

Open Table



Eucharist Liturgy

The table of bread is now to be made ready.
It is the table of company with Jesus,
and all who love him.

It is the table of sharing with the poor of the world,
with whom Jesus identified himself.

It is the table of communion with the earth,
in which Christ became incarnate. ...

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So come to this table, you who have much faith
and you who would like to have more;
you who have been here often
and you who have not been for a long time;
you who have tried to follow Jesus,
and you who have failed.

Come.
It is Christ who invites us to meet him here. ...

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**Loving God,
through your goodness
we have this bread and wine to offer,
which has come forth from the earth
and human hands have made.**

**May we know your presence in the sharing,
so that we may know your touch
and presence in all things. ...**

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**We celebrate the life that Jesus has shared
among his community through the centuries,
and shares with us now.**

**Made one in Christ
and one with each other,
we offer these gifts and with them ourselves,
A single, living act of praise.**

Amen.



Michael Leunig | Cardboard Box

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FAITH

John 20:24-29



“Cardboard Box” | Michael Leunig (DVD “Whimsy”)

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=vWWsm0VsW8E>



SCRIPTURE | John 20:24-29

Now Thomas, one of the Twelve, called the Twin, was not with them when Jesus came. So the other disciples told him, "We have seen the Lord." But he said to them, **"Unless I see in his hands the mark of the nails, and place my finger into the mark of the nails, and place my hand into his side, I will never believe."**

Eight days later, his disciples were inside again, and Thomas was with them. Although the doors were locked, Jesus came and stood among them and said, "Peace be with you." Then **he said to Thomas, "Put your finger here, and see my hands; and put out your hand, and place it in my side. Do not disbelieve, but believe."** Thomas answered him, **"My Lord and my God!"** Jesus said to him, **"Have you believed because you have seen me? Blessed are those who have not seen and yet have believed."**



Caravaggio | The Incredulity of Saint Thomas (1603)

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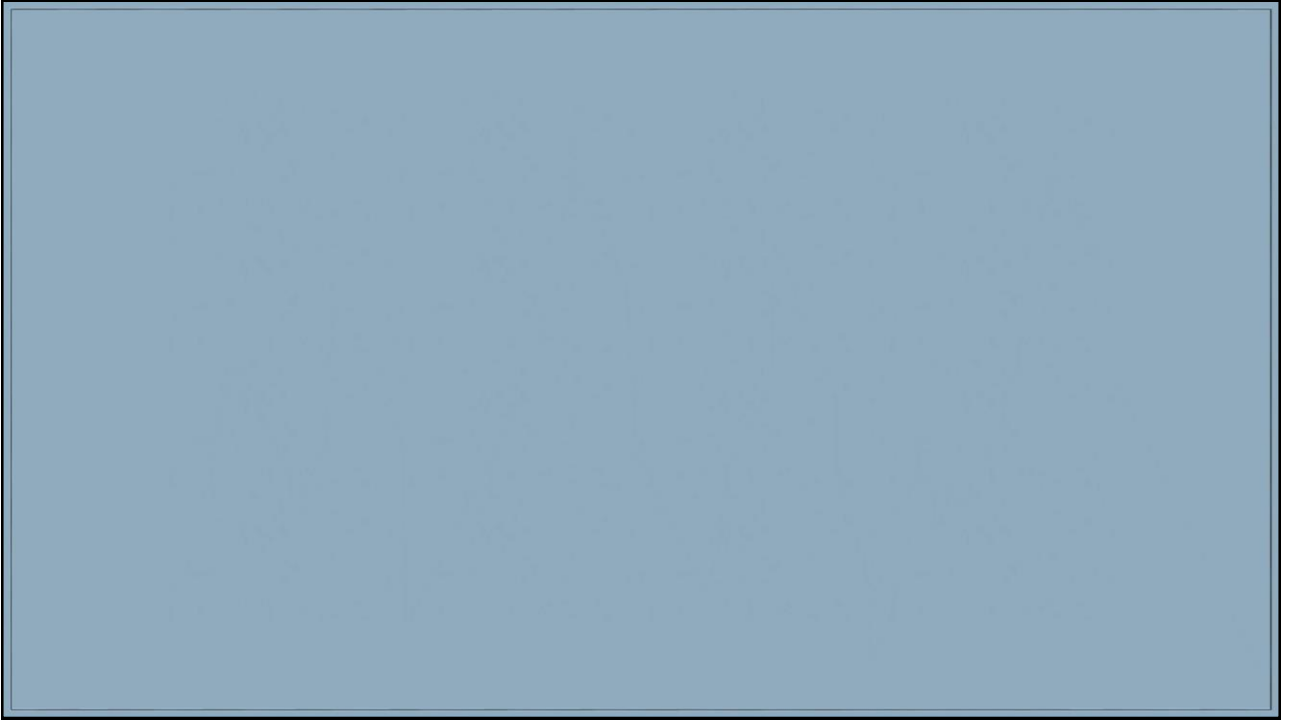
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“I Will Trust in You” | Lauren Daigle

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qv-SXz_exKE

Playing off [Habakkuk 3:1-2, 16-19](#)



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Table Benediction | Darrell Johnson

<http://www.theworkofthepeople.com/table-benediction>

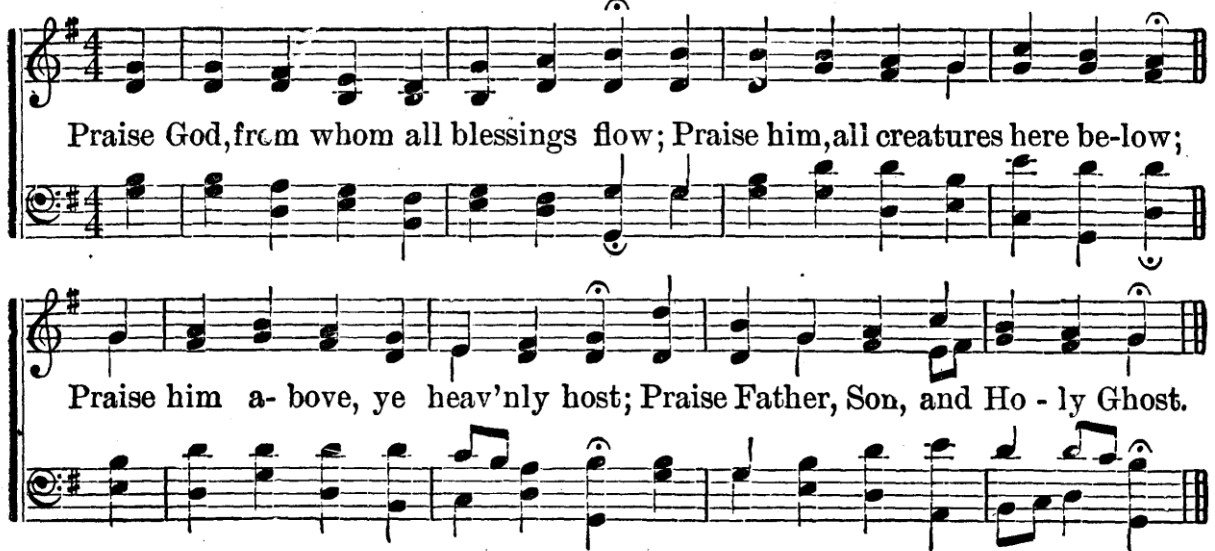
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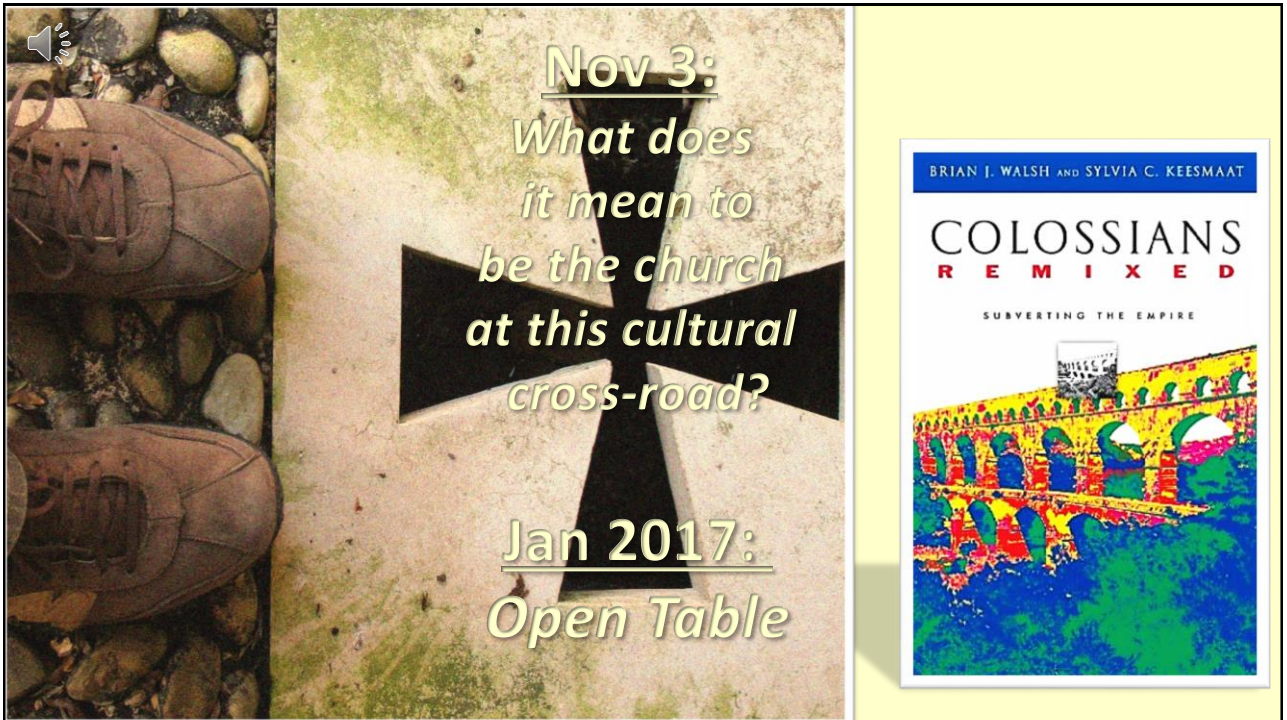
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LOUIS BOURGEOIS.



Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise him, all creatures here be-low;

Praise him a-bove, ye heav'nly host; Praise Father, Son, and Ho-ly Ghost.



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**Faith is to believe what
 you do not see; the reward
 of this faith is to see
 what you believe.**

Saint Augustine