

# Living with Gratitude

St. Michael and All Angels Contemporary Worship 8:30 and 11:00 am September 29, 2019





**Welcome to Trinity Lutheran Church!** Please sign the red Worship Witness booklet to record your attendance with us this day. Then pass the booklet to the worshipers beside you in your row. If you are a guest, name tags are available for you to wear---we would be delighted to greet you by name. Hearing assistance devices are available at the Gathering Space desk.

# about today's service

The archangel Michael is pictured as a prince and a general of the heavenly army, defeating the dragon (the ancient serpent, the devil, Satan). It is important, though, to see in Revelation 12:11 that God's victory ultimately comes by Jesus' death and the testimony of his followers. The power of God's truth gives us confidence in the face of evil on earth, even in the face of our own death.

P: Pastor L: Lector C: Congregation

# + Gathering +

We gather together to praise God and receive God's love.

# Song: "The Battle Belongs to the Lord/Awesome God" Verse 1

In heavenly armor we'll enter the land,

The battle belongs to the Lord.

No weapon that's fashioned against us will stand,

The battle belongs to the Lord.

#### Verse 2

When the power of darkness comes in like a flood,

The battle belongs to the Lord.

He's raised up a standard, the pow'r of His blood,

The battle belongs to the Lord.

#### Chorus

Our God is an awesome God; He reigns from heaven above With wisdom, pow'r and love, Our God is an awesome God

#### Verse 3

When your enemy presses in hard, do not fear,

The battle belongs to the Lord.

Take courage, my friend, your redemption is near,

The battle belongs to the Lord.

# Chorus (2x)

Tag (2x): Our God is an awesome God.

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# Song: "Sing to the King"

# Verse 1 (2X)

Sing to the King who, is coming to reign glory to Jesus

The Lamb that was slain

Life and salvation, His empire shall bring joy to the nations

When Jesus is King

### Chorus

Come, let us sing a song, a song declaring we belong to Jesus

He is all we need

Lift up a heart of praise

Sing now with voices raised to Jesus Sing to the King

#### Verse 2

For his returning we watch and we pray we will be ready

The dawn of that day

We'll join in singing with all the redeemed

Satan is vanquished and Jesus is King

#### Chorus

#### Verse 2

#### Chorus

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#### Welcome

(Stand)

# Song: "Salvation Belongs To Our God"

#### Verse 1

Salvation belongs to our God who sits upon the throne. And unto the Lamb Praise and glory, wisdom and thanks, honor and power and strength.

#### Chorus

Be to our God forever and ever.

Be to our God forever and ever.

Be to our God forever and ever. Amen.

#### Verse 2

And we the redeemed shall be strong in purpose and unity.

Declaring aloud praise and glory, wisdom and thanks, honor and power and strength.

#### Chorus

**Bridge:** Praise and glory, wisdom and thanks, honor and power and strength.

### Chorus

# Tag (2X): Amen.

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# Confession and Forgiveness

P: Blessed be the holy Trinity, + one God, the strength of our ancestors, the host of this meal, the builder of the city that is to come.

C: Amen.

P: If we have died with Christ, we will also live with Christ. Let us confess our sin to the one who is faithful.

Silence is kept for reflection.

- P: God our helper,
- C: we confess the many ways we have failed to live as your disciples. We have not finished what we began. We have feasted with friends but ignored strangers. We have been captivated by our possessions. Lift our burdens, gracious God. Refresh our hearts and forgive our sin. Raise us to the new life you have chosen for us in Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

P: There is rejoicing in heaven when sinners repent. Put your trust in these promises: God will never leave you or forsake you. You who were lost have been found. For the sake of + Jesus Christ, your sins are forgiven. Rejoice with the angels at this good news.

C: Amen.

Greeting

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

C: And also with you.

Prayer of the Day

P: Let us pray. Everlasting God, you have wonderfully established the ministries of angels and mortals. Mercifully grant that as Michael and the angels contend against the cosmic forces of evil, so by your direction they may help and defend us here on earth, through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God whom we worship and praise with angels and archangels and all the company of heaven, now and forever.

C: Amen.

# + Word +

We listen to the story of God's mighty acts for the sake of God's people.

Reading: Daniel 10:10-14; 12:1-3

Daniel trembles in the presence of an angel. That angel tells the prophet about the good and terrible future when the dead will be resurrected and the archangel Michael will usher in the deliverance of the nation.

<sup>10</sup>A hand touched me and roused me to my hands and knees. <sup>11</sup>He said to me, "Daniel, greatly beloved, pay attention to the words that I am going to speak to you. Stand on your feet, for I have now been sent to you." So while he was speaking this word to me, I stood up trembling. <sup>12</sup>He said to me, "Do not fear, Daniel, for from the first day that you set your mind to gain understanding and to humble yourself before your God, your words have been heard, and I have come because of your words. <sup>13</sup>But the prince of the kingdom of Persia opposed me twenty-one days. So Michael, one of the chief princes, came to help me, and I left him there with the prince of the kingdom of Persia, <sup>14</sup>and have come to help you understand what is to

happen to your people at the end of days. For there is a further vision for those days. <sup>12:1</sup>"At that time Michael, the great prince, the protector of your people, shall arise. There shall be a time of anguish, such as has never occurred since nations first came into existence. But at that time your people shall be delivered, everyone who is found written in the book. <sup>2</sup>Many of those who sleep in the dust of the earth shall awake, some to everlasting life, and some to shame and everlasting contempt. <sup>3</sup>Those who are wise shall shine like the brightness of the sky, and those who lead many to righteousness, like the stars forever and ever."

L: The word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

(Stand)

Gospel Acclamation: "Thy Word"

### Chorus

Thy word is a lamp unto my feet and a light unto my path.

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Gospel Reading

Luke 10:17-20

The missionary church ("the seventy-two") is given magnificent power. Greater than this gift of power over the enemy, however, is the gift of salvation: their names are written in heaven.

<sup>17</sup>The seventy returned with joy, saying, "Lord, in your name even the demons submit to us!" <sup>18</sup>He said to them, "I watched Satan fall from heaven like a flash of lightning. <sup>19</sup>See, I have given you authority to tread on snakes and scorpions, and over all the power of the enemy; and nothing will hurt you. <sup>20</sup>Nevertheless, do not rejoice at this, that the spirits submit to you, but rejoice that your names are written in heaven."

P: The gospel of the Lord.

C: Praise to you, O Christ.

(Sit)

Sermon: "Living with Gratitude: Eyes on God"

Pastor Jack Horner

Children's Message Pastor Liz Frey

(Stand)

# Song "How Great is Our God"

#### Verse 1

The splendor of the King clothed in majesty, Let all the earth rejoice, all the earth rejoice.

He wraps Himself in light and darkness tries to hide.

And trembles at His voice, and trembles at His voice.

#### Chorus

How great is our God, Sing with me.

How great is our God, and all will see how great.

How great is our God!

#### Verse 2

And age to age He stands and time is in His hands.

Beginning and the End, Beginning and the End.

The Godhead three in one, Father Spirit Son.

The Lion and the Lamb, the Lion and the Lamb.

#### Chorus

# Bridge (2X)

Name above all names, worthy of all praise.

My heart will sing, How great is our God!

# Chorus (2X)

# Tag:

Then sings my soul, my Savior God, to Thee:

How great Thou art, how great Thou art!

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How great Thou art, how great Thou art!

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# 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  $\pm$  resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

Prayers of the Church

Following each petition are the words: "Lord, in your mercy,"

Please respond with: "hear our prayer"

# 十 Meal 十

When we celebrate communion we remember that Jesus died for us and we experience God's love and forgiveness. As we eat the bread and wine Christ is present with us.

Sharing of the Peace

P: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

C: And also with you.

**Announcements** 

(Sit)

# Offering:

Optional giving methods: Use the Give+ app on your mobile device • Use the Giving Station in the Gathering Space • Text an amount to 717-963-2281 (be sure to use a "\$") • Use the "DONATE" button on our website and e-blasts.

# Song: "Open the Eyes of My Heart"

# Chorus (2X)

Open the eyes of my heart, Lord, open the eyes of my heart.

I want to see you, I want to see you.

Open the eyes of my heart, Lord, open the eyes of my heart.

I want to see you, I want to see you.

#### Verse

To see you high and lifted up shining in the light of your glory.

Pour out your power and love, as we sing, "Holy, Holy, Holy, Holy, Holy, Holy!"

#### Chorus

# Verse (2X)

**Bridge (2X):** Holy, Holy, Holy, Holy, Holy, Holy, Holy, Holy, Holy, Holy! I want to see you. Paul Baloche @1997 Integrity's Hosanna! Music (c/o Integrity Music, Inc.) CCLI License No. 1283514.

(Stand)

# Song: "Give Thanks" Chorus (2x)

Give thanks with a grateful heart, give thanks to the Holy one; Give thanks because He's given Jesus Christ, his Son.

# Verse (2x)

And now, let the weak say I am strong; Let the poor say I am rich, Because of what the Lord has done for us.

# **Ending**

Give thanks, give thanks.

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# Offering Prayer

P: Let us pray. God our provider,

C: God our provider, we bring nothing into this world and we can take nothing out of it. Accept the gifts you have first given us, which we bring to your table, and with them the offering of our lives. Nourish us now with the life that really is life, revealed to us in Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

# Great Thanksgiving

P: Christ is here.

C: The Spirit is with us.

P: With joy, we lift up our hearts.

C: And give thanks to the Lord of Life.

# **Eucharistic Prayer**

P: Trusting God, your servant Jeremiah believed ...

P: Great is the mystery of faith.

C: Christ has died; Christ is risen; Christ will come again.

P: Generous and ever-giving God ... who provide us so richly with everything for our enjoyment; until the day when you are all in all, ever one God, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit

C: Amen.

# Lord's Prayer

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours, now and forever. Amen.

Invitation to Communion

P: Jesus welcomes sinners and eats with them. Come, take your place at the feast

C: Thanks be to God.

(Sit)

Sharing our Lord's Supper

All Christians are welcome to celebrate the real presence of Jesus Christ in our Lord's Supper. Please come forward by the middle aisle, receive the bread, dip it into the wine, and return by the side aisles. Communion may be received in bread only, if desired. Non-communing children and adults are invited to come forward for a blessing. As a gesture of hospitality we use dealcoholized wine (less than .5% alcohol). In addition, we offer glutenfree wafers available upon request--please ask the pastor at the time of communion.

(Stand)

Post Communion Blessing

P: The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen you and keep you in his arace.

C: Amen.

P: Let us pray. God of blessing, at this table we have seen you face to face, and in the gift of Christ's body and blood, our hearts have been refreshed. Send us now to shine with your goodness and bear witness to the one we have received: Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

C: Amen.

# + Sending +

We have heard the Word of God, offered our gifts, and been fed at the table. Now we are sent out, strengthened by the Holy Spirit to be God's people in the world.

# Blessing

P: Guard the good treasure entrusted to you, with the help of the Holy Spirit living in us. Almighty God + bless you with grace, mercy, and peace, now and forever.

C: Amen.

# Song: "The Lord Almighty Reigns"

# Chorus (2X)

Hallelujah, hallelujah, hallelujah, the Lord reigns. Hallelujah, hallelujah, hallelujah, the Lord Almighty reigns.

#### Verse

He has shown His awesome power, He has triumphed mightily, He's the victor over darkness and the grave.

He has broken chains that bound us, He has set the pris'ner free,

By His own great mercy we are saved.

#### Chorus

#### Verse

Chorus

#### Instrumental

#### Chorus

Tag: Hallelujah, the Lord Almighty reigns.

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#### Dismissal

P: Go in peace. Christ is sending you.

C: Thanks be to God.

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# worship notes

**Attendance at our worship services** last week was 659. Copies of last week's sermons are available on the tables in Fellowship Hall, in the narthex, the tract rack in the Gathering Space, and on our website <a href="https://www.trinitycamphill.org">www.trinitycamphill.org</a>.

**The flowers in the Nave and Fellowship Hall**, the communion elements for all services, and the sanctuary lamp candle, the symbol of God's abiding presence, are presented to the glory of God and in loving memory of our mother and grandmother Jeanne Dell by Sharon and Jennifer.

Join us next week...
as we continue in our two-month sermon series
celebrating God's goodness and our response

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Pastor Liz Frey
"Living with Gratitude: Thank Your Elders"
FaithX

# **Leaders**

Presiding Minister: The Rev. Elizabeth E. Frey

Preacher: The Rev. Dr. Jack M. Horner

Lector: (8:30) Sarah Hancock; (11:00) Joyce Roy

Greeters: (8:30) Jon Andrews (head greeter); (11:00) Ellen Ney (head greeter),

Janet Kissinger, Jack Nagle

Communion Assistants: (8:30) Sarah Hancock, Dan and Lyn Reed (11:00) Joyce

Roy, Linda and Tom Hoffert

Ushers: (8:30) Daryl Ackerman, Jon Andrews; (11:00) Linda and Tom Hoffert, Kristi

Hoffman

**Altar Care:** (8:30) Kathy Gottlieb; (11:00) Julie and Dennis Geib **Sound Technician:** (8:30) James Roberts; (11:00) Royce Hoffman

Video Technician: Barb Martin

**Slide Show Production:** Barb Martin **Visual Announcements:** Jane Killian

FaithX: Kevin Appleby, Kevin Brady, Pam Hess, Shannon Jones, Devin Miller, Jesse

Northridge, Tom Reddinger, Mike Schwalm, Tom Stank, Paul Walker, Debbie

Wilson, Rick Wilson

Flower Delivery: Mary Ellen Hettinger

Garden of Eatin: (GOE I) Gretchen Brodie, John West; (GOE II) Zandra Bishop and

Family

**Bulletin Artwork:** Patty Marshall