



WELCOME

Thank you for worshipping with us today.

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as you leave the church today.

TODAY'S SERVICE

Speakers:

Pastor Matthew Ude

Organists:

Barry Hay & Ann Sprengeler

Liturgy:

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PRE-SERVICE DEVOTION

Psalm 118

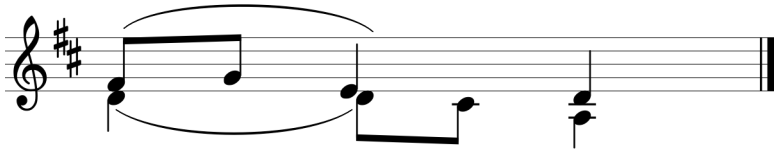
Open to me the gates of righteousness; I will go through them, And I will praise the LORD. 20 This is the gate of the LORD, Through which the righteous shall enter. 21 I will praise You, For You have answered me, And have become my salvation. 22 The stone which the builders rejected Has become the chief cornerstone. 23 This was the LORD'S doing; It is marvelous in our eyes. 24 This is the day the LORD has made; We will rejoice and be glad in it. 25 Save now, I pray, O LORD; O LORD, I pray, send now prosperity. 26 Blessed is he who comes in the name of the LORD! We have blessed you from the house of the LORD. 27 God is the LORD, And He has given us light; Bind the sacrifice with cords to the horns of the altar. 28 You are my God, and I will praise You; You are my God, I will exalt You. 29 Oh, give thanks to the LORD, for He is good! For His mercy endures forever.

SERVICE OF THE WORD

Hymn 162 — Ride On, Ride On

INVOCATION

P In the name of the Father and of the Son
and of the Holy Spirit.



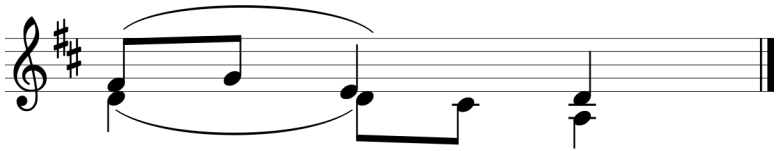
C A - men.

CONFESSION OF SINS

P We have come into the presence of God, who created us to love and serve him as his dear children. But we have disobeyed him and deserve only his wrath and punishment. Therefore, let us confess our sins to him and plead for his mercy.

All Merciful Father in heaven, I am altogether sinful from birth, In countless ways I have sinned against you and do not deserve to be called your child. But trusting in Jesus, my Savior, I pray; Have mercy on me according to your unfailing love. Cleanse me from my sin, and take away my guilt.

P God, our heavenly Father, has forgiven all your sins. By the perfect life and innocent death of our Lord Jesus Christ, he has removed your guilt forever. You are his own dear child. May God give you strength to live according to his will.



C A - men.



C Lord, have, mer - cy on us.



Christ, have mer cy on us. Lord, have mer-cy



on us.

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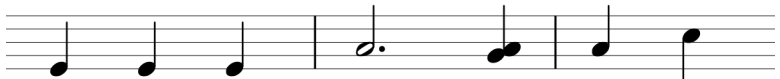
Glo - ry to God, we
Lord Je - sus Christ, the
A - lone, O Christ, You



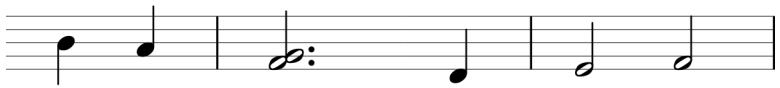
give You thanks and praise; Of heav'n - ly
Fa - ther's on - ly Son, You bore for
on - ly are the Lord, At God's right



joy and peace on earth we sing.
us the load of this world's sin.
hand in maj - es - ty most high:



We wor - ship You, to You our
O Lamb of God, Your glo - rious
Who, with the Spir - it wor - shipped

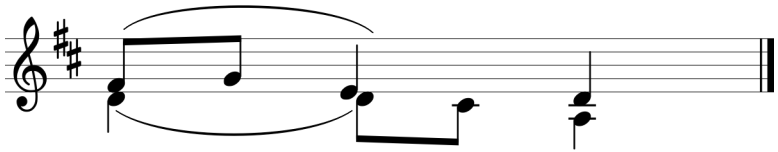


hearts we raise, Lord God, al -
vic - t'ry won, Re - ceive our
and a - dored, With all the



might - y Fa - ther, heav'n - ly King
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heav'n - ly host we glo - ri - fy.

P Let us pray . . . Almighty and everlasting God, You sent Your Son, our Savior Jesus Christ, to take upon Himself our flesh and to suffer death upon the cross. Mercifully grant that we may follow the example of His great humility and patience and be made partakers of His resurrection; through Jesus Christ your son, our Lord, who lives, and reigns with You and the Holy Ghost, one God, now and forever.



C A - men.

THE WORD

Deuteronomy 32:36-39 “For the LORD will judge His people And have compassion on His servants, When He sees that their power is gone, And there is no one remaining, bond or free. 37 He will say: ‘Where are their gods, The rock in which they sought refuge? 38 Who ate the fat of their sacrifices, And drank the wine of their drink offering? Let them rise and help you, And be your refuge. 39 ‘Now see that I, even I, am He, And there is no God besides Me; I kill and I make alive; I wound and I heal; Nor is there any who can deliver from My hand.

Philippians 2:5-11 Let this mind be in you which was also in Christ Jesus, 6 who, being in the form of God, did not consider it robbery to be equal with God, 7 but made Himself of no reputation, taking the form of a bondservant, and coming in the likeness of men. 8 And being found in appearance as a man, He humbled Himself and became obedient to the point of death, even the death of the cross. 9 Therefore God also has highly exalted Him and given Him the name which is above every name, 10

that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, of those in heaven, and of those on earth, and of those under the earth, 11 and that every tongue should confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

John 12:20-43 Now there were certain Greeks among those who came up to worship at the feast. 21 Then they came to Philip, who was from Bethsaida of Galilee, and asked him, saying, “Sir, we wish to see Jesus.” 22 Philip came and told Andrew, and in turn Andrew and Philip told Jesus. 23 But Jesus answered them, saying, “The hour has come that the Son of Man should be glorified. 24 “Most assuredly, I say to you, unless a grain of wheat falls into the ground and dies, it remains alone; but if it dies, it produces much grain. 25 “He who loves his life will lose it, and he who hates his life in this world will keep it for eternal life. 26 “If anyone serves Me, let him follow Me; and where I am, there My servant will be also. If anyone serves Me, him My Father will honor. 27 “Now My soul is troubled, and what shall I say?’ Father, save Me from this hour ‘? But for this purpose I came to this hour. 28 “Father, glorify Your name.” Then a voice came from heaven, saying, “I have both glorified

it and will glorify it again.” 29 Therefore the people who stood by and heard it said that it had thundered. Others said, “An angel has spoken to Him.” 30 Jesus answered and said, “This voice did not come because of Me, but for your sake. 31 “Now is the judgment of this world; now the ruler of this world will be cast out. 32 “And I, if I am lifted up from the earth, will draw all peoples to Myself.” 33 This He said, signifying by what death He would die. 34 The people answered Him, “We have heard from the law that the Christ remains forever; and how can You say, ‘The Son of Man must be lifted up’? Who is this Son of Man?” 35 Then Jesus said to them, “A little while longer the light is with you. Walk while you have the light, lest darkness overtake you; he who walks in darkness does not know where he is going. 36 “While you have the light, believe in the light, that you may become sons of light.” These things Jesus spoke, and departed, and was hidden from them. 37 But although He had done so many signs before them, they did not believe in Him, 38 that the word of Isaiah the prophet might be fulfilled, which he spoke: “Lord, who has believed our report? And to whom has the arm of the LORD been revealed?” 39 Therefore they could not believe, because Isaiah said again: 40 “He has blinded their eyes and

hardened their hearts, Lest they should see with their eyes, Lest they should understand with their hearts and turn, So that I should heal them.” 41 These things Isaiah said when he saw His glory and spoke of Him. 42 Nevertheless even among the rulers many believed in Him, but because of the Pharisees they did not confess Him, lest they should be put out of the synagogue; 43 for they loved the praise of men more than the praise of God.

P Blessed are they who hear the
Word of God and keep it!

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Al-le-lu-ia! Al-le-lu-ia! Al-le-lu-ia!

These words are written we may believe that

Je-sus is the Christ, the Son of God.

Al-le-lu-ia! Al-le-lu-ia! Al-le-lu-ia!

THE APOSTLES' CREED

All I believe in God, the Father almighty,
Maker of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord;
Who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, Born of
the virgin Mary; Suffered under Pontius Pilate, Was
crucified, died, and was buried. He descended into
hell. The third day he rose again from the dead; He
ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand
of God the Father almighty. From there He will
come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit; the holy Christian
Church, the communion of saints; the forgiveness
of sins, The resurrection of the body and
the life everlasting. Amen.

Hymn 160 [MFH 62] — All Glory Laud and Honor

SERMON

John 12:28 “Father, glorify Your name.” Then a voice came from heaven, saying, “I have both glorified it and will glorify it again.”

Father, Teach Us To Glorify Your Name

God greatly desires that His name would be kept holy among us. It is His name which brings salvation. His name is glorified chiefly through humility and love. We pray that the Lord would teach us to proclaim His name in humility and love so that many might come to salvation.



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Cre-ate in me a clean heart, O



God, and re - new a right spir-it with - in me.



Cast me not a - way from Your pres - ence.



Take not Your Ho - ly Spir-it from me.



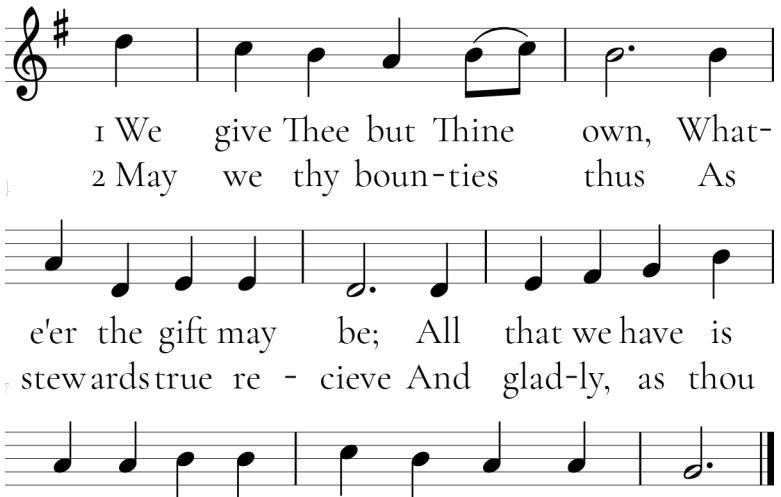
Restore to me the joy of Your sal - vation. Up -



hold with Your Spir - it free.

Hymn 723 — What Wondrous Love Is This

OFFERING AND OFFERING HYMN: 441 VS. 1-2



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1 We give Thee but Thine own, What-
2 May we thy boun-ties thus As

e'er the gift may be; All that we have is
stewards true re - cieve And glad-ly, as thou

Thine a-lone, A trust, O Lord, from Thee.
bless-est us, To Thee our first fruits give!

PRAYERS AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

All Our Father, who art in heaven, Hallowed be Thy name, Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever and ever. Amen.

THE BENEDICTION

P The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord make His face shine upon you and be gracious to you. The Lord lift up His countenance upon you and give you peace.



C A - men. A - men. A - men.

Hymn 161 — Hosanna, Loud Hosanna

Announcements

THIS WEEK

Sunday 4/14

Palm Sunday

9am Worship Service

10am Sunday School

10:15am Bible Class

Tuesday 4/16

3:30pm Women of Faith

Thursday 4/18

7pm Holy Thursday

Communion Service

Friday 4/19

1:30pm Good Friday

Communion Service

Sunday 4/21 Easter Sunday

7am Sunrise Communion Service

8am Easter Potluck Brunch

9am Easter Communion Service

10am Easter Egg Hunt

10am Easter Hymn Sing

UPCOMING

April 26th - ILHS Visitor's Day

April 28th - Faith Alive

May 5th - Children's Choir Concert

May 6th - Preschool preview

ENVELOPE COMMITTEE

This Week: Team #1: Steve Meilan,
Dean Bremer

Next Week: Team #2: Dennis Jones,
Jeff Jones

APRIL USHERS

Sundays, Good Friday, Easter late
services

Paul Eserhut, Jim Brown, Wayne Drae-
ger, David Draeger

Wednesdays, Maundy Thursday,
Easter early service

Gary Brown, Dan Thiem, Jim
Hanneman, Keith Dickerson

FRUITS OF FAITH

Attendance: 85/ 47

General: \$8560

Missions: \$195

School: \$55

SCHOOL BOARD MEETING NOTES

Ending Balance \$10,946

(please note the ending balance in the bulletin last month was incorrect)

The school board is recommending that if/when the principal call is accepted the voters ought to still meet to discuss a third teacher call.

The school board is also recommending to the voters that a third teacher is called.

COUNCIL MEETING NOTES

Offerings for March totalled \$24,535

Expenses for March totalled \$17,724

Net Income \$6,810

Ending account balance \$9,336

The ending balance does not reflect the \$12,000 loan we currently owe the bank.

We received the \$19,500 that the State of WI owed us but this is not reflected in the March accounts.

Mission offerings for March \$2,258

Mission offerings for the quarter \$4,498

This is \$5,502 short of our goal

Lawn mowing signup sheet will be posted on the bulletin board

Portage glass will look at resealing the church windows

The LP gauge at the teacherage was replaced

April 23 Quarterly Voter's Meeting

EASTER SUNDAY AGENDA

7am - Early Service

8am - Easter Potluck Breakfast

9am - Late Service

10am - Kids Egg Hunt

10am - Easter Hymn Sing

Please note that the 7am and 9am services will be different services if anyone wishes to come to both.

PIZZA SALE

Faith Markesan basketball team is selling pizzas. There is a form to sign up on the bulletin board. Payment can be left in Abby Quade's box. Deadline is April 29th.

DAILY REST MISTAKE

Apologies for a mistake in your Daily Rest devotion for April 3, p.27.

The text John 17:6 printed in the devotion book is incorrect. The text that should have appeared is: "Then they led Jesus from Caiaphas to the

Prætorium, and it was early morning. But they themselves did not go into the Prætorium, lest they should be defiled, but that they might eat the Passover.”
John 18:28

-Pastor David Pfeiffer

END OF THE YEAR PROGRAM

Faith students will be presenting an end of the year concert of sacred music on the afternoon of Sunday, May 5th. Please save this date on your calendars.

EASTER LILIES

Sign up for Easter lilies on the bulletin board. Today is your last chance to sign up.

EASTER EGG HUNT

We will be having an easter egg hunt for the kids following the second Easter service. You can sign up to bring eggs for the hunt on the bulletin board. You can also sign up to help hide the eggs.

ILHS VISITOR DAY

Students (grades 7 and up), parents, pastors, and teachers are invited to attend Immanuel Lutheran High School Visitors Day in Eau Claire, WI on Friday, April 26. Visitors will have

an opportunity to experience first-hand what it would be like to attend Immanuel. The Immanuel Band will perform a concert in the gym at 7:00 pm, followed by a theater performance of The Beverly Hillbillies at 7:30 pm. Please register at www.ilc.edu by Friday, April 19.

PRESCHOOL PREVIEW

It is time to start lining things up for next year. If you have or know of any pre-school aged children for next year, please contact Lisa Reyes (920-229-9322) and plan to attend the Pre-School Preview Day on Monday, May 6th.

CALL NEWS

Teacher Matt Thurow (Berea Lutheran School, Inver Grove Heights, MN) has returned the call to St. John's Lutheran School, Okabena, MN.

Valley Bible Academy - St. John's Lutheran in Clarkston, WA, has requested a 2019 ILC teacher graduate.

Faith Lutheran Markesan has called Quinn Sprengeler to be principal and teacher.



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