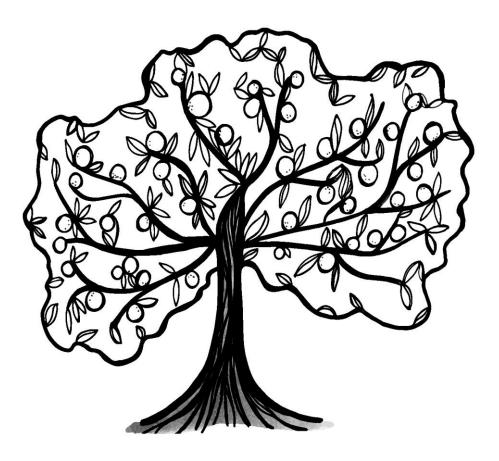
Our Saviour

Lutheran Church



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🛯 GATHERING 🦻

Gathering Song

Bless God

Blessed are those who run to Him, Who place their hope and confidence in Jesus. He won't forsake them. Blessed are those who seek His face, Who bend their knee and fix their gaze on Jesus. They won't be shaken.

Chorus 1:

Come on and praise the Lord with me. Sing if you love His name. Come on and lift your voice with me. He's worthy of all our praise.

Blessed are those who walk with Him, Whose hearts are set on pilgrimage with Jesus. They'll see His glory. Blessed are those who die to live, Whose joy it is to give it all for Jesus And for Him only. Oh Jesus, all for Your glory.

Chorus 2:

Come on and praise the Lord with me. Sing if you love His name. Come on and lift your voice with me. He's worthy of all our praise. Come on and bring your offering. Sing if you've known His grace. Come on and lift up your holy hands. He's worthy of all our praise.

Bless God in the sanctuary. Bless God in the fields of plenty. Bless God in the darkest valley. Every chance I get, I bless Your name. Bless God when my hands are empty. Bless God with a praise that costs me. Bless God when nobody's watching. Every chance I get, I bless Your name. Bless God when the weapon's forming. Bless God when the walls are falling. Bless God, 'cause He goes before me. Every chance I get, I bless Your name. Bless God for He holds the vict'ry. Bless God for He's always with me. Bless God for He's always worthy. Every chance I get, I bless Your name. Every chance I get, I bless Your name. (Chorus 2)

He's worthy of all our praise. He's worthy of all our praise.

Welcome and Announcements

Confession and Forgiveness

P Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another.

Silence is kept for reflection.

- P Most merciful God,
- C we confess that we are captive to sin and cannot free ourselves. We have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. For the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the glory of your holy name. Amen.
- P In the mercy of almighty God, Jesus Christ was given to die for us, and for his sake God forgives us all our sins. As a called and ordained minister of the church of Christ, and by his authority, I therefore declare to you the entire forgiveness of all your sins, in the name of the Father, and of the + Son, and of the Holy Spirit.
- C Amen.

Sharing the Peace

- P The peace of the Lord be with you always.
- C And also with you.

Prayer of the Day

- L Most holy God, the earth is filled with your glory, and before you angels and saints stand in awe. Enlarge our vision to see your power at work in the world, and by your grace make us heralds of your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.
- C Amen.

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Children's Message

Children come forward as we sing "This Little Light of Mine".

FIRST READING: Jeremiah 17:5-10

A reading from Jeremiah.

⁵ Thus says the Lord:

Cursed are those who trust in mere mortals and make mere flesh their strength, whose hearts turn away from the Lord.

⁶ They shall be like a shrub in the desert and shall not see when relief comes.

They shall live in the parched places of the wilderness, in an uninhabited salt land.

- ⁷ Blessed are those who trust in the Lord, whose trust is the Lord.
- ⁸ They shall be like a tree planted by water, sending out its roots by the stream.
- It shall not fear when heat comes, and its leaves shall stay green;
- in the year of drought it is not anxious, and it does not cease to bear fruit.
- ⁹ The heart is devious above all else; it is perverse who can understand it?
- ¹⁰ I the Lord test the mind and search the heart,

to give to all according to their ways, according to the fruit of their doings.

L The word of the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

Psalm 1

¹ Happy are they who have not walked in the counsel of the wicked, nor lingered in the way of sinners, nor sat in the seats of the scornful!

² Their delight is in the law of the Lord,

and they meditate on God's teaching day and night.

³ They are like trees planted by streams of water, bearing fruit in due season, with leaves that do not wither;

everything they do shall prosper.

⁴ It is not so with the wicked;

they are like chaff which the wind blows away.

⁵ Therefore the wicked shall not stand upright when judgment comes,

nor the sinner in the council of the righteous.

⁶ For the Lord knows the way of the righteous, but the way of the wicked shall be destroyed.

Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 15:12-20

L A reading from 1 Corinthians

¹² Now if Christ is proclaimed as raised from the dead, how can some of you say there is no resurrection of the dead? ¹³ If there is no resurrection of the dead, then Christ has not been raised, ¹⁴ and if Christ has not been raised, then our proclamation is in vain and your faith is in vain. ¹⁵ We are even found to be misrepresenting God, because we testified of God that he raised Christ—whom he did not raise if it is true that the dead are not raised. ¹⁶ For if the dead are not raised, then Christ has not been raised. ¹⁷ If Christ has not been raised, your faith is futile, and you are still in your sins. ¹⁸ Then those also who have died in Christ have perished. ¹⁹ If for this life only we have hoped in Christ, we are of all people most to be pitied.

²⁰ But in fact Christ has been raised from the dead, the first fruits of those who have died.

- L The word of the Lord.
- C Thanks be to God.

Gospel: Luke 6:17-26

- P The holy gospel according to Saint Luke.
- C Glory to you, O Lord.

¹⁷ [Jesus] came down with [the twelve] and stood on a level place with a great crowd of his disciples and a great multitude of people from all Judea, Jerusalem, and the coast of Tyre and Sidon.¹⁸ They had come to hear him and to be healed of their diseases, and those who were troubled with unclean spirits were cured. ¹⁹ And everyone in the crowd was trying to touch him, for power came out from him and healed all of them.

²⁰ Then he looked up at his disciples and said:

"Blessed are you who are poor,

for yours is the kingdom of God.

²¹ "Blessed are you who are hungry now,

for you will be filled.

"Blessed are you who weep now,

for you will laugh.

²² "Blessed are you when people hate you and when they exclude you, revile you, and defame you on account of the Son of Man. ²³ Rejoice on that day and leap for joy, for surely your reward is great in heaven, for that is how their ancestors treated the prophets.

²⁴ "But woe to you who are rich,

for you have received your consolation.

²⁵ "Woe to you who are full now,

for you will be hungry.

"Woe to you who are laughing now,

for you will mourn and weep.

²⁶ "Woe to you when all speak well of you, for that is how their ancestors treated the false prophets."

P The Gospel of the Lord.

C Praise to you, O Christ.

Sermon

Song of the Day

Living Water

Are you thirsty? Are you empty? Come and drink these living waters. Tired and broken, peace unspoken, Rest beside these living waters.

Christ is calling, find refreshing At the cross of living waters. Lay your life down, all the old gone, Rise up in these living waters.

Chorus:

There's a river that flows with mercy and love, Bringing joy to the city of our God; There our hope is secure, Do not fear anymore, Praise the Lord of living waters.

> Spirit moving, mercy washing; Healing in these living waters. Lead your children to the shoreline, Life is in these living waters. (Chorus)

> > Ooh. Ooh. Ooh. Ooh. Ooh. Ooh.

Are you thirsty? Are you empty? Come and drink these living waters. Love, forgiveness, vast and boundless, Christ He is our living waters. *(Chorus)*

There our hope is secure, Do not fear anymore, Praise the Lord of living waters.

Prayers of the People

P Beloved, let us lift prayers to our friend, Jesus, either out loud or in silence. Before and after we pray, we sing together.

Prayer Song

Silent Night

Verse 4

Silent night, holy night; Wondrous star, lend thy light. With the angels let us sing, Alleluia to our King; Christ, the Savior, is born! Christ, the Savior, is born!

The prayers conclude with:

- P Accompany us on our journey, God of grace, and receive the prayers of our hearts, through Jesus Christ, our Savior.
- C Amen.

The Prayer Song is repeated at the conclusion of our prayers.

🗢 MEAL 🦻

Sharing Our Gifts

L Let us offer back to God what God has first given us: ourselves, our time and our possessions, signs of his gracious love.

Our offerings support the work of the church here and around the world. Please pass the baskets from front to back. You may also

make an offering online at www.oslc-warrenton.org by clicking the "DONATE" tab on the homepage. Thank you!

Offertory

What Feast of Love

ELW 487, Verse 2

What light of truth is offered here, what covenant from heaven? What hope of everlasting life, what wondrous word is given? This, this is Christ the king, the sun come down from heaven. Oh, see and hear and sing! The Word of God is given!

Offering Prayer

- L Let us pray together.
- C Blessed are you, O God, source of every gift of your creation. By these gifts and with our lives, help us to serve one another and all in need, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

Dialogue

- P The Lord be with you.
- C And also with you.
- P Lift up your hearts.
- C We lift them to the Lord.
- P Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
- C It is right to give our thanks and praise.

Thanksgiving at the Table

P Blessed are you, O holy God: you are the Life and Light of all. By your powerful word you created all things. Through the prophets you called your people to be a light to the nations.

Blessed are you for Jesus, your Son. He is your Light, shining in our darkness and revealing to us your mercy and might.

- In the night in which he was betrayed, our Lord Jesus took bread, and gave thanks; broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying: Take and eat; this is my body, given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me.
- Again, after supper, he took the cup, gave thanks, and gave it for all to drink, saying: This cup is the new covenant in my blood, shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin. Do this for the remembrance of me.
- Remembering, therefore, his preaching and healing, his dying and rising, and his promise to come again, we await that day when all the universe will rejoice in your holy and life-giving light.
- By your Spirit bless us and this meal, that, refreshed with this heavenly food, we may be light for the world, revealing the brilliance of your Son.
- Through him all glory and honor is yours, Almighty Father, with the Holy Spirit, in your holy Church, both now and forever.
- C Amen.

Lord's Prayer

- P Let us pray as our Savior taught us.
- C 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.

Sharing Holy Communion

All baptized Christians are invited to share Christ's Body. If you wish to receive Holy Communion, please come forward and stand or kneel around the altar. Communion Hymn

Hungry

Hungry I come to You for I know You satisfy. I am empty but I know Your love does not run dry.

> *Chorus:* So I wait for You. So I wait for You. I'm falling on my knees, Offering all of me. Jesus, You're all this heart is living for.

Broken, I run to You for Your arms are open wide. I am weary, but I know Your touch restores my life. *(Chorus 2x)*

> Hungry I come to You for I know You satisfy. I am empty but I know Your love does not run dry.

Prayer After Communion

L Let us pray.

Faithful God, you have spread before us a feast of rich food and drink in the body and blood of your Son. Now send us out to labor with you, in service to the world you have made, and among the people you have made your home, in Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

C Amen.

🛭 SENDING 🦻

Blessing

- L Almighty God, Father, Son + and Holy Spirit, bless you now and forever.
- C Amen.

Sending Song

I Shall Not Be Moved

Jesus is my Savior, I shall not be moved; In His love and favor, I shall not be moved; Just like a tree that's planted by the waters, Lord, I shall not be moved. *Chorus:* I shall not be, I shall not be moved; I shall not be, I shall not be moved; Just like a tree that's planted by the waters, Lord, I shall not be moved.

In my Christ abiding, I shall not be moved; In His love I'm hiding, I shall not be moved; Just like a tree that's planted by the waters, Lord, I shall not be moved. (Chorus)

If I trust Him ever, I shall not be moved; He will fail me never, I shall not be moved; Just like a tree that's planted by the waters, Lord, I shall not be moved. *(Chorus)*

On His word I'm feeding, I shall not be moved; He's the One that's leading, I shall not be moved; Just like a tree that's planted by the waters, Lord, I shall not be moved. (Chorus)

Dismissal

L Go in peace. Serve the Lord.C Thanks be to God.

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Thanksgiving at the Table: With One Voice