

The Order of Service

The Opening Hymn "Come to Calvary's Holy Mountain" Christian Worship #106



1 Come to Cal-v'ry's ho - ly moun-tain, Sin - ners, ru - ined
2 Come in pov - er - ty and mean-ness, Come de - filed, with -
3 Come in sor - row and con - tri - tion, Wound-ed, par - a -
4 He that drinks shall live for - ev - er; 'Tis a soul - re -



by the fall; Here a pure and heal - ing foun - tain
out, with - in; From in - fec - tion and un - clean-ness,
lyzed, and blind; Here the guilt - y, free re - mis - sion,
new - ing flood. God is faith - ful; God will nev - er



Flows to you, to me, to all, In a full, per -
From the lep - ro - sy of sin, Wash your robes and
Here the trou - bled, peace may find. Health this foun - tain
Break his cov - e - nant of blood, Signed when our Re -



pet - ual tide, O - pened when our Sav - ior died.
make them white; You shall walk with God in light.
will re - store; He that drinks shall thirst no more.
deem - er died, Sealed when he was glo - ri - fied.

Please Stand

The Invocation

P: In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.
C: *(Spoken)* Amen.

The Response

P: Stay with us, for it is nearly evening; the day is almost over. (Luke 24:29)
C: *(Spoken)* Surely I am with you always. (Matthew 28:20)

P: Your light will rise in the darkness, and your night will become like the noonday.
C: *(Spoken)* The Lord will guide you always. (Isaiah 58:10-11)

P: Your sun will never set again, and your moon will wane no more;
C: *(Spoken)* The Lord will be your everlasting light, and your days of sorrow will end. (Isaiah 60:20)
P: On no day will the gates of the Holy City ever be shut,
C: *(Spoken)* For there will be no night there. (Revelation 21:25)

Please be seated

The Psalm of the Day Psalm 51a Christian Worship page 86

Refrain



Be mer - ci - ful, O Lord, for we have sinned.

Psalm tone



Have mercy on 'me, O God,*
according to your un'failing love.
Wash away all my in'iquity,*
and cleanse me 'from my sin.
For I know my trans'gressions,*
and my sin is always be'fore me.

Refrain



Be mer - ci - ful, O Lord, for we have sinned.

Against you, you only, 'have I sinned*
and done what is evil 'in your sight.
Surely I was sin'ful at birth,*
sinful from the time my mother con'ceived me.
Hide your face 'from my sins,*
and blot out all my in'iquity.
Restore to me the joy of your sal'vation,*
and grant me a willing spirit, to sus'tain me.

**Glory be to the Father and 'to the Son*
and to the Holy 'Spirit,
as it was in the be'ginning,*
is now, and will be forever. 'Amen.**

Refrain

The Passion History.....John 16:12-17:9 (Video)

The Confession of FaithThe Apostles' Creed

I believe in God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth.

I believe 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 is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty. From there 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.

Junior Choir Anthem“What Grace is This!”
St. Paul’s Junior Choir (3:30pm)
Christian Worship Supplement #715

Junior Choir 1 What grace is this! My Lord and
Small Group 2 What grace is this— That ve - ry
Junior Choir 3 What grace is this! Though Lord of
Junior Choir 4 What grace is this! Rude a - gon -
Small Group 5 What grace is this! Once wrapped in
Congregation joins Choir 6 What grace is this? How can it
 King Has set his face to suf - fer -
 God Would stoop to lift a cross of
 all, He yields to Pon - tius Pil - ate's
 ies! With com - mon thieves he hangs and
 cloths And gent - ly laid in man - ger -
 be? He wears this raw hu - mil - i -

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ing. My God e - ter - nal dies to
 wood And walk a road of rock and
 law And lets the Ro - man ham - mers
 bleeds. The sin - less Son bears each mis -
 trough, He's ta - ken, dead, from wretch - ed
 ty To lift me to e - ter - ni -
 bring E - ter - nal life to
 blood, A sin - ner's road, for
 draw A rush of blood for
 deed. He pays for all, for
 cross And wrapped a - gain for
 ty. Such grace—sweet grace— for

Congregation Hymn“Behold the Lamb of God”
Christian Worship #101

1 Be - hold the Lamb of God For guilt - y sin - ners
 2 Be - hold the Lamb of God! In - to the sa - cred
 3 Be - hold the Lamb of God! All hail, in - car - nate
 4 Be - hold the Lamb of God! Wor - thy is he a -
 slain; Let it not be in vain That you have died!
 flood Of your most pre - cious blood My soul I cast.
 Word! O ev - er - last - ing Lord, Purge out our leav'n.
 lone To sit up - on the throne Of God a - bove,
 You for my Sav - ior let me take; My on - ly
 Wash me and make me pure and clean; Up - hold me
 Clothe us with god - li - ness and good; Feed us with
 One with the An - cient of all days, One with the

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ref - uge let me make Your pierc - ed side.
 through life's chang - ing scene Till all is past.
 your ce - les - tial food, Man - na from heav'n.
 Com - fort - er in praise, All light, all love!

The Sermon John 13:1-17

**Jesus Showed Us the Full Extent of His Love....
 In His Treatment of the Twelve**

^{13:1} It was just before the Passover Feast. Jesus knew that the time had come for him to leave this world and go to the Father. Having loved his own who were in the world, he now showed them the full extent of his love. ² The evening meal was being served, and the devil had already prompted Judas Iscariot, son of Simon, to betray Jesus. ³ Jesus knew that the Father had put all things under his power, and that he had come from God and was returning to God; ⁴ so he got up from the meal, took off his outer clothing, and wrapped a towel around his waist. ⁵ After that, he poured water into a basin and began to wash his disciples' feet, drying them with the towel that was wrapped around him. ⁶ He came to Simon Peter, who said to him, "Lord, are you going to wash my feet?" ⁷ Jesus replied, "You do not realize now what I am doing, but later you will understand." ⁸ "No," said Peter, "you shall never wash my feet." Jesus answered, "Unless I wash you, you have no part with me." ⁹ "Then, Lord," Simon Peter replied, "not just my feet but my hands and my head as well!" ¹⁰ Jesus answered, "A person who has had a bath needs only to wash his feet; his whole body is clean. And you are clean, though not every one of you." ¹¹ For he knew who was going to betray him, and that was why he said not everyone was clean. ¹² When he had finished washing their feet, he put on his clothes and returned to his place. "Do you understand what I have done for you?" he asked them. ¹³ "You call me 'Teacher' and 'Lord,' and rightly so, for that is what I am. ¹⁴ Now that I, your Lord and Teacher, have washed your feet, you also should wash one another's feet. ¹⁵ I have set you an example that you should do as I have done for you. ¹⁶ I tell you the truth, no servant is greater than his master, nor is a messenger greater than the one who sent him. ¹⁷ Now that you know these things, you will be blessed if you do them.

The Offering & Offering Prayer

As the offering is gathered, we invite everyone to sign the Friendship Registers.

Please Stand

Luther's Evening Prayer

I thank you, my heavenly Father, through Jesus Christ, your dear Son, that you have graciously kept me this day. Forgive me all my sins, and graciously keep me this night. Into your hands I commend my body and soul and all things. Let your holy angel be with me, that the wicked foe may have no power over me. Amen.

The Blessing

P: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

C: *(Spoken) Amen.*

Please be Seated

The Closing Hymn "Not all the Blood of Beasts"

Christian Worship #128



1 Not all the blood of beasts On Is - rael's
 2 But Christ, the heav'n - ly Lamb, Takes all our
 3 In faith I place my hand On that dear
 4 My soul looks back to see The bur - den
 5 Be - liev - ing, we re - joice To see the



al - tars slain Could give the guilt - y con - science
 sins a - way, A sac - ri - fice of no - bler
 head di - vine, As pen - i - tent - ly here I
 you did bear When hang - ing on the curs - ed
 curse re - move; We bless the Lamb with cheer - ful



peace Or wash a - way the stain.
 name And rich - er blood than they.
 stand And lay on him my sin.
 tree— I know my guilt was there!
 voice And sing his bleed - ing love.

Worship Participants

Preacher..... Pastor Bob Gurgel

St. Lucas Lutheran, Bay View

Liturgist..... Pastor Brian Adams

Organist/Accompanist Miss Heather Schmidt

Choir Director Mrs. Marie Becker

Small Groups Allie Orłowski, Gretchen Drews, Meghan Braun

Toby Kallies, Seth Gibbons' Dante Matuszak

Announcements

2ND PASTOR CALL MEETING: On Tuesday, January 13th, the Voters Assembly of St. Paul's authorized the calling of a 2nd pastor. Since that time, we have been working with District President Rutschow to setup a Call Meeting. The date of that special Voters Meeting has now been set for Sunday, March 8th at 2:30pm. Pastor Rutschow will be here to lead that Call Meeting. We continue to rely on the Holy Spirit to guide our efforts and bless the ministry of St. Paul's.

PASTORS' ROLES AND RESPONSIBILITIES: St. Paul's Lutheran Church exists for the purpose of "Reaching out to the people of the world through worship and education by living and sharing the Gospel of Christ." As we work together to carry out this mission, a list of roles and responsibilities has been developed by our Board of Elders and Church Council for our two pastors. Below is a summary of what has been communicated to the District President to assist him in developing a call list for St. Paul's:

Pastor of Outreach Ministries – New Pastor

His responsibilities would include:

- Develop and implement a ministry plan for outreach, including training of God's people to reach out with the Gospel message, developing and implementing a presence on social media and the website for the purpose of reaching out with the Gospel of Jesus
- Assisting in developing a plan to assimilate the members of St. Paul's into its ministry
- Working with the Principal and teachers of our Christian Day School to use our school and preschool for the purpose of reaching out with the Gospel message
- Helping to maintain a strong connection to the school families
- Assisting in establishing a Christian youth group

Pastor of Administration and Worship – Pastor Adams

Pastor Adams would continue to help St. Paul's carry out its mission by overseeing the following responsibilities:

- Administration responsibilities
- Communication within St. Paul's, including being responsible for newsletters, bulletins, overseeing the church website (internal information), etc.
- Developing ministry plans that are aligned with the mission, purpose and objectives of St. Paul's by leading the direction of worship, including: scheduling and planning the participation of God's people in the worship services such as choirs and musicians; planning worship themes and the use of technology in the worship services
- Working with the members of St. Paul's to encourage fellowship activities within St. Paul's to strengthen the Christian ties between fellow believers.