



# CANTICLE OF PRAISE

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This is the feast of vic-to-ry for our God. Al-le - lu - ia,  
al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia. 1 Wor - thy is Christ, the Lamb  
who was slain, whose blood set us free to be peo - ple of God.

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strength, and hon - or, bless - ing, and glo - ry are his.

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God, and join in the hymn of all cre - a - tion: Bless - ing, hon - or,  
glo - ry, and might be to God and the Lamb for - ev - er. A - men.

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slain has be - gun his reign. Al - le - lu - ia.

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**PRAYER OF THE DAY**

Almighty God, you have knit your people together in one communion in the mystical body of your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. Grant us grace to follow your blessed saints in lives of faith and commitment, and to know the inexpressible joys you have prepared for those who love you, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **Amen.** *(please be seated)*

**SPECIAL MUSIC**

**“They Shall Soar Like Eagles”  
Zion Adult Choir**

**Laura Manzo**

Pianist: Stephanie Hawkinson

Flute: Sue Gates

**A TIME FOR CHILDREN**

**WORD**

**FIRST READING**

**Revelation 7:9-17**

**Pew Bible, NT p. 271**

Word of God. Word of life.  
**Thanks be to God.**

**PSALM**

**Psalms 34:1-6**

*(read responsively)*

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the praise of God shall ever be in my mouth.

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**let the lowly hear and rejoice.**

<sup>3</sup>Proclaim with me the greatness of the LORD;  
let us exalt God’s name together.

<sup>4</sup>**I sought the LORD, who answered me**  
**and delivered me from all my terrors.**

<sup>5</sup>Look upon the LORD and be radiant,  
and let not your faces be ashamed.

<sup>6</sup>**I called in my affliction, and the LORD heard me**  
**and saved me from all my troubles.**

<sup>7</sup>The angel of the LORD encamps around those who fear the LORD  
and delivers them.

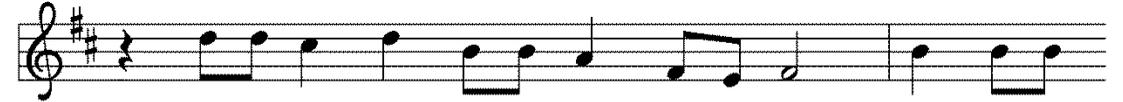
<sup>8</sup>**Taste and see that the LORD is good;**  
**happy are they who take refuge in God!**

<sup>9</sup>Fear the LORD, you saints of the LORD,  
for those who fear the LORD lack nothing.

<sup>10</sup>**The lions are in want and suffer hunger,**  
**but those who seek the LORD lack nothing that is good.**

<sup>22</sup>O LORD, you redeem the life of your servants,  
and those who put their trust in you will not be punished.

**GOSPEL ACCLAMATION** *(please stand)*



Al - le - lu - ia. Lord, to whom shall we go? You have the



words of e - ter - nal life. Al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia.

The holy gospel according to Matthew chapter 5.

**Glory to you, O Lord.**

**GOSPEL**

**Matthew 5:1-12**

**Pew Bible, NT p. 4**

The gospel of the Lord.

**Praise to you, O Christ.** *(please be seated)*

**SERMON**

**Pastor Marcia**

**HYMN OF THE DAY**

**“Blest Are They”**  
*(Please stand on the last verse.)*

**ELW #728**

## APOSTLES' 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 Holy Spirit,  
born of the virgin Mary,  
suffered under Pontius Pilate,  
was crucified, died, and was buried;  
he descended to the dead.

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 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

Welcoming God's reign of righteousness and mercy, let us pray with people of every time and place.

*After each petition:* Lord, in your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Lawrence "Larry" Wolff - Gladys Wanner – Harvey Wanner – Betty Ellingson Rall –  
Anna Stern – Phyllis Schnorr – Leland Norton – Bonnie Roeszler – Adam Reich –  
Gottlieb Gienger

Receive these prayers and the hopes and concerns of our hearts, O God, as we entrust into your loving care all for whom we pray, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

**Amen.** *(please be seated)*

## OFFERING

*The children are welcome to come forward and place their offerings in the "For Children Everywhere" box.*

## OFFERING SONG

"Give Thanks for Saints"

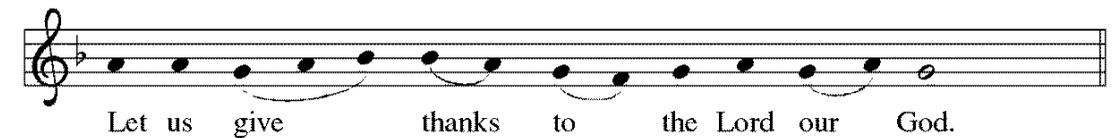
ELW #428

## OFFERING PRAYER *(please stand)*

Creator God,  
you made everything, and you provide for every need.  
The bread we break and the wine we pour come from you.  
As we eat and drink with thanksgiving, fill us with your love;  
let that love flow through us to others; and join us to the saints before us  
in a holy and boundless communion; through Jesus Christ our Lord.  
**Amen.**

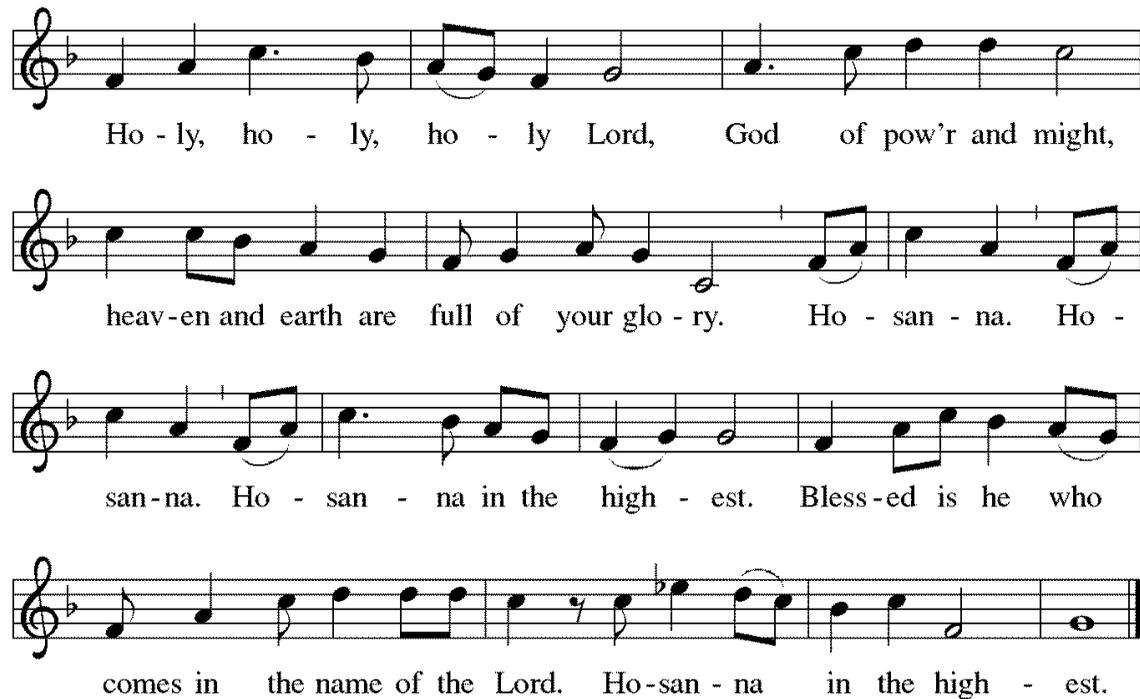
## MEAL

## GREAT THANKSGIVING



## PREFACE

It is indeed right, our duty and our joy . . . and join their unending hymn:



Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow'r and might,  
heav-en and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho - san - na. Ho -  
san-na. Ho - san - na in the high - est. Bless-ed is he who  
comes in the name of the Lord. Ho-san - na in the high - est.

## WORDS OF INSTITUTION

### 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.

INVITATION TO COMMUNION *(please be seated)*

### COMMUNION DISTRIBUTION

*All are welcome at the Lord's table. Please come forward as directed by the ushers.  
Grape juice and gluten free wafers are available; please indicate to the server by raising your hand.*

DISTRIBUTION MUSIC "Jerusalem, My Happy Home" ELW #628

### BLESSING & PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION *(please stand)*

The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen you and keep you in his grace.  
Amen.

Sovereign God,  
in this meal you give us a foretaste of the great feast to come. Keep us faithful to you,  
that we, with all your saints, may at length celebrate the marriage feast of the Lamb,  
Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

## SENDING

### BLESSING

The love of God surround you;  
the grace of ✠ Christ free you;  
and the Holy Spirit be your guide and strength,  
now and forevermore.  
Amen.

### SENDING HYMN

"For All the Saints" ELW #422  
Vs. 1,2,6,7 – Congregation ~ Vs. 3 – Choir  
Vs. 4 – Northside ~ Vs. 5 – Southside

### DISMISSAL

Led on by the saints before us, go in peace to serve the Lord.  
Thanks be to God.

**POSTLUDE**

**“For All the Saints”**

**Edwin T. Childs**

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**LEADING OUR WORSHIP:**

Preaching: Pastor Marcia Sylvester

Presiding: Pastor Erin Heidelberger

Organist: Sonya Kempf

Lector: Jo Tolvstad

Deacon: Monica Tietz

Marcie Andersh

Acolyte: Masyn Schutter

Power Point: Wanda Wagemann

Altar Guild Co-Chairs: Karen Dahme – Susan Hook

Sound System: Steve Ottenbacher

Van Driver: Bill Arndt

Counters: John\Becky Desens

Marcie Andersh – Dawn Allbee

Coffee Hosts: Zion Men’s Group

Ushers: Art Bretsch, Keith Larson, Glenn Denning,

Mike, Lory, Emily & Claire Bretsch



# Zion Lutheran Church

## All Saints Sunday



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**FIRST READING****Revelation 7:9-17**

<sup>9</sup>After this I looked, and there was a great multitude that no one could count, from every nation, from all tribes and peoples and languages, standing before the throne and before the Lamb, robed in white, with palm branches in their hands. <sup>10</sup>They cried out in a loud voice, saying,

“Salvation belongs to our God who is seated on the throne, and to the Lamb!”

<sup>11</sup>And all the angels stood around the throne and around the elders and the four living creatures, and they fell on their faces before the throne and worshiped God, <sup>12</sup>singing,

“Amen! Blessing and glory and wisdom  
and thanksgiving and honor  
and power and might  
be to our God forever and ever! Amen.”

<sup>13</sup>Then one of the elders addressed me, saying, “Who are these, robed in white, and where have they come from?” <sup>14</sup>I said to him, “Sir, you are the one that knows.” Then he said to me, “These are they who have come out of the great ordeal; they have washed their robes and made them white in the blood of the Lamb.

<sup>15</sup>For this reason they are before the throne of God,  
and worship him day and night within his temple,  
and the one who is seated on the throne will shelter them.

<sup>16</sup>They will hunger no more, and thirst no more;  
the sun will not strike them,  
nor any scorching heat;

<sup>17</sup>for the Lamb at the center of the throne will be their shepherd,  
and he will guide them to springs of the water of life,  
and God will wipe away every tear from their eyes.”

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**GOSPEL****Matthew 5:1-12**

<sup>1</sup>When Jesus saw the crowds, he went up the mountain; and after he sat down, his disciples came to him. <sup>2</sup>Then he began to speak, and taught them, saying:

<sup>3</sup>“Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

<sup>4</sup>“Blessed are those who mourn, for they will be comforted.

<sup>5</sup>“Blessed are the meek, for they will inherit the earth.

<sup>6</sup>“Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they will be filled.

<sup>7</sup>“Blessed are the merciful, for they will receive mercy.

<sup>8</sup>“Blessed are the pure in heart, for they will see God.

<sup>9</sup>“Blessed are the peacemakers, for they will be called children of God.

<sup>10</sup>“Blessed are those who are persecuted for righteousness’ sake, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

<sup>11</sup>“Blessed are you when people revile you and persecute you and utter all kinds of evil against you falsely on my account. <sup>12</sup>Rejoice and be glad, for your reward is great in heaven, for in the same way they persecuted the prophets who were before you.”

