

Christ Our Redeemer Lutheran Church

SERVICE OF WORD AND SACRAMENT

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Hymn –

"Jesus Has Come and Brings Pleasure Eternal"

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Je - sus has come and brings plea - sure e - ter - nal, Al - pha, O -
Je - sus has come as the might - y Re - deem - er. See now the
Je - sus has come as the King of all glo - ry! Heav - en and



- me - ga, Be - gin - ning and End; God - head, hu -
threat - en - ing strong one dis - armed! Je - sus breaks
earth, O de - clare his great pow'r, Cap - tur - ing



- man - i - ty, u - nion su - per - nal. O great Re -
down all the walls of death's for - tress, Brings forth the
hearts with the heav - en - ly sto - ry; Wel - come him



- deem - er, you come as our friend! Heav - en and earth, now pro - claim this great
pris - ners tri - um - phant, un - harmed. Sa - tan, you wick - ed one, own now your
now in this fast fleet - ing hour! Pon - der his love! Take the crown he has



won - der: Je - sus has come and brings plea - sure e - ter - nal!
mas - ter! Je - sus has come! He, the might - y Re - deem - er!
for you! Je - sus has come! He, the King of all glo - ry!

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

C: And also with you.

CONFESSION OF SINS

P: God invites us to come into his presence and worship him with humble and penitent hearts. Therefore, let us acknowledge our sinfulness and ask him to forgive us.

ALL: Holy and merciful Father, I confess that I am by nature sinful, and that I have disobeyed you in my thoughts, words, and actions. I have done what is evil and failed to do what is good. For this I deserve your punishment both now and in eternity. But I am truly sorry for my sins, and trusting in my Savior, Jesus Christ, I pray: Lord, have mercy on me, a sinner.

P: God, our heavenly Father, has been merciful to us and has given his only Son to be the atoning sacrifice for our sins. Therefore as a called servant of Christ and by his authority, I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C: Amen.

PRAYER AND PRAISE

LORD, HAVE MERCY

P: For all that we need in life and for the wisdom to use all your gifts with gratitude and joy, hear our prayer, O Lord.

C: Lord, have mercy.

P: For the steadfast assurance that nothing can separate us from your love and for the courage to stand firm against the assaults of Satan and every evil, hear our prayer, O Christ.

C: Christ, have mercy.

P: For the well-being of your holy Church in all the world and for those who offer here their worship and praise, hear our prayer, O Lord.

C: Lord, have mercy.

P: Merciful God, maker and preserver of life, uphold us by your power and keep us in your tender care.

C: Amen.

O LORD, OUR LORD

P: The works of the Lord are great and glorious; his name is worthy of praise.



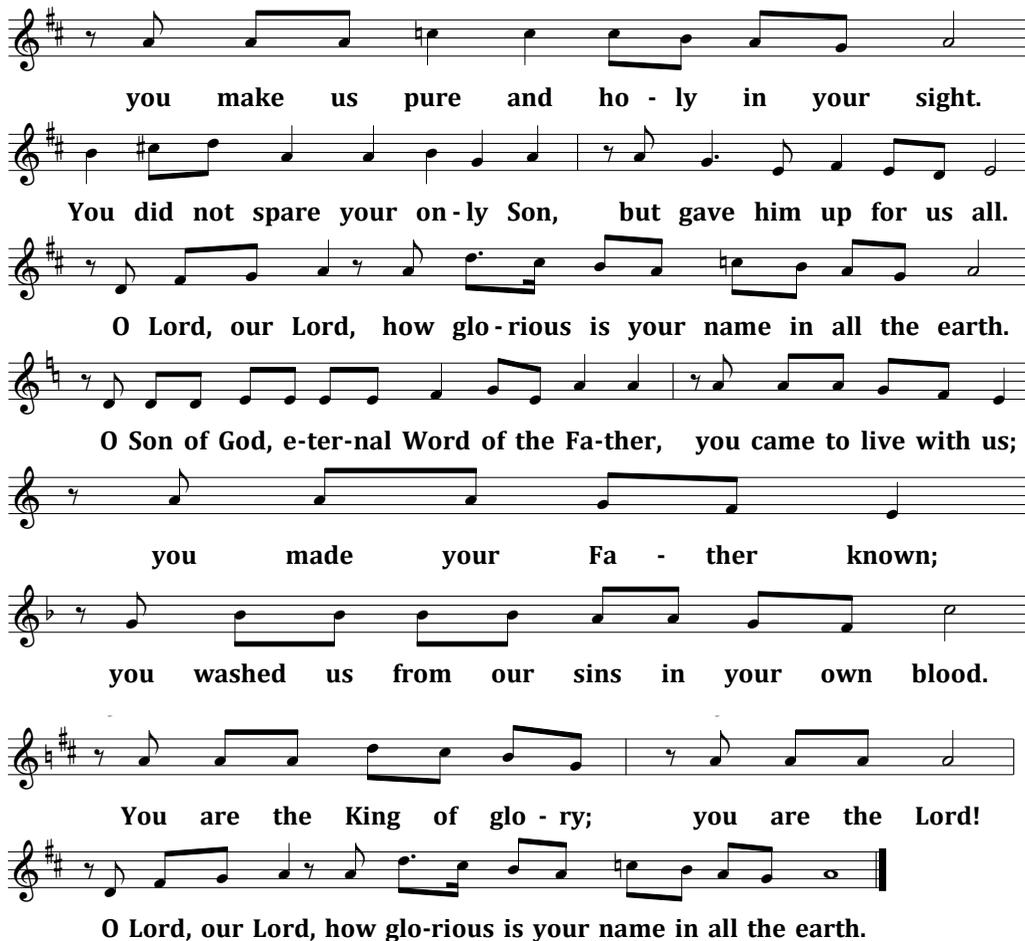
O Lord, our Lord, how glo-rious is your name in all the earth.



Al-might-y God, mer-ci-ful Fa-ther, you crown our life with your love.



You take a - way our sin; you com - fort our spir - it;



you make us pure and ho - ly in your sight.

You did not spare your on - ly Son, but gave him up for us all.

O Lord, our Lord, how glo - rious is your name in all the earth.

O Son of God, e - ter - nal Word of the Fa - ther, you came to live with us;

you made your Fa - ther known;

you washed us from our sins in your own blood.

You are the King of glo - ry; you are the Lord!

O Lord, our Lord, how glo - rious is your name in all the earth.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

P: Lord God, in mercy receive the prayers of your people. Grant them the wisdom to know the things that please you and the grace and power always to accomplish them; through Jesus Christ, your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C: Amen

GOD'S WORD

Deuteronomy 30:15-20

Getting along in life

¹⁵ See, I set before you today life and prosperity, death and destruction. ¹⁶ For I command you today to love the Lord your God, to walk in obedience to him, and to keep his commands, decrees

and laws; then you will live and increase, and the Lord your God will bless you in the land you are entering to possess.

¹⁷ But if your heart turns away and you are not obedient, and if you are drawn away to bow down to other gods and worship them, ¹⁸ I declare to you this day that you will certainly be destroyed. You will not live long in the land you are crossing the Jordan to enter and possess.

¹⁹ This day I call the heavens and the earth as witnesses against you that I have set before you life and death, blessings and curses. Now choose life, so that you and your children may live ²⁰ and that you may love the Lord your God, listen to his voice, and hold fast to him. For the Lord is your life, and he will give you many years in the land he swore to give to your fathers, Abraham, Isaac and Jacob.

VERSE OF THE DAY

Alleluia. Lord, to whom shall we go? You have the words of eternal life. Alleluia.

John 6:68

Al-le-lu-ia! Al-le-lu-ia! Al-le-lu-ia! These words are writ-ten that
we may be-lieve that Je-sus is the Christ, the Son of God.
Al-le-lu-ia! Al-le-lu-ia! Al-le-lu-ia!

Matthew 5:21-26

Getting along with others

²¹ “You have heard that it was said to the people long ago, ‘You shall not murder, and anyone who murders will be subject to judgment.’ ²² But I tell you that anyone who is angry with a brother or sister, will be subject to judgment. Again, anyone who says to a brother or sister, ‘Raca,’ is answerable to the court. And anyone who says, ‘You fool!’ will be in danger of the fire of hell.

²³ “Therefore, if you are offering your gift at the altar and there remember that your brother or sister has something against you, ²⁴ leave your gift there in front of the altar. First go and be reconciled to them; then come and offer your gift.

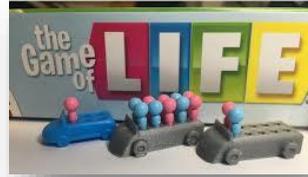
²⁵ “Settle matters quickly with your adversary who is taking you to court. Do it while you are still together on the way, or your adversary may hand you over to the judge, and the judge may hand you over to the officer, and you may be thrown into prison. ²⁶ Truly I tell you, you will not get out until you have paid the last penny.

P: This is the Gospel of our Lord.

C: Praise be to you, O Christ!

The Game of Life

Based on Deuteronomy lesson



THE CONFESSION OF FAITH

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one being with the Father. Through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation, he came down from heaven, was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the virgin Mary, and became fully human. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate. He suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who in unity with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. We believe in one holy Christian and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.

OFFERING AND SIGNING OF FRIENDSHIP REGISTER

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH AND LORD'S PRAYER Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins, as we forgive those who sin against us. Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours now and forever. Amen.

THE SACRAMENT

Our church practices membership communion. We ask that only members of our church body, the Wisconsin Lutheran Synod, partake of the sacrament.

P: The Lord be with you.

C: And also with you.

P: Lift up your hearts.

C: We lift them up to the Lord.

P: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

C: It is right to give him thanks and praise.

P: Praise to the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ! In love he has blessed us with every spiritual blessing. In the past he spoke to us through the prophets, but in these last days he has spoken to us by his Son, who is the radiance of his glory. Now have come the salvation and the power and the kingdom of our God and the authority of his Christ. To him who sits on the throne and to the Lamb be praise and thanks and honor and glory for ever and ever.

HOLY, HOLY, HOLY



Sing: Ho-ly, ho-ly, ho-ly is the Lord of hosts. The whole earth is full of your



glo-ry. You are my God, and I will ex-alt you. I will give you thanks, for



you have be-come my sal - va-tion. Ho-ly, ho-ly, ho-ly is the Lord of hosts.



The whole earth is full of your glo-ry.

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

P: The peace of the Lord be with you always.



A - men



O Christ, Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the world; have mer-cy on



us. O Christ, Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the world; have



mer-cy on us. O Christ, Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the world;



grant us your peace. A - men.

DISTRIBUTION AND MEDITATION

THANKSGIVING



Thank the Lord and sing his praise. Tell ev-'ry-one what he has done.



Let all who seek the Lord re - jice and proud - ly bear his name.



He re - news his prom - is - es and leads his peo - ple forth in joy with



shouts of thanks-giv-ing. Al-le-lu - ia! Al-le-lu-ia!

P: Hear the prayer of your people, O Lord, that the lips which have praised you here may glorify you in the world, that the eyes which have seen the coming of your Son may long for his coming again, and that all who have received in his true body and blood the pledge of your forgiveness may be restored to live a new and holy life, through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C: Amen.

BENEDICTION

P: Brothers and sisters, go in peace. Live in harmony with one another Serve the Lord with gladness. The Lord bless you and keep you, the Lord make his face shine on you and be gracious to you. The Lord look on you with favor and give you peace. Amen.

CLOSING HYMN *"Let Us Ever Walk With Jesus"*

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

02/16/20

PREK-KINDERGARTEN OPEN HOUSE: There are invitations on the table near the entrance for you to use to invite PreK/K to our open house this Wednesday, February 19, from 6-7p. If you have any questions please contact Principal Miller.

INSTALLATION: The members of Lord of Life invite you to the installation of Pastor Mike Vogel today at 4p. A meal for all will follow the service.

VOLUNTEER LISTS: Our March and April volunteer lists will be made out tomorrow. Please let the church office know of any scheduling conflicts.

CALL MEETING: The Call meeting for a new Pastor will take place today at 11:30a following the second service.

COR CHOIR: Join us Wednesday at 7p for choir. No formal training required – just a love of singing and praising your Savior!

COR CALENDAR

8:30 & 10:30a Worship with Communion	Today
9:15a Bible Class and Sunday School	February 16
11:30a Pastor Call Meeting	Epiphany 6
12:00p Catechism	
No School – President’s Day	Monday
7:00p COR Women’s Group	Tuesday
6-7:00p Kindergarten/Preschool Open House	Wednesday
7:00p Choir	
8:00a Breakfast Bible Study	Thursday
7:00p Worship	
7:45p Bible Study	
8 & 10:30a Worship	Sunday
9:15a Bible Study and Sunday School	February 23
12:00p Catechism	Transfiguration
6p Dinner hosted by COR Women’s Group	COR Choir Sings
7:00p Devotion	Wednesday
7:30p Choir	February 26
	Ash Wednesday
	COR Choir Sings