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Opening Hymn 849 Praise the One Who Breaks the Darkness



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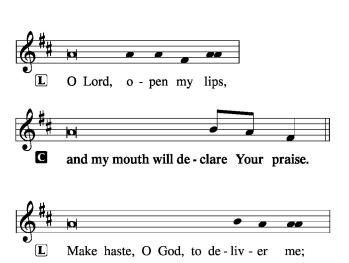
The sign of the cross may be made by all in remembrance of their Baptism.

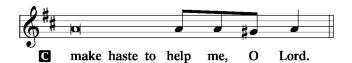
- **P** In the name of the Father and of the

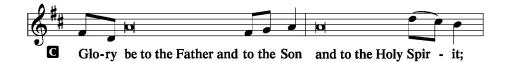
 → Son and of the Holy Spirit.
- C Amen.
- P If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us.
- But if we confess our sins, God, who is faithful and just, will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

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

- P Let us then confess our sins to God our Father.
- Most merciful God, we confess that we are by nature sinful and unclean. We have sinned against You in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved You with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We justly deserve Your present and eternal punishment. For the sake of Your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in Your will and walk in Your ways to the glory of Your holy name. Amen.
- P Almighty God in His mercy has given His Son to die for you and for His sake forgives you all your sins. As a called and ordained servant of Christ, and by His authority, I therefore forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the Holy Spirit.
- C Amen.



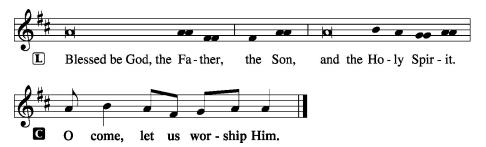




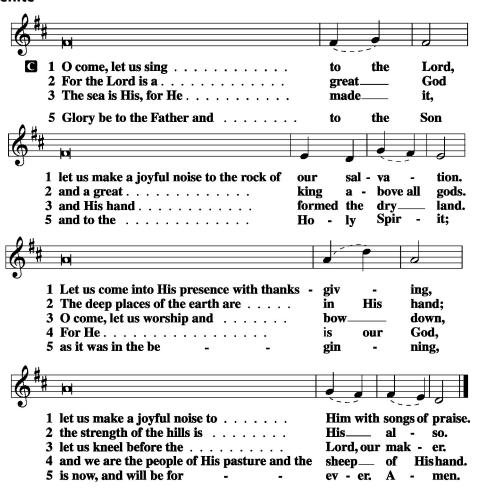




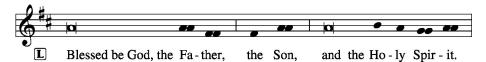
Antiphon



Venite



Antiphon





Sit

Psalm *Psalm* 136:1–9 (antiphon: v. 26)

¹Give thanks to the LORD, for he is good,* for his steadfast love endures for ever.

²Give thanks to the | God of gods,* for his steadfast love endures for- | ever.

³Give thanks to the | Lord of lords,* for his steadfast love endures for- | ever;

4to him who alone does great | wonders,* for his steadfast love endures for- | ever;

⁵to him who by understanding made the | heavens,* for his steadfast love endures for- | ever;

6to him who spread out the earth above the | waters,* for his steadfast love endures for- | ever;

⁷to him who made the | great lights,* for his steadfast love endures for- | ever;

8the sun to rule o- | ver the day,* for his steadfast love endures for- | ever;

⁹the moon and stars to rule o- | ver the night,* for his steadfast love endures for- | ever;

Old Testament Reading Genesis 9:8–17

⁸God said to Noah and to his sons with him, ⁹"Behold, I establish my covenant with you and your offspring after you, ¹⁰and with every living creature that is with you, the birds, the livestock, and every beast of the earth with you, as many as came out of the ark; it is for every beast of the earth. ¹¹I establish my covenant with you, that never again shall all flesh be cut off by the waters of the flood, and never again shall there be a flood to destroy the earth." ¹²And God said, "This is the sign of the covenant that I make between me and you and every living creature that is with you, for all future

generations: ¹³I have set my bow in the cloud, and it shall be a sign of the covenant between me and the earth. ¹⁴When I bring clouds over the earth and the bow is seen in the clouds, ¹⁵I will remember my covenant that is between me and you and every living creature of all flesh. And the waters shall never again become a flood to destroy all flesh. ¹⁶When the bow is in the clouds, I will see it and remember the everlasting

covenant between God and every living creature of all flesh that is on the earth." ¹⁷God said to Noah, "This is the sign of the covenant that I have established between me and all flesh that is on the earth."

- L O Lord, have mercy upon us.
- Thanks be to God.

Epistle *Ephesians 3:14–21*

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14For this reason I bow my knees before the Father, 15from whom every family in heaven and on earth is named, 16that according to the riches of his glory he may have athered with power through his Spirit in your inner being, 17so grant you to be strengthened with power through his Spirit in your inner being, that Christ may dwell in your hearts through faith—that you, being rooted and grounded in love, ¹⁸may have strength to comprehend with all the saints what is the breadth and length and height and depth, ¹⁹and to know the love of Christ that surpasses knowledge, that you may be filled with all the fullness of God. ²⁰Now to him who is able to do far more abundantly than all that we ask or think, according to the power at work within us, ²¹to him be glory in the church and in Christ Jesus throughout all generations, forever and ever. Amen.

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Holy Gospel *Mark* 6:45–56

- P The Holy Gospel according to St. Mark, the sixth chapter.
- Glory to You, O Lord.

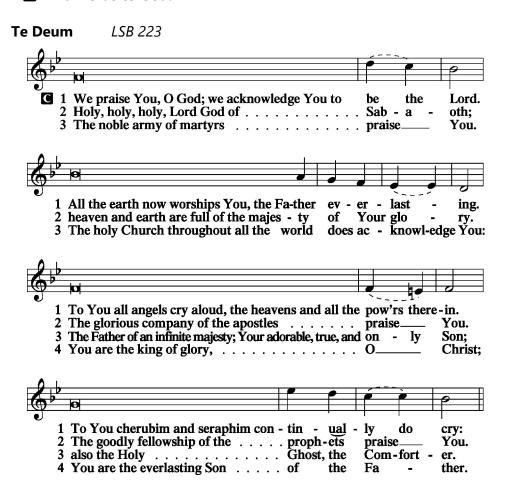
⁴⁵Immediately [Jesus] made his disciples get into the boat and go before him to the other side, to Bethsaida, while he dismissed the crowd. ⁴⁶And after he had taken leave of them, he went up on the mountain to pray. ⁴⁷And when evening came, the boat was out on the sea, and he was alone on the land. ⁴⁸And he saw that they were making headway painfully, for the wind was against them. And about the fourth watch of the night he came to them, walking on the sea. He meant to pass by them, ⁴⁹but when they saw him walking on the sea they thought it was a ghost, and cried out, ⁵⁰for they all saw him and were terrified. But immediately he spoke to them and said, "Take heart; it is I. Do not be afraid." ⁵¹And he got into the boat with them, and the wind ceased. And they were utterly astounded, 52 for they did not understand about

the loaves, but their hearts were hardened.

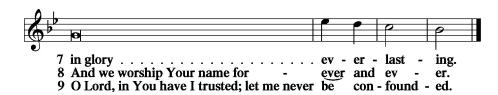
⁵³When they had crossed over, they came to land at Gennesaret and moored to the shore. ⁵⁴And when they got out of the boat, the people immediately recognized him ⁵⁵and ran about the whole region and began to bring the sick people on their beds to

wherever they heard he was. ⁵⁶And wherever he came, in villages, cities, or country-side, they laid the sick in the marketplaces and implored him that they might touch even the fringe of his garment. And as many as touched it were made well.

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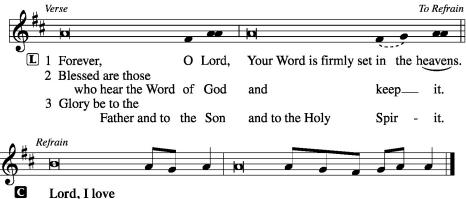






Responsory

Common LSB 221



ord, I love the habitation of Your house and the place where Your glo-ry dwells.

Sermon Hymn 754 Entrust Your Days and Burdens 1 En - trust dens To God's most lov - ing your days and bur And find 2 Re - ly on God your Sav ior your life se -Take heart, have hope, my spir it, And do not be dis -4 Leave all His di rec tion; His wis - dom rules for to you while hand: He cares for rul The ing cure. Make His work your foun da tion That helps mayed; God in ev - 'ry tri al And rouse your In ways to won der At you 9 sky, the sea, the land. For He who guides the ious thought, no en - dure. No your work may anx with makes you un a - fraid. wait His time His love can do. Soon He, His prom - ise DO: long their thun - d'rous ways Will tem pests tor - ment - ing No self care Can ry, pa - tience Through dark est hours of night Un keep - ing, With der - work - ing Will won pow'rs find path - way And guide you all your days. for you a your Fa - ther's fa - vor; His heart is moved win by prayer. the sun you hoped for De - lights your ea ger sight. ban - ish from your spir - it What gave you trou bled hours.

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Sermon — Pastor Wagner

Stand

Prayer Hymn 940 Holy God, We Praise Thy Name



5 Holy Father, holy Son, Holy Spirit, three we name Thee; Though in essence only one, Undivided God we claim Thee And, adoring, bend the knee While we own the mystery.

- 6 From Thy high celestial home,
 Judge of all, again returning,
 We believe that Thou shalt come
 On that final judgment morning,
 When Thy voice shall shake the earth
 And the startled dead come forth.
- Spare Thy people, Lord, we pray,
 By a thousand snares surrounded;
 Keep us without sin today,
 Never let us be confounded.
 Lo, I put my trust in Thee;
 Never, Lord, abandon me.

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Sit Offering

Stand **Kyrie**



Lord's Prayer

- **L** Taught by our Lord and trusting in His promises, we are bold to pray:
- **©** Our Father who art in heaven,

hallowed be thy name,

Thy kingdom come,

Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven;

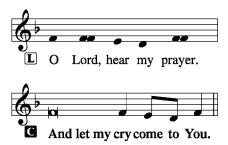
give us this day our daily bread;

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.

Collects



Collect of the Day

Let us pray.
Almighty God, by the working of Your Holy Spirit, grant that we may gladly hear Your Word proclaimed among us and follow its directing; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C Amen.

Additional Collects of Intercession and Thanksgiving

Luther's Morning Prayer

I thank You, my heavenly Father, through Jesus Christ, Your dear son, that You have kept me this night from all harm and danger; and I pray that You would keep me this day also from sin and every evil, that all my doings and life may please You. For into Your hands I commend myself, my body and soul, and all things. Let Your holy angel be with me, that the evil foe may have no power over me.

Amen.

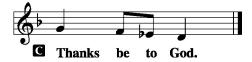
Collect for Grace

Defend us in the same with Your mighty power and grant that this day we fall into no sin, neither run into any kind of danger, but that all our doings, being ordered by Your governance, may be righteous in Your sight; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C Amen.

Benedicamus LSB 228





Benediction

P The grace of our Lord → Jesus Christ and the love of God the Father and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.



Dismissal Hymn 809 Great Is Thy Faithfulness



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