



Mount Olive Lutheran Church



Gathering Songs



The Lamb

LSB 547



The Lamb, the Lamb, O Father, where's
the sacrifice?

Faith sees, believes God will provide
the Lamb of price.



Worthy is the Lamb whose death
makes me His own.
The Lamb is reigning on His throne.



The Lamb, the Lamb, one perfect final
offering

The Lamb, the Lamb, let earth join
heav'n His praise to sing.



Worthy is the Lamb whose death
makes me His own.
The Lamb is reigning on His throne.



The Lamb, the Lamb, as wayward
sheep their shepherd kill

So still, His will on our behalf the Law
to fill.



Worthy is the Lamb whose death
makes me His own.
The Lamb is reigning on His throne.



He sighs, He dies, He takes my sin and
wretchedness

He lives, forgives, He gives me His own
righteousness.



Worthy is the Lamb whose death
makes me His own.
The Lamb is reigning on His throne.



He rose, He rose, my heart with thanks
now overflows

His song prolong till ev'ry heart to Him
belong.



Worthy is the Lamb whose death
makes me His own.
The Lamb is reigning on His throne.



Lord Reign in Me



Over all the earth, You reign on high,
Every mountain stream, every sunset
sky.

But my one request, Lord, my only aim
Is that You'd reign in me again.



Lord, reign in me, reign in Your power;
Over all my dreams, in my darkest
hour.

You are the Lord of all I am,
So won't You reign in me again.



Over every thought, over every word,
May my life reflect the beauty of my
Lord;
'Cause You mean more to me than any
earthly thing.
So won't you reign in me again.



Lord, reign in me, reign in Your power;
Over all my dreams, in my darkest
hour.

You are the Lord of all I am,
So won't You reign in me again.

(Repeat)



Greeting



Come, Now Is the Time to Worship



Come, now is the time to worship.

Come, now is the time to give your heart.

Come, just as you are to worship.

Come, just as you are before your God.

Come.



One day ev'ry tongue will confess You
are God.

One day ev'ry knee will bow.

Still, the greatest treasure remains for
those

Who gladly choose You now.



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Invocation



**We confess our
sins**

**God forgives
our sins**



Introit

(spoken responsively)



(Pastor)

Deliver me from my enemies, O LORD!
I have fled to you for refuge!



(People)

**Hear my prayer, O Lord; give ear to
my pleas for mercy!**

**In your faithfulness answer me,
in your righteousness!**



(Pastor)

Enter not into judgment with your
servant,

for no one living is righteous
before you.



(All)

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



(Pastor)

Deliver me from my enemies, O LORD!
I have fled to you for refuge!



Ancient Words



Holy words long preserved
For our walk in this world;
They resound with God's own heart,
O, let the ancient words impart;



Words of life, words of hope,
Give us strength, help us cope;
In this world where'er we roam,
Ancient words will guide us home.



Ancient words, ever true,
Changing me and changing you;
We have come with open hearts,
O let the ancient words impart.



Holy words of our faith
Handed down to this age,
Came to us through sacrifice;
O, heed the faithful words of Christ.



Ancient words, ever true,
Changing me and changing you;
We have come with open hearts,
O let the ancient words impart
O let the ancient words impart



First Reading

Genesis 50:15–21



When Joseph's brothers saw that their father was dead, they said, "It may be that Joseph will hate us and pay us back for all the evil that we did to him." So they sent a message to Joseph, saying, "Your father gave this command before he died,



‘Say to Joseph, Please forgive the transgression of your brothers and their sin, because they did evil to you.’ And now, please forgive the transgression of the servants of the God of your father.” Joseph wept when they spoke to him.



His brothers also came and fell down before him and said, “Behold, we are your servants.” But Joseph said to them, “Do not fear, for am I in the place of God?”



“As for you, you meant evil against me, but God meant it for good, to bring it about that many people should be kept alive, as they are today. So do not fear; I will provide for you and your little ones.” Thus he comforted them and spoke kindly to them.



Lector: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.



Epistle Reading

Romans 14:1–12



As for the one who is weak in faith, welcome him, but not to quarrel over opinions. One person believes he may eat anything, while the weak person eats only vegetables.



Let not the one who eats despise the one who abstains, and let not the one who abstains pass judgment on the one who eats, for God has welcomed him. Who are you to pass judgment on the servant of another?



It is before his own master that he stands or falls. And he will be upheld, for the Lord is able to make him stand.

One person esteems one day as better than another, while another esteems all days alike.



Each one should be fully convinced in his own mind. The one who observes the day, observes it in honor of the Lord. The one who eats, eats in honor of the Lord, since he gives thanks to God, while the one who abstains, abstains in honor of the Lord and gives thanks to God.



For none of us lives to himself, and none of us dies to himself. If we live, we live to the Lord, and if we die, we die to the Lord. So then, whether we live or whether we die, we are the Lord's.



For to this end Christ died and lived again, that he might be Lord both of the dead and of the living.

Why do you pass judgment on your brother? Or you, why do you despise your brother?



For we will all stand before the
judgment seat of God; for it is written,
“As I live, says the Lord, every knee
shall bow to me,
and every tongue shall confess to
God.”



So then each of us will give an account
of himself to God.



Lector: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.



As The Deer



As the deer pants for the water
So my soul longs after You
You alone are my heart's desire
And I long to worship You



You alone are my strength my shield
To You alone may my spirit yield
You alone are my heart's desire
And I long to worship You



You're my friend and You are my
brother

Even though You are a King

I love You more than any other

So much more than anything



You alone are my strength my shield
To You alone may my spirit yield
You alone are my heart's desire
And I long to worship You



I want You more than gold or silver
Only You can satisfy
You alone are the real joy-giver
And the apple of my eye



You alone are my strength my shield
To You alone may my spirit yield
You alone are my heart's desire
And I long to worship You



Gospel Reading

St. Matthew
18:21–35



Pastor: The Holy Gospel
according to St. Matthew,
the eighteenth chapter.

People: Glory to You, O Lord.



Peter came up and said to [Jesus],
“Lord, how often will my brother sin
against me, and I forgive him? As many
as seven times?” Jesus said to him, “I
do not say to you seven times, but
seventy times seven.



“Therefore the kingdom of heaven may be compared to a king who wished to settle accounts with his servants. When he began to settle, one was brought to him who owed him ten thousand talents.



And since he could not pay, his master ordered him to be sold, with his wife and children and all that he had, and payment to be made. So the servant fell on his knees, imploring him, 'Have patience with me, and I will pay you everything.'



And out of pity for him, the master of that servant released him and forgave him the debt. But when that same servant went out, he found one of his fellow servants who owed him a hundred denarii, and seizing him, he began to choke him, saying, 'Pay what you owe.'



So his fellow servant fell down and pleaded with him, 'Have patience with me, and I will pay you.' He refused and went and put him in prison until he should pay the debt.



When his fellow servants saw what had taken place, they were greatly distressed, and they went and reported to their master all that had taken place.



Then his master summoned him and said to him, 'You wicked servant! I forgave you all that debt because you pleaded with me. And should not you have had mercy on your fellow servant, as I had mercy on you?'



And in anger his master delivered him to the jailers, until he should pay all his debt. So also my heavenly Father will do to every one of you, if you do not forgive your brother from your heart.”



Pastor: This is the Gospel of
the Lord.

People: Praise to You, O
Christ.



Cornerstone



My hope is built on nothing less,
Than Jesus' blood and righteousness.
I dare not trust the sweetest frame,
But wholly trust in Jesus' Name.
(Repeat)



Christ alone. Cornerstone.
Weak made strong in the Savior's love.
Through the storm, He is Lord. Lord of
all.



When darkness seems to hide His face,
I rest on His unchanging grace.
In every high and stormy gale,
My anchor holds within the veil.
My anchor holds within the veil.



Christ alone. Cornerstone.
Weak made strong in the Savior's love.
Through the storm, He is Lord. Lord of
all.



When He shall come with trumpet
sound,
Oh may I then in Him be found.
Dressed in His righteousness alone.
Faultless stand before the throne.
Faultless stand before the throne.



Christ alone. Cornerstone.
Weak made strong in the Savior's love.
Through the storm, He is Lord. Lord of
all.



Sermon

Sixty Million Dollars to One...

Matthew 18: 21-35



Apostles' Creed

**I believe in God, the Father
Almighty, maker of heaven and
earth**



Apostles' Creed

And 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.



Apostles' Creed

The third day He rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From thence He will come to judge the living and the dead.



Apostles' Creed

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.



Prayers



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



Lord's Prayer

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.



Offering



Communion



Blessing Prayer



Benediction



He Is Exalted



He is exalted

The King is exalted on high

I will praise Him

He is exalted forever exalted

And I will praise His name



He is the Lord
Forever His truth shall reign
Heaven and earth
Rejoice in His holy name
He is exalted
The King is exalted on high



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Announcements



Thank you for worshiping with us today!

Regular Services

Sunday

8:30 AM

Traditional Service

Sunday

11 AM

Contemporary Service



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