

LORD'S DAY VESPERS

PRELIMINARY PREPARATION • 5:45 P.M.

Scripture Calls Us to Worship Mr. McRoberts

Gathering Hymn *We Three Kings* (see page 2)

Opening Prayer

Evening Lesson John 17:1-3
Page 1149 in the Pew Bible

Hymn Medley
No. 253 *There Is a Fountain* FOUNTAIN
Before The Throne of God Above (see page 3)
His Mercy Is More (see page 4)

Evening Prayer

Meditation, Reflection, and Preparation for the Word

Children are dismissed to attend their classes.

Homily JOHN 17: JESUS' PRAYER Mr. Pendley
"The Hour has Come"
John 17:1-3

Closing Chorus No. 481 *Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus* LEMMEL
(Refrain only)

Benediction of God's Grace

We Three Kings of Orient Are



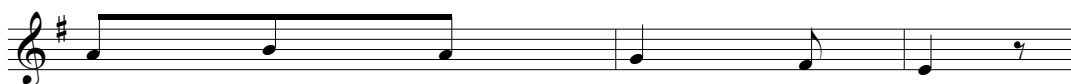
1. We three kings of O - ri - ent are,
2. Born a King on Beth - le - hem's plain,
3. *Frank - in - cense to of - fer have I:*
4. Myrrh is mine; its bit - ter per - fume
5. Glo - rious now be - hold Him a - rise,



Bear - ing gifts we trav - erse a - far,
Gold I bring to crown Him a - gain,
In - cense owns a De - i - ty nigh;
Breathes a life of gath - er - ing gloom;
King and God and Sac - ri - fice,



Field and foun - tain, moor and moun - tain,
King for ev - er, ceas - ing nev - er
Prayer and prais - ing all men rais - ing,
Sor - rowing, sigh - ing, bleed - ing, dy - ing,
Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia



Fol - low - ing yon - der star.
O - ver us all to reign.
Wor - ship Him, God Most High.
Sealed in the stone - cold tomb.
Sounds through the earth and skies.



O — star of won - der, star of night, Star with roy - al beau - ty bright;



West - ward lead - ing, still pro - ceed - ing, Guide us to thy per - fect light!

Before The Throne Of God Above



Be - fore the throne of God a - bove I have a
When Sa - tan tempts me to des - pair And tells me
Be - hold Him there the ris - en Lamb, My per - fect



strong and per - fect plea. A great high Priest whose Name is
of the guilt with - in, Up - ward I look and see Him
spot - less right - eous - ness, The great un - change - a - ble I



Love Who ev - er lives and pleads for me. My name is
there Who made an end of all my sin. Be - cause the
AM, The King of glo - ry and of grace, One with Him -



grav - en on His hands, My name is writ - ten on His
sin - less Sav - ior died My sin - ful soul is count - ed
self I can - not die. My soul is pur - chased by His



heart. I know that while in heav'n He stands No tongue can
free. For God the just is sat - is - fied To look on
blood, My life is hid with Christ on high, With Christ my



bid me thence de - part. No tongue can bid me thence de - part.
Him and par - don me. To look on Him and par - don me.
Sav - ior and my God! With Christ my Sav - ior and my God!

His Mercy Is More



1. What love could re - mem - ber no wrongs we have done? Om -
2. What pa - tience would wait as we con - stant - ly roam? What
3. What rich - es of kind - ness He lav - ished on us. His



ni - scient, all know - ing, He counts not their sum. Thrown
Fa - ther, so ten - der, is call - ing us home? He
blood was the pay - ment; His life was the cost. We



in - to a sea with - out bot - tom or shore,
we - lcomes the weak - est, the vil - est, the poor.
stood 'neath a debt we could nev - er af - ford.



our sins, they are man - y; His mer - cy is more.

Refrain



Praise the Lord, His mer - cy is more. _____ Strong - er than dark - ness,

Repeat refrain last time



new ev - 'ry morn. Our sins, they are man - y; His mer - cy is more.