

## Service of the Word

Preservice Devotion: Psalm 128 &lt;&gt; Liturgy Setting: LSB Setting 3

✦ Opening Welcome &amp; Lighting of the Candles ✦

*The Opening Welcome will be marked by three bell tones, followed by the lighting and opening hymn..*

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## Hail, O Source of Every Blessing



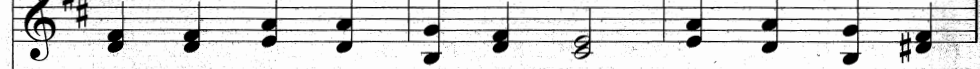
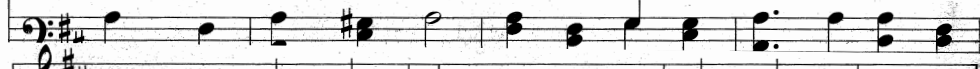
1 Hail, O Source of ev - 'ry bless - ing, Fa - ther of our  
 2 Once far off but now in - vit - ed, We ap - proach Your  
 3 Hail, O all - in - vit - ing Sav - ior! Gen - tiles now their



hu - man race! Gen - tiles now, Your grace pos - sess - ing, In Your  
 sa - cred throne, In Your cov - e - nant u - nit - ed, Rec - on -  
 of - f' rings bring, In Your tem - ples seek Your fa - vor, Je - sus



courts ob - tain a place. Grate - ful now, we fall be - fore You,  
 ciled, re - deemed, made one. Now re - vealed to east - ern sa - ges,  
 Christ, our Lord and King. May we, bod - y, soul, and spir - it,



In Your Church re - joice to live, See Your glo - ry  
 See the Star of Mer - cy shine, Mys - t'ry hid in  
 Live de - vot - ed to Your praise, Glo - rious realms of



and a - dore You, Thank - ful for the grace You give.  
 for - mer a - ges, Mys - t'ry great of love di - vine.  
 bliss in - her - it, Grate - ful an - thems ev - er raise.



In the Name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.  
**Amen.**

Our help is in the name of the Lord.

**Who made heaven and earth**

I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the Lord.

**And Thou forgavest the iniquity of my sin.**

**O most merciful God, who hast given Thine only-begotten Son to die for us, have mercy upon us and for His sake grant us remission of all our sins; and by Thy Holy Spirit increase in us true knowledge of Thee and of Thy will, and true obedience to Thy Word, to the end that by Thy grace we may come to everlasting life; through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.**

Almighty God, our heavenly Father, has had mercy upon us and has given His only Son to die for us and for His sake forgives all your sins. To those who believe on His name he gives the right to be children of God and has promised them His Holy Spirit.

He who believes and is baptized shall be saved.

Grant this, Lord, unto us all.

**Amen.**

Mk 16:16; Jn 1:12

*KYRIE ~ Lord Have Mercy*

Mk 10:47



**☐** Lord, have mer - cy up - on us. Christ, have mer - cy up -



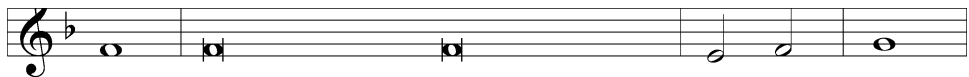
on us. Lord, have mer - cy up - on us.

*GLORIA IN EXCELSIS ~ Glory to God in the Highest*

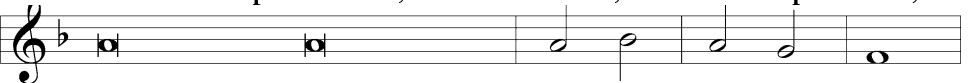
Lk 2:14; Jn 1:29



Glory be to God on high: and on earth peace, good - will toward



men. We praise Thee, we bless Thee, we wor - ship Thee,



we glorify Thee, we give thanks to Thee, for Thy great glory.



O Lord God, heav'n-ly King, God the Fa-ther Al - mighty.

O Lord, the only begotten Son, Je - sus Christ;

O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,

that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy up-on us.

Thou that takest away the sin of the world, re-ceive our prayer.

Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father, have mercy up-

on us. For Thou only art holy; Thou on - ly art the Lord.

Thou only, O Christ, with the Ho - ly Ghost,

art most high in the glory of God the Father. A - men.

The Lord be with you.  
**And also with you.**

Let us pray...  
**Amen.**

FIRST READING  
**Luke 4:31-44**

PSALM VERSE  
**Psalm 128:1-2, 5-6**

## RESPONSE

The Spirit of the Lord is upon me,  
because he has anointed me  
to proclaim good news to the poor.  
Hallelujah! Hallelujah!

**The LORD heals the brokenhearted  
He binds up their wounds. Hallelujah!**

## THE APOSTLES' CREED

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

**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.**

**The third day He rose again from the dead.**

**He ascended into heaven  
and is seated at the right hand of God  
the Father almighty.**

**From there He will come to judge  
the living and the dead.**

**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**

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## I Want to Walk

1 I want to walk as a child of the light.  
2 I want to see the bright-ness of God.  
3 I'm look - ing for the com - ing of Christ.

The musical score consists of two staves: a treble clef staff for the melody and a bass clef staff for the accompaniment. The melody is written in a simple, rhythmic style with a key signature of one flat (B-flat). The lyrics are written below the treble staff, with three different vocal parts indicated by the numbers 1, 2, and 3. The bass staff provides a harmonic accompaniment with chords and a steady bass line.

I want to fol - low Je - sus.  
 I want to look at Je - sus.  
 I want to be with Je - sus.

God set the stars to give light to the world.  
 Clear Sun of Righ - teous - ness, shine on my path,  
 When we have run with pa - tience the race,

The star of my life way to is Je - sus.  
 And show me the way to the Fa - ther.  
 We shall know the joy of Je - sus.

*Refrain*

In Him there is no dark - ness at all.

The night and the day are both a - like.

The Lamb is the light of the cit - y of God.

Shine in my heart, Lord Je - sus.



The peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and minds through Christ Jesus. Amen. *Philippians 4:7*



**C** Cre - ate in me a clean heart, O God, and re -  
new a right spir - it with - in me. Cast me not a -  
way from Thy pres - ence, and take not Thy Ho - ly Spir - it  
from me. Re - store un - to me the joy of Thy sal - va -  
tion, and up - hold me with Thy free spir - it. A - men.

#### PRESENTATION OF THE OFFERING

♪ As they offered gifts most rare  
At Thy cradle, rude and bare,  
So may we with holy joy,  
Pure and free from sin's alloy,  
All our costliest treasures bring,  
Christ, to Thee, our heavenly King!

*TLH 127*

#### PRAYERS

#### BENEDICTION

#### CLOSING HYMN (BELOW)

#### ANNOUNCEMENTS

✠ CLOSING DOXOLOGY ✠

# Lord Jesus, Think on Me

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1 Lord Je - sus, think on me And purge a - way my sin;  
 2 Lord Je - sus, think on me, By anx - ious thoughts op - pressed;  
 3 Lord Je - sus, think on me A - mid the bat - tle's strife;  
 4 Lord Je - sus, think on me Nor let me go a - stray;  
 5 Lord Je - sus, think on me That, when this life is past,

From world - ly pas - sions set me free And make me pure with - in.  
 Let me Your lov - ing ser - vant be And taste Your prom - ised rest.  
 In all my pain and mis - er - y, O be my health and life!  
 Through dark - ness and per - plex - i - ty Point out Your cho - sen way.  
 I may the e - ter - nal bright - ness see And share Your joy at last.

Text: Synesius of Cyrene, c. 365–c. 414; tr. Allen W. Chatfield, 1808–96, alt.  
 Tune: William Daman, c. 1540–91; setting: *New English Hymnal*, 1986

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*Ps. 51:6–12; Heb. 4:15–16; Ps. 119:133; Luke 23:42–43*