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SAINT THOMAS CHURCH FIFTH AVENUE
in the
CITY OF NEW YORK



The Reverend Canon Carl F. Turner, Rector

Welcome to Saint Thomas Church, a parish of the Episcopal Diocese of New York.
Our mission is to worship, love and serve Our Lord Jesus Christ
through the Anglican tradition and our unique choral heritage.

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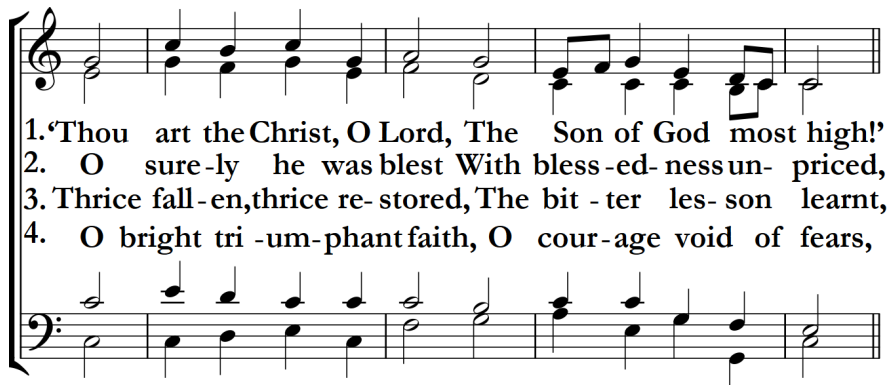
EVE OF THE CONFESSION OF SAINT PETER

JANUARY 17, 2024

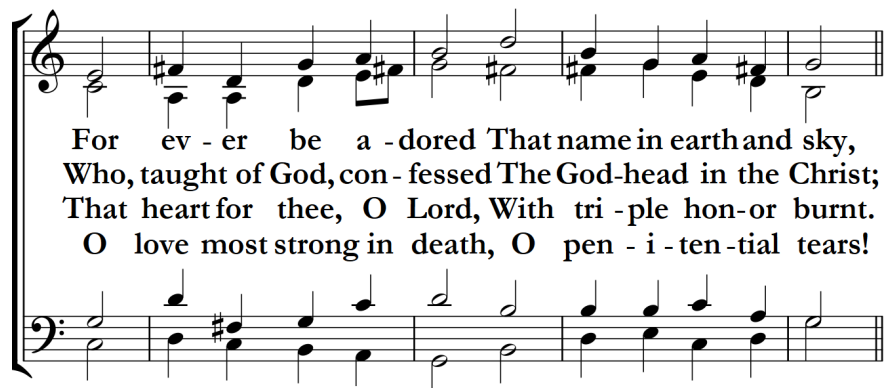
FESTAL EVENSONG — 5:30 p.m.
sung by the Saint Thomas Choir of Men and Boys

Prelude	Fantasia (A Final)	John Bull (1562-1628)
Introit	The Lord gave the word	William Prendergast (1868-1933)
Versicles		Thomas Tomkins (1572-1656)
Psalms 34		Anglican Chant (Martin)
First Lesson		Ezekiel 34:11-16
Office Hymn	Thou art the Christ, O Lord	CROFT'S 136TH
Magnificat	The Second Service	Orlando Gibbons (1583-1625)
Second Lesson		Acts 9:32-43
Nunc Dimittis	The Second Service	Orlando Gibbons
Apostles' Creed		
Responses		Thomas Tomkins
The Collect of the Day		
The Collect for Peace		
The Collect for Aid Against All Perils		
Anthem at the Offertory	Almighty God, who by thy son	Orlando Gibbons
Prayers and Intercessions		

Hymn: Thou art the Christ O Lord



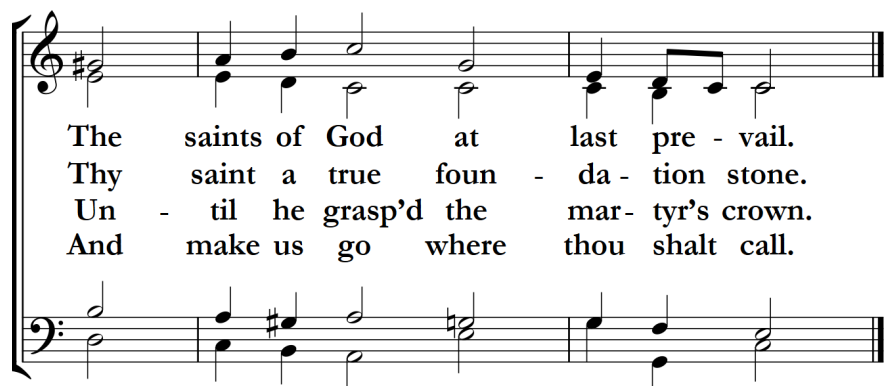
1. 'Thou art the Christ, O Lord, The Son of God most high!
 2. O sure-ly he was blest With bless-ed-ness un- priced,
 3. Thrice fall-en, thrice re- stored, The bit - ter les- son learnt,
 4. O bright tri - um-phant faith, O cour-age void of fears,



For ev - er be a - dored That name in earth and sky,
 Who, taught of God, con- fessed The God-head in the Christ;
 That heart for thee, O Lord, With tri - ple hon- or burnt.
 O love most strong in death, O pen - i - ten- tial tears!



In which, though mor - tal strength may fail,
 For of thy Church, Lord, thou didst own
 The cross he took he laid not down
 By these, Lord, keep us lest we fall,



The saints of God at last pre - vail.
 Thy saint a true foun - da - tion stone.
 Un - til he grasp'd the mar- tyr's crown.
 And make us go where thou shalt call.