

Cannon River and Cross of Christ Lutheran Churches ELCA
Faithful Through Generations
July 22, 2018

Gathering

Welcome and Announcements

Step By Step

O God, You are my God
And I will ever praise You
O God, You are my God
And I will ever praise You
I will seek You in the morning
And I will learn to walk in Your ways
And step by step You'll lead me
And I will follow You all of my days
(Repeat)

Your Grace Is Enough

Great is Your faithfulness, O God of Jacob
You wrestle with the sinner's restless heart
You lead me by still waters into mercy
Where nothing can keep us apart

Chorus

So remember Your people
Remember Your children
Remember Your promise, O God
For Your grace is enough
Yeah, Your grace is enough
Yeah, Your grace is enough
Yeah, Your grace is enough for me

Great is Your love and justice, God of Jacob
You use the weak to lead the strong
You lead us in the song of heaven's vict'ry
And all Your people sing along
(Chorus – 2x)

Our God

Water You turned into wine
Opened the eyes of the blind
There's no one like You
None like You

Into the darkness You shine
Out of the ashes we rise
There's no one like You
None like You

Chorus

Our God is greater
Our God is stronger
God You are higher than any other
Our God is healer
Awesome in power our God our God
(Instrumental)

Into the darkness You shine
Out of the ashes we rise
There's no one like You
None like You
(Chorus – 2x)

Prayer of the Day

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Word

First Reading

Jeremiah 23:1-6

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

Second Reading

Ephesians 2:11-22

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

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)

Gospel **Mark 6:30-34, 53-56**
Glory to you, O Lord.

The Gospel of the Lord.
Praise to you, O Christ.

Sermon Deacon Todd Portinga

Wonderful Merciful Savior

Wonderful, merciful Savior
Precious, Redeemer and Friend
Who would have thought that a Lamb could
Rescue the souls of men
Oh, You rescue the souls of men

(continued)

Counselor, Comforter Keeper
Spirit we long to embrace
You offer hope when our hearts have
Hopelessly lost the way
Oh, we hopelessly lost the way

Chorus

You are the One that we praise
You are the One we adore
You give the healing and grace our
Hearts always hunger for
Oh, our hearts always hunger for

Almighty, infinite Father
Faithfully loving Your own
Here in our weakness You find us
Falling before Your throne
Oh, we're falling before Your throne
(Chorus)

I Believe, I Do Believe

Refrain:

I believe, I do believe, truly I believe it,
Truly I believe it, truly I believe it.
I believe, I do believe, truly I believe it,
Truly I believe it, truly I believe it.

Verse 1

I believe in God the Almighty Lord Creator,
Mighty Lord Creator, mighty Lord Creator.
I believe in God the Almighty Lord Creator,
Mighty Lord Creator, mighty Lord Creator.

Verse 2

I believe in Jesus the Savior of the people,
Savior of the people, savior of the people.
I believe in Jesus the Savior of the people,
Savior of the people, savior of the people.

Verse 3

And I do believe in the power of the Spirit,
Power of the Spirit, power of the Spirit.
And I do believe in the power of the Spirit,
Power of the Spirit, power of the Spirit.

Refrain

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Today	After Service	Coffee Fellowship-CC
Saturday	9:00AM	Men's Bible Study-CC

Vacation Bible School (VBS)

Vacation Bible School runs Sunday, July 29 - Thurs. August 2 from 5:30-7:30 pm

Help is needed with the following: providing meals/snacks, lesson time, skits/puppet shows, crafts, welcome/registration table, decorating prior to VBS, T-shirts.

We are looking for some older youth (7th grade and up) to be in charge of Game time and to be in the skits.

Please contact me to let me know how you plan to be involved with VBS this summer. Thanks!

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Econo Foods and Family Fare Receipt Collection

Please continue to save your Econo Foods and Family Fare store receipts! Both Cross of Christ and Cannon River churches are collecting receipts and participating in this great mission outreach. **To date, our collection totals \$25,000!**

When the receipts total \$150,000, we will receive a check for \$1,000 which will go to Feed My Starving Children. We have already reached this goal twice, and are now on our third collection. It's amazing! **Shop, bring your receipts to church** and we will support children who are hungry! **Thank you,** the Mission Committee

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