

Cannon River and Cross of Christ Lutheran Churches ELCA

Faithful Through Generations

March 25, 2018

Gathering

Welcome and Announcements

PROCESSIONAL GOSPEL **Mark 11:1-11**

We Fall Down

We fall down
We lay our crowns
At the feet of Jesus
The greatness of
Mercy and love
At the feet of Jesus

And we cry holy, holy, holy
And we cry holy, holy, holy
And we cry holy, holy, holy, is the Lamb
(Repeat All)

Hosanna

I see the King of glory
Coming on the clouds with fire
The whole earth shakes
The whole earth shakes

I see His love and mercy
Washing over all our sin
The people sing
The people sing

Chorus

Hosanna, hosanna
Hosanna in the highest
Hosanna, hosanna
Hosanna in the highest

I see a generation
Rising up to take their place
With selfless faith
With selfless faith

I see a near revival
Stirring as we pray and seek
We're on our knees
We're on our knees
(Chorus)

Bridge

Heal my heart and make it clean
Open up my eyes to the things unseen
Show me how to love like You have loved me
Break my heart for what breaks Yours
Everything I am for Your Kingdom's cause
As I walk from earth into eternity
(Chorus-2x)

Ending

Hosanna in the highest

You Are My All In All

You are my strength
When I am weak
You are the treasure
That I seek
You are my all in all
Seeking You as a precious jewel
Lord to give up I'd be a fool
You are my all in all

Chorus

Jesus, Lamb of God
Worthy is Your name
Jesus, Lamb of God
Worthy is Your name
Taking my sin
My cross my shame
Rising again I bless Your name
You are my all in all
When I fall down You pick me up
When I am dry You fill my cup
You are my all in all
(Repeat Chorus)

ANTHEM

“Jesus is Coming Down the Road”

Sunday School-CC

Prayer of the Day

Bulletin Insert

Word

First Reading

Isaiah 50:4-9a

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

Second Reading

Philippians 2:5-11

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

Let the Peace of God Reign

Verse 1

Father of life draw me closer
Lord, my heart is set on You
Let me run the race of time
With Your life enfolding mine
And let the peace of God
Let it reign

Verse 2

Oh Holy Spirit, You're my comfort
Strengthen me hold my head up high
And I'll stand upon Your truth
Bringing glory unto You
And let the peace of God
Let it reign

Chorus

Oh Lord I hunger, for more of You
Rise up within me
Let me know Your truth
Oh Holy Spirit, saturate my soul
And let the life of God
Fill me now

Let Your healing power
Breathe life and make me whole
And let the peace of God
Let it reign
(Repeat Verse 1)

Gospel

Mark 14:1-15:47

Glory to you, O Lord.

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, O Christ.

Sermon

Pr. Robert Berthold

Cornerstone

Verse 1

My hope is built, on nothing less
Than Jesus' blood and righteousness
I dare not trust, the sweetest frame
But wholly trust in Jesus' Name
(Repeat Verse 1)

Chorus

Christ alone, cornerstone
Weak made strong in the Saviour's love
Through the storm, He is Lord
Lord of all

Verse 2

When darkness seems, to hide His face
I rest on His unchanging grace
In every high, and stormy gale
My anchor holds within the veil
(Chorus)

Verse 3

When He shall come, with trumpet sound
Oh may I then in Him be found
Dressed in His righteousness alone
Faultless stand before the throne
(Chorus-2x)

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, who was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, 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, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and 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 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

Words of Institution

The Lord's Prayer

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 First Communion

Hymns during Distribution-CC Bulletin Insert

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**

Forever

Give thanks to the Lord
Our God and King
His love endures forever
For He is good, He is above all things
His love endures forever
Sing praise, sing praise

With a mighty hand
And outstretched arm
His love endures forever
For the life that's been reborn
His love endures forever
Sing praise, sing praise
Sing praise, sing praise

Chorus

Forever God is faithful
Forever God is strong
Forever God is with us
Forever and ever, forever

From the rising to the setting sun
His love endures forever
By the grace of God we will carry on
His love endures forever
Sing praise, sing praise
Sing praise, sing praise
(*Chorus*)

Sing praise, sing praise
Sing praise, sing praise

(*Chorus*)

Dismissal

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

Postlude

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Today	After Service	Choir Practice-CC
	After Service	Palm Sunday Brunch-CC
	7:00PM	Confirmation-CC
Thursday	12-6PM	Blood Drive-CC
	7:00PM	Maundy Thursday Service-CR
Friday	7:00PM	Good Friday Service-CC
Saturday	9:00AM	Men's Bible Study-CC

First Communion

Today the 5th grade students celebrate First Communion. Congratulations to Ella Briggs from Cross of Christ and Jon Simon from Cannon River on your First Communion.

Holy Week and Easter Services

Maundy Thursday service will be held at Cannon River on **Thursday March 29th at 7:00pm**. Good Friday service will be held at Cross of Christ on Friday **March 30th at 7:00pm**. Easter Sunday services will be held at the regular worship service times at both Cross of Christ and Cannon River Churches.

Red Cross Blood Drive

Out next Blood Drive will be on **Thursday, March 29th from 12:00 – 6:00 pm**. If you would like to sign up in advance: Call 1-800-733-2767 or go online to www.redcrossblood.org, enter sponsor code: welchmn. Contact Julie Schreifels if you would like to help.

Spring Salad Luncheon

Save the Date **April 7, 2018 11:00 am**. Kathy Jacobson author of thee *Noted* series will be our speaker. Please let Julie know if you would like to help with the luncheon. Cross of Christ women, please bring a salad to share.

MercyMe Concert

The chart-topping band, MercyMe, will be performing with Tenth Avenue North at the Target Center on **Friday, April 13 at 7 pm**. We have a limited number of discounted lower-level tickets available! Cross of Christ and Cannon River youth get first dibs, but ANYONE who is interested should contact Rebecca Peterson (651-301-2652) to get 'on the list!' The cost will be \$15 per person, and Pastor Bob will drive the van. Kids younger than 5th grade should be with a parent or guardian.

Save the Date

The Women of the ELCA Cannon River Conference Spring Gathering **Saturday, April 14, 2018** Holden Lutheran Church - Rural Kenyon [6949 430th St, Kenyon, MN 55946](http://www.6949430thstkenyonmn.com)
Julie Schreifels Cannon River Conference WELCA Communications

Annual Garage Sale

Start saving your items for our Annual Garage sale. The sale will be held on **Thursday April 26th, 2018** from **2-7pm**, **Friday April 27th 8-4pm** and **Saturday April 28th, 2018** from **8-Noon**. Drop off dates will be Monday April 23rd-Thursday April 26th until noon. Helpers are needed for set up and to work the sale. If you have any brown paper bags, please save them for use at the sale. Please contact Lynette Hanson at 388-7814 or Julie S at 388-2326 if you are interested in helping in any way.

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. *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 receipt to church** and we will support children who are hungry! **Thank you**, the Mission Committee

Thrivent Choice Dollars

March 31st is the deadline to designate your Thrivent Choice Dollars. If you do not designate them, you will lose them. Please consider designating them. Thank you!!

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