

Thanksgiving Day Worship

November 27, 2025, 9:30 am



Order of Service

Organist Lisa Sprengeler


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Altar Service


From the Morning Suffrages (alt.)
Now Thank We All Our God (LSB 895)

P O Lord:
C **Have mercy upon us.**
P O Christ:
C **Have mercy upon us.**
P O Lord:
C **Have mercy upon us.**

PC 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. Amen.

 *Now thank we all our God with heart and hands and voices,
who wondrous things has done, in whom His world rejoices;
who from our mothers' arms has blessed us on our way
with countless gifts of love and still is ours today.*

PC I believe that God has created me and all creatures. He has given me my body and life, eyes, ears, and all my bodily members, my mind and all my senses, and still keeps them for me. God also preserves me by richly and daily providing clothing and shoes, food and drink, house and home, wife and children, land, animals, and all my property and all I need to support this body and life. He protects me from all danger. He guards and defends me from every evil. God does this because He is my good and gracious Father in heaven, not because of anything I have done to earn or deserve it. For all of this it is my duty to thank, praise, serve, and obey Him. Amen.

 *Oh, may this bounteous God through all our life be near us,
with ever joyful hearts and blessed peace to cheer us
and keep us in His grace and guide us when perplexed
and free us from all ills in this world and the next.*

P Unto You have I cried, O Lord:

C And in the morning shall my prayer come before You.

P Let my mouth be filled with Your praise:

C And with Your glory all the day.

P Hide Your face from my sins:

C And blot out all my iniquities.

P Create in me a clean heart, O God:

C And renew a steadfast spirit within me.


P Do not cast me away from Your presence:

C And do not take Your Holy Spirit from me.

P Restore to me the joy of Your salvation:
C **And uphold me by Your generous Spirit.**
P Help us, gracious Lord, this day:
C **To keep us without sin.**

P O Lord, let Your mercy be upon us:
C **As our trust is in You.**
P Hear my prayer, O Lord:
C **And let my cry ascend to You.**

P The Lord be with you:
C **The Lord bless you.**

 *All praise and thanks to God the Father now be given,
the Son, and Him who reigns with them in highest heaven,
the one eternal God, whom earth and heav'n adore;
for thus it was, is now, and shall be evermore.*

Scripture Reading

Philippians 4:6-20

*Be thankful for God's gifts and learn to be
content whatever your circumstances*

Be anxious for nothing, but in everything by prayer and supplication, with thanksgiving, let your requests be made known to God; and the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and minds through Christ Jesus. Finally, brethren, whatever things are true, whatever things are noble, whatever things are just, whatever things are pure, whatever things are lovely, whatever things are of good report, if there is any virtue and if there is anything praiseworthy—meditate on these things. The things which you learned and received and heard and saw in me, these do, and the God of peace will be with you. But I rejoiced in the Lord greatly that now at last your care for me has flourished again; though you surely did care, but you lacked opportunity. Not that I speak in regard to need, for I have learned in whatever state I am, to be content: I know how to be abased, and I know how to abound. Everywhere and in all things I have learned both to be full and to be hungry, both to abound and to suffer need. I can do all things through Christ who strengthens

me. Nevertheless you have done well that you shared in my distress. Now you Philippians know also that in the beginning of the gospel, when I departed from Macedonia, no church shared with me concerning giving and receiving but you only. For even in Thessalonica you sent aid once and again for my necessities. Not that I seek the gift, but I seek the fruit that abounds to your account. Indeed I have all and abound. I am full, having received from Epaphroditus the things sent from you, a sweet-smelling aroma, an acceptable sacrifice, well pleasing to God. And my God shall supply all your need according to His riches in glory by Christ Jesus. Now to our God and Father be glory forever and ever. Amen.

Devotional Reading

From Luther's *Large Catechism*
"Gives Us This Day Our Daily Bread"

Hymn 892

Come, Ye Thankful People, Come

Meditation for Thanksgiving Day

Psalm 103:1-2

Bless the LORD, O my soul; and all that is within me, bless His holy name! Bless the LORD, O my soul, and forget not all His benefits:

***Let Us Count Our Blessings and
Thank Our God for Them!***

Offering of Thankful Hearts

Psalm and Prayer

Psalm 65 / Luther's Morning Prayer

P Praise is awaiting You, O God, in Zion; and to You the vow shall be performed. O You who hear prayer, to You all flesh will come. Iniquities prevail against me; as for our transgressions, You will provide atonement for them. Blessed is the man You choose, and cause to approach You, that he may dwell in Your courts. We shall be satisfied with the goodness of Your house, of Your holy temple. By awesome deeds in righteousness You will answer us, O God of our salvation, You who are the confidence of all the ends of the earth, and of the far-off seas; Who established the mountains by His strength, being clothed with power; You who still the

noise of the seas, the noise of their waves, and the tumult of the peoples. They also who dwell in the farthest parts are afraid of Your signs; You make the outgoings of the morning and evening rejoice.

P You visit the earth and water it, You greatly enrich it; the river of God is full of water; You provide their grain, for so You have prepared it. You water its ridges abundantly, You settle its furrows; You make it soft with showers, You bless its growth. You crown the year with Your goodness, and Your paths drip with abundance. They drop on the pastures of the wilderness, and the little hills rejoice on every side. The pastures are clothed with flocks; the valleys also are covered with grain; they shout for joy, they also sing.

PC **We thank You, heavenly Father, through Jesus Christ, Your dear Son, that You have kept us this night from all harm and danger; and we pray that You would keep us this day also from sin and every evil, that all our doings and life may please You. For into Your hands we commend ourselves, our bodies and souls, and all things. Let Your holy angels be with us that the evil Foe may have no power over us. Amen.**

Benediction

P Now to Him who is able to do immeasurably more than all we ask or imagine, according to His power that is at work within us, to Him be glory in the Church and in Christ Jesus throughout all generations, forever and ever!

C (says) Amen!

Closing Hymn 785

We Praise You, O God

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