ST. JAMES PARISH CHURCH HYMNS For June 29, 2025 The Fourth Sunday After Pentecost

HYMN FOR THE INTROIT: 729

- 1. Christ is our corner-stone, on Him alone we build; with His true Saints alone the courts of Heaven are filled: on His great love our hopes we place of present grace and joys above.
- 2. O then with hymns of praise these hallowed courts shall ring; our voices we will raise the Three in One to sing; and thus proclaim in joyful song, both loud and long, that glorious Name.
- 3. Here, gracious God, do thou for evermore draw nigh; accept each faithful vow, and mark each suppliant sigh; in copious shower on all who pray each holy day thy blessings pour.
- 4. Here may we gain from heaven the grace which we implore; and may that grace, once given, be with us evermore, until that day when all the blest

to endless rest are called away.

HYMN FOR THE GRADUAL: 507

1. Thou didst leave thy throne and thy kingly crown when thou camest to earth for me; but in Bethlehem's home was there found no room for thy holy Nativity:

Refrain:

O come to my heart, Lord Jesus; There is room in my heart for thee.

2. Heaven's arches rang when the angels sang, proclaiming thy royal degree; but in lowly birth didst thou come to earth, and in great humility:

Refrain

3. The foxes found rest, and the bird had its nest in the shade of the cedar tree; but thy couch was the sod, O thou Son of God, in the desert of Galilee:

Refrain

4. Thou camest, O Lord, with the living word that should set thy people free; but with mocking scorn and with crown of thorn they bore thee to Calvary:

Refrain

5. When the heavens shall ring, and the angels sing, at thy coming to victory, let thy voice call me home, saying, "Yet there is room, there is room at my side for thee:"

Refrain

HYMN FOR THE OFFERTORY: 672

- 1. O Jesus, I have promised to serve thee to the end; be thou for ever near me, my master and my friend; I shall not fear the battle if thou art by my side, nor wander from the pathway if thou wilt be my guide.
- 2. O let me feel thee near me:
 the world is ever near;
 I see the sights that dazzle,
 the tempting sounds I hear;
 my foes are ever near me,
 around me and within;
 but, Jesus, draw thou nearer,
 and shield my soul from sin.
- 3. O let me hear thee speaking in accents clear and still, above the storms of passion, the murmurs of self-will;O speak to re-assure me, to hasten or control;O speak, and make me listen, thou guardian of my soul.
- 4. O Jesus, thou hast promised to all who follow thee, that where thou art in glory there shall thy servant be; and, Jesus, I have promised to serve thee to the end; O give me grace to follow, my master and my friend.
- 5. O let me see thy footmarks, and in them plant mine own my hope to follow duly is in thy strength alone; O guide me, call me, draw me, uphold me to the end; and then in heaven receive me,

my Saviour and my friend.

HYMN FOR COMMUNION: 606

- 1. Lord, accept the alms we offer, tokens of our love to thee; out of grateful hearts we render this our act of charity; even though full well we know all we have to thee we owe.
- 2. Use them, Father, to thy glory, teach us fully how to give, for his sake who leaving heaven gave us all that we might live all we have could not suffice to repay his sacrifice.
- 3. Now the priest upon the altar doth present the bread and wine, to become, in wondrous manner, for our souls the food divine: soul and body by thee fed, praise we give for daily bread.
- 4. With our alms and our oblations take, O Lord, our prayers of love; make thy church in fullest concord serve as one, below, above; and in fellowship complete reach at last thy mercy-seat.

HYMN FOR THE RECESSION: 415

- Children of the heavenly King, as ye journey, sweetly sing; sing your Saviour's worthy praise, glorious in his works and ways
- 2. We are traveling home to God, in the way the fathers trod; they are happy now, and we soon their happiness shall see.
- 3. Lift your eyes, ye sons of light!
 Sion's city is in sight:
 there our endless home shall be,
 there our Lord we soon shall see.
- 4. Fear not, brethren! Joyful stand on the borders of your land; Jesus Christ, your Father's Son, bids you undismayed go on.
- 5. Lord, obediently we would go, gladly leaving all below; only thou our Leader be; and we will still follow thee.