

Cannon River and Cross of Christ
Lutheran Churches ELCA
Faithful Through Generations
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Gathering

Welcome and Announcements

Come Now is the Time to Worship

1st chorus and 1st verse in Spanish

Pr. Bob & Mary Berthold

Chorus

Come, now is the time to worship
Come, now is the time to give your heart
Come, just as you are to worship
Come, just as you are before your God
Come

Verse

One day every tongue will confess
You are God
One day every knee will bow
Still the greatest treasure remains for those
Jesus chose you now
(Repeat All)
(Chorus)

Ending

Come, Come, Come

Blessed Be Your Name

Verse 1

Blessed be Your name
In the land that is plentiful
Where Your streams of abundance flow
Blessed be Your name

Verse 2

Blessed be Your name
When I'm found in the desert place
Though I walk through the wilderness
Blessed be Your name

Pre-Chorus

Every blessing You pour out I'll
Turn back to praise
When the darkness closes in, Lord,
Still I will say

Chorus

Blessed be the name of the Lord
Blessed be Your name
Blessed be the name of the Lord
Blessed be Your glorious name

Verse 3

Blessed be Your name
When the sun's shining down on me
When the world's all as it should be
Blessed be Your name

Verse 4

Blessed be Your name
On the road marked with suffering
Though there's pain in the offering
Blessed be Your name
(Pre-Chorus & Chorus)

Bridge

You give and take away
You give and take away
My heart will choose to say
Lord blessed be Your name
(Repeat Bridge)
(Repeat Chorus)

Lord I Lift Your Name On High

Lord I lift Your name on high
Lord I love to sing Your praises
I'm so glad You're in my life
I'm so glad You came to save us

Chorus

You came from heaven to earth
To show the way
From the earth to the cross
My debt to pay
From the cross to the grave
From the grave to the sky
Lord I lift Your name on high
(Repeat all)
(Repeat Chorus)

Prayer of the Day

Bulletin Insert

Word

First Reading

Jeremiah 31:31-34

The Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

Second Reading

Romans 3:19-28

The Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

Before The Throne Of God Above

Verse 1

Before the throne of God above
I have a strong and perfect plea
A great High Priest whose name is Love
Who ever lives and pleads for me
My name is graven on His hands
My name is written on His heart
I know that while in heav'n He stands
No tongue can bid me thence depart
No tongue can bid me thence depart

Verse 2

When Satan tempts me to despair
And tells me of the guilt within
Upward I look and see Him there
Who made an end of all my sin
Because the sinless Savior died
My sinful soul is counted free
For God the Just is satisfied
To look on Him and pardon me
To look on Him and pardon me

Verse 3

Behold Him there the Risen Lamb
My perfect spotless Righteousness
The great unchangeable I Am
The King of Glory and of grace
One with Himself I cannot die
My soul is purchased by His blood
My life is hid with Christ on high
With Christ my Savior and my God
With Christ my Savior and my God

Gospel

John 8:31-36

Glory to you, O Lord.

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, O Christ.

Sermon

Pastor Bob Berthold

You Are My King (Amazing Love)

I'm forgiven
Because You were forsaken
I'm accepted
You were condemned
I'm alive and well
Your Spirit is within me
Because You died
And rose again
(Repeat)

Chorus

Amazing love
How can it be
That You my King
Would die for me
Amazing love
I know it's true
It's my joy to honor You
In all I do, I honor You

You are my King
You are my King
Jesus, You are my King
Jesus, You are my King
(Repeat Chorus)

The Apostle's Creed:

I believe in God, the Father almighty creator of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord, He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the Virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended into hell. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

Prayers of the Church

Lord in your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Peace

The Peace of the Lord be with you always.
And also with you.

Offering

“Create In Me A Clean Heart” ELW #185
Create in me a clean heart, O God,
And renew a right spirit within me.
Cast me not away from your presence,
And take not your Holy Spirit from me.
Restore to me the joy of your salvation,
And uphold me with your free spirit.
Create in me a clean heart, O God,
And renew a right spirit within me.

Meal

The Great Thanksgiving

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 our thanks and praise.

The Preface

The Sanctus

Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

Words of Institution

The Lord's Prayer Jeff Meyer-CC
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.

Communion Distribution

Hymns during Distribution-CC Insert
Breathe
To Know Your Name
10,000 Reasons

Post Communion Prayer

God of abundance, with this bread of life and cup of salvation you have united us with Christ, making us one with all your people. Now send us forth in the power of your Spirit, that we may proclaim your redeeming love to the world and continue forever in the risen life of Jesus Christ, our Lord. **Amen.**

Sending

Blessing

May God bless you and keep you. May God's face shine on you and be gracious to you. May God look on you with favor and give you peace. **Amen**

Sing, Sing, Sing

Chorus

(We will) sing, sing, sing
And make music with the heavens
We will sing, sing, sing
Grateful that You hear us
When we shout Your praise
Lift high the name of Jesus
(Repeat Chorus)

What's not to love about You
Heaven and earth adore You
Kings and kingdoms bow down
Son of God You are the One
You are the One we're living for

You are the love that frees us
You are the light that leads us
Like a fire burning
Son of God You are the One
You are the One we're living for
(Repeat Chorus 2x)

Dismissal

Go in Peace. Serve the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

Postlude

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Today	11:30AM	Harvest Festival-CC
Wednesday	7:00PM	Growth Team Meeting-CC
Saturday	9:00AM	Men's Bible Study-CC

Special Congregational Meeting November 1, 2015

On Sunday, November 1st there will be a Cross of Christ congregational meeting immediately following church service to discuss and vote upon funding authorization for carpet replacement and wood floor refinishing in the church. Please attend.

Cross of Christ Growth Team Meeting

A representative from each church department or any interested church member is invited to bring their ideas on October 28th at 7:00 p.m. to determine what to do with the dry basement room. We will discuss how we can best utilize the 1,600 square feet under the sanctuary with adjoining kitchen space of 450 square feet. It's a great asset that can enhance our church outreach and functions.

Feed My Starving Children

Feed My Starving Children packing event will be held November 21st at the Cannon Falls High School. There is a signup sheet at both churches. Donations are also welcome and can be made out to CCIC/FMSC and mailed to Val Docktor, 206 Ridgecrest Dr., Cannon Falls MN 55009

US Flooding Relief

The Carolinas have endured catastrophic rainfall that has shattered records and left unprecedented scenes of flooding in its wake. The hardest-hit areas stretch from Columbia, in the middle of South Carolina, all the way to the coast. The flooding has led to the death of more than a dozen people, tens of thousands are without power, major highways and interstates have been closed, and homes have been completely destroyed.

Lutheran Disaster Response will work to bring God's hope, healing and renewal to those who have been affected by the floodwaters. In the days, weeks and months ahead we will continue to work with our partners on the ground, helping to restore communities. Your gifts will help address the unmet needs of those impacted by the flooding, and together we stand ready to provide assistance for long-term recovery efforts.

The Mission Committee will be making a \$200 donation. Please consider adding to this donation and making a gift to help these people in need. Your check can be made out to Cross of Christ; please put "US Flood Relief" in the memo of your check.

Cross of Christ Blood Drive

Please join us for our second American Red Cross Blood drive on Wednesday, November 11th from noon-6:00 p.m. at Cross of Christ. To make an appointment, please call Julie Schreifels at 651-388-2326 or log onto www.redcrossblood.org and enter your zip code. Please call Julie Schreifels if you would like to volunteer to help. Thank you!

Christmas Smorgasbord

Cross of Christ and Cannon River Celebrating the Season Together!

Our annual Christmas dinner will be held on Sunday, December 6th, in Dahlen Hall. Please arrive at 5:30 p.m. and bring a dish to pass; beverages and tableware will be provided. Lynette will once again prepare our lutefisk!

After dinner, we will celebrate the season! We'd like to share your many talents during a program after dinner. **Please let Sue or Jackie know if you have a talent that you're willing to share – children and adults!** We'd love to hear from you! So, bring the whole family, invite a friend, and enjoy a wonderful evening of holiday celebration.

If anyone would like to help set up on the 5th or clean up after the dinner, please let Jackie or Sue know. Thanks! Sue Hill and Jackie Martin

Christmas Shoebox Project for Hope Coalition

Helping families in crisis rebuild their lives.

The mission committee asks your help in helping others this Christmas. We are sponsoring a Christmas Shoebox Project for Hope Coalition.

Hope Coalition provides assistance to individuals and families who are homeless or struggling with housing. This holiday season we are going to help homeless people in Red Wing find a little happiness on Christmas.

Please help them by filling a Christmas shoebox and reminding them that there are people who care for them. Feel free to take a plastic container for your shoebox, or you can cover a shoebox with wrapping paper, if you wish. **Please return your shoebox and place it in the front of the church by December 6th!**

New this year . . . the Sunday school children will pack containers on December 6th during Sunday school. The items will be purchased ahead of time by the mission committee with Thrivent Action Money!! ***Thank you for sharing your love on Christmas!!***

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