

Welcome

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By All Your Saints in Warfare

LSB 518 vs. 1, 22, 3

Invocation

- P** In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.
C Amen.

Opening Sentences

Psalm 113:1–4, 7–9; Luke 1:46–47

- P** Praise the LORD! Praise, O servants of the LORD, praise the name of the LORD!
- C** **Blessed be the name of the LORD from this time forth and forevermore! From the rising of the sun to its setting, the name of the LORD is to be praised!**
- P** He raises the poor from the dust and lifts the needy from the ash heap, to make them sit with princes, with the princes of His people.
- C** **He gives the barren woman a home, making her the joyous mother of children. Praise the LORD!**
- P** The LORD is high above all nations, and His glory above the heavens!
- C** **My soul magnifies the Lord, and my spirit rejoices in God my Savior.**

Confession and Absolution

- P** Let us now confess our sins to God, our Father.
- C** **Strengthen us, Lord, and grant us Your forgiveness. We confess that we are by nature sinful and unclean. We repent of our many sins, those known to us and those unknown as well. Create in us clean hearts, gracious Lord, and put new and right spirits within us that we may know the fullness of Your love and be at peace with all people.**
- P** By God's grace you have been known and loved by Him from before the time you were born. Through the suffering, death, and resurrection of His Son, Jesus Christ, He has brought about the forgiveness of your sins. As a called and ordained servant of Christ, I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.
- C** Amen.

P The Lord, out of His glorious riches, strengthen you with power through His Spirit in your inner being so that Christ may dwell in your hearts through faith.

C Amen.

Salutation and Prayer of the Day

P The Lord be with you.

C And also with you.

P Let us pray.

Almighty God, You chose the virgin Mary to be the mother of Your only Son. Grant that we, who are redeemed by His blood, may share with her in the glory of Your eternal kingdom; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C Amen.

For All the Faithful Women

LSB 855 vs. 1, 8, 3-4

1 For all the faithful women Who served in days of old,
To You shall thanks be given; To all, their story told.
They served with strength and gladness In tasks Your wisdom gave.
To You their lives bore witness, Proclaimed Your pow'r to save.

8 We sing of Mary, mother, Fair maiden, full of grace.
She bore the Christ, our brother, Who came to save our race.
May we, with her, surrender Ourselves to Your command
And lay upon Your altar Our gifts of heart and hand.

3 O God, for saints and servants, Those named and those unknown
In whom through all the ages Your light of glory shone,
We offer glad thanksgiving And fervent prayer we raise
That, faithful in Your service, Our lives may sing Your praise.

Δ4 All praise to God the Father! All praise to Christ the Son!
All praise the Holy Spirit, Who binds the Church in one!
With saints who went before us, With saints who witness still,
We sing glad Alleluias And strive to do Your will.

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Epistle
Holy Gospel

Galatians 4:4–7
Luke 1:46–55

My Soul Now Magnifies the Lord

LSB 934

Sermon

Nicene Creed

☩ I believe in one God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth and of all things visible and invisible.

And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, begotten of His Father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light, very God of very God, begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father, by whom all things were made; who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary and was made man; and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate. He suffered and was buried. And the third day He rose again according to the Scriptures and ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of the Father. And He will come again with glory to judge both the living and the dead, whose kingdom will have no end.

And I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord and giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified, who spoke by the prophets. And I believe in one holy Christian and apostolic Church, I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins, and I look for the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.

Prayer of the Church

Offering & Rite of Friendship

Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow

LSB 805

Δ1 Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him, all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host:
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

Service of the Sacrament

LSB 160

From East to West

LSB 385

Ye Watchers and Ye Holy Ones

LSB 670

Now Thank We All Our God

LSB 895

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