

Cannon River and Cross of Christ Lutheran Churches ELCA  
*Faithful Through Generations*  
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**Gathering**

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**Welcome and Announcements**

***This Is The Day***

This is the day  
This is the day  
That the Lord hath made  
That the Lord hath made  
We will rejoice  
We will rejoice  
And be glad in it  
And be glad in it  
This is the day  
That the Lord hath made  
We will rejoice and be glad in it  
This is the day  
This is the day  
That the Lord hath made  
*(Repeat all)*

***My Savior My God***

I am not skilled to understand  
What God has willed what God has planned  
I only know at His right hand  
Stands One who is my Savior

I take Him at His word and deed  
Christ died to save me this I read  
And in my heart I find a need  
Of Him to be my Savior

**Chorus**

That He would leave His place on high  
And come for sinful man to die  
You count it strange so once did I  
Before I knew my Savior

My Savior loves, My Savior lives  
My Savior's always there for me  
My God He was, My God He is  
My God is always gonna be  
My Savior loves, My Savior lives  
My Savior's always there for me  
My God He was, My God He is  
My God is always gonna be

Yes living dying let me bring  
My strength my solace from this spring  
That He who lives to be my King  
Once died to be my Savior *(Repeat Chorus)*

**Ending**

My Savior Lives!

***Amazing Grace***  
***(My Chains Are Gone)***

Amazing grace how sweet the sound  
That saved a wretch like me  
I once was lost but now I'm found  
Was blind but now I see

'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear  
And grace my fears relieved  
How precious did that grace appear  
The hour I first believed

**Chorus**

My chains are gone, I've been set free  
My God, my Savior, has ransomed me  
And like a flood, His mercy reigns  
Unending love, amazing grace

The Lord has promised good to me  
His word my hope secures  
He will my shield and portion be  
As long as life endures  
*(Chorus – 2x)*

*(continued)*

The earth shall soon dissolve like snow  
The sun forbear to shine  
But God who called me here below  
Will be forever mine  
Will be forever mine  
You are forever mine

**Prayer of the Day**                      Bulletin Insert

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**Word**

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**First Reading**                      **Acts 4:5-12**  
The Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

**Second Reading**                      **1 John 3:16-24**  
The Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

***Praise the Father Praise the Son***

**Verse 1**

O sov'reign God O matchless King  
The saints adore the angels sing  
And fall before the throne of grace  
To You belongs the highest praise

**Verse 2**

These sufferings this passing tide  
Under Your wings I will abide  
And ev'ry enemy shall flee  
You are my hope and victory

**Chorus**

Praise the Father  
Praise the Son  
Praise the Spirit  
Three in One  
Clothed in power and in grace  
The name above all other names

**Verse 3**

To the valley for my soul  
Thy great descent has made me whole  
Your word my heart has welcomed home  
Now peace like water ever flows  
(*Chorus-2x*)

**Bridge**

Yours is the kingdom  
Yours is the power  
Yours is the glory forever  
(*Repeat Bridge*)  
(*Chorus*)

**Ending**

The name above all other names

**Gospel**

**John 10:11-18**

**Glory to you, O Lord.**

The Gospel of the Lord.

**Praise to you, O Christ.**

**Sermon**

Pastor Bob Berthold

***Your Grace Is Enough***

Great is Your faithfulness, O God of Jacob  
You wrestle with the sinner's restless heart  
You lead me by still waters into mercy  
Where nothing can keep us apart

**Chorus**

So remember Your people  
Remember Your children  
Remember Your promise, O God  
For Your grace is enough  
Yeah, Your grace is enough  
Yeah, Your grace is enough  
Yeah, Your grace is enough for me

Great is Your love and justice, God of Jacob  
You use the weak to lead the strong  
You lead us in the song of heaven's vict'ry  
And all Your people sing along  
(*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.

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## Meal

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### 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

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.**

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## Sending

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### 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**

# *Open Up The Heavens*

## **Verse 1**

We've waited for this day  
We're gathered in Your Name  
Calling out to You  
Your glory like a fire, awakening desire  
Will burn our hearts with truth

## **Pre-Chorus**

You're the reason we're here  
You're the reason we're singing

## **Chorus**

Open up the heavens, we want to see You  
Open up the floodgates, a mighty river  
Flowing from Your heart  
Filling every part of our praise

## **Verse 2**

Your presence in this place  
Your glory on our face  
We're looking to the sky  
Descending like a cloud  
You're standing with us now  
Lord unveil our eyes

*(Pre-Chorus)*

*(Chorus-2x)*

## **Bridge**

Show us, show us Your glory  
Show us, show us Your power  
Show us, show us Your glory Lord

*(Repeat Bridge)*

*(Repeat Chorus-2x)*

## **Dismissal**

Go in Peace. Serve the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

## **Postlude**

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