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Day of Thanksgiving

November 25, 2009

Prelude
Welcome
Ringing of the Bell

Opening Hymn: "Praise, Oh Praise, Our God and King"

Text: John Milton/Henry W. Baker

Tune: Monkland

Lutheran Hymnal, 1941 (#570)

1)

Praise, oh, praise, our God and King, Hymns of adoration sing; For His mercies still endure, Ever faithful, ever sure.

2)

Praise Him that He made the sun Day by day his course to run; For His mercies still endure, Ever faithful, ever sure.

3)

And the silver moon by night, Shining with her gentle light; For His mercies still endure, Ever faithful, ever sure.

4)

Praise Him that He gave the rain To mature the swelling grain; For His mercies still endure. Ever faithful, ever sure.

5)

And hath bid the fruitful field Crops of precious increase yield; For His mercies still endure, Ever faithful, ever sure.

6)

Praise Him for our harvest store, He hath filled the garner floor; For His mercies still endure, Ever faithful, ever sure.

7)

And for richer food than this, Pledge of everlasting bliss; For His mercies still endure, Ever faithful, ever sure.

8)

Glory to our bounteous King, Glory let creation sing; Glory to the Father, Son, And the Spirit, Three in One!

Invocation

P: In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C: Amen.

Psalm 100, prayed responsivelysee front of the hymnal

Collect of the Day, prayed by Pastor

Hymn: #785, "We Praise You, O God"

Old Testament Reading Habakkuk 3:17-19

Gradual: Psalm 145:15-16; 103:2 P: The eyes of all look to You,

C: and You give them their food at the proper time.

P: You open Your hand

C: and satisfy the desires of every living thing.

P: Praise the Lord, O my soul,

C: and forget not all His benefits.

EpistlePhilippians 4:10-13

Choral Anthem: "We Will Give Thanks" Mark Patterson

Holy GospelMatthew 6:25-34

Hymn of the Day: "Praise to God, Immortal Praise"

Text: Anna L. Barbauld

Tune: Dix

The Lutheran Hymnal, 1941 (#572)

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Praise to God, immortal praise, For the love that crowns our days; Bounteous Source of ev'ry joy, Let Thy praise our tongues employ. All to Thee, our God, we owe, Source whence all our blessings flow. 2)

All the plenty summer pours; Autumn's rich, o'erflowing stores; Flocks that whiten all the plain; Yellow sheaves of ripened grain – Lord, for these our souls shall raise Grateful vows and solemn praise.

Peace, prosperity, and health, Private bliss, and public wealth, Knowledge with its gladd'ning streams, True religion's holier beams. Lord, for these our souls shall raise Grateful vows and solemn praise.

4)

As Thy prospering hand hath blest, May we give Thee of our best And by deeds of kindly love For Thy mercies grateful prove, Singing thus through all our days Praise to God, immortal praise.

Sermon: "Thanksgiving - Even In Adversity"

Offering

Hymn: #809, "Great Is Thy Faithfulness"

The General Prayer

Lord's Prayersee back cover of the hymnal

Benediction

P: The Lord bless you and keep you.

The Lord make His face shine on you and be gracious to you. The Lord look upon you with favor and give you peace.

C: Amen.

Closing Hymn: #813, "Rejoice, O Pilgrim Throng"

Silent Prayer/Chimes Postlude