



Christ Our Redeemer Lutheran Church

Epiphany 4 ~ January 29, 2017

Morning Praise

Pastor Mark Voss

Luther's Morning Prayer

I thank you, my heavenly Father, through Jesus Christ, your dear Son, that you have kept me this night from all harm and danger. Keep me this day also from sin and every evil, that all my doings and life may please you. Into your hands I commend my body and soul and all things. Let your holy angel be with me, that the wicked foe may have no power over me. Amen.

Morning Hymn

CW 581 Text, Tune, Setting: Public Domain



Fa - ther, we praise you, now the night is o - ver. Ac - tive and
Mon - arch of all things, fit us for your man - sions; Ban - ish our
All - ho - ly Fa - ther, Son, and e - qual Spir - it, Trin - i - ty



watch - ful, stand - ing now be - fore you, Sing - ing, we of - fer
weak - ness, health and whole - ness send - ing. Bring us to heav - en,
bless - ed, send us your sal - va - tion; Yours is the glo - ry,



prayer and med - i - ta - tion; Thus we a - dore you.
where your saints u - nit - ed Joy with - out end - ing.
gleam - ing and re - sound - ing Through all cre - a - tion.

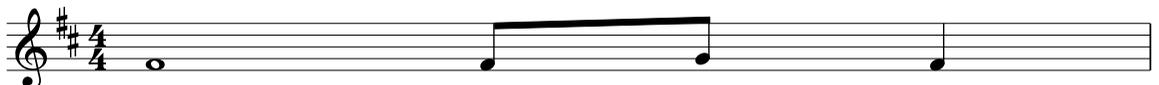
P: O Lord, open my lips.

C: And my mouth shall declare your praise.

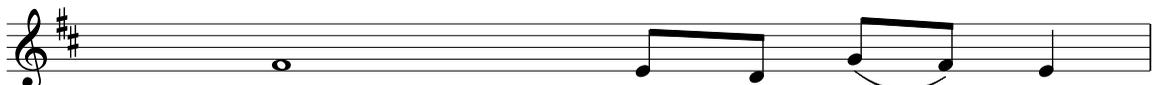
P: Hasten to save me, O God.

C: O Lord, come quickly to help me.

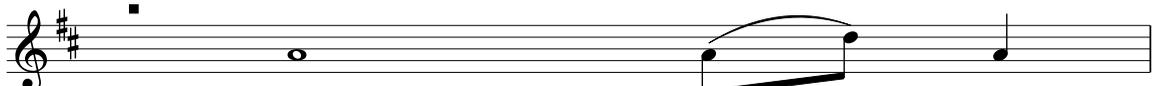
P: The glory of Christ is revealed: let us worship him.



Oh, come, let us sing to the Lord,



let us make a joyful noise to the rock of our sal - va - tion.



Let us come into his presence with thanks - giv - ing,

let us make a joyful noise to him with songs of praise.

For the Lord is a great God and a great king a - bove all gods.

The deep places of the earth are in his hand; the heights of the hills are al-so his.

The sea is his, for he made it, and his hand formed the dry land.

Oh, come, let us worship and bow down,

let us kneel before the Lord our mak - er. For he is our God,

and we are the people of his pasture and the sheep of his hand.

Text revised from the Lutheran Hymnal, 1941. Music from the Lutheran Hymnal, 1941, revised by Kermit G. Moldenhauer.

Musical Selection

Junior Choir – *“Praise the Lord With Sound of Trumpets”*

Text, Tune, Setting: Natalie Sleeth
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God's Word

The Savior's Sermon – Trust in God's Strength

Micah 6:1-2

Walk the talk of repentance

Listen to what the LORD says: "Stand up, plead your case before the mountains; let the hills hear what you have to say. Hear, O mountains, the LORD's accusation; listen, you everlasting foundations of the earth. For the LORD has a case against his people; he is lodging a charge against Israel. "My people, what have I done to you? How have I burdened you? Answer me. I brought you up out of Egypt and redeemed you from the land of slavery. I sent Moses to lead you, also Aaron and Miriam. My people, remember what Balak king of Moab counseled and what Balaam son of Beor answered. Remember [your journey] from Shittim to Gilgal, that you may know the righteous acts of the LORD." With what shall I come before the LORD and bow down before the exalted God? Shall I come before him with burnt offerings, with calves a year old? Will the LORD be pleased with thousands of rams, with ten thousand rivers of oil? Shall I offer my firstborn for my transgression, the fruit of my body for the sin of my soul? He has showed you, O man, what is good. And what does the LORD require of you? To act justly and to love mercy and to walk humbly with your God.

Psalm 27 on page 75 in Christian Worship

1 Corinthians 1:26-31

Our weakness reveals God's strength

Brothers, think of what you were when you were called. Not many of you were wise by human standards; not many were influential; not many were of noble birth. But God chose the foolish things of the world to shame the wise; God chose the weak things of the world to shame the strong. He chose the lowly things of this world and the despised things--and the things that are not--to nullify the things that are, so that no one may boast before him. It is because of him that you are in Christ Jesus, who has become for us wisdom from God--that is, our righteousness, holiness and redemption. Therefore, as it is written: "Let him who boasts boast in the Lord."

Seasonal Response:

ALL: We have seen his glory, the glory of the one and only Son, who came from the Father, full of truth and grace.

Prayer for Grace

P: O Lord, our heavenly Father, almighty and everlasting God, you have brought us safely to this new day. Defend us with your mighty power, and grant that this day we neither fall into sin nor run into any kind of danger; and in all we do, direct us to what is right in your sight, through Jesus Christ, your Son, our Lord.

C: Amen.

P: Let us praise the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

8a Musical Selection

Junior Choir – “A Closing Prayer”

Music & Words by Don Besig (ASCAP)

Blessing

P: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ and the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

C: Amen.

Closing Verses - “All Depends On Our Possessing”

CW 421 vv 4-5

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**Well he knows what best to grant me;
All the longing hopes that haunt me,
Joy and sorrow, have their day.
I shall doubt his wisdom never
As God wills, so be it ever --I to him commit my way.**

**If on earth my days he lengthen,
He my weary soul will strengthen;
All my trust in him I place.
Earthly wealth is not abiding,
Like a stream away is gliding; Safe I anchor in his grace.**

SCHOOL OF OUTREACH: Rocky Mountain Lutheran High School will host a School of Outreach for area congregations on Saturday, February 11th, from 8:30a to 2:30p. There is a sign-up sheet to participate on the table in the narthex. The seminar focuses on:

1. Training members for witnessing to people they know.
2. Raising awareness of the church in the surrounding community.
3. Improving the way guests are welcomed at worship services.

Your participation is encouraged and appreciated.

SAVE THE DATE: Sweetheart Dinner, Saturday, February 11th.

RMLHS Basketball: Please join us as RMLHS takes on Cornerstone Christian Academy on the Denver Nuggets' court prior to the Nuggets vs. Bucks game on Friday, February 3, 2017! Tickets are available online at <http://www.nuggetstix.com/0203rmlhs> or paper tickets are available for purchase at RMLHS. Your ticket price includes the RMLHS Eagles' games, beginning at 1:15pm, as well as the evening's Denver Nuggets' game at 7:00pm. A portion of your ticket price will directly benefit RMLHS! Feel free to contact us with any questions at ad@rmlhs.org or 303-346-1947. We hope to see you at the Pepsi Center for RMLHS Mile High Basketball!

COR BASKETBALL: Join us Thursday, February 9th, at 6p as COR takes on Shepherd of the Valley at Rangeview High School. Go Rams!

OFFERING STATEMENTS: Your 2016 Offering Statement is in your COR mailbox. If you have any questions, please contact the church office 303-337-0025 christredeemer@corchurch.com.

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at 8 and 10:30a and
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Bible Study and Sunday
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- A warm welcome to our visitors. May the Lord bless your worship with us today. We ask that you please sign the friendship register located at the end of the pew.
- Children – Activity bags are available in the coat room, off the narthex. During our 10:30a service a staffed nursery is located straight ahead and to your left as you exit the sanctuary. While we encourage young children to be in the service, families may like to use the nursery and are invited to do so.
- Please let an usher know if you require a larger print bulletin.
- Our services can also be viewed online. Go to our website corchurch.com and click on Video Broadcast.
- As a member of Christ Our Redeemer we are connected to each other through our unity of faith and the public confession of that faith in Lord's Supper. To read what our profession of faith is, go to www.corchurch.com and click on "Our Beliefs" or take a copy of the tract "What We Believe" in the Visitor Information Center kiosk. To become a member of our church family, please speak with the pastor.