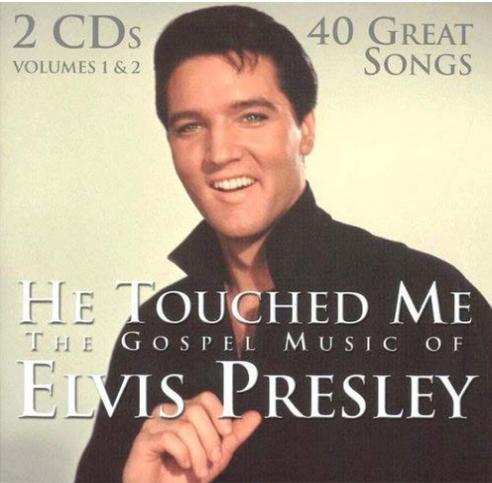
Peace +

Thanksgiving Song: *All Shook Up*

Gifts: Jackie & Byron Uahinui

We greet one another in the name of Christ. A song of thanksgiving is played.

The gifts of bread and wine are brought to the altar. The Offering is brought forward and blessed.



Lord's Prayer

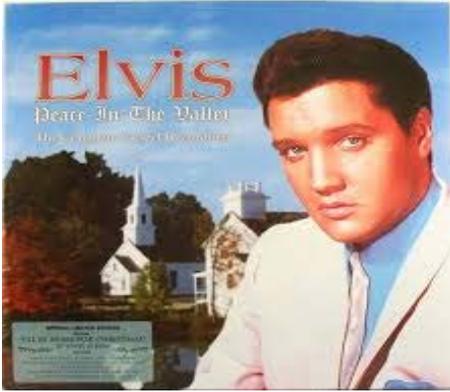
Our Fa - ther, which art in heav - en, hal - low - ed
be thy name. Thy king - dom come, thy will be
done on earth as it is in heav - en.
Give us this day our dai - ly bread, and for - give us our
debts, as we for - give our debt - ors And
lead us not in - to temp - ta - tion but de - liv - er - us from e - vil: for
thine is the king - dom, and the pow - er, and the
glo - ry, for - ev - er. A - - -
men. A - - - men.



Communion Hymns:

We Call on Him; Reach Out to Jesus [page 7]

REACH OUT TO JESUS



Words & Music:
Ralph Carmichael 1968

Track: Elvis Presley
recorded 1971

Album: *Peace in the Valley* 2000

Is your burden heavy?
As you bear it all alone?
Does the road you travel harbor
danger yet unknown?
Are you growing weary in the
struggle of it all?
Jesus will help you
When on His name you call.

He is always there
Hearing every prayer
Faithful and true
Walking by our side
In His love we hide
All the day through
When you get discouraged
Just remember what to do
Reach out to Jesus
He's reaching out to you.

Is the life you're living filled with
sorrow and despair?
Does the future push you with its
weary and its care?
Are you tired and famished?
Have you almost lost your way?
Jesus will help you
Just come to Him today.

He is always there
Hearing every prayer
Faithful and true
Walking by our side
In His love we hide
All the day through
When you get discouraged
Just remember what to do
Reach out to Jesus
Come on and reach out to Jesus...

We give thanks for Christ's presence in us.

Prayer of Thanksgiving

In Unison

We thank you, Loving GOD, for the Bread of Life & the Cup of Salvation; and for musicians who inspire and encourage us to reach out in love to others, as faithful witnesses of Christ our Lord. AMEN!

Blessing +

We STAND to celebrate the gift of the risen Lord.

Closing Hymn: *By & By*

Insert

Until We Meet Again:

Our Deacon sends us out into the world, saying

Let us go forth rejoicing in the music that soothes our soul and heals our hearts.

The Congregation responds **Thanks be to GOD!**



Postlude: *Fountain of Love* Elvis

201 Reasons to be an Episcopalian:

#181: It's o.k. to admit you enjoy singing some of Elvis' songs more than some of our hymns.