

# ORDER OF WORSHIP

## Divine Service 3, p. 184

### HYMN #801

"How Great Thou Art"



1 O Lord my God, when I in awe-some won - der Con - sid - er  
2 When through the woods and for - est glades I wan - der, I hear the  
3 But when I think that God, His Son not spar - ing, Sent Him to  
4 When Christ shall come with shout of ac - cla - ma - tion And take me



all the works Thy hand hath made, I see the stars, I hear the might - y  
birds sing sweet - ly in the trees; When I look down from loft - y moun - tain  
die, I scarce can take it in— That on the cross my bur - den glad - ly  
home, what joy shall fill my heart! Then I shall bow in hum - ble ad - o -



thun - der, Thy pow'r through - out the u - ni - verse dis - played;  
gran - deur And hear the brook and feel the gen - tle breeze;  
bear - ing He bled and died to take a - way my sin;  
ra - tion And there pro - claim: "My God, how great Thou art!"

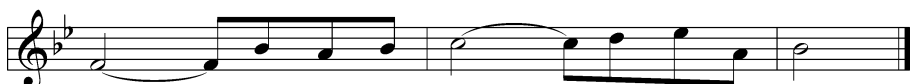
*Refrain*



Then sings my soul, my Sav - ior God, to Thee, How great Thou



art! How great Thou art! Then sings my soul, my Sav - ior God, to



Thee, How great Thou art! How great Thou art!

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*Stand*

*The sign of the cross may be made by all in remembrance of their Baptism.*

**P** In the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

**C** Amen.

- P** Beloved in the Lord! Let us draw near with a true heart and confess our sins unto God our Father, beseeching Him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to grant us forgiveness.
- P** Our help is in the name of the Lord,  
**C** **who made heaven and earth.**
- P** I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the Lord,  
**C** **and You forgave the iniquity of my sin.**

*Silence for reflection on God's Word and for self-examination.*

- P** Almighty God, our maker and redeemer, we poor sinners confess unto You that we are by nature sinful and unclean and that we have sinned against You by thought, word, and deed. Wherefore we flee for refuge to Your infinite mercy, seeking and imploring Your grace for the sake of our Lord Jesus Christ.
- C** **O most merciful God, who has given Your only-begotten Son to die for us, have mercy upon us and for His sake grant us remission of all our sins; and by Your Holy Spirit increase in us true knowledge of You and of Your will and true obedience to Your Word, to the end that by Your grace we may come to everlasting life; through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.**
- P** Almighty God, our heavenly Father, has had mercy upon us and has given His only Son to die for us and for His sake forgives us all our sins. To those who believe on His name He gives power to become the children of God and has promised them His Holy Spirit. He that believes and is baptized shall be saved. Grant this, Lord, unto us all.
- C** **Amen.**

## Service of the Word

INTROIT

*Psalm 37:5–7; antiphon: v. 4*

Delight yourself in the LORD,  
 and he will give you the desires of your heart.  
 Commit your way to the LORD;  
 trust in him, and he will act.  
 He will bring forth your righteousness as the light,  
 and your justice as the noonday.  
 Be still before the LORD and wait patiently for him;

fret not yourself over the one who prospers in his way, over the man who carries out evil devices!



☐ Glo - ry be to the Fa - ther and to the Son and to the Ho - ly Ghost;



as it was in the be - gin - ning, is now, and ev - er shall be, world with - out end. A - men.

## KYRIE

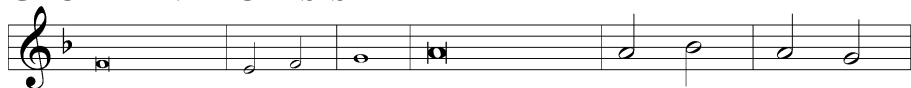


☐ Lord, have mer - cy up - on us. Christ, have mer - cy up -



on us. Lord, have mer - cy up - on us.

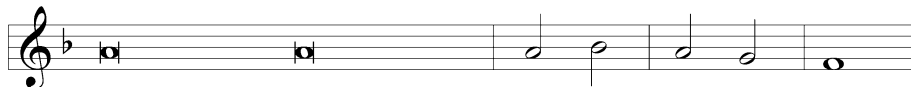
## GLORIA IN EXCELSIS



☐ Glory be to God on high: ☐ and on earth peace, good - will toward



men. We praise Thee, we bless Thee, we wor - ship Thee,



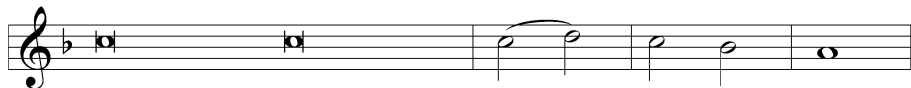
we glorify Thee, we give thanks to Thee, for Thy great glory.



O Lord God, heav'n - ly King, God the Fa - ther Al - mighty.



O Lord, the only begotten Son, Je - sus Christ;



O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,

that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy up-on us.

Thou that takest away the sin of the world, re-ceive our prayer.

Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father, have mercy up-

on us. For Thou only art holy; Thou on-ly art the Lord.

Thou only, O Christ, with the Ho-ly Ghost,

art most high in the glory of God the Father. A-men.

## SALUTATION AND COLLECT OF THE DAY

**P** The Lord be with you.

**C** And with thy spir - it.

**P** Let us pray.

O God, whose strength is made perfect in weakness, grant us humility and childlike faith that we may please You in both will and deed; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**C** A - men.

## OLD TESTAMENT READING

**P** This is the Word of the Lord.

**Jeremiah 11:18–20**

**C** Thanks be to God.

## EPISTLE

**P** This is the Word of the Lord.

**James 3:13—4:10**

**C** Thanks be to God.

*Stand*

## ALLELUIA

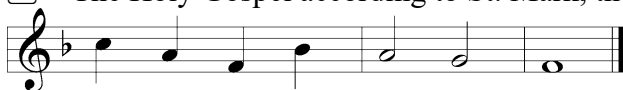


**C** Al-le - lu - ia. Al-le - lu - ia. Al-le - lu - ia.

## HOLY GOSPEL

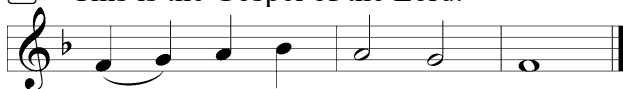
**Mark 9:30–37**

**P** The Holy Gospel according to St. Mark, the ninth chapter.



**C** Glo - ry be to Thee, O Lord.

**P** This is the Gospel of the Lord.



**C** Praise be to Thee, O Christ.

## APOSTLES' CREED

**C** I believe in God, the Father Almighty,  
maker of heaven and earth.

And in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord,  
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,  
born of the virgin Mary,  
suffered under Pontius Pilate,  
was crucified, died and was buried.  
He descended into hell.  
The third day He rose again from the dead.  
He ascended into heaven  
and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty.  
From thence He will come to judge the living and the  
dead.

**I believe in the Holy Spirit,  
the holy Christian Church,  
the communion of saints,  
the forgiveness of sins,  
the resurrection of the body,  
and the life † everlasting. Amen.**

*Sit*

**HYMN #847**

*"Christ, Our Human Likeness Sharing"*

Christ, our human likeness sharing,  
Heaven's love on earth portrayed;  
Christ the Shepherd, tending, caring,  
In His death our ransom paid:  
Christ the Savior, Christ the Servant,  
Be Your life in us displayed.

Hear the word that Christ has spoken,  
Help the weak, the hungry feed;  
See the pow'rs of darkness broken,  
Sinners pardoned, captives freed:  
Christ the Savior, Christ the Servant,  
Help us meet our neighbor's need.

Christ, in ev'ry congregation  
Build Your temple, stone by stone,  
With Your word as firm foundation  
For a faith matured and grown:  
Christ the Savior, Christ the Servant,  
Make in us Your Gospel known.

Come, O living Christ, renew us,  
As of old in wind and flame;  
With the Spirit's pow'r endue us,  
Servants of Your saving name:  
Christ the Savior, Christ the Servant,  
Christ whose kingdom we proclaim.

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**SERMON**

**“What’s The Greatness?”**

**Mark 9:30-37**

**P** The peace of God, which passes all understanding, keep your hearts and minds in Christ Jesus.

**C** Amen.

*Stand*

## OFFERTORY

**C** Cre-ate in me a clean heart, O God, and re -  
new a right spir - it with - in me. Cast me not a -  
way from Thy pres - ence, and take not Thy Ho - ly Spir - it  
from me. Re - store un - to me the joy of Thy sal - va -  
tion, and up - hold me with Thy free spir - it. A - men.

*Sit*

## OFFERING

*Stand*

## PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

### 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. or Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever and ever. Amen.**

### CLOSING COLLECT

Almighty God, grant to Your Church Your Holy Spirit and the wisdom that comes down from above, that Your Word may not be

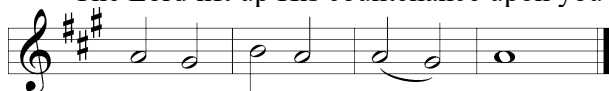
bound but have free course and be preached to the joy and edifying of Christ's holy people, so that in steadfast faith we may serve You and, in the confession of Your name, abide unto the end; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen

## BENEDICTION

**P** The Lord bless you and keep you.

The Lord make His face shine upon you and be gracious unto you.

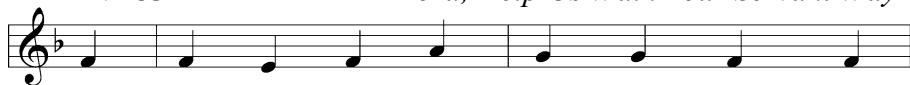
The Lord lift up His countenance upon you and ✠ give you peace.



**C** A-men, a-men, a - men.

## HYMN #857

*"Lord, Help Us Walk Your Servant Way"*



1 Lord, help us walk Your ser - vant way Wher -  
 2 You came to earth, O Christ, as Lord, But  
 3 No gold - en scep - ter but a towel You  
 4 You bid us bend our hu - man pride Nor  
 5 Lord, help us walk Your ser - vant way Wher -



ev - er love may lead And, bend - ing low, for -  
 pow'r You laid a - side. You lived Your years in  
 place with - in the hands Of those who seek to  
 count our - selves a - bove The low - est place, the  
 ev - er love may lead And, bend - ing low, for -



get - ting self, Each serve the oth - er's need.  
 ser - vant - hood; In low - li - ness You died.  
 fol - low You And live by Your com - mands.  
 mean - est task That waits the gift of love.  
 get - ting self, Each serve the oth - er's need.

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## INFORMATION FOR YOU

From Our Library: Interested in info on relationships - check out the (Blue) non-fiction under #306.784. Feature DVD: **Like Arrows** - 99 min. in length. When conflict, rebellion & resentment overwhelm their family, Charlie & Alice are forced to rethink their parenting strategy & realize that knowing & living God's Word is hope for their family. Code: Ken 5  
Next Sunday's Lutheran Hour is "Love at First Sight, Love that Lasts" with Rev. Dr. Daniel Paavola. God loved us at first sight, from eternity. And He has given us Jesus so that we can know His love. (Genesis 29:20)

Watch Main Street Living on TV, a service led by local LCMS pastors. See it Sundays on Ch 15 KVRR Fargo (Ch 10 on Arvig) at 9 am, on Ch 29 WFTC at 9:30 am from the Cities (including on DISH if you have the Twin Cities stations or on Selective TV 9.2) or at [mainstreetliving.com](http://mainstreetliving.com) anytime. Rev. Dennis Voss, Mandan, preaches on September 29.

Ebenezer Lutheran Church of Leaf Valley, MN invites you to their 18<sup>th</sup> Annual "Sounds of the Harvest" featuring Jackson Burns, a therapeutic musician, who uses songs of worship and hope, laughter, and love in his music ministry. Come to this free event **Sunday, September 22**, at 2:00 pm followed by desserts and old-fashioned egg coffee.

Want to give electronically? You can make a text gift by texting \$xx (the amount) to 844-330-1376. Or you can give through the church website.

Do you like to pray for others? Join the prayer chain. Contact Pastor.

We have Christmas Shoeboxes on several tables for you to take home and fill with gifts that will delight a child and make you feel good for helping. You may also put items in the box under the coat hangers. If you fill your boxes early you may bring them in, we will store them. Packing day is November 5th this year. Thanks in advance.

Lutheran Church Extension Fund is offering a 4.5% fixed-rate term note for 6 months and 5% fixed-rate term note for 18 months. 800-843-5233.

## OUR RESPONSE TO GOD

Attend 9-14	18	Communed	14
Attend 9-15	147	Communed	92
Offering	\$2,894.00	Home Use	\$300.00
Total	\$3,194.00		
Offering for September			\$8,284.00
Offerings Needed each Month			\$21,848.00
Sunday School Attend	51	Offering	\$18.00
TIM Goal: \$3,000		Receipts:	\$1,944.00

## OUR MISSION:

*Empowered by God's Word, we know, love and share Jesus Christ.*

## INFORMATION FOR TODAY

Who can I tell about true greatness in God's Kingdom?

Sunday School for age 3-6<sup>th</sup> grade is from 10:30 - 11:30 AM. Register online or pick up a registration form at the narthex counter.

Sign up at the narthex counter to serve coffee after worship! If you like to bake and prefer not to serve, you can put items in the church freezers.

Youth Gathering Information Meeting for 9-12<sup>th</sup> graders and parents is September 22 at 6 PM. Come and find out about the youth gathering next July in New Orleans. Registration will be due by mid-October.

A Women's Bible Study meets Mondays at 6 PM in the ed building.

Third Grade Bible Nights will be September 23 and 24 from 6:30-7:30 pm. Third graders and parents come to the meeting that works best.

Our Block Party will be September 29. **Worship will be at 10 AM** that day, followed by a free lunch, games for young and old, music and door prizes. Invite a friend or neighbor! Pick up a flyer at the counter.

Sign up to help in the kitchen at the Block Party on September 29.

Needed: 7 more pans of bars for the Block Party.

Needed: bikes and helmets in good condition for the Block Party.

Wanted: Door prizes for our Block Party. They can be left at the office.

Block Party Mission Offering will be given to Ivy McKane who was baptized at Immanuel. She is a kindergarten with leukemia undergoing chemo at Minneapolis Children's.

Sunday School Children should meet in the Fellowship Hall next Sunday at 9:40 AM.

ACT Class is Wednesdays for all 9-12 graders. Meet at 6:30 for games and 7:30 for food and topic. We will play volleyball on Wednesday.

President Brady Finnern will preach at Immanuel October 5-6. We will have biscuits and gravy and jam with him that Sunday at 8 AM.

If you are interested in a new member class, contact Pastor Lee.

There will not be communion next weekend.

Portals of Prayer for October - December are available at the narthex counter for your daily devotions.

Lutheran Island Camp is offering Fall Horse Programs in September and October. For more information go to [islandcamp.org/schedule](http://islandcamp.org/schedule).